34th Annual Conference
And
Awards Banquet

North Carolina
Political Science Association

March 18-19, 2005

Chavis University Center
University of North Carolina at Pembroke


34th NCPSA Conference
Program Summary

Panel and Banquet Locations:

All meetings and roundtables will take place in the Chavis University Center. Please see attached UNC Pembroke Campus Map and Chavis Center map at back of Program. The reception and banquet will also be held in the Chavis University Center.

Friday March 18

10:00 a.m. Executive Council meeting in Chavis 251
11:00 a.m. Conference Registration, Mezzanine, Second Floor, Chavis Center

1:00 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. First group of panels and roundtables
Panel A-1, Islam and Politics, Room 213 Chavis
Panel A-2, Issues in Public Policy, Room 233 Chavis
Panel A-3, Issues in American Politics, Room 200 Chavis

3:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. Second group of panels and roundtables
Panel B-1, the 2004 Election, Room 233 Chavis
Panel B-2, Undergraduate Research, Room 200 Chavis
Roundtable B-1, Words and Deeds: The Bush Foreign Policy, Room 213 Chavis

5:00 p.m. NCPSA Business Meeting, Room 213 Chavis

6:15 p.m. NCPSA Banquet Reception, Chavis University Lounge, First Floor

7:00 p.m. Banquet, Awards Ceremony, and Keynote Speaker, Chavis University Lounge, First Floor; Keynote Speaker, Richard Morgan, Speaker Pro Tempore, North Carolina House of Representatives

9:00 p.m. Banquet adjournment.

Saturday, March 19

9:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Third group of panels and roundtables
Panel C-1, International Conflict and Cooperation, Room 233 Chavis
Roundtable C-2, Globalization and Development in Africa, Room 213 Chavis
Roundtable C-3, Innovative Teaching Techniques in Political Science, Room 200 Chavis
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### Panel A-1 Islam and Politics, Room 213 Chavis

**Chair:** Sanford R. Silverburg, Catawba College

**Presenter(s):**
- James Corey, High Point University
  *Islam and Democracy: Friends or Foes*
- Norvell B. DeAtkine, Col. US Army Retired
  *The Shia Equation in Iraq*
- Rolin Mainuddin, North Carolina University
  *Political Islam: Untangling the Conceptual Muddle*

**Discussant(s):** Jerry Pubantz, Salem College

### Panel A-2 Issues in Public Policy, Room 233 Chavis

**Chair:**
Robert Schneider, The University of North Carolina at Pembroke

**Presenter(s):**
- G. Jason Jolley, North Carolina State University
  *"Contracting Regimes and Third-Party Governance: A theoretical Construct for Exploring the Importance of Public Service Motivation Among Private Sector Contractors"*
- Bill Albrecht, The University of North Carolina at Pembroke
  *Public Budget and Collection Action*

**Discussant(s):** Andreas Broscheid, The University of North Carolina at Pembroke

### Panel A-3 Issues in American Politics, Room 200 Chavis

**Chair:** Don Livingston, Western Carolina University

**Presenter(s):**
- Thomas F. Eamon, East Carolina University
  *Democratic Persistence in a Red State: The Case of North Carolina*
- Anthony Gabrieli, High Point University
  *Appointment of New Circuit Court Judges: Just More of the Same?*
- Christopher A. Cooper & H. Gibbs Knotts, Western Carolina University
  *Beyond Dixie: Race, Region, and Support for the South Carolina Confederate Flag*
- Earl Sheridan, The University of North Carolina at Wilmington
  *Murky Waters: Un-Conservative Elements in Today’s Conservative Revolution*

**Discussant(s):**
- Hunter Bacot, The University of North Carolina at Charlotte
- Roger Lowery, The University of North Carolina at Wilmington
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**Panel C-1  International Conflict and Cooperation, Room 233 Chavis**

Chair: Jim Corey, High Point University

**Presenter(s):**
- Kevin Freeman, The University of North Carolina at Pembroke  
  *Transboundary River Resources in the Middle East: Projections for Conflict and Cooperation*
- Andrew Ziegler, Methodist College  
  *Anti-Americanism in Europe: An Analysis of Survey Data*

**Discussant(s):** Fred Swan, Scholar

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**Roundtable C-2 Globalization and Development in Africa, Room 213 Chavis**

**Participants**
- Emmanuel Oritsejafor, North Carolina Central University

**Presenter(s):**
- Vasudev Das, African Thinkers University, Enugu, Nigeria  
  *Synergic Thinking Approach to Leadership and the Role of Belief System in National Reformation*
- James S. Guseh and Emmanuel Oritsejafor, North Carolina Central University  
  *African Growth and Opportunity Act and Economic Growth in Sub-Saharan Africa:*

**Discussant**
- Jeffrey Elliot, North Carolina Central University

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**Roundtable C-3 Innovative Teaching Techniques in Political Science**

**Moderator**
- Frank Trapp, Methodist College

**Participants**
- David Thornton, Campbell University
- David Lowery, University of North Carolina at Wilmington
- Trevor Morris, Methodist College
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Schedule of Events

7:00 p.m.  *UNC Pembroke Greetings*: Robert Schneider, Chair, Political Science and Public Administration Department, the University of North Carolina at Pembroke

           *NCPSA Greetings*: Don Livingston, President, North Carolina Political Science Association

7:10 p.m.  *Banquet Dinner Buffet*: London Broll, Cordon Bleu Chicken, Vegetarian Casserole, Mixed Salad, Chocolate Delight Cake, Peach Cobbler, Sweet Tea

7:50 p.m.  *2005 Troutman-Rainey Best Undergraduate Paper Award Presentation*: David Thornton, President-elect, North Carolina Political Science Association

           *2005 Oral Parks Memorial Best Faculty Paper Award Presentation*: Jerry Pubantz, Salem College

           *2005 North Carolina Political Science Association Public Service Award Presentation*: Don Livingston, President, North Carolina Political Science Association

8:00 p.m.  *Introduction of Keynote Speaker*: Frank J. Trapp, Vice-President, North Carolina Political Science Association

           Representative Richard T. Morgan (Rep), Speaker Pro Tempore 2005-2006 Session, North Carolina House of Representatives

           "Power sharing in the 2000 decade and the historical significance of the 2003 General Assembly and the organization of the 2005 General Assembly"

8:50 p.m.  *Transfer of NCPSA Gravel*: Don Livingston, NCPSA President and David Thornton NPCSA President Elect.