

# Benjamin S. Bingle

## Curriculum Vitae

### EDUCATION

PhD Northern Illinois University, Department of Political Science  
2016 Primary Field: Public Administration Secondary Field: American Government

Dissertation: *A Matter of Size: Examining Representation and Responsiveness in State Legislatures and City Councils*

MPA Drake University, College of Business and Public Administration  
2008 Emphasis: Executive Leadership

BA Monmouth College, Department of Political Economy and Commerce, and  
2002 Department of Political Science  
Major: Business Administration Major: Political Science

### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Nonprofit management; performance management; capacity building; organizational theory; human resources; American government; representation; public policy

### PUBLICATIONS

#### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2015 Schraufnagel, Scot, and Benjamin Bingle. "Legislature Size and Non-Elite Populations: Theory and Corroborating Evidence." *Journal of Politics and Law*. 8 (4): 242-53
- 2015 Schatteman, Alicia, and Benjamin Bingle. "Philanthropy Supporting Government: An Analysis of Local Library Funding." *Journal of Public and Nonprofit Affairs*. 1 (2), 74-86.
- 2013 Bingle, Benjamin, C. Kenneth Meyer, and Ann Taylor. "Nonprofit Organizations and Public Sector Human Resources Management: A Comparative Analysis." *International Journal of Management and Information Systems* 17 (3): 135-62.

#### Book Chapters

- 2012 Meyer, C. Kenneth, William S. Brown, Benjamin Bingle, Lance J. Noe, Jeffrey Geerts, and Garry L. Frank. 2012. "The World of Work in the 21st Century: Security to Ubiquitous Risk." In C. Kenneth Meyer, Lance J. Noe, Jeffrey A Geerts, and Garry L. Frank, eds., *Managing People as Assets*. Des Moines: Millennium HRM Press

#### Case Studies

- 2015 Bingle, Benjamin S., Amanda R. Insalaco, and C. Kenneth Meyer. "An Awareness Campaign Gone Awry." In *Understanding Nonprofit Organizations: Governance, Leadership, and Management*, eds. J. Steven Ott and Lisa A. Dicke. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 361-64.

- 2015 Bingle, Benjamin S., and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Daughter Dearest: Nonprofit Nepotism." In *Understanding Nonprofit Organizations: Governance, Leadership, and Management*, eds. J. Steven Ott and Lisa A. Dicke. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 82–86.
- 2015 Bingle, Benjamin S., Scot Schraufnagel, Micki Chulick, and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Unwelcome News: Nonprofit Scandal." In *Understanding Nonprofit Organizations: Governance, Leadership, and Management*, eds. J. Steven Ott and Lisa A. Dicke. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 29–32.
- 2015 Insalaco, Amanda R., Benjamin S. Bingle, and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Technology and Transparency at the Museum." In *Understanding Nonprofit Organizations: Governance, Leadership, and Management*, eds. J. Steven Ott and Lisa A. Dicke. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 365–68.
- 2015 Read, Julie Ann, Benjamin S. Bingle, and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Now You See 'Em, Now You Don't: Volunteers and Nonprofits." In *Understanding Nonprofit Organizations: Governance, Leadership, and Management*, eds. J. Steven Ott and Lisa A. Dicke. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 320–23.
- 2015 Read, Julie Ann, Benjamin S. Bingle, and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Turning the Tide: Transitioning from Volunteers to Paid Staff." In *Understanding Nonprofit Organizations: Governance, Leadership, and Management*, eds. J. Steven Ott and Lisa A. Dicke. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 324–26.
- 2015 Read, Julie Ann, Benjamin S. Bingle, and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Volunteer Donor Recruitment on Social Media." In *Understanding Nonprofit Organizations: Governance, Leadership, and Management*, eds. J. Steven Ott and Lisa A. Dicke. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 221–24.
- 2015 Schatteman, Alicia, Benjamin S. Bingle, and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Growing Support Online One Meal at a Time." In *Understanding Nonprofit Organizations: Governance, Leadership, and Management*, eds. J. Steven Ott and Lisa A. Dicke. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 216–20.
- 2013 Bingle, Benjamin, C. Kenneth Meyer, and Ann Taylor. "Human Resources Management in Nonprofit and Public Organizations." In C. Kenneth Meyer, Lance J. Noe, Garry Frank, and Jeffrey A. Geerts, eds., *Nonprofit Management and Leadership Case Studies*. Des Moines: Millennium HRM Press.
- 2013 Bingle, Benjamin and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Representative Bureaucracy: Does That Apply to Us?" In C. Kenneth Meyer, Lance J. Noe, Garry Frank, and Jeffrey A. Geerts, eds., *Nonprofit Management and Leadership Case Studies*. Des Moines: Millennium HRM Press.
- 2013 Bingle, Benjamin and C. Kenneth Meyer. "Nonprofit Nepotism." In C. Kenneth Meyer, Lance J. Noe, Garry Frank, and Jeffrey A. Geerts, eds., *Nonprofit Management and Leadership Case Studies*. Des Moines: Millennium HRM Press.

