

2022 Chicago Area Political and Social Behavior (CAB) Workshop

The 16th annual Chicago Area Political and Social Behavior Workshop (CAB) will be held on Friday, May 6, 2022, at Northwestern University. The goal of these yearly workshops is to bring together Chicago-area social scientists who share an interest in political and social behavior.

This year's workshop will be in-person only, no remote option will be offered. Organizers will be following Northwestern University's COVID-19 safety [protocols](#) for events.

Logistical Details

- The workshop format is as follows:
 - There will be four paper presentations, with discussion following each presentation.
 - A moderator (for each paper) will keep time and pose a few questions; however, there is no formal discussant, thus the discussion will largely come from the audience.
 - Each presenter will have 40 minutes to present, followed by 20 minutes of discussion (one-hour total).
 - Additionally, we will have a poster session for junior scholars, defined as current advanced graduate students or anyone no more than three years post-Ph.D.
 - The preliminary schedule appears below.
- Papers, if available, will be posted roughly one week in advance on the workshop website.
- A light breakfast, lunch, snacks, and a dinner will be provided. (Dinner is only for those who participate in at least part of the conference.) Part of the purpose of the meeting is to provide scholars from different schools with an opportunity to interact and exchange ideas in an informal setting.
 - *This year's dinner restaurant requires proof of COVID-19 vaccination so please bring that if you plan to come to dinner.*
- Each graduate student will be matched with a faculty member from a different university who shares his/her/their interests. Time will be provided for these pairs to interact (e.g., during break times and lunch).
- *If you have any questions about the event, please contact:*
 - [Jamie Druckman](#) at 847-863-8531
 - [Jeremy Levy](#)
- Next year's meeting is tentatively set for **Friday, May 5, 2023**, and you can find out more about past [CAB conferences](#).

We are grateful to [Northwestern's Institute for Policy Research](#), the [Department of Political Science](#), and the [Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences](#), as well as NORC's [AmeriSpeak®Panel](#) who have agreed to sponsor this event on an ongoing basis.

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Friday, May 6, 2022, 10:00 a.m.–7:15 p.m.

Scott Hall, Northwestern University, The Guild Lounge

601 University Place, Evanston, IL, 60208

phone: 847-491-7450

Papers, if available, will be posted [here](#).

- 9:30–10:00 a.m. Registration opens, coffee and light breakfast available
- 10:00–10:05 a.m. Introduction, [James Druckman](#), Northwestern University
- 10:05–11:05 a.m. [Tabitha Bonilla](#), Northwestern University
“The Role of Descriptive and Substantive Representation in Voter Decision-making”
Moderator: TBA
- 11:05–11:30 a.m. Break
- 11:30 a.m.–
12:30 p.m. [Adam Berinsky](#), Massachusetts Institute of Technology
“Estimating the Returns to Political Microtargeting”
Moderator: TBA
- 12:30–1:30 p.m. Lunch
- 1:30–2:30 p.m. [Susan Stokes](#), University of Chicago
“Rhetorical Stratagems of Autocratic Leaders in Democratic Systems”
Moderator: TBA
- 2:30–2:40 p.m. Brief Overview of NORC’s AmeriSpeak®Panel.
- 2:40–3:00 p.m. Break (Junior Scholars set up posters.)
- 3:00–3:45 p.m. Junior Scholar Poster Session, with snacks
- 3:45–4:00 p.m. Break
- 4:00–5:00 p.m. [Jacob Bowers](#), University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
“How Can Government Encourage COVID-19 Vaccination?”
Moderator: TBA
- 5:15–7:15 p.m. Dinner at [Mt. Everest](#) (*The restaurant currently requires proof of COVID-19 vaccination.*)
Mt. Everest, 630 Church St., Evanston, IL 60201
Tel: (847) 491-1069
Approximately a 10-minute walk or 5-minute drive from campus.
(Directions via Google Maps available [here](#).)

Note: There will be a cash bar (wine and beer) available during dinner. Additionally, at the end of this document you will find a listing of some popular area bars within walking distance for those who want to grab a drink after dinner (as dinner usually ends a bit early).

Workshop Location

- The workshop will take place at [Scott Hall's Guild Lounge](#) (first floor), Northwestern University, 601 University Place, Evanston, IL, 60208.
- If you are driving, (paid) parking information is provided below.
- If you are taking the El Train, take the Purple Line to Davis (901 Davis Street) and then it is roughly a 5-minute walk (to the above workshop address). (["El": CTA Purple Line to the Davis stop.](#))
- If you are taking the Metra train, use the Union Pacific North line to Davis (901 Davis Street), and then it is roughly a 5-minute walk (to the above workshop address). ([Metra: Union Pacific North Line to the Davis Street station \(Zone C\).](#))

The precise location of the building is available on the [campus map](#) and this [Google map](#).

Parking

- [Church St. Self-Park](#), 525 Church St., Evanston, IL 60201-4596, (847) 328-4607.
 - This garage is located on the east side of Chicago Ave. between Church St. and Clark St. (enter the garage from either street).
- Parking is free on campus after 4 p.m.
- For more information about parking in Evanston, see [here](#).

Directions to Dinner

- A light breakfast, lunch, snacks, and dinner will be provided. The dinner will take place at [Mt. Everest](#), 630 Church St., Evanston, IL 60201; Tel: (847) 491-1069.
- Directions via Google Maps available [here](#). It's about a 10-minute walk, or a 5-minute drive.

Local Hotels

[The Graduate, Evanston](#)

1625 Hinman Ave
Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 475-3300

[Hyatt House Evanston](#)

1515 Chicago Ave.
Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 864-2300

[Hilton Garden Inn](#)

1818 Maple Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 475-6400

[Holiday Inn Evanston](#)

1501 Sherman Ave.
Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 491-6400

Local Bars

BAT 17

1709 Benson Ave.
Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 733-7117

Celtic Knot

626 Church St.
Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 864-1679

Whiskey Thief Tavern

616 Davis St.
Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 859-2342

Five & Dime

1026 Davis St.
Evanston, IL 60201
(847) 869-4343

Smylie Brothers Brewing Co.

1615 Oak Ave.
Evanston, IL 60201
(224) 999-7320