

Roundtables

Political Communication

38-3 Media, Parties, and the 2008 Elections: Canada and the United States Compared

Date: Friday, Sep 4, 8:00 AM

Location: Convention Centre 205B

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38-6, 37-25 Authors Meet Critics: Talking Together: Public Deliberation and Political Participation in America

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Paper Panels:

38-1, 23-6 Presidential Communication

Date: Saturday, Sep 5, 2:00 PM

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Demagogic or Dialogic?: Winning Arguments in the 2008
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The Exceptional Electoral Style of Barack Obama Roderick P.
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Presidential Nomination Acceptance Speeches as "Presidential"
Documents: How do Potential Presidents Address Policy?

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The Communications Program of the Bush White House: An
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38-2, 37-21 Mass Media and Public Opinion
Date: Saturday, Sep 5, 4:15 PM

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Television News and the Framing of War Images
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Does Changing Media Change Minds?: TV, Partisanship, and
Shifting Public Opinion Towards Lesbians and Gays
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Geo-Ethnic Political Dialogue: Multi-Color Skins with Blue,
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38-4 Framing Experiments in the 2008 Presidential Campaign
Date: Friday, Sep 4, 10:15 AM

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How News Coverage of Ads Conditions the Effectiveness of
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The Role of Race and Age in 2008: A Series of List Experiments
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Emotions and Horserace Framing: Studying the Effects of
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What Drives Economic Voting? An Experimental Study
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38-5, 40-1 New Media, New Politics?
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Location: Fairmont Confederation 3

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Liberal Blogosphere from 2004 to the Present
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Why are Internet Users Politically More Active? In Search of a
Causal Effect
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Needles and Haystacks: The Explosion of Political and Non-
Political Information Flow
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Only the Good Vote Young? The Internet, Age, and Political
Participation in the 2008 Presidential Campaign
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Unraveling Differences in Barriers to Technology Use
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38-7 News Across Borders
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Press Coverage Of Two Tainted Food Scandals
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Ottawa vs. Washington: Comparing the Role of Opinion Referents
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Environment and Energy Policy: Comparing Reports from US and
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Japanese and U.S. Media Coverage of the Iraq War: A
Comparative Analysis of Media's Impact on Public Opinion

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Coverage of Post-Communist Countries by ABC, CBS and NBC:
Politics of Miscommunication

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38-8, 37-26 Communication and Political Support .

Date: Friday, Sep 4, 10:15 AM

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Communications and Cultural Convergence

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The Arc of Resonance: Hurricane Katrina and its Metaphoric Aftermath

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The Effects of Patriotic Messages in the Mass Media After the Election of Barack Obama

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The End of Alienation? The Rise of Political Trust and Efficacy in the United States

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Immigration and Government Support in Britain

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38-9 Governmental News Management Strategies: Examining the International Evidence

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Location: Fairmont Confederation 6

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from Social Network Analysis

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Policy Certainty and the CNN Effect

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Media (Non)Conformity to Executive Framing: The Conditions
Under Which Media Transmit the President's Framing of Foreign
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Political Messages: Explaining Tone and Content in Comparative
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Media Priming and Leadership Evaluations in Britain

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38-10 Deliberation, Social Networks and the Framing of Discourse

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The Good, the Bad and the Ugly: How to Save Political Discussion from Itself

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38-11 Campaign Messages: Impacts of Information Quality and Tone

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Do Preconceptions Drive Voter Perception of Campaign Negativity?

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Who Cleans Up When the Party's Over? The Decline of Partisan Media and Rise of Split-Ticket Voting in the 20th Century

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Just How Competitive is "Competitive"? Describing the
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Campaign Information Environments

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Explaining Perceptions of Campaign Tone

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38-12 Media Preferences and Political Learning

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Pod Casts, Ramadan Soaps and Talk Shows: Religious and Secular Identity in Syria and Morocco

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Thematic Framing in Entertainment Film and its Effects on Political Attitudes, Beliefs, and Values

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The Implications of Partisan Selective Exposure for Candidate Strategy: Introducing the Concept of Selective Production

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An Experimental Exploration of Political Knowledge Acquisition from The Daily Show Versus CNN Student News

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38-13 News, Information and Mobilization

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Participation in Print News Coverage of Campaign 2008

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Government Surveillance and Political Engagement in the United
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Raising the Battle Cry: Elite Information Dynamics and the
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Facts, Fancies, and Frames: Crafted Talk and the Limits of
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When Deliberation Divides: Processes Underlying Mobilization
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38-14, 12-47 Mass Media and National Identity

Date: Sunday, Sep 6, 8:00 AM

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the Political and Economic Development of Post-Communist
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Advertising the "Nation" in Postapartheid South Africa:
Television Commercials and Nation-Building

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The News Media's Prospective Accountability Function:
Explaining Variable Press Support for Access to Government
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Media Use and Political Attitude in China

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38-15 Communicating and Framing Political Identities

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The Impact of Political Campaigns on the Nascent Partisanship of Mexican Immigrants in the United States: Evidence from Two Mobilization Experiments

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Like Parents, Like Citizens: Mexican Children's Political Socialization

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Young Voters in the U.S. and Turkey: The Changing Landscape of Political Attitudes, Media Use and Individual Traits.

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38-16, 31-24 Gendered Political Communication

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Politicians: Theorizing the Presentation-Provision Distinction

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Gendered Appeals Online: A Study of Female Representatives' Websites

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"Win Ugly or Lose Pretty": The Calls for Hillary Clinton's Exit in Historical Comparison

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Women Covering Women: The effect of Reporter Gender on Candidate Coverage in the 2008 Primaries

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Gender-Based Strategies in Candidate Websites

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38-17, 40-3 Legislatures and Internet Use: Governing and Campaigning

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Timeless Strategy Meets New Medium: Going Negative on
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Would You Ask Turkeys to Mandate Thanksgiving? The Dismal
Politics of Legislative Transparency

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Diffusion of Web Innovations among Members of Congress

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Social Networks in Political Campaigns: Facebook and
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38-18, 40-4 Internet: Collective Action, Social
Mobilization, and Civic Engagement

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The Transformation of Collective Action: Comparing
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Facebook is... Fostering Political Engagement: A Study of
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38-19, 49-7 New Strategies of Political Communication in
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Organization Change in Canadian and US Political Parties
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An Energy Superpower?: Building the Case Through an
Examination of Canada's National Newspapers Coverage of Oil
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From Pollsters to Journalists: Media Coverage of Polls during
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