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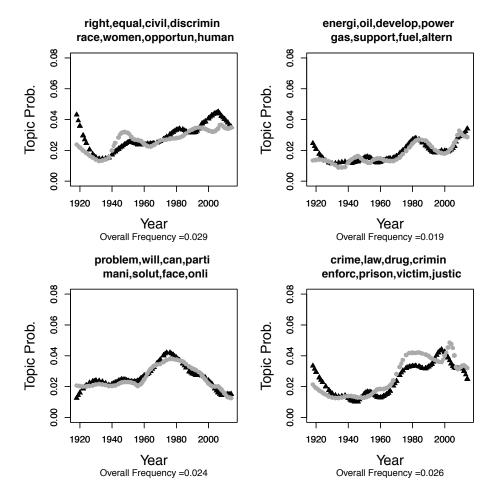


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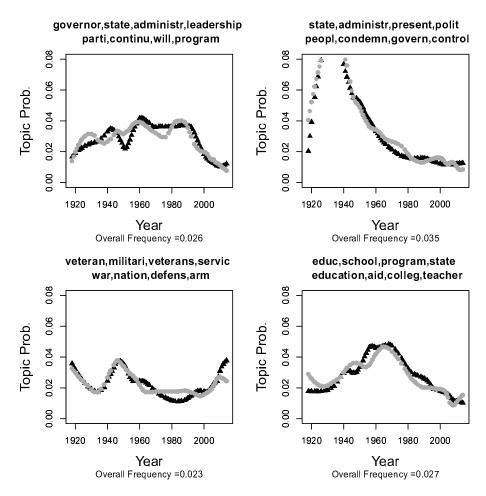


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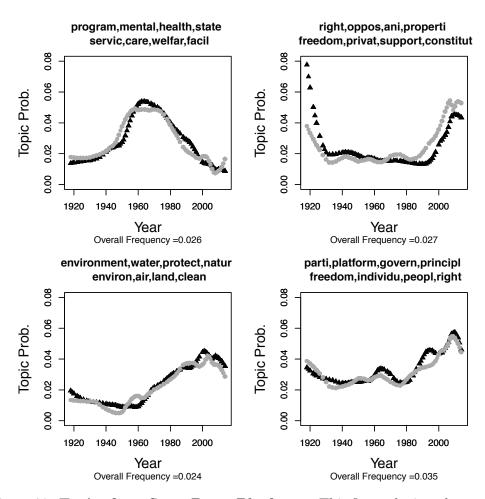


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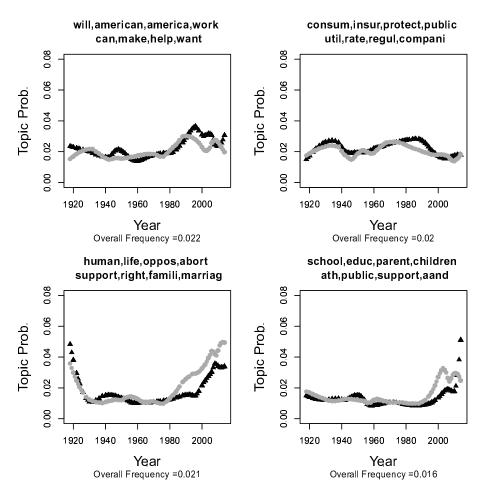


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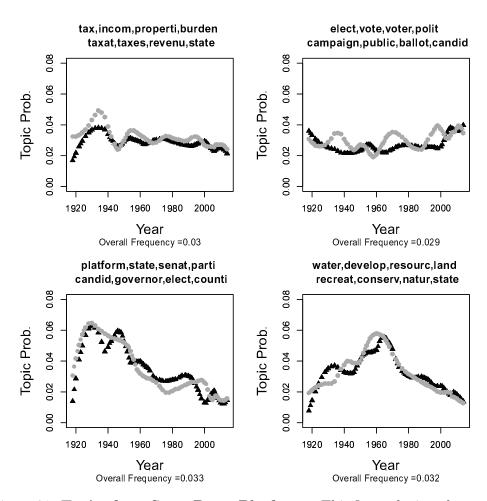


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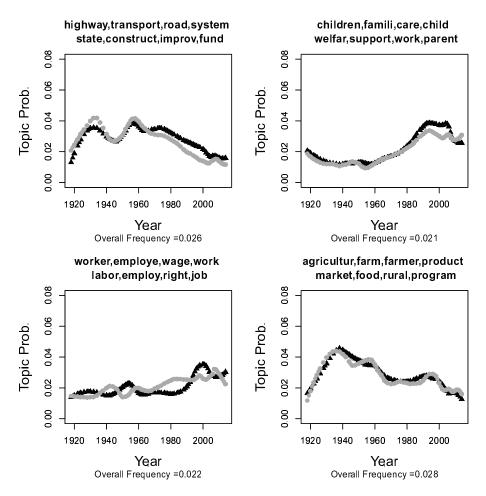


