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Affiliation

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Education

University of Southern California
School of Public Administration
Doctor of Public Administration – 1988
Dissertation: “County Home Rule: Challenging the Tenets of Reform With
Emphasis on Counties in Arizona”

University of San Francisco
Master of Public Administration – 1982
Thesis: “Motivation and Management of Volunteers”

University of California, Berkeley
Bachelor of Arts, History – 1965

Professional Experience

2000 – present
The University of Arizona
Director, Institute for Local Government
School of Public Administration and Policy
Eller College of Business and Public Administration

1999 – 2000
The University of Arizona
Director, Office of Government Programs
School of Public Administration and Policy
Eller College of Business Administration and Policy

1993 – 1998
The University of Arizona
Department of Community Affairs & Economic Development
Director, Government Programs

1987 – 1993
The University of Arizona
Office of Community and Public Service
Senior Research Specialist

1975 - 1982
Lifespring, Inc.
San Rafael, California
Public Affairs Director and Trainer

1966 – 1975
Pan American World Airways, Inc.
Flight Attendant

Publications and Research

Illegal Immigrants in U.S./Mexico Border Counties: The Costs of Law Enforcement, Criminal Justice and Emergency Medical Services, with John Weeks, Nadia Rubaii-Barrett, and Christine Brenner. Tucson: Institute for Local Government, The University of Arizona, February 2001.

County Charter Government in the West, with Dawn Cowan. Washington, D.,C.: National Association of Counties, May 1999.

“Minority Representation, Resistance, and Public Policy: The Navajos and the Counties,” with David R. Berman. *Publius*, Spring 1999.

“Border Impact: Criminal Illegal Immigrants on the Law Enforcement & Criminal Justice System in Santa Cruz County, Arizona.” Nogales, Arizona: Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors, January 1999.

“From Rural to Suburban: Five Regions in Greater Arizona.” *Arizona Policy Choices: Growth in Arizona---The Machine in the Garden*. Robert Melnick, ed. Tempe: Arizona State University, October 1998.

“Border Impact: Law Enforcement & Criminal Justice, Santa Cruz County, Arizona.” Nogales, Arizona: Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors, November 1997.

“County Governments in the United States.” *International Encyclopedia of Public Policy and Administration*. Jay M. Schafritz, ed. Boulder: Westview Press, 1997.

“County-Tribal Relations: Six Southwestern Counties and the Navajo Nation,” with Carol L. Whittaker. Tucson, Arizona: The University of Arizona, Department of Community Affairs & Economic Development, 1997. (Papers presented at Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, March 1997 and American Society for Public Administration Annual Meeting, July 1997.)

“The Changing Role of Counties in the Intergovernmental System,” with David R. Berman. *The American County: Frontiers of Knowledge*, Don C. Menzel, Ed. (Tuscaloosa and London, University of Alabama Press, 1996).

“Estimating the Costs of State Mandates: The County Law Enforcement and Justice System in Arizona.” *Public Budgeting & Financial Management*, November 1995.

“County of Santa Cruz and the City of Nogales: Areas of Jurisdiction for the Delivery of Services.” Tucson, Arizona: Office of Government Programs, The University of Arizona, May 1995.

Arizona State Mandates to County Government: The Law Enforcement & Justice System. Tucson, Arizona: Office of Government Programs, The University of Arizona, February 1995.

“Mohave County Community Unity: Forum Proceedings V, Volume III.” Tucson, Arizona: Office of Government Programs, The University of Arizona, June 1995.

“An Examination of Tax Revenues Generated by The Navajo Nation in Coconino County, Arizona.” Tucson, Arizona: Office of Government Programs, The University of Arizona, May 1994.

“Evolving County-State Relations: From Servant to Partner?” *International Journal of Public Administration* (May 1994).

“County Constitutional Officers: A Preliminary Investigation,” with Lawrence L. Martin. *State and Local Government Review*, Vol, 25, No. 3, Fall 1993.

“Estimating the Impact of a Proposed County Sales Tax in Navajo County, Arizona” (Navajo County Board of Supervisors, April 1993).

Mohave County Community Unity Forum. Editor of Conference Proceedings (Tucson: Office of Community and Public Service, The University of Arizona, April 1993).

