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## Education

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- Ph.D.** (in progress) **Indiana University** Bloomington, IN  
*Ph.D. Minor:* Statistics  
*Dissertation:* *Within-Group Inequality*  
*Committee:* Arthur Alderson (chair), Clem Brooks, Andrew Halpern-Manners, Patricia McManus  
*Qualifying Exam:* Social Stratification (completed 2012)  
*Committee:* Arthur Alderson (chair), Clem Brooks, Fabio Rojas
- M.S.** (2014) **Indiana University** Bloomington, IN  
Major: Applied Statistics
- M.A.** (2011) **Indiana University** Bloomington, IN  
Major: Sociology  
Committee: Brian Powell (Chair), Robert Robinson
- B.A.** (2007) **University of Puget Sound** Tacoma, WA  
Majors: Comparative Sociology, English Literature  
Magna Cum Laude

## Areas of Interest

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**Social Stratification**  
**Sociology of Religion**

**Quantitative Methods**  
**Globalization**

**Political Sociology**  
**Comparative and**  
**Historical Sociology**

## PUBLICATIONS

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Davis, Nancy, Robinson, Rob, and VanHeuvelen, Tom. (forthcoming). "The Roots of Political Activism in Six Muslim-Majority Nations." In *Visions and Perspectives in the Study of Human Values in the Middle East*, edited by Mansoor Moaddel and Michele Gelfand. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

VanHeuvelen, Tom. 2014. "The Religious Context of Welfare Attitudes." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion*. 53(2). 268-95.

## **PUBLICATIONS UNDER REVIEW**

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VanHeuvelen, Tom and Robinson, Rob. "And Who is My Brother? The Scope of Religious Communitarianism in Europe." (Revise and Resubmit at *American Sociological Review*).

VanHeuvelen, Tom. "Unequal responses to inequality: Cross-National Support for Redistribution, 1985-2011." (Revise and Resubmit at *Social Forces*).

*Karl F. Schuessler Award for Graduate Research, Department of Sociology, Indiana University.*

VanHeuvelen, Tom. "Within-Group Inequality in Comparative Perspective." (Revise and Resubmit at *Social Forces*).

Katz-Gerro, Tally, VanHeuvelen, Tom, and Alderson, Art. "Cultural Consumption in Europe: Participation, Attitudes, and Barriers." (Revise and Resubmit at *Social Science Research*).

VanHeuvelen, Tom. "Recovering the Missing Middle: A Mesocomparative Analysis of Within-Group Inequality, 1970-2011."

*North Central Sociological Association Graduate Student Paper Award, 1<sup>st</sup> place*

## **OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

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VanHeuvelen, Tom. 2007. "The Educational System for the Homeless in Pierce County." *The Road Home Civic Scholarship Project*. <http://www.pugetsound.edu/academics/academic-resources/civic-scholarship-project/current-programs/the-road-home-homeless-policy/>

## **PUBLICATIONS IN PROGRESS**

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Summers, Nik and VanHeuvelen, Tom. "Country Affluence, Environmental Concern, and Scope Conditions: New Evidence for Postmaterialism and the Affluence Hypothesis at the Country-Level" (In Progress, Working Title)

Long, Scott, and VanHeuvelen, Tom. "Testing the Brant Test: A Monte Carlo Simulation of the Parallel Regression Assumption for Ordinal Logistic Regression Models." (In Progress, Working Title).

VanHeuvelen, Tom and Wurgler, Emily. "Changing Hearts and Minds: Views on Government Policy and Inequality in Longitudinal Samples." (In Progress, Working Title).

VanHeuvelen, Tom. "Skill, Insecurity, or Error? A Growth Curve Trajectory Approach to Within-Group Inequality." (In Progress, Working Title).

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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- Research Assistant, 2015 Indiana University  
*Multivariate Analysis*  
Create Item Response Theory and Latent Class Analysis statistical programs for a graduate-level statistics course on multivariate analysis.  
Principle Investigator: J Scott Long
- Research Assistant, 2014 Indiana University  
*Categorical Data Analysis*  
Debugged statistical programs, created book index, edited book proofs.  
Authors: J Scott Long, Jeremy Freese
- Research Assistant, 2014 Northwestern University  
*Categorical Data Analysis*  
Debugged statistical programs, created book index, edited book proofs.  
Authors: J Scott Long, Jeremy Freese
- Project Manager / Co-Investigator / Interview Supervisor, 2012-2013 Indiana University  
*Social Research Practicum: "The Broken Public: Mass Opinion and the Great Recession"*  
Responsibilities: Development of survey design; management of implementation of a nationally representative telephone survey; mentorship of graduate student Master's projects  
Principle Investigator: Clem Brooks
- Project Manager / Co-Investigator / Interview Supervisor, 2011-2012 Indiana University  
*Social Research Practicum: "Social Status, Consumption, and Happiness"*  
Responsibilities: Development of survey design; management of implementation of a nationally representative telephone survey; mentorship of graduate student Master's projects  
Principle Investigator: Arthur Alderson
- Research Assistant, 2011 Indiana University  
*Religious Orthodoxy and Political Participation in 6 Muslim Nations*  
Responsibilities: multiple-imputation, regression analysis, statistical assistance  
Principle Investigator: Robert V. Robinson
- Research Coordinator, 2010-11 Indiana University  
*Indiana Public Sociology Forum Payday Lending Project*  
Responsibilities: Coordinated interview schedules, collected surveys from public sites  
Principles Investigator: Jill Waity
- Research Assistant, 2010 Indiana University  
*Constructing the Family 3*  
Responsibilities: Conducted telephone interview for nationally representative survey  
Principle Investigator: Brian Powell

