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### EDUCATION:

2006	Ph.D.	University of Kansas (Political Science) Areas of Emphasis: Public Administration and U.S. Politics
1994	M.U.P.	University of Kansas (Urban Planning)
1992	M.A.	University of Kansas (Political Science)
1990	B.A.	University of Kansas (Political Science)
1990	B.A.	University of Kansas (Latin American Studies)

Dissertation: *Civic Bureaucracy: An Affirmative Role for City Planners in Building Civic Capital and Representing Communities*

### RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS:

Civic bureaucracy, planning practice, competitive elections, organization behavior, and transportation and land use policy

### EMPLOYMENT:

2006- Present	Graduate Program in Urban Planning University of Kansas Lawrence, KS	Assistant Professor
2005	Graduate Program in Urban Planning University of Kansas	Instructor
2004 – 2005	Public Administration Department University of Kansas	Graduate Research Assistant
2002 – 2004	Political Science Department University of Kansas	Graduate Teaching Assistant
2002 – 2003	Policy Research Institute University of Kansas	Graduate Research Assistant

2001 – 2002	Johnson County Olathe, KS	Planner
2001 – 2002	Planning Consultant Lawrence, KS	Project Manager
2000 - 2001	Graduate Program in Urban Planning, University of Kansas	Instructor
1995 - 2001	City of Liberty Liberty, MO	Planner

### **COURSES TAUGHT:**

UBPL 802: Politics and Planning  
 UBPL 730: Introduction to Land Use Planning  
 UBPL 750: Introduction to Transportation Planning  
 UBPL 735: Site Planning  
 POLS 306: Political Science Methods of Inquiry, Discussion  
 POLS 110: Introduction to U.S. Politics, Discussion

### **PUBLICATIONS:**

Johnson, B. J. Under Review. Measuring Civic Bureaucracy. *International Public Management Journal*.

Johnson, B. J. 2005. Identities of Competitive States in U.S. Presidential Elections: Electoral College Bias or Candidate-Centered Politics? *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* 35 (2): 337-355.

Johnson, B. J. 2003. Implementing Sustainability in Smaller Communities: Sustainability Frames the Debate. In *Strategies for Safe and Sustainable Communities*, edited by Landscape Architectural Registration Boards Foundation. Vienna, VA: Landscape Architectural Registration Boards Foundation.

Johnson, B. J. 2006. Entries – “Competitive Election” and “Grandfather Clause.” In *Encyclopedia of American Parties and Elections*, edited by L. J. Sabato and H. R. Ernst. New York, NY: Facts on File Inc.

### **PRESENTATIONS:**

Johnson, B.J. Forthcoming – 2007. Making the Most of Public Service Motivation. Paper read at Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 12, Chicago, IL.

- Johnson, B.J. 2006. Civic Bureaucracy and the Roles of Planners. Paper read at Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Nov. 11, at Fort Worth, TX.
- Johnson, B.J. 2005. Policy and the Representation of Battleground States. Paper read at American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Sept. 2, at Washington, D.C.
- Johnson, B. J. 2005. Did Clinton and Bush Deliver for Battleground States? Paper read at Southern Political Science Association Annual Conference, Jan. 7, at New Orleans, LA.
- Johnson, B. J. 2004. Identities of Competitive States in U.S. Presidential Elections: Electoral College Bias or Candidate-Centered Politics? Paper read at Midwest Political Science Association Annual National Conference, April 16, at Chicago, IL.
- Johnson, B. J. & Strauss, E. J. 2001. Implementing Sustainability in Smaller Communities. Presentation at Housing Washington 2001 Conference, October 16, Tacoma, WA.
- Johnson, B. J. 2001. Smart Growth in a Small Town: City of Liberty Land Use Plan. Presentation at the Missouri Department of Natural Resources' Comprehensive Community Planning: A Watershed Approach Conference, March 15 at St. Peters, MO.
- Johnson, B. J., Stumpf, M. D., and Strauss, E. J. 2001. Implementing sustainability in smaller communities. Paper read at American Planning Association Annual Meeting, March 14, at New Orleans, LA.
- Johnson, B. J., Nagel, M. & Longo, G. 2000. Creating Quality Places. Presentation at Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, & Oklahoma Chapters of the American Planning Association Annual Meeting, December 7, at Overland Park, KS.
- Johnson, B. J. & Anderson, P. 2000. How Communities Cope with Urban Sprawl. Presentation at Missouri Department of Agriculture's Urban Sprawl Symposium, November 30, at Jefferson City, MO.
- Johnson, B. J. & Miller, H. 2000. Getting Trees on the City Agenda. Presentation at Tree City USA's Annual Meeting, September 28, at Nebraska City, NE.
- Johnson, B. J. 2000. Stormwater Management & Smart Growth. Presentation at the Kansas City Metropolitan Chapter of the American Public Works Association's Regional Stormwater Forum Series, August 29, at Kansas City, MO.
- Johnson, B. J. 2000. Blueprint for Liberty - Award-winning Plan. Presentation to the Metropolitan Council of Council Members, April 12, at Liberty, MO.
- Johnson, B. J. 2000. Smart Growth in a Small Town. Presentation at the Missouri Department of Conservation's Urban Conservation Symposium, February 9, at Jefferson City, MO.

