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Personal: Born in Havana, Cuba, October 12, 1948. Naturalized, 1969.
Married Linda Mary Cipolla on November 20th, 1971.
Roman Catholic.

Education: Ph. D., Political Science (with a minor in Economics)
Indiana University, 1975.
M.A., Political Science (with a minor in Economics)
Indiana University, 1972.
B.A., Magna Cum Laude, Government and Economics,
University of Miami, 1969.

Fields of Interest: American Politics, Comparative Politics, Political Theory

Professional Experience:

Chairman, Department of Government
The University of West Florida, 1992 - present

Professor of Political Science
The University of West Florida, 1991 - present

Associate Professor of Political Science
The University of West Florida, 1983-1991

Assistant Professor of Political Science
The University of West Florida, 1980-83

Assistant Professor of Political Science
New Mexico State University, 1976-1980

Awards and Fellowships

National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, Summer Institute for College Teachers on The Enduring Significance of Tocqueville's *Democracy in America*, Bethel University, 2007. [Unable to attend for family reasons.]

National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, Summer Institute for College Teachers on "War and Morality," The U.S. Naval Academy, 2004.

USIS Speaker and Specialist Grant to lecture at the Institute of Technology and Higher Education, Monterrey, Mexico, 1999.

Professorial Excellence Program Award, The University of West Florida, 1998.

University Research and Creative Activities Award, The University of West Florida, 1996.

National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, Princeton University Summer Seminar for College Teachers on Comparative Constitutions, directed by Prof. Walter Murphy, 1996.

Reuben Askew Fellow, The Florida Institute of Government, 1995.

Henry Salvatori Fellow, The Heritage Foundation 1994.

National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, Southern Illinois University Summer Seminar for College Teachers on "The Constructionist Stance," directed by Prof. Joel Best, 1992.

Manning J. Dauer Award for best article published in *The Political Chronicle*, the Journal of The Florida Political Science Association, 1990.

National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, University of Wisconsin Summer Institute for College Teachers on Latin American History, 1989.

National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, Cornell University Summer Seminar for College Teachers on "Collective Action," directed by Prof. Sidney Tarrow, 1988.

Fulbright Fellow, Argentina, Summer 1983.

Liberty Fund Fellow, Institute for Humane Studies, Summer 1981.

National Institute of Mental Health Fellow, 1973 and 1974.

National Defense Education Act Fellow, 1969-1972.

Woodrow Wilson Fellow, 1969.

Teaching

Courses taught during the last three years:

INR 3006 Conflict, Violence and Peace
CPO 3990 Dictatorships
CPO 3990 Cuba, Castro, and the USA
CPO 3373 Great World Leaders
CPO 4303 Politics of Spain, Portugal, and Latin America
POT 4601/5602 Masters of Political Thought
POS 6006 The Study of Politics

Scholarship: Articles, Book Chapters, Monographs, Proceedings, and Occasional Papers

American Politics and Policy

“A Post-Mortem on ‘Will the Republicans Retake the House in 2010?’” *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 44, January 2011.

“Will the Republicans Retake the House in 2010?,” *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 43, October 2010, 639-641.

“Fiscal Policy and Vote-getting efficiency in Presidential Elections: A Data Envelopment Analysis” (with William B. Tankersley as first author). Ch. 7 in Chandra S. Putcha (Ed.), *Methods of Forecasting American Election Outcomes: Studies in Strategies for Prediction*. Lewiston, NY: The Edwin Mellen Press, 2010, 137-158.

“Predicting Presidential Elections With Equally-Weighted Regressors in Fair's Equation and the Fiscal Model” (with Charles M. Bundrick). *Political Analysis*, 17, 2009, 333-340.

“Fiscal Policy in American Presidential Elections: A Simulation” (with Charles M. Bundrick and Richard J. Heggen as second and third author, respectively). *Simulation*, 85, 1, 2009, 17-32.

“Forecasting the 2008 Election with the Pollyvote” (third of four authors, along with Andreas Graefe, J. Scott Armstrong, and Randall J. Jones, Jr.). *Foresight. The Journal of Applied Forecasting*. Issue No. 12, Spring 2009.