Research Assistant, 2006-07

University of Puget Sound

*The Road Home Project*

Responsibilities: Conducting original qualitative research, conducting in-depth interviews, assistance with focus groups, contacting support agencies

Principle Investigator: Richard Anderson-Connolly

Research Assistant, 2005-07

University of Puget Sound

*Workplace Change Group*

Responsibilities: Conduct quantitative analysis via OLS regression& content analysis on qualitative response, conduct literature reviews

Principle Investigator: Leon Grunberg

## **SPECIALIZED TRAINING**

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Preparing Future Faculty Conference, Indiana University. 2013.

Introduction to Stata Programming. Stata NetCourse 151. Stata Corp. February 2013.

Summer Program in Quantitative Methods, Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. 2011

"Managing Statistical Research: The Workflow of Data Analysis." Two-week intensive course led by J. Scott Long. 2011.

## **FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS**

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Emerging Scholars Series invited participant, 2015-2016  
Oklahoma University, sociology department

Graduate Student Travel Award, 2015  
Indiana University, College of Arts and Sciences

Graduate Student Paper Award, 2015  
North Central Sociological Association, 1<sup>st</sup> place

Dissertation Research Fellowship, 2015-2016  
Indiana University, College of Arts and Sciences

Social, Behavioral, and Economics Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant, 2015  
National Science Foundation

Advanced Departmental Fellowship, 2014  
Indiana University, Department of Sociology

Karl F. Schuessler Award for Graduate Research, 2014  
Indiana University, Department of Sociology

Advanced Departmental Fellowship, 2013  
Indiana University, Department of Sociology

Summer Research Fellowship, 2012  
Indiana University, Department of Sociology

Clifford C. Clogg Scholarship, 2011  
American Sociological Association, Methodology Section

Schuessler Scholarship for Study at ICPSR, 2011  
Indiana University, Department of Sociology

Summer Research Fellowship, 2011  
Indiana University, Department of Sociology

Summer Research Fellowship, 2010  
Indiana University, Department of Sociology

Indiana University Tuition Fellowship, 2009-present  
Indiana University, Department of Sociology

C. Wright Mills Award in Sociology, 2007  
University of Puget Sound, Department of Comparative Sociology

Philip Hager Outstanding English Literature Major Award, 2007  
University of Puget Sound, Department of English Literature

Dean's List, 2003-07  
University of Puget Sound

George Matelich Scholarship, 2006-7  
University of Puget Sound

Trustee Scholarship, 2003-07  
University of Puget Sound

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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Teaching Assistant, 2015 Indiana University  
Scott Long, *Managing Statistical Research*.  
Duties: Lead instructor for Statistics Lab, grade assignments for class.

- Teaching Assistant, 2014 University of Massachusetts, Amherst  
 Scott Long, *Models for Categorical Outcomes Using Stata: Specification, Estimation, and Interpretation*. Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR).  
 Duties: Lead Instructor for Statistics Lab, grade assignments for class. Assist with update of spost package for Stata Statistical Program.
- Moderator, Honors Research Symposium Indiana University  
*Hutton Honors College*  
 Duties: Ran section of sociology honor undergraduate thesis presentations. Assisted with organization of sociology panel. Led question and answer session.
- Honors Undergraduate Mentor, 2013-2014 Indiana University  
 Brian Powell, *Sociology Honors Research Seminar*  
 Duties: Advised an undergraduate student for their honors thesis in sociology. Met regularly to provide theoretical, methodological, and writing guidance on their project.
- Lead Instructor, 2014 Indiana University  
*Indiana University Intensive Didactic Seminar.*  
 "A Very Gentle Introduction to the LaTeX word processing environment."  
 Duties: 1 day methodological seminar for graduate students. Lecture and lab components
- Instructor, 2014 Indiana University  
*Indiana University Intensive Didactic Seminar.*  
 "Categorical Data Analysis with Spost13."  
 Duties: 1 day methodological seminar for graduate students. Lecture and lab components
- Teaching Assistant, 2013-2014 Indiana University  
 Scott Long, *Categorical Data Analysis*.  
 Duties: Lead Instructor for Statistics Lab, grade assignments for class
- Teaching Assistant, 2013 University of Michigan  
 Scott Long, *Models for Categorical Outcomes Using Stata: Specification, Estimation, and Interpretation*. Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR).  
 Duties: Lead Instructor for Statistics Lab, grade assignments for class. Assist with update of spost package for Stata Statistical Program.
- Associate Instructor, 2012-2013 Indiana University  
*Social Research Practicum: "The Broken Public: Mass Opinion and the Great Recession"*  
 Duties: Mentored first-year graduate students in developing their Master's papers.

