TABITHA CALE

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Education

Louisiana State University
MA, Political Science, 1010
PhD, Political Science (expected) 2012
Major field in Comparative Politics
Minor fields in American Politics and Environmental Management and Planning

Dissertation: Comparative Climate Change Policy on Two Continents: Evolution and Effectiveness of Emissions Trading Systems in North America and Europe Committee: William A. Clark (chair), Kathleen Bratton, Belinda C. Davis, Leonard P.

Ray, Margaret A. Reams.

University of Florida B.A. Political Science, Minors in History and Anthropology, 2005

Research Interests

Comparative Politics (Political Institutions; Environmental Policy)
American Politics (State and Local Politics, Legislative Politics)
Public Policy
Environmental Management and Planning

Working Papers

Cale, Tabitha M. "Climate Change Policy Adoption in the US States, 1998-2008."

Cale, Tabitha M. and Mileah K. Kromer. "Does Proximity Matter? Plant Location and Public Support for Nuclear Energy in North Carolina."

Cale, Tabitha M. and Margaret Reams. "Building Social-Ecological Resilience: Examining the Effectiveness of the National Estuary Program."

Bratton, Kathleen A. and Tabitha M. Cale. "Determinants of Legislative Support for Environmental Policy."

Conference Presentations

Cale, Tabitha M. and Corrinthia Hinton, Belen Toscano and Crawford White. "Applications of Social-Ecological Resilience Theory to Superfund Community Engagement and Outreach." Poster to be presented at the 2011 Superfund Research Program Annual Meeting, Lexington, Kentucky, October 24-25.

Cale, Tabitha M. and Mileah K. Kromer. "Does Proximity Matter? Plant Location and Public Support for Nuclear Energy in North Carolina." Paper to be presented at the 2011 Annual Meeting of the Southern Association for Public Opinion Research, Raleigh, North Carolina, October 6-7.

Bratton, Kathleen and Tabitha M. Cale. "Determinants of Environmental Policy Agenda-Setting in State Legislatures, 2001-2005." Paper presented at the 2010 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, California, March 31-April 3.

Bratton, Kathleen and Tabitha M. Cale. "Determinants and Diffusion: State Legislative Agenda-Setting on Environmental Policy, 1993-2007." Paper presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, Ontario, September 3-9.

Cale, Tabitha M. and Margaret Reams. "Influences on Climate-Change Policy Adoption Among the US States." Presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, April 2-5.

Cale, Tabitha M. and Margaret Reams. "Influences on Climate-Change Policy Adoption Among the US States." Presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Vancouver, British Columbia, March 19-21.

Cale, Tabitha M. and Margaret Reams. "Building Social-Ecological Resilience: Examining the Effectiveness of the National Estuary Program." Paper presented at the 2008 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Diego, California, March 20-22.

Cale, Tabitha M. "Language Policy in the European Union: Finding the Path to Syncretic Integration without Fragmentation." Paper presented at the 2005 Annual Meeting of the Florida Political Science Association, Tallahassee, Florida, March 12.

Invited Presentations

"Determinants of Climate Change Policy Adoption in the US States" April 21, 2009, Center for Energy Studies, Louisiana State University

"The Florida Everglades: From Manipulation to Restoration" Fall 2009, given as a guest lecture for Environmental Policy Analysis (ENVS 7041).

"Influences on Climate Change Policy Adoption in the US States" Spring 2009, given as a guest lecture for Environmental Planning and Management (ENVS 7040).

Honors and Awards

2011 Clara Tucker Fellowship, Department of Political Science

2009 Conference Travel Grant, Graduate School

2009 Graduate Travel Award, Department of Political Science

2008 Conference Travel Grant, Graduate School

2008 Graduate Travel Award, Department of Political Science

Courses Taught

Independent Instructor:

Political Science 2053, Introduction to Comparative Politics, Fall 2007, Spring 2008. Political Science 3909, Environment and Society, Spring 2011.

Teaching Assistant:

Introduction to American Politics (Political Science 2051); Public Policy Making (Political Science 2070); The American Constitution and Civil Liberties (Political Science 4021); Judicial Politics (Political Science 4023); Gender, Sexuality, and the Law (Political Science 4000); Politics of Poverty (Political Science 4000).

Teaching Interests

Introduction to Comparative Politics, Introduction to American Politics, Public Policy, Environmental Policy, Environment and Society, Energy and Environment, Comparative Environmental Policy.

Professional Service

Undergraduate Academic Advisor, Department of Political Science, Fall 2009-Fall 2010.

 $Louisiana\ University\ Department\ of\ Political\ Science\ Graduate\ Student\ Association,\ President,\ 2008-2009$

Employment History

2011—Present	Research Assistant, Superfund Research Program, Louisiana State University
2006 - 2010	Research and Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science, Louisiana State University
Summer 2008	Research Assistant, Center for Energy Studies, Louisiana State University
Summer 2007	Research Assistant, Center for Energy Studies, Louisiana State University
Summer 2006	Resource Management Intern, Audubon of Florida, Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary
2002 – 2005	Field and Laboratory Assistant, Florida Museum of Natural History, University of Florida

References

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