“Forecasting Performance of Regression Models in the 2008 Presidential Election” (with Randal J. Jones, Jr. as first author). *Foresight. The Journal of Applied Forecasting*. Issue No. 12, Spring 2009.

“Forecasting the 2008 Presidential Election: The Challenge Met” (with Charles M. Bundrick as second author). *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 42, 1, 2009, 23.

“Forecasting the 2008 Presidential Election: A Challenge for the Fiscal Model” (with Charles M. Bundrick as second author). *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 41, 4, 2008, 717-722.

“Forecasting U.S. Presidential Elections. A Brief Review” (with Randall J. Jones, Jr. as first author), *Foresight. The Journal of Applied Forecasting*. Issue 10, Summer 2008, 29-34.

“The 2006 House Elections: Forecasts and Results,” *Extension of Remarks*, Vol. 30, No.1, January 2007. This is an on-line publication of the Legislative Studies Section of the American Political Science Association.

“A Retrospective on Forecasting Midterm Elections to the US House of Representatives” (with Randall J. Jones, Jr. as first author). *Foresight. The Journal of Applied Forecasting*. Issue 5, Fall 2006, 37-42.

“Index Methods for Forecasting: An Application to American Presidential Elections” (with J. Scott Armstrong as first author). *Foresight. The International Journal of Applied Forecasting* Issue 3, February 2006, pp.10-13.

“Deconstructing the 2004 Presidential Election Forecasts: The Fiscal Model and the Campbell Collection Compared” (with C. M. Bundrick as second author). *PS: Political Science and Politics*, 38, 2, 2005, pp. 255-262.

“Fiscal Policy, Economic Conditions, and Terms in Office: Simulating Presidential Election Outcomes” (with R. J. Heggen and C. M. Bundrick as second and third author, respectively). In Janet K. Allen and Jennifer Wilby (Eds.), *Proceedings of the World Congress of the Systems Sciences and ISSS International Society for the Systems Sciences*, 44th Annual Meeting, July 16-20, 2000, Toronto, Canada (on CD-ROM, ISBN 09664183-5-2).

“Fiscal Policy and Presidential Elections: Update and Extension” (with C. M. Bundrick as second author). *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, 30 (2), 2000, pp. 275-287.

“Fiscal Policy as a Forecasting Factor in Presidential Elections” (with C. M. Bundrick as second author). *American Politics Quarterly*, 29 (3), 1999, pp. 338-353.

“Fiscal Policy and Presidential Elections in the United States: 1880-1992” (with C. M. Bundrick as second author). *Polity*, XXIX (1), 1996, pp. 141-156.

“Selected Fiscal and Economic Effects on Presidential Elections” (with C. M. Bundrick as second author). *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, XXII (1), 1992, pp. 127-134.

“Expenditures and Votes: In Search of Downward-Sloping Curves in the United States

and Great Britain” (with R. J. Heggen as second author). *Public Choice*, 45 (1), 1985, pp. 19-34.

“A Fiscal Model of Presidential Elections in the United States, 1880-1980” (with R. J. Heggen as second author). *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, XIV (1), 1984, pp. 98-108.

“The Political Economy of Ports in the United States and Great Britain.” *Coastal Zone Management Journal*, 11 (3), 1983, pp. 149-167. An earlier, shorter version of this article was published as “A Comparative Analysis of Port Policy in the United States and Great Britain,” *Achievements of the 70s and Prospects for the 80s*, Proceedings of the Seventh Annual Conference of the Coastal Society, Bethesda, 1981, pp. 61-65.

“Appropriators vs. Expropriators: The Political Economy of Water in the West.” In Terry Anderson, (Ed.), *Water Resources: Bureaucracy, Property Rights and the Environment*. Edited by Terry Anderson. Ballinger Press, 1983, Chapter 1.

“The Appropriation of Shifting Sands: A Case for Transferring Institutions from the Desert to the Coast” (with David Fischer and Gregory Stone as second and third author, respectively). *Oceans*, September 1982, pp. 926-930.