## **Other Publications**

- 2015 Bingle, Benjamin, Nancy Castle, Julie Ann Read. "DeKalb County Nonprofit Study." NGOLD-NIU. Funding from the Douglas C. & Lynn M. Roberts Family Foundation. Project Number: 15-301.
- 2012 Schraufnagel, Scot, Micki Chulick, and Benjamin Bingle. "Second Mile: A Case Study of Non-Profit Ethics." NGOLD-NIU. Funding from the Douglas C. & Lynn M. Roberts Family Foundation.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

### **Academic Conferences**

- 2014 Schatteman, Alicia, and Benjamin Bingle. *Turning the Tables: Nonprofit Organizations Supporting Public Agencies*. Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action Annual Conference, Denver, CO.
- 2014 Schatteman, Alicia, and Benjamin Bingle. *By the Book: Financing of Municipal Public Libraries*. Association for Budgeting & Financial Management Annual Conference, Grand Rapids, MI.
- 2014 Schatteman, Alicia, and Benjamin Bingle. *By the Book: Financing of Municipal Public Libraries*. Midwest Public Affairs Conference, Fort Wayne, IN.
- 2012 Bingle, Benjamin, C. Kenneth Meyer, and Ann Taylor. *Nonprofit Organizations in a Human Resources Management Context: Understanding What Differentiates Nonprofits from Public Sector Entities*. Clute Institute International Academic Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- 2011 Bingle, Benjamin, and Scot Schraufnagel. *Revisiting the Importance of the Size of Legislatures: Evidence from the American States*. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.

### **Selected Professional Conferences, Trainings, and Presentations**

- 2016 Bingle, Benjamin. *Nonprofit Organizations: Size, Scope, and Resources*. DeKalb County Government, Community Mental Health Board, Sycamore, IL.
- 2015 Bingle, Benjamin. *DeKalb County Nonprofit Study*. DeKalb County Economic Development Corporation, Board of Directors, DeKalb, IL.
- 2014 Bingle, Benjamin. *Program Evaluation: Data Trends, Considerations, and Challenges*. DeKalb County Nonprofit Partnership, Steering Committee, DeKalb, IL.
- 2007 Bingle, Benjamin, and Patti Lind. *Expanding Your Market: People with Disabilities*. Association for Enterprise Opportunity Annual Conference, Kansas City, MO.
- 2006 Oglesby, Jason, Patti Lind, and Benjamin Bingle. *Market of Millions: Microenterprise Services for Entrepreneurs with Disabilities*. Association for Enterprise Opportunity Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.

- 2006 Lind, Patti, and Benjamin Bingle. *Business Development for Entrepreneurs with Disabilities*. Hawaii Vocational Rehabilitation and Services for the Blind Division, Honolulu, HI.
- 2004 Lind, Patti, and Benjamin Bingle. *Microenterprise Services for Entrepreneurs with Disabilities*. Rehabilitation Services Administration Employment and Disability: The VR–Business Partnership Conference, Washington, D.C.
- 2004 Nolte, Mark, Benjamin Bingle, and Patti Lind. *Microenterprise Development and People with Disabilities*. Association for Enterprise Opportunity Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

