Curriculum Vitae

Dennis Hale, Associate Professor

Department of Political Science, Boston College

Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts 02167-3807

(617) 552-4165/hale@bc.edu

January 6, 2022

### **Education**

Ph.D. City University of New York Graduate Center, 1977

M.A. Brooklyn College, City University of New, 1969

B.A. Oberlin College, 1966

### **Academic Positions**

Graduate Assistant, Brooklyn College, CUNY, 1968-70

Assistant Professor, Boston College, 1978-1984

Associate Professor, Boston College, 1984-2018

Professor, 2018-

### **Courses Taught**

Fundamentals of Politics (introductory course for majors)

Introduction to Modern Politics (introductory course for majors)

The American Founding (graduate seminar)

Public Administration/Federal Bureaucracy

American Political Thought I (Puritans through Lincoln)

American Political Thought II (Lincoln to the present)

Urban Politics

Graduate and undergraduate seminars in: Urban Political Biography; Public Administration; State and Local Government; American Politics Field Seminar; Comparative Federalism; The Progressives; Federalists and Anti-Federalists.

### **Department and University Service**

Member, University Promotion and Tenure Committee (elected), 2019-2020

Search committee, American Politics position, 2018, 2019.

Discussion of the Kavanaugh confirmation hearings for the Eagle Political Society, October 10, 2018.

Faculty advisor, BC Eagles for Israel

Organizer and participant, 2012 Election Panel, Boston College Alumni Association, October 11, 2012.

Admissions Office presentations for admitted students, various years.

Coordinator, Undergraduate Section, Department Self-Study, 2012.

Faculty liaison, Boston College Political Science Alumni Network, 2008 – 2012

Member, Educational Policy Committee, 2008 – 2010.

Director of the Honors Program, 2008 – 2012.

Seminars on Massachusetts Government for the BC Irish Institute, various years.

Director of Undergraduate Studies, 2006 - 2012.

Department website manager, 2010 -

Chairman of the Political Science Department, 1989-1997; Assistant Chairman, Spring, 1987; 1997-2000.

Graduate Committee, 1987-89; MA Advisor, 1987-89.

**Recent Professional Activities**

“Do We Need the Civil Jury? And What For?” Address to the Massachusetts Board of Trial Advocates, February 12, 2019, Boston College Club.

Promotion and tenure review, outside reviewer, Emmanuel College, September, 2017.

Co-reviewer, Department of Political Science, University of Vermont, September 18-19, 2017.

“The Seventh Amendment: Contemporary Disputes,” Inns of Court Annual Meeting, Union Club, Boston, May 30, 2017.

Panel discussion on the American jury for Massachusetts judges, Social Law Library, John Adams Courthouse, Boston, April 18, 2017.

“The Jury in America,” Social Law Library, Lecture, John Adams Courthouse, Boston,

February 28, 2017.

“The Jury in America: Triumph and Decline,” Lecture, Harvard Program on

Constitutional Government, December 2, 2016.

“The Jury in America,” 92nd St. Y, Lunchtime Lecture Series, November 18, 2016.

Manuscript reviewer, *American Political Science Review*, December 2015.

“Teaching American Politics Through Literature.” Conference sponsored by the Intercollegiate Studies Institute, Providence, RI, November 13-15, 2015.

Boston College Irish Institute panel: “Frederick Douglass and Daniel O’Connell on Slavery and Freedom,” New Bedford Whaling Museum, February 7, 2013.

Editorial Consultant, University of Kentucky Press, 2012.

“The Supreme Court’s Jury Doctrine,” paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the New England Political Science Association, Newport, RI, April 23, 2010.

Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History: “What Did John Adams Know, and When Did He Know It?” Seminars for high school teachers, Summer, 2009, 20010, Adams Historical Sites, Quincy.

NEH Seminars for Community College teachers (with Marc Landy): John Adams. At various venues in Boston and Quincy. Summer, 2006, 2007, 2009.

“The Post-Modern Jury,” a paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the New England Political Science Association, Portland, Maine, May 8-10, 2009.

“Did Our Ancestors Believe in Jury Nullification?”, paper presented at the Annual meeting of the New England Political Science Association, Providence, Rhode Island, April 25-26, 2008.

Discussant, Pierre Manent, “What is a Nation?”, Bradley Lecture, Institute for the Study of Politics and Religion, October 20, 2006.

Liberty Fund Conference, March 2005, Savannah, Georgia: “Bertrand de Jouvenel and the Concept of Liberty.” (Seminar participant)

Discussant, “Is America a ‘Christian’ Nation?”, Hugh Heclo, Bradley Lecture, Institute for the Study of Politics and Religion, February 6, 2004.

“Democracy and the Jury System: The Jury as a Political Institution, Re-Considered.” Harvard Program on Constitutional Government, March 1, 2002.

“Jury Reform and its Consequences: A Study of the Jury Selection and Service Act of 1968.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the New England Political Science Association, Portsmouth, NH, May 4-5, 2001.