“CETA in New Mexico: An Evaluation of the 'Balance of State' Prime Sponsor.” *Idaho Journal of Politics*, III (1), 1980, pp. 40-61.

“A Critique of Collectivist Water Resources Planning.” *Western Political Quarterly*, XXXII (3), 1979, pp. 320-326.

Politics of the Iberic-Latin Region

“Cuba’s Ranking in the Fitzgibbon Democracy Surveys: Reflecting a Leftist Bias?” *Cuban Affairs, Quarterly Electronic Journal*, 2 (2), April 2007.

“The Economies of Latin America” (with R. K. Harper as first author). In Richard S. Hillman (Ed.), *Understanding Contemporary Latin America*, Third Edition, Boulder: Lynne Rienner Publications, 2005. Earlier versions were published in the 1997 and 2001 editions of this reader.

“Franco’s Spain and Castro’s Cuba: Parallels and Contrasts.” *Cuba in Transition*, Volume 14. Papers and Proceedings of the Fourteenth Annual Meeting of the Association for the Study of the Cuban Economy (ASCE), Miami, Florida, August 5-7, 2004, pp. 181-195.

“Francisco Franco and Fidel Castro: Loyalist vs. Revolutionary? A Preliminary Exploration.” *Cuba in Transition*, Volume 13, Papers and Proceedings of the Fourteenth Annual Meeting of the Association for the Study of the Cuban Economy (ASCE), Coral Gables, Florida, August 7-9, 2003, pp. 354-361.

“A Constitutional Framework for a Free Cuba.” *Cuba in Transition*, Papers and

Proceedings of the Tenth Annual Meeting of the Association for the Study of the Cuban Economy (ASCE), Miami, Florida, August 3-5, 2000, Volume 10, pp. 399-416. A shorter version was published in Spanish, "Sugerencias para la confección de una Cuba libre," @ *Meridiano*, 2, 5, 3-10. *Meridiano* is a publication of the Centro de Estudios para una Opción Nacional, Miami, Florida.

Is Fidel Castro A Machiavellian Prince? Miami, FL: The Endowment for Cuban-American Studies, 1999.

"Democratic Transitions: The Portuguese Case." In Marco Rimaneli (Ed.), *Comparative Democratization and Peaceful Change in Single-Party-Dominant Countries*, New York: St. Martin's Press, 1999, Ch. 3, pp. 119-136.

"Fidel Castro: A Machiavellian Prince?" *Cuba in Transition*, Papers and Proceedings of the Ninth Annual Meeting of the Association for the Study of the Cuban Economy (ASCE), Miami, Florida, August 12-14, 1999, Volume 9, pp. 178-191.

"Comments on >Cuba and Latin America: The Political Dimension, by Mauricio Font." *Cuba in Transition*, Papers and Proceedings of the Eighth Annual Meeting of the Association for the Study of the Cuban Economy (ASCE), Miami, Florida, August 6-8, 1998, Volume 8, pp. 39-41.

At the Crossroads of Development. Transnational Challenges to Developed and Developing Societies, Joseph Behar and Alfred G. Cuzán, Editors. Leiden, New York, and Köln: E. J. Brill, 1997. This is a reprint of a special issue of *The Journal of Developing Societies*, XII (1).

"Presidential Popularity in Central America: Parallels with the United States" (with C. M. Bundrick as second author). *Political Research Quarterly*, 50 (4), 1997, pp. 833-849.

"Privatization and Decentralization in the United States and Chile" (with W. B. Tankersley as first author). In *At the Crossroads of Development: Transnational Challenges to Developed and Developing Societies*, special issue of *The Journal of Developing Societies*, Joseph Behar and Alfred G. Cuzán, Eds., 1996, XII (1): 104-118.

"Economic Correlates of Political Instability in Latin America" (with C. M. Bundrick as second author). *Southeastern Political Review*, XXI (2), 1993, pp. 349-364.

"From Communism to Democracy: Conciliation or Confrontation? The Case of Nicaragua." *The Political Chronicle*, V (1), 1993, pp. 17-23. A Spanish translation was published in *La Prensa Literaria*, a literary supplement to Nicaragua's oldest newspaper, August 7, 1993, pp. 4-5.