### **Selected Campus or Departmental Presentations**

- 2015 Bingle, Benjamin. *NGOLD-DCNP Collaboration*. DeKalb County Community Foundation, Executive Committee, DeKalb, IL.
- 2014 Bingle, Benjamin. *Nonprofits and Philanthropy*. Global Leadership and Philanthropy Camp, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL.
- 2013 Bingle, Benjamin. *Center for NGO Leadership and Development: Engagement Activities & Challenges*. Committee on the Improvement of Undergraduate Education, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL.
- 2012 Bingle, Benjamin. *Revisiting the Importance of the Size of Legislatures: Evidence from the American States*. Department of Political Science Research Brown Bag, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL.
- 2011 Bingle, Benjamin. *Case Development Team Orientation*. NGOLD-NIU Case Study Project Members, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL. Funding from the Douglas C. & Lynn M. Roberts Family Foundation.

### **AWARDED FUNDING PROPOSALS**

#### **Internal Funding—Primary Author**

- 2015 *Curriculum Assessment Funding Request*. Northern Illinois University, University Assessment Panel. \$1,860.
- 2014 *Undergraduate Research Assistantships Program Proposal*. Northern Illinois University, Office of Student Engagement and Experiential Learning. \$1,500.
- 2013 *Undergraduate Research Assistantships Program Proposal*. Northern Illinois University, Office of Student Engagement and Experiential Learning. \$1,500.
- 2012 *Undergraduate Research Assistantships Program Proposal*. Northern Illinois University, Office of Student Engagement and Experiential Learning. \$1,500.

#### **External Funding—Primary Author**

- 2016 *DeKalb County Nonprofit Partnership Website Enhancement*. \$5,000. Douglas C. & Lynn M. Roberts Family Foundation.

- 2007 *CitiGroup Microenterprise Research Program Proposal*. \$7,500.
- 2007 *Proposal to Manage Iowa Alternative Financing and Telework Programs*. IowaAble Foundation. \$195,000.
- 2007 *Women and Company Microenterprise Boost Program Proposal*. CitiGroup Foundation. \$5,000.
- 2006 *Building Service Capacity for Entrepreneurs with Disabilities*. Tides Foundation. \$30,000.
- 2006 *Covad Broadband Entrepreneurs Program Proposal*. Covad Communications. \$5,500.
- 2006 *Women and Company Microenterprise Boost Program Proposal*. CitiGroup Foundation. \$5,000.
- 2005 *Covad Broadband Entrepreneurs Program Proposal*. Covad Communications. \$5,500.
- 2005 *Women and Company Microenterprise Boost Program Proposal*. \$5,000.
- 2004 *Covad Broadband Entrepreneurs Program Proposal*. Covad Communications. \$5,500.

**Internal Funding—Secondary Author**

- 2013 *Measuring the Effectiveness of U.S. Non-Governmental Organizations*. Northern Illinois University Great Journey's Program. \$16,000.

**External Funding—Secondary Author**

- 2014 *DeKalb County Nonprofit Partnership Capacity Building Initiative*. Douglas C. & Lynn M. Roberts Family Foundation. \$119,040.
- 2007 *Building Service Capacity for Entrepreneurs with Disabilities*. Tides Foundation. \$30,000.
- 2007 *Proposal for Continued Management Services for a Self Employment Initiative*. Nebraska Vocational Rehabilitation. \$185,700.
- 2007 *Proposal for Management of the Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Program*. Iowa Vocational Rehabilitation Services. \$247,801.
- 2006 *Microenterprise and Disability: Continued Momentum*. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation. \$50,000.
- 2006 *Proposal for Management Services for a Self Employment Initiative*. Nebraska Vocational Rehabilitation. \$183,300.
- 2006 *Proposal for Management of the Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Program*. Iowa Vocational Rehabilitation Services. \$235,260.

- 2005 *Increasing Options: Self Employment for People with Disabilities*. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration. \$991,700.
- 2005 *Proposal for Management of the Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Program*. Iowa Vocational Rehabilitation Services. \$231,195.
- 2004 *Iowa Women's Entrepreneurship Initiative*. Iowa Women's Foundation. \$5,000.

