

Books and Edited Volumes

- Silbey, Joel H., ed. *A Companion to the Antebellum Presidents, 1837-1861*. John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 2014.
- Silbey, Joel H. *Party Over Section: The Rough and Ready Presidential Election of 1848*. University Press of Kansas, 2009.
- Silbey, Joel H. *Storm Over Texas: The Annexation Controversy and the Road to Civil War*. Oxford University Press, 2005.
- Silbey, Joel H. *Martin Van Buren and the Emergence of American Popular Politics*. Rowman & Littlefield, 2002.
- Silbey, Joel H., ed. *Russian-American Dialogue on the History of U.S. Political Parties*. University of Missouri Press, 2000.
- Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The American Party Battle: Election Campaign Pamphlets, 1828-1876*. Harvard University Press, 1999.
- Silbey, Joel H., editor in chief. *The Encyclopedia of The American Legislative System*. Scribners, 1994.
 - Three volumes
- Silbey, Joel H. *The American Political Nation, 1838-1893*. Stanford University Press, 1991.
 - Paperback edition, 1994
- Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The Congress of the United States, 1798-1989*. Carlson Publishing, 1991.
 - Ten Volumes:
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The First Branch of American Government: the United States Congress and Its Relations to the Executive and Judiciary, 1789-1989*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The Congress of the United States: Its Origins and Early Development*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The Congress of the United States: Patterns of Recruitment, Leadership, and Internal Structure, 1789-1989*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The United States Congress: the Electoral Connection, 1789-1989*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The United States Congress in a Transitional Era, 1800-1841: the Interplay of Party, Faction, and Section*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The United States Congress in a Partisan Political Nation, 1841-1896*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The United States Congress in a Nation Transformed, 1896-1963*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The Modern American Congress, 1963-1989*. Carlson Pub., 1991.

- Silbey, Joel H., ed. *To Advise and Consent: the United States Congress and Foreign Policy in the Twentieth Century*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
 - Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The Rise and Fall of Political Parties in the United States, 1789-1989: the Congressional Roll Call Record*. Carlson Pub., 1991.
- Silbey, Joel H. *The Partisan Imperative: Essays on The Dynamics of American Politics Before The Civil War*. New York, 1985.
 - Paperback edition, 1987
- Silbey, Joel H., co-ed. and contributor. *The History of American Electoral Behavior*. Princeton, 1978.
- Silbey, Joel H. *A Respectable Minority: The Democratic Party in the Civil Era*. New York, 1977.
- Silbey, Joel H. *Political Ideology and Voting Behavior in The Age of Jackson*. Englewood Cliffs, 1973.
- Silbey, Joel H., co-ed. and contributor. *American Political Behavior: Historical Essays and Readings*. New York, 1972.
- McSeveney, Samuel T. and Silbey, Joel H., co-ed. *Voters, Parties and Elections: Quantitative Essays in the History of American Popular Voting Behavior*. Waltham: Xerox College Pub., 1972.
- Silbey, Joel H., ed. *National Development and Sectional Crisis, 1815-1860*. Random House, 1970.
- Silbey, Joel H., ed. *The Transformation of American Politics, 1840-1860*. Englewood Cliffs, 1967.
- Silbey, Joel H. *The Shrine of Party: Congressional Voting Behavior, 1841-1852*. Pittsburgh, 1967.
 - Reprinted, Greenwood Press, 1981

Book Chapters

- Badger, Anthony J. and Shafer, Byron E., ed. *Contesting Democracy: Substance and Structure in American Political History, 1775-2000*. University Press of Kansas, 2001.
- Shafer, Byron E. *Present Discontents: American Politics in the Very Late Twentieth Century*. Chatham House Publishers, 1997.
- Gienapp, et al., ed. *Essays on American Antebellum Politics, 1840-1860*. University of Texas at Arlington, by Texas A&M University Press, 1982.

Articles

- Silbey, Joel H. "Everybody's Second Choice." Edited by Michael S. Green. *Journal of the Abraham Lincoln Association* 34, no. 2 (2013): 42-45.

- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Stephen A. Douglas and the Dilemmas of Democratic Equality*, by James L. Huston. *The Journal of Southern History* 75, no. 1 (2009): 149–50. <https://doi.org/10.2307/27650427>.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Congress and the Emergence of Sectionalism: From the Missouri Compromise to the Age of Jackson*, by Paul Finkelman and Donald R. Kennon. *The Journal of American History* 96, no. 2 (2009): 534–35.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Realignment: The Theory That Changed the Way We Think about American Politics*, by Theodore Rosenof. *The Journal of Southern History* 71, no. 1 (2005): 217–19. <https://doi.org/10.2307/27648721>.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of The Deadly Ethnic Riot*, by Donald L. Horowitz. *The Journal of Interdisciplinary History* 33, no. 4 (2003): 598–99.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Rum, Romanism, and Rebellion: The Making of a President, 1884*, by Mark Wahlgren Summers. *The Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography* 124, no. 4 (2000): 579–81.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Current Historiographic Trends in the Study of the Twentieth-Century Congress.” *Social Science History* 24, no. 2 (2000): 317–31.
- Silbey, Joel H. ““DOOMED TO MISFORTUNE—IF NOT TO DISSOLUTION.”” Edited by Michael F. Holt. *The Virginia Quarterly Review* 76, no. 2 (2000): 351–57.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Changing Patterns of Voting in the Northern United States: Electoral Realignment, 1952-1996*, by Robert W. Speel. *The Journal of Interdisciplinary History* 30, no. 3 (1999): 551–52.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of American Political History: Essays on the State of the Discipline*, by John F. Marszalek and Wilson D. Miscamble. *The Journal of Southern History* 65, no. 3 (1999): 679–81. <https://doi.org/10.2307/2588196>.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Running on the Record: Civil War-Era Politics in New Hampshire*, by Lex Renda. *The Journal of Interdisciplinary History* 29, no. 2 (1998): 311–12.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of The Origins of the American Civil War*, by Brian Holden Reid. *The International History Review* 20, no. 1 (1998): 184–86.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Spreading the News: The American Postal System from Franklin to Morse*, by Richard R. John. *The American Historical Review* 102, no. 5 (1997): 1564–1564. <https://doi.org/10.2307/2171217>.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Union & Emancipation: Essays on Politics and Race in the Civil War Era*, by David W. Blight and Brooks D. Simpson. *Illinois Historical Journal* 90, no. 4 (1997): 300–301.
- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Arguing About Slavery: The Great Battle in the United States Congress*, by William Lee Miller. *The Journal of Southern History* 63, no. 2 (1997): 393–94. <https://doi.org/10.2307/2211300>.

- Silbey, Joel H. Review of *Review of Race, Campaign Politics, & the Realignment in the South*, by James M. Glaser. *The Journal of Interdisciplinary History* 28, no. 2 (1997): 320–21. <https://doi.org/10.2307/206454>.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Divided Government in Historical Perspective, 1798-1996.” In *Divided Government: Change, Uncertainty, and the Constitutional Order*, edited by Peter F. Galderisi. Chatham, New Jersey, 1997. 1-29.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Foundation Stones of Present Discontents: The American Political Nation, 1776-1945.” In *Present Discontents: American Politics on the Very Late Twentieth Century*, by Byron E. Shafer et. al. Chatham, New Jersey, 1991. 1-29.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Historiography of the American Legislative System.” In *Encyclopedia of the American Legislative System*, edited by Joel H. Silbey. New York: Charles Scribner’s Sons, 1994. Volume I, 281-300.
- Silbey, Joel H. “A Reply to Byron E. Shafer, ‘Political Eras in Political History: A Review Essay.’” *Journal of Political History* 5 (1992), 475-479.
 - Forum on my book, *The American Political Nation, 1838-1893*.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Contours of the American Political Nation, 1789-1991.” In *New Views on American History*, Annual Studies of America 1992, by N. N. Bolkhovitinov. (Moscow, 1993). 85-106.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The End of American Politics.” *Institute of Government Studies Working Paper* 93-9 (Berkeley, 1993).
- Silbey, Joel H. “Hegemony of The Market Questioned; A Symposium on Charles Sellers, *The Market Revolution: Jacksonian America, 1815-1846*.” *Journal of The Early Republic* 12. (Winter, 1992). 454-458.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Origins of The Republican Party, 1852-1860.” In *America’s History*, by James Henretta, et. al. (1993).
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Election of 1852.” In *Running For President*, by Arthur M. Schlesinger. (New York, 1992).
- Silbey, Joel H. “Beyond Realignment and Realignment Theory: American Political Eras, 1789-1989.” In *The End of Realignment?* by Byron Shafer, et. al. Madison: University of Wisconsin Press, 1991. 3-23.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Party Organization in Nineteenth Century America.” In *Political Parties and Elections in the United States: An Encyclopedia*, edited by L. Sandy Maisel. New York: Garland, 1991. Two volumes.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Emergence of the American Political Nation, 1789-1849.” In *Nascita Di Una Identita: La Formazione delle Nazionalita Americane*. Rome, 1990. 45-53.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Rise and Fall of American Political Parties, 1790-1990” In *The Parties Respond* by L. Sandy Maisel, et. al. Boulder: Westview Press, 1990. 15-34.