"The Rise and Fall of Communism in Nicaragua." *Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies*, IV (1/2), 1992, pp. 164-183.

"Economic and Political Effects on Presidential Popularity in Costa Rica" (with C. M. Bundrick as second author), *Journal of Developing Societies*, VII (2), 1991, pp. 269-277.

“Resource Mobilization and Political Opportunity in the Nicaraguan Revolution: The Praxis.” *American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, 50 (1), 1991, pp. 71-83.

“Resource Mobilization and Political Opportunity in the Nicaraguan Revolution: The Theory.” *American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, 49 (4), October 1990, pp. 401-412.”

“Latin American Political Party Systems from the '60s to the '80s: A Developmental Path?” *The Political Chronicle*, II (1), 1990, pp. 13-20.

“Demographic Correlates of Political Instability in Latin America: The Impact of Population Growth, Density, and Urbanization” (with S. D. Moussalli and C. M. Bundrick as second and third author, respectively). *Review of Latin American Studies*, II (1/2), 1989, pp. 125-137.

“The Nicaraguan Revolution: From Autocracy to Totalitarian Dictatorship?,” *The Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies*, I (1/2), 1989, pp. 183-204.

“An Analysis of Iberoamerican Regimes: 1973-1983.” *The Journal of Developing Societies*, IV (2), 1988, pp. 180-193.

“Fiscal Expansion and Political Instability in the Iberic-Latin Region” (with S. D. Moussalli and C. M. Bundrick as second and third author, respectively). *Public Choice*, 59 (3), 1988, pp. 225-238.

“Fiscal Policy, the Military, and Political Stability in Iberoamerica.” *Behavioral Science*, 31 (4), 1986, pp. 226-238.

“A Micro-Political Explanation of the 1979 Nicaraguan Revolution” (with R. J. Heggen as second author). *Latin American Research Review*, XVII (2), 1982, pp. 156-170.

“Legitimacy, Coercion, and Scope: An Expansion-Path Analysis Applied to Five Central American Countries and Cuba” (with R. J. Heggen as first author). *Behavioral Science*, 26 (2), 1981, pp. 143-152.

“Authority, Scope, and Force: An Analysis of Five Central American Countries.” *Public Choice*, 35, 1980, pp. 363-369.

A Tale of Two Sites: Political Structure and Policy Performance in Costa Rica and El Salvador. Technical Papers Series, No. 12, Austin: University of Texas, Institute of Latin American Studies, 1977.

Political Theory

“Revisiting ‘Do We Ever Really Get Out of Anarchy?’.” *Journal of Libertarian Studies*, 22 (1), 2009, pp. 3-21.

"Do We Ever Really Get Out of Anarchy?" in Edward P. Stringham (Ed.), *Anarchy and the Law. The Political Economy of Choice* (Rutgers, NJ: Transaction Publishers, 2007). This is slightly revised version of an article originally published in the *Journal of Libertarian Studies*, III (2), 1979, pp.151-158.

"Political Profit: Taxing and Spending in Democracies and Dictatorships," *American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, 40 (4), 1981, pp. 329-340. A Japanese translation of this article was published in *Trends*, 1982 (4), pp. 2-7.

"Political Profit: Taxing and Spending in the Hierarchical State," *American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, 40 (3), 1981, pp. 265-275. A French translation of this article was published in *Problemes Economiques*, 23 Decembre 1981, No. 1.753, pp. 9-14.

Latin Americanists

Dictatorships and Double-Standards: The Latin American Studies Association on Cuba. Miami, FL: Endowment for Cuban American Studies, The Cuban-American National Foundation, Paper #13, 1995.

"The Latin American Studies Association vs. The United States: The Verdict of History," *Academic Questions*, 7 (3), 1994, pp. 40-55.

Miscellaneous Publications

"Bridging Two Cultures, Straddling Two Disciplines." In Howard J. Wiarda, Ed., *Policy Passages. Career Policies for Policy Wonks*. Westport, CT: Praeger, 2002, pp. 185-193.

