



# APSA Member Resource Guide

**Individual Membership**

**2025**

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# About the American Political Science Association (APSA)

Founded in 1903, the [American Political Science Association \(APSA\)](#) is the leading professional organization for the study of political science and serves more than 11,000 members in more than 100 countries. With a range of programs and services for individuals, departments, and institutions, APSA brings together political scientists from all fields of inquiry, regions, and occupational endeavors within and outside academe to deepen our understanding of politics, democracy, and citizenship throughout the world.

## **Mission**

APSA's mission is to support excellence in scholarship and teaching and informed discourse about politics, policy and civic participation. The Association promotes a lively, diverse community of scholars, teachers, students, and practitioners who bring wide-ranging interests, methodologies, and perspectives to the analysis and conduct of government and politics.

## **Vision**

APSA promotes scholarly understanding of political ideas, norms, behaviors, and institutions to inform public choices about government, governance, and public policy.

## **Values**

APSA is committed to transparency, open enquiry, scholarly pluralism, high standards of ethics and integrity and a global perspective.

# Your APSA Member Profile

To access your **User Home Profile**, [you must be logged in](#).

Your member account provides you with access to your member benefits, membership information, and access to renew your membership.

Once logged in to your APSA account, you can access your **User Home Profile** by clicking your name in the upper right corner of the page.

## Your Membership Info

This area displays your membership information including your current or previous membership category and membership expiration date.

## Join or Renew Your Membership

Renew your APSA membership in your member profile. Your membership can be renewed 6 months prior to its expiration date.

## Department Membership Status

If your individual account is linked to a department account, the department membership information will be displayed in APSA member profile.

## APSA Journals

Access the APSA Journals and Organized Section journals that are included with APSA membership. Your membership will automatically be recognized providing you with access to these publications.

## Political Science Today

Journal Delivery Preferences > Select to receive Political Science Today in print or electronically

## Section Membership

Any current Organized Section Memberships will be listed in your APSA member profile.

## Adding a Section

Organized Sections can be added to your membership at anytime under **Membership Info > Add a Section**. Organized sections run coterminous to your APSA membership.

## Recent Orders

View all previous transactions on your account. Click the icon under "View" to download a copy of your receipt.

The screenshot shows the 'User Home' profile page for an APSA member. The profile includes a profile picture, name, address, and email. The 'Membership Info' section shows the member's type, subtype, expiration date, and join date, with buttons for 'Join or Renew Your Membership', 'Add a Section', 'Join or Renew your Department Membership', and 'Journal Delivery Preferences'. The 'APSA Journals' section lists various journals. The 'Department Membership Status' section shows the member's affiliation with a department. The 'Section Membership' section lists the member's current section memberships. The 'Recent Orders' section shows a table of recent transactions.

Journal
American Political Science Review
PS: Political Science and Politics
Perspectives on Politics
Journal of Political Science Education
Political Science Today
Journal of Behavioral Public Administration
Publius

Name	Start	Expiration
01. Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations	01/01/24	01/31/25

Order #	Order Date	Billed To	Total	View
8414168	2/24/2023	APSA Member	\$0.00	





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SubType: Regular Member A  
Expires: 1/31/2025  
Joined: 2023

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### Department Membership Status

#### APSA

Grad Dept 21-30 FAC, Expires 6/30/2024

### Demographics

### Section Membership

Name	Start	Expiration
01. Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations	01/01/24	01/31/25

## Your APSA Member Profile:

# Updating your Personal Information

### My Profile

[Log in here](#) to access your APSA member account. Under “My Profile,” you can update your Name and Institution.

### My Addresses

Update your mailing address to ensure you are receiving your print copy of *Political Science Today*

### My Email and Phone Number

Keep your email up to date to ensure you receive all APSA Communications.

### My Demographics

Complete your demographics as well as well add your subfields and special interests.

