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### Faculty News

- SPGS professor Jennet Kirkpatrick provides insight in the Vox article ["Is America descending into political violence again"](#).
- Gina Woodall, Richard Herrera, Joshua Thompson and Jorge Coss Ortega have a forthcoming article in *The Journal of Political Science Education* titled "Is an Early Start the Best Start? Evaluating the Effectiveness of a Political Science Summer Bridge Program".
- Director of SPGS and editor-in-chief of *Foreign Policy Analysis*, Cameron Thies discusses the scientific approach to foreign policy as well as the primary focus of this ISA journal [here](#).
- Gina Woodall and Tara Lennon have a forthcoming article in *Teaching Civic Engagement Across the Disciplines in the 21st Century* titled "Using Twitter to Promote Classroom and Civic Engagement".
- Daniel Rothenberg, Professor of Practice at SPGS, will be speaking at a 3-hour session on July 9th titled "The Rule of Law: Global to Local Perspective" sponsored by the State Bar of Arizona in San Diego.
- Audrey Comstock, who will be joining SPGS as a postdoctoral fellow in the fall, recently published an article in the Washington Post's blog *Monkey Cage* titled ["U.S. cities and states want to implement the Paris climate accord goals. It's not that simple."](#)



## The CLASroom: Expert perspective on the future of presidential elections

Richard Herrera, a professor in the School of Politics and Global Studies, discusses the 2016 presidential election in the CLASroom pilot. Herrera, a political scientist with expertise on politics and political representation, dissects Donald Trump's Untraditional approach to presidential campaigning and offers in sight on the future of presidential elections in the U.S.

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## ASU alumna unifies students across borders through robotics

ASU alumna Anisha Hindocha, director of logistics at FIRST Global, deals with international governments and corporations on a daily basis, ensuring that students from over 140 countries have the opportunity to take part in a global robotics competition.

"Before this job I knew that the Muslim world doesn't work on Fridays but I had never been affected by it," Hindocha said. "Now, though, I know I can't make calls there on Fridays, which means changing my schedule a lot."

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## It's personal: ASU alumnus, scholar working to make UK immigration fair

SPGS alumnus Thom Brooks has garnered international acclaim for his work on ethics, public policy, law and politics. As an award-winning author, broadcaster and columnist, he focuses his research on immigration rights from firsthand experience.

"I want to improve the British immigration system; make it not only fit for purpose, but show the importance of allowing immigrant voices into shaping how the system works."

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## ASU faculty member is a triple Sun Devil

Gina Woodall, a senior lecturer in the School of Politics and Global Studies, bleeds maroon and gold. She was an undergraduate student, a graduate student and now a lecturer at ASU.

"I'm a Sun Devil three times over," said Woodall. "Life events and other big decisions led me to a place I never left: ASU. I can say it's like I've been at three different universities. From my undergraduate years, to graduate school, to the present, ASU has made enormous changes - and is still changing."

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