Scholarship: Book Reviews

"Review of *Inside the Cuban Revolution. Fidel Castro and the Cuban Underground*." *Cuban Affairs, Quarterly Electronic Journal*, Volume 1, Issue 4, October 2006.

"Review of *Cuba. The Morning After. Confronting Castro's Legacy*, by Mark Falcoff." *Cuban Affairs, Quarterly Electronic Journal*, Volume 1, Issue 1, January 2006.

"Review of *Gradual Economic Reform in Latin America. The Costa Rican Experience*, by Mary A. Clark." *Perspectives on Politics*, 1 (1), 2003, pp. 204-205.

"Review of *Revolution and the Multiclass Coalition in Nicaragua*, by Mark Everingham." *The American Political Science Review*, 91 (3), 1997, p. 761.

"The Rise and Fall of Violence Theories." Review of *Theories of Civil Violence*, by James B. Rule." *American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, 50 (1), 1992, pp. 68-70.

"Review of *Against All Hope. The Prison Memoirs of Armando Valladares*, by Armando Valladares." *Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies*, II (1/2), 1990, pp. 207-209.

"Latin America's Complex Politics: Busey's *Guide* Helps Specialists and Students Keep

Track of Changes and Events in 21 Areas. Review of *Latin American Political Guide. A Quarter Century of Latin American Politics*, by James L. Busey." *American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, 45 (4), 1986, pp. 425-427. Reprinted in *The Times of the Americas*, December 24, 1986, p. 15.

Service

To the Profession

Have served as reviewer of manuscripts or book proposals for the following publishers:

Congressional Quarterly Publications
State University of New York Press.

Have served as anonymous referee for articles submitted to the following journals:

The American Journal of Economics and Sociology, The American Political Science Review, Comparative Politics, International Journal of Forecasting, Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies, Journal of Politics, Political Research Quarterly, Perspectives on Politics, Presidential Studies Quarterly, Social Science Quarterly, Southeastern Political Review (now Politics and Policy).

Co-editor, politicalforecasting.com, Special Interest Group of forecastingprinciples.com, at <http://morris.wharton.upenn.edu/forecast/Political/index.html>

Co-Founder and council member, Political Forecasting Interest Group, The American Political Science Association, 2007-present.

Editorial Board Member

Southeastern Political Review (now Politics and Policy), 1992 - 1999
The Political Chronicle, 1991- 1999

President, Florida Political Science Association, 1993-94.

Associate Editor, *Journal of Developing Societies*, 1992-1996.

Proposal reviewer for the following federal programs:

Young Scholars Program, National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH); Cooperative Research Projects, NEH; National Science Foundation.

To the University:

Member, University Personnel Committee,
2009 –
2005-2008 (Chairman, 2007)
1998 – 2001 (Chairman, 2001)

Member, Faculty Development Committee, 2006 -

Chairman, Dean=s Search Committee, College of Arts & Sciences,
2002-2003

Member, Faculty Senate,
1999-2004, 2005-2006
Vice-President, 2001-2004
Member, Planning and Special Issues Committee, 2001-present
Member, Governance Committee, 2000-01
Member, Undergraduate-Graduate Programs Committee, 1999-
2000

Member, Growth and Development Committee, 1998-2000
Chairman, 1999-2000

Member, Professorial Excellence Program (PEP) Committee, 1996-98

Member, Library Committee 1994-1997
Chairman, 1995-96, 1996-97

Member, CASS Personnel Committee, 1990-93
Chairman, 1991-92, 1992-93

Member, Committee on International Affairs 1991-94
Chairman, 1991-92

Member, Committee on Scholarly and Creative Activities, 1990-91

Member, College of Arts and Sciences Dean=s Search Committee, 1991

Member, College of Arts and Sciences Council, 1988-91, 1983-1986
Chairman, Curriculum Committee, 1990-91

Member, University Personnel Committee, 1988-1990

Member, College of Arts and Sciences Council, 1983-86

Member, University Appeals Board, 1983-1986

Member, University Research Council, 1981-1984

To the Community:

Founder and member of the Board of Directors, The Cuban-American
Association of Pensacola, 2000-present
Secretary, 2003-present
Treasurer, 2001-2003

Lecture on Great Political Leaders, Leisure and Learning Society, November

2009.