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# Joining APSA: Membership Types & Benefits



## **Individual Membership**

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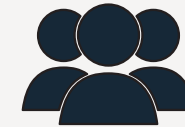
[See membership benefits »](#)



## **Institutional Membership**

Libraries, research institutes, think tanks, embassies, and Non-governmental organizations are welcome to join APSA as an organization. Institutional members benefit from participation and networking at the Annual Meeting, eJob postings and discounts on registration and individual membership.

[See membership benefits »](#)



## **Department Membership**

Through the **APSA Departmental Service Program**, political science departments - large and small - are provided with a forum address common issues, and plan and develop publications and services for chairs, faculty, and students. The program, overseen by the Departmental Services Committee, supports political science teaching, scholarship, and service, and provides resources for department chairs.

[See membership benefits »](#)



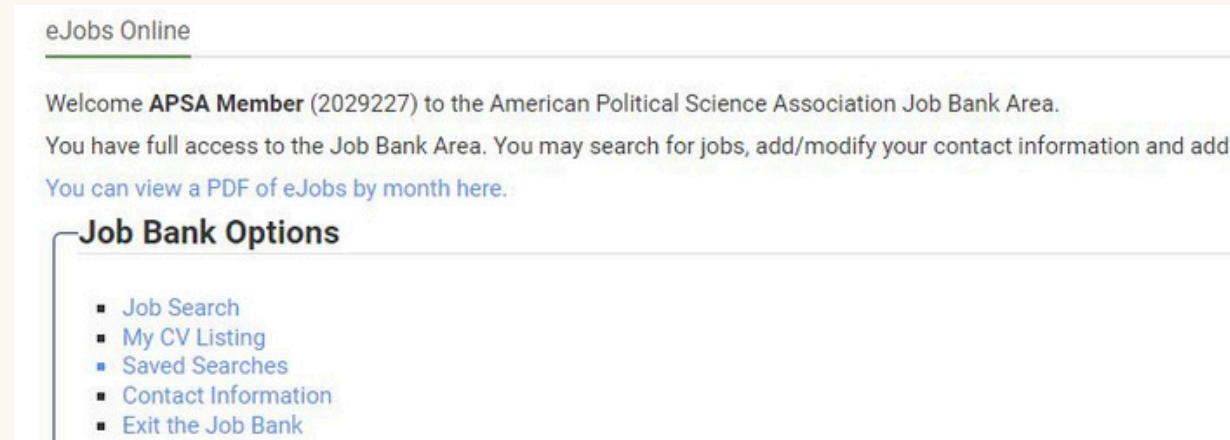
## **Joint Membership**

As a member of APSA, you may join a number of associations that we have collaborative agreements with at the same time that you join or renew your APSA membership: American Historical Association, International Political Science Association, International Public Policy Association, Women's Caucus for Political Science.

[See membership benefits »](#)

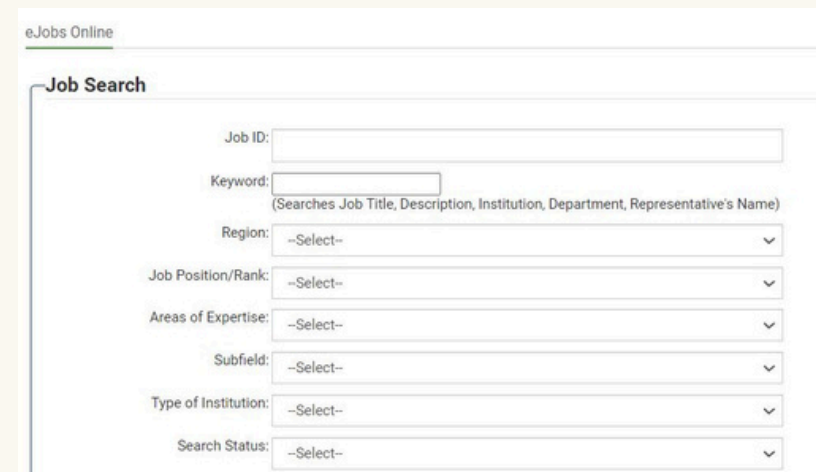
# Accessing the APSA eJobs Platform

From the [Job Bank Options](#) menu, you have access to search current listings, post and edit your CV and set up a saved search.