“Shifting Roles in County-State Relations.” *County Government in An Era of Change*, David R. Berman, Ed. (Connecticut: Greenwood Publishers, February 1993).

“What Does NAFTA Mean for Arizona?” *Free Trade: Arizona At The Crossroads*. Phoenix: Arizona Academy, Fall 1992.

“The Frontline of Trade: Arizona and the Border States.” *Free Trade: Arizona At The Crossroads*. With Marshall A. Worden, Lay James Gibson, Vera K. Pavlakovich, and Steve Dubin. (Phoenix: Arizona Academy, Fall 1992).

“Setting a Research Agenda for the American County,” with Don Menzel, et al. *Public Administration Review*, March/April 1992.

“Potential Opportunities and Problems.” *Yuma County in a Free Trade Environment*. Brian Catts, Editor. March 1992. Tucson: University of Arizona.

“Estimating the Incidence of a Proposed County Sales Tax in Pinal County” (Florence, Arizona: Pinal County Board of Supervisors, September 1991).

“Survey on the State of Research on County Government” (Washington, D.C.: National Association of Counties, June 1991).

Fighting the Drug Wars: Fiscal Impacts on Santa Cruz County, Arizona (Nogales, Arizona: Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors, March 1991).

“County Governments: An Overview,” *Intergovernmental Perspective* (Washington, D.C.: U.S. Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, Winter 1991).

“Estimating the Exportability of a Proposed Sales Tax in Coconino County” (Flagstaff, Arizona: Coconino County Board of Supervisors, January 1991).

Mohave County Community Unity Forum, Editor of Conference Proceedings (Tucson: Office of Community and Public Service, The University of Arizona, January 1991).

“A History of Economic Development in Arizona,” *The Many Faces of Economic Development in Arizona* (Phoenix: Arizona Academy, October 1990).

“Estimating the Dollar Impact of a Proposed County Sales Tax on the Average Income Earner in Santa Cruz County” (Nogales, Arizona: Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors, September 1990).

Rethinking State-County Relations, Editor of Conference Proceedings (Tucson: Office of Community and Public Service, The University of Arizona, May 1990).

Arizona County Government: A Study of Contemporary Issues (Tucson: Office of Community and Public Service, The University of Arizona, September 1989).

County Government Structure: A State by State Report, with Blake Jeffrey and Alan Boroshok (Washington, D.C.: National Association of Counties, July 1989).

County Home Rule: Perspectives for Decision Making in Arizona (Tucson: Office of Community and Public Service, The University of Arizona, August 1988).

Presentations

“Costs of Criminal Illegal Immigrants on 24 Border Counties: Preliminary Findings.” Presentation to the United States/Mexico Border Counties Coalition Meeting. July 8, 2000 in Brownsville, Texas.

“The Structure of Local Government in the United States.” Tucson-Mexico Project, Institute of Sonora Workshop, June 29, 2000 in Tucson.

“The Costs to Arizona Counties of Processing Criminal Illegal Immigrants: Preliminary Findings.” U.S. Senate Subcommittee on Immigration (Judiciary Committee). June 27, 2000.

“County Supervisors Association of Arizona: Breaking New Ground.” CSA Retreat, May 2000 in Payson, Arizona.

“A Framework for Kansas Counties in 2000.” Presentation to Kansas Association of Counties-County Commissioners Affiliate. May 2000 in Topeka.

“County Charter Government in the West: Analysis of 37 Charters.” A paper presented to the American Society for Public Administration Meeting, April 2000 in San Diego.

“Reform for Texas Counties 2000.” Presentation to Texas Association of Counties Policy Analysis Group. March 2000 in El Paso.

“Project Arizona Civic Education.” Presentation to Arizona City/County Management Association. February 2000 in Sedona.

“County Government Tax Issues in the New Millennium.” Workshop for International Association of County Treasurers.” July 1999 in Scottsdale.

“County Government in the New Millennium.” Workshop for International Association of County Clerks and Recorders. July 2000 in Scottsdale.

“County Charter Government in the West: Research Findings.” Presentation to Western Interstate Region Conference of National Association of Counties. May 1999 in Concord, CA.