- Silbey, Joel H. "Conclusion." In *A crisis of Republicanism: American Politics in The Civil War Era*, edited by Lloyd E. Ambrosious. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1990. 129-131.
- Silbey, Joel H. "Congress at the Bicentennial: A Comment." *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 14 1989. 129-133.
- Silbey, Joel H. "After 'The First Northern Victory': The Republican Party Comes to Congress, 1855-1856." *Journal of Interdisciplinary History* 20. Summer 1989. 1-24.
- Silbey, Joel H. "'Our Successors Will Have an Easier Task': The First Congress Under the Constitution, 1789-1791." *This Constitution*. Winter, 1987. 11-17.
- Silbey, Joel H. "'Always a Whig in Politics': The Partisan Life of Abraham Lincoln." *Papers of The Abraham Lincoln Association* 8. 1986. 21-42.
- Silbey, Joel H. "The Stabilization of the 20th-Century Congress: New Evidence of Change in the American Political Universe." In *Annual Report, 1986, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences*, by Allan G. Bogue, David Brady, Nelson W. Polsby and Joel H. Silbey. 57-69.
- Silbey, Joel H. "The Early Nationalization of Political News in America: Comment." In *Studies in American Political Development*, by Karen Orren and Stephen Skowronek. New Haven: Yale University Press: 1986. 279-285.
- Silbey, Joel H. "First Steps Towards a History of Congress." *Congress and the Presidency* 13. Spring, 1986. 123-128.
- Silbey, Joel H. "Communication, To the Editor." *Pacific Historical Review* 54. November, 1985. 555-557.
- Silbey, Joel H. "Social Stratification." In *The Encyclopedia of American Political History*, edited by Jack P. Greene. New York: Charles Scribners, 1985. III, 1202-1210.
- Silbey, Joel H. "The Incomplete World of American Politics, 1815-1829: Presidents, Parties and Politics in 'The Era of Good Feelings.'" *Congress and The Presidency* 2. Spring, 1984. 1-17.
- Silbey, Joel H. and Thomspson, Margaret S. "Research on 19th Century Legislatures: Present Contours and Future Directions." *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 9. May, 1984. 319-350.
- Silbey, Joel H. "'The Salt of the Nation': Political Parties in Ante-Bellum America." In *Political Parties and the Modern State*, edited by Richard L. McCormick New Brunswick, 1984. 21-51.
- Silbey, Joel H. "'There Are Other Questions Beside That of Slavery Merely': The Democratic Party and Antislavery Politics." In *Crusaders and Compromisers*, edited by Alan M. Kraut. Westport, Connecticut, 1983. 143-175.
- Silbey, Joel H. "'Delegates Fresh from the People'" American Congressional and Legislative Behavior." *Journal of Interdisciplinary History* 13. Spring, 1983. 603-627.
- Silbey, Joel H. "'Let the People See': Reflections on Ethnoreligious Forces in American Politics." *Journal of Libertarian Studies* 6. Summer/Fall, 1982. 333-347.

- Silbey, Joel H. “‘The Surge of Republican Power’: Partisan Antipathy, American Social Conflict and the Coming of the Civil War.” In *Essays on American Antebellum Politics, 1840-1860*, edited by John Kushma and Stephen Maizlish College Station, Texas, 1982. 199-229.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Congressional and State Legislative Roll-Call Studies by U.S. Historians.” *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 6. November, 1981. 597-607.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Taking Antebellum Parties Seriously- To a Point.” *Reviews in American History* 8. June, 1980. 215-220.
- Benson, Lee, Filed, Phyllis F., and Joel H. Silbey. “Toward a Theory of stability and Change in American Voting Patterns: New York States, 1792-1970.” In *The History of American Electoral Behavior*, by Joel H. Silbey, et. al. Princeton, 1978. 78-105.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Iniquitous Institutions.” *Reviews in American History* 4. September, 1976. 339-343.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Election of 1836.” In *Crucial American Elections*, edited by Arthur M. Link. Philadelphia, 1973. 14-29.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Clio and Computers: Moving Into Phase II, 1970-1972.” *Computers and the Humanities* 7. November, 1972. 67-79.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Parties and Politics in Mid-Nineteenth Century America.” *Capital Studies* 1. Fall, 1972. 9-27.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Political Parties and Political History.” In *American Political Behavior*, edited by Lee Benson, et. al. New York, 1972. 199-280.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Election of 1836.” In *The History of American Presidential Elections 1789-1968*, by Arthur M. Schlesinger, Jr. New York, 1971. I, 577-642.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Quantification in American History, An Assessment.” In *The State of American History*, edited by Herbert J. Bass. Chicago, 1970. 298-332,.
 - (with others)
- Silbey, Joel H. “John C. Calhoun and the Limits of Southern Congressional Unity, 1841-1850.” *The Historian* 30. November, 1967. 58-71.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Slavery-Extension Controversy and Illinois Congressmen, 1846-1850.” *Journal of the Illinois State Historical Society* 53. Winter, 1965. 378-395.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Southern National Democrats, 1846-1861.” *Mid-America* 47. July, 1965. 176-190.
- Silbey, Joel H. “The Civil War Synthesis in American Political History.” *Civil War History* 10. June, 1964. 130-140.
- Silbey, Joel H. “Pro-Slavery Sentiment in Iowa, 1838-1861.” *Iowa Journal of History* 55. October, 1957. 289-318.