## Using the "Job Search" module

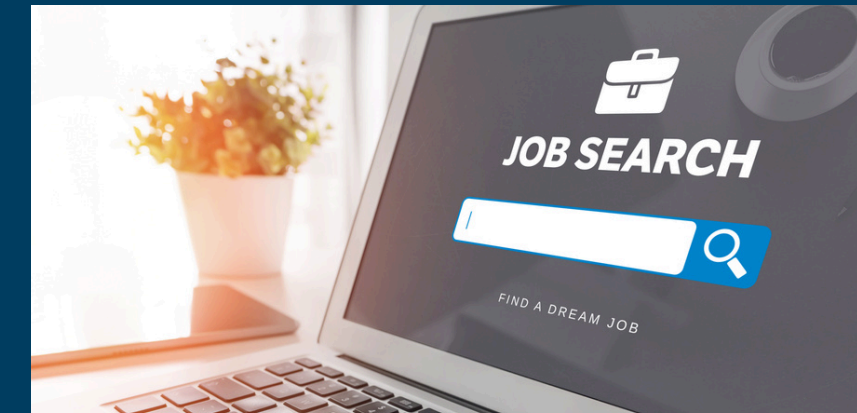
The Job Search feature allows members to search listings by region, job position/rank, areas of expertise, subfield, type of institution, and salary range.



**Search Results**

Save this search and receive daily, weekly, or monthly email alerts: [Save this Search](#)

Job ID	JobTitle/Company	Type	Region	Start Date	Posting Date	Salary Range	Search Status
13157	Visiting Assistant Teaching Professor of Government (American Politics)	Academic Positions: Visiting Professor	All US Regions	Fall 2024	02/05/24	\$50,000 - \$50,000	Job Posted



## Accessing eJobs is easy

To access eJobs, members can log into their User Home Profile under **APSA Resources** > select **Access eJobs**.

Visit [apsanet.org/ejobs](https://apsanet.org/ejobs) to browse current jobs listings.



## Political Science Jobs& Careers

### Access Monthly EJobs Report

Published at the start of each month, Political Science Jobs is an online journal containing all active jobs in political science as listed in the APSA online job board eJobs.

As information included in listings can updated at any time, job seekers are encouraged to check the online job board, eJobs, for the most up to date listings.

### View recent job listings

#### **Did You Know?**

Through the **eJobs Transparency Initiative**, job listings are updated on a regular basis to display the hiring status of the position.