“How to Measure the Fiscal Impact of Processing Criminal Illegal Immigrants on Border Counties.” Presentation to United States/Mexico Border Counties Coalition Meeting. June 1999 in Las Cruces, NM and January 1999 in Laredo, TX..

“State Unfunded Mandates to County Governments.” Presentation to Minnesota Conference on Mandates. December 17, 1998, in Minneapolis.

“County Governance in the 21st Century.” Presentation to Colorado Counties, Inc., Conference, June 1998.

“County-Tribal Relations: A New Twist to IGR.” Paper presented to the American Society for Public Administration Annual Meeting, July 1997 in Philadelphia.

“Minority Representation, Resistance, and Public Policy: The Navajos and the Counties.” Paper presented to the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, March 1997 in Tucson.

“What County Supervisors Need to Know to Govern into the New Millennium.” Presentation for the New Supervisors Orientation, County Supervisors Association of Arizona, January 1997, Phoenix.

“Arizona County Government in the 1990s.” Presentation to the Arizona Association of Counties Winter Meeting, November 1996, Chandler, Arizona.

“State Mandates on the County Law Enforcement and Justice System: Implications for Court Reform.” Presentation to Arizona Supreme Court Committee on Court Reform, May 1995, in Phoenix.

“County Government in the 1990s: A National Perspective.” Presentation to “Leadership Alabama,” May 1995, in Montgomery.

“Tribal Economic Development: Implications for Economic Development.” Panel convener for Western Interstate Region Conference, National Association of Counties, May 19, 1994, in Bismarck.

“Tribal County Relations – Overview.” Introduction for “County-Tribal Relations: Gaining Perspective” Seminar, Arizona Association of Counties Winter Conference, November 18, 1993, in Mesa.

“State-County Fiscal Relations and the FY 1995 State Budget.” Presentation for the Maricopa County Executive Team Third Annual Legislative Development Forum, September 29, 1993 in Phoenix.

“An Overview of Issues and Trends in County Government.” Presentation for the New Supervisors’ Orientation, County Supervisors Association of Arizona, January 27, 1993, in Phoenix.

“Accomplishments of the Mohave County Community Unity Project.” Presentation made to the Mohave County Community Unity Forum, September 22, 1992, in Laughlin, Nevada.

“County Government in Arizona.” Presentation to Project CENTRL, September 10, 1992, in Globe.

“County Constitutional Officers: A Preliminary Investigation,” with Lawrence Martin. Paper presented to the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, March 1992, in San Francisco.

“National Trends in County Home Rule.” Presentation to Arizona State Senate Committee on Government, February 26, 1992, in Phoenix.

“National Trends in County Home Rule.” Presentation to Arizona House of Representatives Committee on Counties and Municipalities, January 21, 1992, in Phoenix.

“Counties and the University,” panel presentation for the Arizona Association of Counties Annual Conference, November 1991, in Tucson.

“Working Consultation on State-County Relations,” discussant,, Penn State Harrisburg, September 1991, in Harrisburg.

“Economic Development in Rural Arizona,” panel moderator for the Arizona Association of Counties Mid-Year Conference, June 1991, in Prescott, Arizona.

“County Home Rule in Alabama,” instructor for Alabama County Commissioners’ Institute, Auburn University, June 1991, in Auburn.

“Linking Local Government Educators,” discussant, University of Illinois Conference, April 1991, in Chicago.

“County Home Rule: Economic Development Boom or Bust?” Presentation to Maricopa County Economic Development Conference, March 1991, in Phoenix.

“Should Arizona Counties Have Home Rule?” Presentation to the Arizona Treasurers’ Affiliate Annual Conference, March 1991, in Mesa.

“Setting a Research Agenda for the Study of the American County.” Presentation to the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, March 1991, in Washington, D.C.

“Economic Development in Arizona,” discussant, Western Centers Conference, Montana State University, October 1990, in Grand Canyon.

“Local Government Projects in Arizona,” discussant, Western Centers Conference, Montana State University, October 1990, in Big Sky, Montana.

“County Government in Arizona.” Presentation to Project CENTRL, September 1990, in Globe.

“The Future of County Government Research.” Presentation to American Political Science Association National Conference, September 1990, in San Francisco.

“State-County Relations in Arizona.” Presentation to American Society for Public Administration National Conference, April 1990, in Los Angeles.