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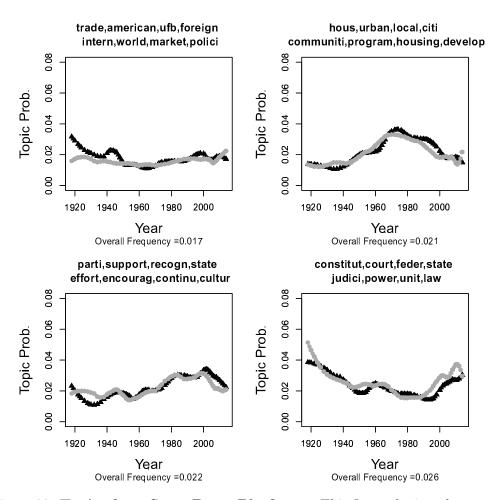


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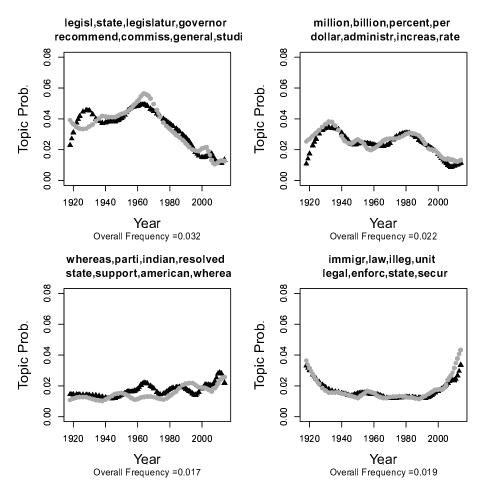


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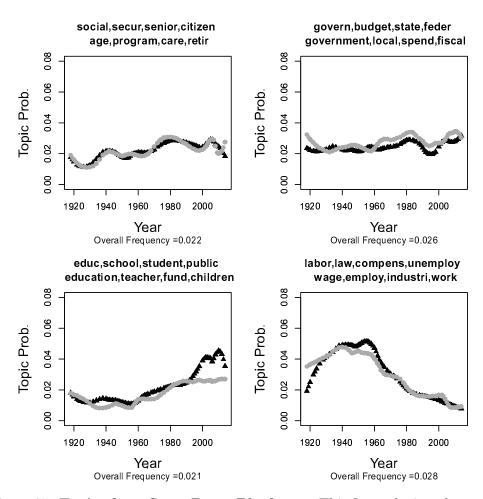


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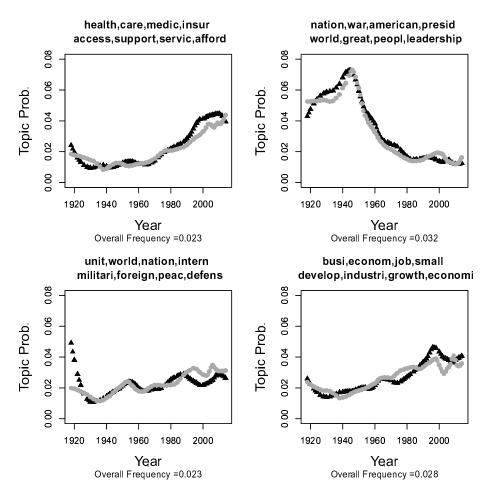


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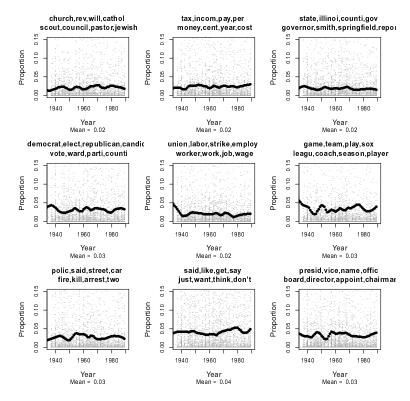


Figure 37: LDA Results, Chicago Tribune. This figure presents the over-time distribution of 9 topics from a 40-topic LDA model fit to *Chicago Tribune* articles between 1932 and 1989. Each gray dot depicts the share of a given article estimated to fall within the specified topic. The trend is presented via black smoothing lines.