**CONTRACTED RESEARCH**

**Principal Investigator**

- 2015 *DeKalb County Nonprofit Study*. Survey of nonprofit organizations, their programs, internal operations, and other characteristics. \$16,650.
- 2011 *Kane County Health Study*. Assessment of health practices and risk factors among randomly sampled households in Northeastern Illinois. \$109,200.
- 2011 *Prisoner Reentry Project*. Evaluation of a program for former prison inmates in Colorado with questions about training topics and current living situations. \$35,543.
- 2010 *Customer Satisfaction Study*. Interviews of key executives that are customers of a Northern Illinois manufacturing firm. \$12,085.
- 2010 *Police Platform Study*. National policing study to improve police services. \$80,266.
- 2010 *SMART Classroom Technology Study*. College professors surveyed about their use of SMART classroom equipment and how it can be improved. \$2,000.
- 2009 *Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System – Elgin*. Assessment of health practices and risk factors among randomly sampled households in Elgin, Illinois. \$14,400.
- 2009 *Cardiovascular Health and Risk Factor Study*. Assessment of health practices and risk factors among randomly sampled households in Northern Illinois. \$19,000.
- 2009 *SMART Classroom Technology Study*. College professors surveyed about their use of SMART classroom equipment and how it can be improved. \$2,000.
- 2008 *Colorado Custodial Parents Study*. Evaluation of the influence of a program for custodial parents typically living without the other parent in the household. \$14,497.
- 2008 *Customer Satisfaction Study*. Interviews of key stakeholders to gauge their satisfaction with a leading manufacturer of oil pipeline equipment. \$5,262.
- 2008 *Non-Returning Students Study*. Survey of former students that did not graduate, but did not enroll for the Fall 2008 semester. \$10,137.

**Secondary Investigator**

- 2011 *Algonquin Public Library Project*. Survey of households in Algonquin, Illinois to learn about usage and satisfaction with the community library. \$20,435.

- 2011 *Illinois Health Study*. Survey of households in Chicago, Illinois and specific Chicago neighborhoods to understand the health and health practices of youth. \$85,727.
- 2011 *Independent Laboratories Pilot Test*. Interviews of laboratory managers to learn if their laboratories use rapid influenza diagnostic testing. \$8,555.
- 2011 *Parental Support Study*. Evaluation of a program to understand support systems for single parents in Colorado. \$34,532.
- 2011 *Race and Ethnicity in Vaccination for Vulnerable Elderly*. Mail survey of nursing homes that administer influenza vaccines to understand testing and treatment. \$15,815.
- 2011 *Special Education Study*. Assessment of special education efforts in Lake County, Illinois. \$3,670.
- 2010 *Branding Online Study*. Survey to supplement a university branding initiative. \$8,537.
- 2010 *Colorado Arrears Project*. Interviews of individuals that are behind with child support payments to learn why and how the system may be improved. \$7,291.
- 2010 *Citizen Satisfaction Study*. Interviews of randomly selected households in Dubuque, Iowa to assess their attitudes about the city. \$18,388.
- 2010 *Illinois Policy Survey*. Annual survey of randomly sampled Illinois households to learn attitudes and opinions about salient political topics. \$41,305.
- 2010 *Tagline Study*. Survey to inform the development of a new university tagline. \$3,527.
- 2009 *Brand Image Study*. Survey and focus groups to support university branding. \$19,537.
- 2009 *Centering Pregnancy Study*. Assessment of program effectiveness for pregnant women and their spouses comparing control and experiment groups. \$30,267.
- 2009 *Illinois Policy Survey*. Annual survey of randomly sampled Illinois households to learn attitudes and opinions about salient political topics. \$40,815.
- 2009 *Park District Usage and Satisfaction Study*. Survey of randomly selected households in St. Charles, Illinois about citizens' usage and satisfaction with the park district. \$19,219.
- 2008 *Fine Dining Focus Groups*. Focus groups with customers to gauge satisfaction with a fine dining establishment in Rockford, Illinois. \$6,519.