“Conclusions and Recommendations for Arizona Counties.” Presentation to Arizona House of Representatives Committee on Counties and Municipalities, January 1990, in Phoenix.

“Observations on County Government in Arizona.” Presentation to Pinal County strategic planning meeting, August 1989, in Tucson.

“National Trends in County Home Rule.” Presentation to Polk County, Iowa Charter Commission, October 1989, in Des Moines.

“Professionalizing County Government.” Presentation to American Society for Public Administration National Conference, April 1989, in Miami.

“A National Perspective on County Home Rule.” Presentation to Arizona Joint Legislative Committee on County Issues, October 1988, in Phoenix.

Grants and Funded Research

April 2000	
Southern Arizona Leadership Council	
Tucson Charter Reform Project	\$3,000
January 2000	
United States/Mexico Border Counties Coalition	
Department of Justice Study on Criminal Illegal Immigrants	\$200,000
January 2000	
Arizona Public Service Company	\$5,000
Southwest Leadership Alumni Program	
June 1999	
UA Foundation	\$5,000
Structure of Local Government Profiles	

January 1999	
Arizona Public Service Company	\$10,000
Southwest Leadership Alumni Program	
December 1996	
W.K. Kellogg Foundation	\$325,000
Southwest County/City Leadership Program and Western Centers Consortium	
December 1996	
Pima County Board of Supervisors	\$85,000
Pima County Charter Committee	
April 1996	
Mohave County Board of Supervisors	\$250
Taxpayer analysis	
February 1996	
Pinal County Board of Supervisors	\$250
Taxpayer analysis	
February 1995	
County Supervisors Association	\$15,000
Mandate study	
May 1995	
Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors	\$4,200
City-county jurisdiction study	
June 1995	
Navajo County Board of Supervisors	\$250
Taxpayer analysis	
September 1995	
Yuma County Board of Supervisors	\$250
Taxpayer analysis	
October 1995	
Cochise County Sheriff's Department	\$250
Taxpayer analysis	
May 1994	
Coconino County Board of Supervisors	\$5,000
Taxpayer analysis of Navajo Nation	
April 1993	
Navajo County Board of Supervisors	\$3,000
Sales tax impact analysis	
December 1992	
W.K. Kellogg Foundation	\$554,000
Grant to establish the Office of Government Programs at the UA	
July 1992	
Arizona Public Service Company	\$15,000
Inaugurate the Southwest County Leadership Program	

January 1992
Mohave Action Commission \$9,000
Coordinate the Mohave County Community Unity Project

September 1991
Pinal County, Arizona \$1,000
Conduct a county sales tax analysis

June 1991
National Association of Counties \$1,500
Conduct a national study on county government research

May 1991
Mohave Action Commission \$1,500
Conduct Mohave County Community Unity III

March 1991
Santa Cruz County, Arizona \$15,000
Conduct research on the fiscal impact of the federal War on Drugs

January 1991
Coconino County, Arizona \$750
Conduct a county sales tax analysis

December 1990
Cochise County, Arizona \$1,500
Conduct a forum on solid waste management

October 1990
Mohave County, Arizona \$1,500
Conduct Mohave County Community Unity Forum II

September 1990
Santa Cruz County, Arizona \$250
Conduct a county sales tax analysis

August 1990
Mohave County, Arizona \$5,000
Conduct Mohave County Community Unity Forum I

Professional Memberships

Arizona City/County Management Association/University Consortium
Southern Consortium of University Public Service Organizations
Pima County Property Tax and State Revenue Reform Committee
Congressional Budget Office—Network on Mandate Cost Estimation
American Society for Public Administration/Section on Intergovernmental Administration & Management
Western Centers Consortium
Western Political Science Association
Reviewer, *State and Local Government Review*
Arizona County/City Management Association
City of Tucson City/Court Task Force
Pima County Juvenile Drug Court Steering Committee

Volunteer Experience

1997 – present	YWCA of Tucson Board of Directors Executive Committee
1997	YWCA of Tucson Chairman, 1997 Women on the Move Leadership Conference
1996	YWCA of Tucson Leadership Conference Program Committee
1979-1981	Special Olympics Marin County, California
1985 – 1988	St. Luke's Home Board of Directors Tucson, Arizona

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