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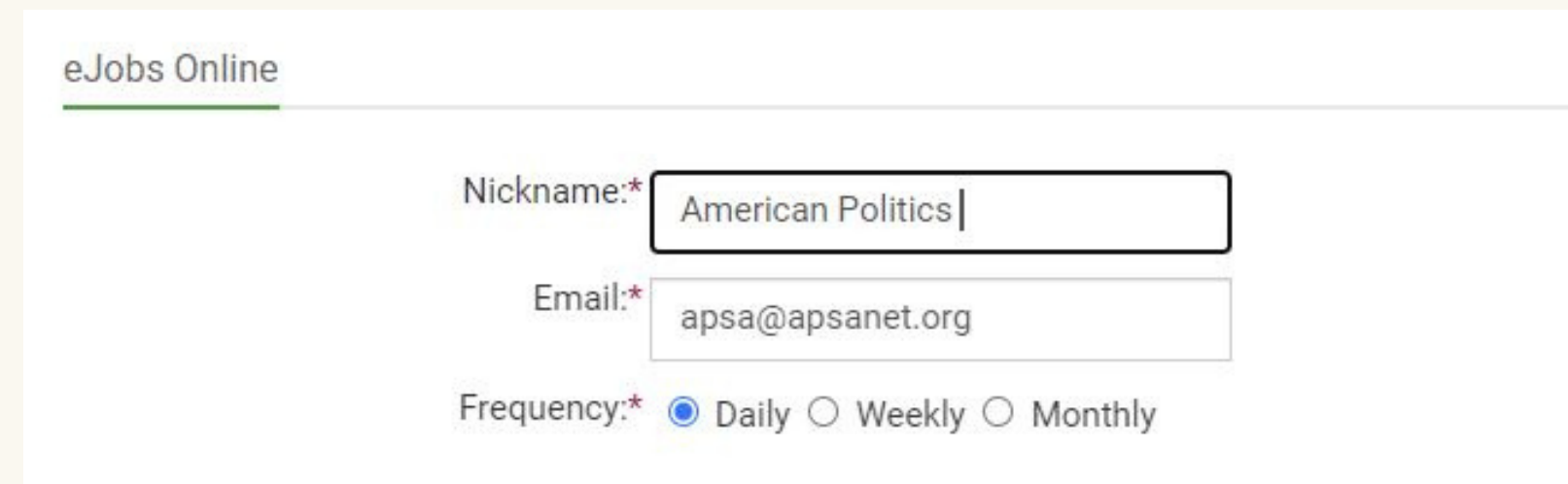
[DSRP Recruitment](#)

[Access eJobs](#) ←

## Navigating APSA eJobs *cont'd*

### Saving your search keywords

Once you set up your search parameters, select “Save this search” to have updated results emailed to you on a daily, weekly, or monthly basis. Once a saved search is set up it can be viewed or edited under the “**Saved Searches**” link.



The screenshot shows the 'eJobs Online' search interface. It includes three input fields: 'Nickname:\*' with the text 'American Politics |', 'Email:\*' with the text 'apsa@apsanet.org', and 'Frequency:\*' with radio buttons for 'Daily' (selected), 'Weekly', and 'Monthly'.

### “My CV Listing”

Through “**My CV Listing**” you can enter your professional information, including information about your desired position, as well as upload your CV. CV listings are viewable to departments that have active listings on eJobs.

*\*During the time leading up to the Annual Meeting candidates can indicate through the “My CV Listing” section that they will be available onsite for interviews.\**

#### Job Bank Options

- [Job Search](#)
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- [Saved Searches](#)
- [Contact Information](#)
- [Exit the Job Bank](#)

# APSA Member Groups & Community

APSA Members gain access to join Organized Sections and Related Groups. Memberships to these groups run coterminous to your APSA membership and can be added anytime through your User Home profile.

## APSA Organized Sections

[Organized Sections](#) provide the membership with outlets for research and opportunities for scholarship.



Sections are a vital part of the Association by sponsoring panels at the Annual Meeting, producing informative newsletters, and recognizing scholarly achievements of their members. Organized Section's determine their groups membership dues. Many sections offer waived dues for Student Members.

## Sharing & Networking on APSA Connect

All APSA members gain access to [APSA Connect](#), an online space for professional networking and community collaboration among APSA members. Members can opt into a daily digest to communicate and receive announcements, group updates, and access to documents.

## Related Groups

[Related Groups](#) are professional groups, engaged in the study of political science. Hosting one or more panels at the APSA Annual Meeting, Related Groups add diversity and represent a broad spectrum of civic and political issues. *APSA does not collect membership dues on behalf of Related Groups.*