Johnson, B. J., Quitmeier, W., Mlnarik, L., & Watt, K. 1999. Smart Growth in Rural Areas, Small Towns, & Urban Areas. Presentation at Missouri Municipal League Annual Meeting, September 13, at Kansas City, MO.

### **AWARDS & HONORS:**

Awarded Honors for Comprehensive Examination, University of Kansas, 2005.

Nomination, Graduate Teaching Award, Graduate School, University of Kansas, 2004.

Thompson Scholarship for Summer Research, Political Science Department, University of Kansas, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006

Outstanding Planning Award for a Plan, American Planning Association, Liberty, MO: *Blueprint for Liberty Land Use Plan*, 2000

Silver Circle Award, City-County Marketing Association, Liberty, MO: *Blueprint for Liberty Citizen Participation*, 2000

Service Excellence Award - Leadership, City of Liberty, MO, 2000

Service Excellence Award - Innovation, City of Liberty, MO, 1999

Excellence in Planning Award, American Planning Association, Missouri Chapter, Liberty, MO: *City of Liberty's Wireless Communication Facilities Plan and Ordinance*, 1998

Phi Kappa Phi

Phi Beta Kappa

Graduated with Distinction and Honors (1990, University of Kansas)

Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science Honor Society)

Mortar Board, Historian (Undergraduate Senior Honor Society)

Awarded Research Grant to study the power structure of Golfito, Costa Rica, Honors Program, University of Kansas (Undergraduate)

### **SERVICE:**

**UNIVERSITY/ PROFESSION**

Ambassador, Center for Teaching Excellence. University of Kansas (2006 – Present)

Member, Graduate Council Committee. University of Kansas (2006 – Present)

Moderator, The Interplay Between Planners and Their Contexts. Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Nov. 11, at Fort Worth, TX (2006)

Moderator, Coordinating Land Use & Transportation. Midwest Transportation Planning Conference, April 7, at Kansas City, MO (2006)

Graduate Studies Committee, Political Science Department, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS (2005 – 2006)

Graduate Teaching Assistant Ambassador, Center for Teaching Excellence, New Graduate Teaching Assistant Conferences, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS (2003 – 2005)

Member, Advisory Board, Graduate Program in Urban Planning, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS (1997 – 2006)

Journal Reviewer: *American Politics Research*

**CITY**

Chair, Ad Hoc Committee on Parks, City of Lawrence, Lawrence, KS (2004 – 2006)

Commissioner, Lawrence-Douglas County Metropolitan Planning Commission, City of Lawrence, Lawrence, KS (2003 – 2004)

Member, Commercial Design Guidelines Committee, City of Lawrence, Lawrence, KS (2004)

**NEIGHBORHOOD**

President, Indian Hills Neighborhood Association, Lawrence, KS (2006 – Present)

Vice President, Indian Hills Neighborhood Association, Lawrence, KS (2005 – 2006)

Member, Steering Committee, Indian Hills Neighborhood Association, Lawrence, KS (2002 - 2005)

**PLANNING PROFESSION**

Member, Awards Committee, Kansas Chapter of the American Planning Association (2007)

Member, Advisory Group, Planning Commissioner Certificate Program, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, MO (2002 – 2003)

Member, Wireless Communication Guidance Steering Committee, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, MO (1996 - 1997)

**PLANNING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:**

*Smart Choices: Transit-Supportive Development in Metropolitan Kansas City*, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, MO, September 25, 2000.

*Access Management and Land Development*, Mid-America Regional Council, Raytown, MO, September 14, 2000.

*Managing Watersheds for Quality Development*, Government Training Institute, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, MO, March 22 & 23, 2000.

*Transportation & Open Space Systems Design*, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, MO, December 7, 1999.

*From Rooftops to Rivers*, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, MO, November 10, 1999.

*Traffic Calming Workshop*, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, KS, March 25, 1999.

*Partners for Smart Growth*, Urban Land Institute, Austin, TX, December 15 -17, 1998.

*Streetscape in Urban and Rural Environments*, Kansas Local Technical Assistance Program, Overland Park, KS, March 18, 1998.

*New Urbanism Workshop*, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, KS, February 12, 1998.

*Effective Supervisory Skills*, Government Training Institute, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, MO, September 18, 1997.

*Transportation and Land Use Choices for the Kansas City Region*, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, Kansas City, MO, June 7, 1996.

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Member since 2006

Public Management Research Association, Member since 2005

American Political Science Association, Member since 2003

American Institute of Certified Planners (Certified 1997)

American Planning Association (APA), Member since 1994

Kansas Chapter of the American Planning Association, Member since 2006

Kansas City Metro Section of APA, Member since 1995, Secretary (1996)

Kansas Association of Planning Students, Treasurer (1994)