

Diploma thesis “Lobbying; Christian Right and two presidencies of George W. Bush“ is dealing with the relation between president George W. Bush and evangelical groups. The work observes stances of the Christian Right on crucial issues and policies, such as the legislature on abortion, human embryonic research and compares these with the political decisions of the president. The reason for this is to qualify the influence of these groups on his politics.

A section of the thesis is dedicated to the role of Christian Right groups during both the presidential elections in 2000 and 2004 and also Congressional midterm election. It deals with methods of collecting and donating money by the Christian Right groups and also with other possibilities of political and issue campaigning that are used by the Christian Right.

A comparatively large section of the work is also dedicated to faith-based and community initiatives program and the consequences to faith-based organizations in the United States.