# APSA Organized Sections

**01. Federalism & Intergovernmental Relations**

**02. Law and Courts**

**03. Legislative Studies**

**04. Public Policy**

**05. Political Organizations and Parties**

**06. Public Administration**

**07. Conflict Processes**

**08. Representation and Electoral Systems**

**09. Presidents and Executive Politics**

**10. Political Methodology**

**11. Religion and Politics**

**13. Urban and Local Politics**

**15. Science, Technology & Environmental Politics**

**16. Women, Gender, and Politics Research**

**17. Foundations of Political Theory**

**18. Information Technology and Politics**

**19. International Security**

**20. Comparative Politics**

**21. European Politics and Society**

**22. State Politics and Policy**

**23. Political Communication**

**24. Politics and History**

**25. Political Economy**

**27. Critical Political Science**

**28. Political Psychology**

**29. Political Science Education**

**30. Politics, Literature, and the Arts**

**31. Foreign Policy**

**32. Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior**

**33. Race, Ethnicity and Politics**

**34. International History and Politics**

**35. Democracy and Autocracy**

**36. Human Rights**

**37. Qualitative and Multi-Method Research**

**38. Sexuality and Politics**

**39. Health Politics and Policy**

**40. Canadian Politics**

**41. Political Networks**

**42. Experimental Research**

**43. Migration and Citizenship**

**44. African Politics Conference Group**

**45. Class and Inequality**

**46. Ideas, Knowledge and Politics**

**47. American Political Thought**

**48. International Collaboration**

**49. Middle East and North Africa Politics**

**50. Civic Engagement**

**51. Education Politics and Policy**

**52. Formal Theory**

**53. International Relations Theory**

**54. American Political Economy**

**55. South Asian Politics**

**56. Section 56: Nationalism and Politics**

## Related Groups

- **American Public Philosophy Institute**
- **Asian Pacific American Caucus**
- **Association for Politics and Life Sciences**
- **Association of Korean Political Studies**
- **British Politics Group**
- **Campaign Finance Research Group**
- **Center for the Study of Federalism**
- **Center for the Study of Statesmanship**
- **Civic Studies**
- **Civil Society, Policy, and Power**
- **Committee on Viable Constitutional Democracy**
- **Comparative Urban Politics**
- **Conference Group on Taiwan Studies**
- **Critical Policy Studies**
- **Democratic Innovations**
- **Disasters and Crises Related Group**
- **Environmental Politics and Theory**
- **Global Forum of Chinese Political Scientists**
- **Iberian Politics**
- **Indigenous Studies Network**
- **Intelligence Studies**
- **International Churchill Society**
- **Interpretive Methodologies and Methods**
- **Japan Political Studies Group**
- **Labor Politics**
- **Latino Caucus in Political Science**
- **Law and Political Process Study Group**
- **Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Caucus**
- **McConnell Center for Political Leadership**
- **Politica: Society for the Study of Medieval Political Thought**
- **Political Forecasting Group**
- **Project on the American Constitution**
- **Publius**
- **Society for Greek Political Thought**
- **Southeast Asian Politics**
- **The Walter Bagehot Research Council on National Politics and Sovereignty**
- **Victims of Communism Memorial Fund**

# Volunteer with APSA

APSA also offers various opportunities for members to volunteer and support the growth of the political science discipline.

## Sign up to be an External Reviewer for Department Assessment

As a resource for APSA departmental members seeking external review, the Departmental Services Program maintains a list of faculty who have volunteered to serve as reviewers. Submit your information to be an External Reviewer [here](#).

## Join APSA's Mentorship Program

The APSA Mentoring Program aims to connect students, scholars, and professionals seeking advice, support, and guidance with volunteer mentors in the discipline. [Learn more about becoming a mentor here](#).

## Participate in the Centennial Center Grantmaking Process

APSA members at the rank of associate professor or higher can volunteer to serve as judges for the **Centennial Center's grant programs**. This is a great way to undertake a service activity that helps shape the future of the profession, and only requires a few hours of work. We are currently seeking members who would like to serve as reviewers for the Spring Centennial Center Research Grants. If you are interested in being a judge, please either email us directly at [centennial@apsanet.org](mailto:centennial@apsanet.org) or sign up on our [website](#).



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