Greetings from Charleston!

The Political Science Department is excited to share some highlights from our fall semester.

Several of our faculty were honored in new articles or published on the 2018 Midterms.

The John Creed Award recognizes contributions for persons and persons who excel in the classroom and campus, and are committed to working with students on their academic and professional goals.

This award supports internships, study abroad, research, and conference presentations and workshops. Please consider making a donation in honor of Dr. Creed, one of the department’s most treasured professors.

Student Spotlight with Joel Milliken

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Faculty Spotlight with Dr. Shyam Sriram

Visiting professor Shyam Sriram made the transition from Santa Barbara, California to Charleston this summer in order to join the political science department. For the 2018-19 academic year, he will be teaching Contemporary Political Issues and American Government; this spring, he will be teaching Religion in American Politics, and a course on Immigration and International Relations as a special topics course.

Joel Milliken, a political science alum, started his journey to becoming executive director of the South Carolina Harm Reduction Coalition (SCHRC). While most college seniors were studying for the GRE, Milliken, a political science major and senior, spent much of his fall semester on the campaign trail seeking election for Charleston County Council. A James Island native, Milliken entered the race in his home district to address what he sees as the district’s most important issues: development and the environment.

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