# Publications

Books

*Keeping the Republic: A Defense of American Constitutionalism* (with Marc Landy); submitted to University Press of Kansas, December 2021 (under review).

*The Jury in America: Triumph and Decline.* Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 2016.

*Economics and the Good Life: Essays in Political Economy by Bertrand de Jouvenel*. Edited and with an Introduction by Dennis Hale and Marc Landy. New Brunswick, N.J.: Transaction Publishers, 1999.

*The Nature of Politics: Selected Essays of Bertrand de Jouvenel.* Edited and with an Introduction by Dennis Hale and Marc Landy. New York: Schocken Books, 1987. Transaction Books edition, with a new Introduction by the editors, 1992.

Articles, Chapters, Book reviews

“What is American Citizenship?” (with Marc Landy), Real Clear Politics/Public Affairs (<https://www.realclearpublicaffairs.com/articles/2021/07/14/what_is_american_citizenship_784870.html>).

“A Riven USA: Still the Last, Best Hope?” Real Clear Politics, July 20, 2020 (https://www.realclearpolitics.com/articles/2020/07/04/a\_riven\_usa\_still\_the\_last\_best\_hope.html)

“Do We Need the Civil Jury? And What For?” *Voir Dire* 26, #1, Spring, 2019, pp. 8-11.

“Blame the Fathers” (with Marc Landy), a review of Patrick J. Deneen, *Why Liberalism Failed* (Yale University Press, 2018), *The Claremont Review of Books*, Summer 2018, pp. 42-45.

“The Jury System as a Cornerstone of Deliberative Democracy” (with John Gastil), in *The Cambridge Handbook of Deliberative Constitutionalism*, edited by Ron Levy, Hoi Kong, Graeme Orr and Jeff King (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2018), pp. 233-245.

Review of *Machine Made: Tammany Hall and the Creation of Modern American Politics,* by Terry Golway, *The Historian* (2015-2016).

“On the Israeli Declaration of Independence,” *Studies in Christian-Jewish Relations*, Volume 3 (2008), pp. 5, ff.

Review of *Madison’s Managers: Public Administration and the Constitution*, by Anthony M. Bertelli and Laurence E. Lynn, Jr. and *The Politics of Crisis Management: Public Leadership Under Pressure*, by Arjen Boin, Paul ’t Hart, Eric Stern, and Bengt Sundelius, *Perspectives on Politics* 5 (#1, March 2007): 164-166.

Review of *Changing the World: American Progressives in War and Revolution*, by Alan Dawley, *Utopian Studies* 17 (No. 2), 2006: 417-420.

“Communitarianism: The Highest State of Progressivism,” in *The Active Society Revisited*, edited by Wilson Carey McWilliams (Roman & Littlefield, 2006): 117-136.

 “Worrying About the Jury System,” *Society* 42 (July-August, 2005), pp. 69-76.

“Welfare and Amenity in the Work of Bertrand de Jouvenel,” *Political Science Reviewer* XXXII (2003): 38-57.

Review of William Crotty, ed., *America’s Choice 2000: Entering a New Millennium* and James W. Ceaser and Andrew E. Busch, *The Perfect Tie: The True Story of the 2000 Presidential Campaign*, in *Political Science Quarterly* 117 (No. 1, Spring 2002): 127-129.

“Introduction” to *“Boss” Tweed: The Story of a Grim Generation,* by Denis Tilden Lynch [1927]. Transaction Books edition, 2002.

Review of Roger Kimball, *The Long March: How the Cultural Revolution of the 1960s Changed America*, *Society* 39 (March/April 2002), pp. 92-94.

“The Natural History of Citizenship,” in *Friends and Citizens: Essays in Honor of Wilson Carey McWilliams*, pp. 151-170. Edited by Dennis Bathory and Nancy Schwartz. Roman & Littlefield, 2000.

## Journalism

##

## “On Not Knowing What to Look For,” *The American Thinker*, June 6, 2013.

“Is the West poised to repeat the mistakes of the ‘30s?,” *The Jewish Advocate*, November 4, 2011, p. 9.

## “All Rise,” *Boston College Magazine* (Summer, 2005), pp. 26-33.

**Press & Media Interviews**

Boston Globe; Boston Herald; NECN; CBS Radio, Boston; New York Times; Washington *Times*; *Pravda* (Slovakia), CGTN (China); TBS, Seoul, South Korea; Iraqi Kurdistan radio.

**Community Service**

“The Jury in America,” Cohasset Public Library, February 19, 2017

“The American Jury System.” Talk given at the Goddard House Assisted Living, Brookline, MA, October 6, 2015.

“Jihad Incitement in Boston.” Talk given at Temple Emeth, Chestnut Hill, MA, October 4, 2014.

Member of the Vestry, Lay Eucharistic Minister, Member of the Finance Committee, Rector Search Committee, Junior Warden, Grace Episcopal Church, Medford, MA, 2012-2020.

Director, Americans for Peace and Tolerance, 2005-date.

Co-Founder and Board Member, Christians for Fair Witness in the Middle East, 2003-2007.