Lecture on the presidential election, Leisure and Learning Society, February 2009.

Interview on the presidential election, *Pensacola News Journal*, October 25th, 2008.

Interview on the presidential election, WUWF, October 2008.

Lecture on Cuba, Leisure and Learning Society, May 23, 2008.

Interview on Cuba, *Pensacola News Journal*, February 20, 2008.

Interview on Cuba, WEAR Pensacola, February 19, 2008.

Participant in "Public Forum" discussion on immigration, WSRE Ch. 23 Television, Friday, February 3rd, 2006.

Participant in "Public Forum" discussion on the presidential election, WSRE Ch. 23 Television, Friday, November 5th, 2004.

Interview on the presidential election, *Pensacola News Journal*, November 4, 2005.

Interview, WEAR Ch. 3 Television, following President Bush=s speech on Iraq, May 24, 2004.

Keynote Speaker, Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration luncheon for managers and staff, Federal Prison Camp, Bellview, 2003.

Panelist, ADemocracy and Terrorism: A Town Hall Meeting,@ broadcast on WEAR Ch. 3 Television, April 24, 2002.

Co-leader, AGreat Books Reading and Discussion Program,@ Leisure and Learning Society, January 18-March 22, 2002.

Interview, WEAR Ch. 3 Television, on Presidents= Day, broadcast February 18, 2002.

Interview on the presidential election, *Pensacola News Journal*, November 4, 2000, p. A1. On the 2000 presidential election.

Interview on Cuba. Alice Crann, *Pensacola News Journal*, Sunday, March 5, 2000, P. E1. The writer quotes me on conditions in Cuba and cites my AFidel Castro: A Machiavellian Prince?@

Telephone interview, Spanish-language roundtable, *Radio Mambí*, Miami, March 2000.

Member, Escambia County Government Office Space Needs Committee, 1999-2000

Interview, WUWF television, 1998

Interview, Radio Martí (U.S. Information Agency station broadcasting to Cuba), 1998

Interview, *Pensacola News Journal*, 1998

Guest Lecturer, Lunch & Learn Series, 1998

Speaker, Pensacola Women=s Club, 1998

Guest lecturer, Lunch & Learn Series, 1997

Keynote Speaker, Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration luncheon for managers and staff, Federal Prison Camp, Bellview, 1996

Interview, WUWF (public radio), 1996

Interview, WEAR Channel 3, Pensacola, FL, 1995

Keynote Speaker, Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration, Pensacola Naval Complex, 1994

Interview, *Pensacola News Journal*, 1992

Guest Lecturer, Tate High School Contemporary History class, 1991

Guest Lecturer, Tate High School Contemporary History class, 1990

Interview, *Pensacola News Journal*, 1990

Guest Lecturer, General Military Training Session, Naval Air Station, Pensacola, FL, 1990

Interview, WALA television, Mobile, 1990

Interview, WABC radio station, New York City, 1990

Interview, Radio Martí (U.S. Information Agency station broadcasting to Cuba), 1990

Participant, A Critical Issues Symposium, @ The Madison Institute, Tallahassee, FL, 1990

Interview, WUWF (public radio), 1990

Guest Lecturer, Tate High School Contemporary History class, 1989

Interview, *Pensacola News Journal*, 1989

Keynote Speaker, Naturalization Ceremony, U. S. District Courthouse, Pensacola, 1988

Speaker, Pensacola Women=s Club, 1988

Participant, Open Forum, WSRE (public television), Pensacola, FL, 1987

Participant, A Symposium on Ethnicity and the Elections, @ The Wright Place, Pensacola, FL, Speaker, 1987

Participant, Open Forum, WSRE (public television), Pensacola, FL, 1986

Speaker, Kiwanis Club of Ft. Walton Beach, 1984

Speaker, Pensacola Rotary Club, 1984

Speaker, Pensacola Women=s Club, 1984

Participant, Open Forum, WSRE (public television), Pensacola, FL, 1981.