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**PUBLICATIONS**

**Tom Hansford's** book, *The Politics of Precedent on the U.S. Supreme Court* (Princeton University Press), is now in print (co-authored with Jim Spriggs, UC Davis).

The second edition of **William Kreml's** book, *The 21 Century Left - Cognitions in the Constitution and Why Buckley is Wrong* has been accepted for publication by Carolina Academic Press.

**Steve Hays** and **Jessica Sowa's** chapter, "Examining the 'Merits' of Civil Service Reform: The Current Climate in State Government in the United States," has been accepted for publication in James Bowman and Jon West (Eds.) *The American Public Service: Radical Civil Service Reform and the Merit System*. New York: Taylor and Francis Publishers, 2006.

**Jerel Rosati** revised *The Politics of United States Foreign Policy*, Fourth edition (Belmont, CA: Wadsworth/Thompson Learning, forthcoming 2007). The book is used throughout the U.S. including the National War College, and about 20 countries throughout the world.

**Jerel Rosati** and Chris J. Dolan (former Ph.D. in Political Science from USC) have had their manuscript accepted, "U.S. Foreign Economic Policy and the Significance of the National Economic Council," by *International Studies Perspectives*.

**Jerel Rosati's** review of Arie W. Kruglanski, *The Psychology of Closed Mindedness* (New York: Psychology Press, 2004) is forthcoming in *Political Psychology* (2006).

**Dan Sabia's** article, "Utopian Visions of Democracy," appears in the latest issue of *Contemporary Justice Review* 9 (March 2006): 81-101.

**Jerel Rosati** has had the second of his five books recently published in China titled 美国对外政策的政治学文献选读, a Chinese (Mandarin) translation of *Readings in the Politics of United States Foreign Policy* (Beijing: Peking University Press, 2004).

**Neal Woods'** article "Interstate Competition and Environmental Regulation: A Test of the Race to the Bottom Thesis" appears in the March 2006 issue of *Social Science Quarterly*.

**PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS**

**Zaryab Iqbal** presented her paper, "The Two Faces of Globalization," (co authored with **Christopher Zorn**) at the Journeys in International Politics Workshop at the University of Iowa, March 9-12.

**Steve Hays** gave two presentations at Yale University's School of Management on Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. The first ("Reform of Public Institutions Under New Public Management") was the warm-up act for Victor Vroom (originator of VIE—expectancy—theory of motivation), and the second ("Human Resource Management Best Practices") was prepared for the Prime Minister and a delegation of 24 cabinet and Oblast leaders from Kazakhstan.

## MATTERS OF INTEREST

**Harvey Starr** served as chair and participant on the Roundtable, "Crossing Boundaries: Internal-External Approaches, Levels and Methods of Analysis in International Politics," at the International Studies Association Annual Meeting, March 22-25, 2006, San Diego.

**Harvey Starr** served as discussant on the panel, "The Domestic-International Politics Nexus," at the International Studies Association Annual Meeting, March 22-25, 2006, San Diego.

**Steve Hays** served as a discussant on the Social Capital panel at the South Carolina Political Science Association (Beaufort, February 25<sup>th</sup>), and also participated on a roundtable discussion concerning "The Status of Public Administration in the State."

**Mark Tompkins** presented "Using technology to foster active learning in public policy" at the 2006 APSA Teaching and Learning Conference held in Washington, D.C. on February 17; he also presented at the Technology Workshop on February 19.

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