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- 2014-Present CLCE 490: Civic Engagement Internship
- 2013-Present CLCE 498: Independent Study
- 2013-Present CLCE 495: Capstone Seminar
- 2012 CLCE 100: Introduction to the Nonprofit Sector

## **MENTORING AND RELATED STUDENT ACTIVITIES**

### *McKearn Fellows Program, Research Mentor*

- 2015 Jake Swick, “Exploring the Impact of Dual Credit Courses in Northern Illinois”
- 2013 Ashley Palin, “Opposites Attract: How NGO Penetration Affects Repression”

### *Undergraduate Research Assistantship, Research Mentor*

- 2014 Sarah Trygstad, “Nonprofit Effectiveness: Theory vs. Reality”
- 2013 Katie Birkey, “Representation of Female State Legislators”
- 2012 Amanda Insalaco, “NGOs: Responsive to America’s Needs? A 50 State Analysis”

### *Summer Research Opportunity Program, Research Mentor*

- 2014 Sarah Trygstad, “Bookshelves and Balance Sheets: Public Library Funding in Illinois”

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### *DeKalb County Community Foundation, Sycamore, IL*

- 2016-Present Manager, DeKalb County Nonprofit Partnership

### *Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL*

- 2012-Present Instructor, Community Leadership and Civic Engagement
- 2011-2016 Specialist/Outreach Coordinator, Center for NGO Leadership and Development
- 2008-2011 Research Associate/Study Director, Public Opinion Laboratory

### *The Abilities Fund, Iowa City, IA*

- 2006-2008 Operations Officer
- 2004-2006 Project Manager
- 2003-2004 AmeriCorps VISTA

### *Institute for Social and Economic Development, Coralville, IA*

- 2002-2003 AmeriCorps VISTA

## **SERVICE**

### **Academic and Campus**

- 2014-Present School of Public and Global Affairs, Member
- 2013-2015 Political Research Quarterly, Reviewer
- 2013 State and Local Government Review, Reviewer
- 2013-2016 Center for NGO Leadership and Development, Curriculum Committee
- 2012-Present Center for NGO Leadership and Development, Committee of the Whole
- 2010-2013 Presidential Commission on People with Disabilities

### **Community**

#### *DeKalb County Nonprofit Partnership, Sycamore, IL*

- 2016-Present Nominating and Governance Committee
- 2016-Present Giving Day Committee
- 2015-Present Marketing and Membership Committee



2015-Present Research and Advocacy Committee  
2014-Present Nonprofit Day Committee  
2013-2015 Marketing Committee (Chair)  
2012-Present Program Committee  
2012-Present Steering Committee

*Ellwood House Association, DeKalb, IL*

2015-2016 Mission and Vision Committee  
2014-2016 Executive Director Evaluation Committee (Chair)  
2012-2016 Board of Directors

*Proudly DeKalb, DeKalb, IL*

2016-Present Leadership Collaborative Committee

*Additional Committee Work*

2006-2008 VSA Arts, External Grant Advisory Panel, Washington, D.C.  
2006-2007 Association for Enterprise Opportunity MicroPro Advisory Council, Washington, D.C.

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

2015 Supportive Professional Staff Presidential Award for Excellence  
2014 Monmouth College Alumni Association Young Alumnus Award  
2014 Outstanding Graduate Student Award  
2014 Supportive Professional Staff Certificate of Recognition  
2011 Westview Press Award Nominee, best student paper at the MPSA Annual Conference  
2008 Phi Alpha Alpha Honor Society for Public Administration  
2002 Monmouth College Department of Political Science Honors

**SELECTED TEACHING AND INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN TRAINING**

2013 Fundamentals of Experiential and Service-Learning  
2013 The Future of Community Engagement in Higher Education  
2013 Practical and Pedagogical Considerations for Community Engagement Coursework  
2012 Teaching Effectiveness Institute: Fundamental Principles of Effective Instruction  
2012 Creating Transformative Education through Experiential Learning

**PROFESSIONAL AND ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS**

2016-Present Council on Foundations  
2011-Present Midwest Political Science Association  
2010-Present Council on Undergraduate Research  
2008-2010 American Association for Public Opinion Research  
2003-2008 Association for Enterprise Opportunity