

# Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs Faculty

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The following faculty list represents those appointed in the 2024 spring semester.

Gordon B Abner, Assistant Professor  
Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, Indiana University Bloomington, 2017

Abigail Rosemary ann Aiken, Associate Professor  
Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, University of Texas at Austin, 2014

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2020

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and Department of Sociology

PhD, Rutgers the State University of New Jersey New Brunswick  
Campus, 1989

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, University of Texas at Austin, 1993

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, University of Oklahoma Norman Campus, 2019

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
MSSW, University of Texas at Austin, 2013

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PhD, Colorado State University, 2014

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, The Ohio State University Main Campus, 2011

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
MPAff, University of Texas at Austin, 1991

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, Georgetown University, 2004

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Department of Curriculum and Instruction and Lyndon B Johnson School  
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MS, University of Texas at Austin, 2009

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs

PhD, University of Texas at Austin, 2015

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School of Law and Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, 2014

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J. J. "Jake" Pickle Regents Chair in Public Affairs, Lyndon B. Johnson  
Centennial Chair in National Policy  
Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, Harvard University, 1997

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and School of Law  
JD, Harvard University, 1986

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
PhD, University of Texas at Austin, 2011

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Studies  
Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs, Center for Middle Eastern  
Studies, Department of Geography and the Environment, Department of  
Middle Eastern Studies, and Department of Integrative Biology  
PhD, Johns Hopkins University, 1977

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and Department of  
Economics  
PhD, University of Colorado at Boulder, 2001

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
MS, University of Oxford, 2009

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and Department of  
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PhD, Indiana University Bloomington, 1996

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
MPAff, University of Texas at Austin, 2001

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and Department of  
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PhD, Yale University, 1981

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PhD, University of Washington - Seattle, 2015

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
MA, Naval War College, 2010

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and School of Social Work  
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PhD, Harvard University, 2013

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MPAff, University of Texas at Austin, 2014

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Department of Pediatrics, Department of Population Health, and Lyndon  
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MD, Stanford University, 2014

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PhD, University of Southern California, 2019

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
MA, Stanford University, 2000

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and Department of History  
PhD, Temple University, 2000

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MPAff, University of Texas at Austin, 2002

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs, Department of Finance, and  
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PhD, University of Rochester, 1992

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PhD, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 2002

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PhD, University of Texas at Austin, 2008

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PhD, Indiana University Bloomington, 2010

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
MA, Naval Postgraduate School, 1985

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PhD, Harvard University, 2002

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and College of Fine Arts  
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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
MA, Johns Hopkins University, 2008

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs and Walker Department of  
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PhD, Stanford University, 2008

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PhD, Central European University, 2013

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PhD, University of Texas at Austin, 2022

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MPP, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, 2010

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Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs  
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PhD, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, 2007

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PhD, Yale University, 2001

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