Teaching Assistant, 2012-2013	Indiana University
Scott Long, <i>Categorical Data Analysis</i> .	
Duties: Lead Instructor for Statistics Lab of 15 students, grade assignments for class of 28 students	
Associate Instructor, 2011-2012	Indiana University
<i>Social Research Practicum: "Social Status, Consumption, and Happiness"</i>	
Duties: Mentored first-year graduate students in developing their Master's papers.	
Associate Instructor, 2011	Indiana University
s217, <i>Social Inequality</i> .	
Duties: Full responsibility for teaching and developing course of up to 70 students.	
Graduate Assistant, 2009-11	Indiana University
Clem Brooks, <i>Social Change</i>	
Ho-fung Hung, <i>Rise of China</i>	
Art Alderson, <i>Social Inequality</i>	
Christine Von der Haar, <i>Introduction to Sociology</i>	
Duties: Grading papers and tests, recording grades, tutoring.	

## **SERVICE EXPERIENCE**

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### *Indiana University*

Workshop in Methods Graduate Student Liaison, 2012-present  
Indiana Intensive Didactic Seminar Coordinator, Graduate Student Association 2012-2013  
Graduate Affairs Student Representative, Graduate Student Association, 2011-2012  
Public Sociology Forum President, 2010-2011  
Presentation to Pro-Seminar on Public Sociology  
Coordinated 2011 Public Sociology Colloquium  
Graduate Student Mentor 2011

### *Reviewer*

Social Forces

## **SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

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"Recovering the Missing Middle: A Mesocomparative Analysis of Within-Group Inequality, 1970-2011"

*American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. August 2015. Chicago, IL.*

"Unequal Views of Inequality: Support for Redistribution, 1985-2011"

*American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. August 2015. Chicago, IL.*

"Recovering the Missing Middle: A Mesocomparative Analysis of Within-Group Inequality, 1970-2011"

*Population Association of America. May 2015. San Diego, CA*

“Recovering the Missing Middle: Within-Group Inequality, Place Effects, and the Volatility Curve”  
*North Central Sociological Association. April 2015. Cleveland, OH*

“Unequal Views of Inequality: Support for Redistribution, 1985-2011”  
August 2013

*American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA*

“And Who is My Brother? Religious Communitarianism in Europe.”  
August 2013

*American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Religion Paper Session, New York City, NY*

“Fractured Moral Communities?: The Religious Context of Preferences for State Redistribution”  
August 2013 (under review)

*American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York City, NY*

“Life Course Trajectories of Self Rated Health for New Mothers: What we can learn from Material Deprivation.”  
April, 2012

*North Central Sociological Association, Indianapolis, IN*

“The Religious Context of Preferences for State Redistribution.”  
April, 2012

*North Central Sociological Association, Indianapolis, IN*

“And Who is My Brother? The Scope of Religious Communitarianism in Europe.”  
November 9, 2012.

*Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Phoenix, AZ*

“Old Beliefs, Contemporary Values: The Effects of Religious Affiliation and Commitment on Attitudes toward Welfare State Generosity in Eight Nations”  
March 31, 2011

*North Central Sociological Association, Cleveland, OH*

“Jesus, Welcome to My World: Religious Identity in the Megachurch”  
March 29, 2007

*Pacific Sociological Association, Oakland, CA*

“Mass Layoffs and Well Being”  
March 31 2007

*Pacific Sociological Association, Oakland, CA*

“Staying and Leaving: The Construction of Identity through the Workplace”  
April 21 2006

*Pacific Sociological Association, Los Angeles, CA*



## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

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American Sociological Association

Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility

Political Sociology

Comparative and Historical Sociology

Quantitative Methods

International Sociological Association

RC 18: Political Sociology

RC 19: Poverty, Social Welfare, and Social Policy

RC 28: Social Stratification

North Central Sociological Association

Society for the Scientific Study of Religion

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Phi Kappa Phi

Phi Eta Sigma

Alpha Kappa Delta

## **REFERENCES**

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