Christina Ladam Curriculum Vitae

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ACADEMIC University of Oklahoma

Lecturer, Dodge Family College of Arts and Sciences

University of Nevada, Reno July 2019 – June 2023

Assistant Professor, Political Science

EDUCATION University of Colorado, Ph.D., Political Science.

Major Field: American Politics. Minor Field: Methodology.

Dissertation: Making Deliberation Work: Testing Theories of Deliberation

Committee: Anand Edward Sokhey (chair), Jennifer Wolak, John D. Griffin,

Jeffrey J. Harden, Toby Hopp.

University of New Hampshire, M.P.A.

2009

2011

2019

August 2024 –

Keene State College, B.A., Political Science

JOURNAL ARTICLES

APPOINTMENTS

Ladam, Christina, Austin Bussing, Alexander Furnas, Josh McCrain, David R. Miller, and Rachel Porter. 2022. "The Junior Americanist Workshop Series (JAWS)." *PS: Political Science and Politics*. 55(3): 552–553.

**Ladam, Christina**. 2020. "Does Process Matter? Direct Democracy and Citizens' Perceptions of Laws." *Journal of Experimental Political Science*. 7(3): 232–237.

Ladam, Christina, Jeffrey J. Harden, and Jason H. Windett. 2018. "Prominent Role Models: High-Profile Female Politicians and the Emergence of Women as Candidates for Public Office." *American Journal of Political Science*. 62(2): 369–381.

\* Among top twenty most read articles in AIPS in 2018.

CHAPTERS AND EDITED PIECES

Ladam, Christina, Ian Shapiro, and Anand Edward Sokhey. 2019. "Social Network Influence on Political Behavior in Religious Contexts." In *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Religion and Politics*. Paul A. Djupe, Mark J. Rozell, and Ted G. Jelen, eds. Oxford University Press.

Ladam, Christina, Joe Zamadics, Josh Ryan, and Anand Edward Sokhey. 2015. "Colorado's Sixth District – A Conservative Republican Successfully Adapts to his Changing District." In *The Roads to Congress 2014.* Sean Foreman and Bob Dewhurst, eds. Lexington Press.

WORKING PAPERS "Public Skepticism in the Economic Value of Higher Education."

With Alisa Hicklin Fryar, Allyson Shortle, and Andrew Koricich.

"Partisanship and Recruitment for Deliberative Events."

Conditionally accepted at the Journal of Experimental Political Science.

"The Influence of Anger in Political Discussion Networks." With Carey Stapleton.

"Beyond Turnout: Political Efficacy and Styles of Civic Engagement."
With Brett Bessen.

"Re-examining Disagreement within Small Group Deliberations." With Anand Edward Sokhey and Andrew Therriault.

"Recruiting for Diversity in Formal Deliberation Initiatives."

"Gender, Deliberation, and Small-Group Dynamics."
With Anand Edward Sokhey and Andrew Therriault.

"Turnout and Ballot Initiative Success." With Joe Zamadics.

"Dosage Treatment in Activist Recruitment: A Field Experiment on Information Acquisition, Persuasion and Multiplier Effects."

With Anand Edward Sokhey and Ryan Kennedy.

### External Grants and Awards

# Summer Centennial Center Research Grant (\$9943)

2022

Junior Americanist Workshop Series (JAWS) CwC. American Political Science Association (APSA).

# Summer Centennial Center Research Grant (\$2500)

2021

"Recruiting for Diversity in Formal Deliberation Initiatives." American Political Science Association (APSA).

#### Faculty Fellowship

2020

Educational Network for Active Civic Transformation (ENACT) Brandeis University

#### State Politics and Policy Quarterly Best Paper Award

2017

"Prominent Role Models: High-Profile Female Politicians and the Emergence of Women as Candidates for Public Office."

State Politics and Policy Section of the American Political Science Association. With Jeffrey J. Harden and Jason H. Windett

Carrie Chapman Catt Prize, Research on Women and Politics (\$2000) 2015 "Does the Election of Female Governors Influence Women's Political Ambition?" Iowa State University, Carrie Chapman Catt Center for Women and Politics. With Jeffrey J. Harden and Jason H. Windett.

# Clifford C. Clogg Scholarship (\$2300) 2015 Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research, Summer Program. 2022 Internal Dimensions Grant (\$4000) "Nevada Election Survey Project" Grants and Research & Innovations, University of Nevada Reno. Awards With Jeremy Gelman. Scholarly and Creative Activities Grant (\$5500) 2022 "Nevada Election Survey Project" College of Liberal Arts, University of Nevada Reno. With Jeremy Gelman. Dissertation Research Grant (\$2400) 2017 American Politics Research Lab, University of Colorado. Small Research Grant (\$629) 2017 University of Colorado, Political Science Department. Small Research Grant (\$750) 2016 University of Colorado, Political Science Department. Qualifying Paper Prize, Second Place (\$500) 2015 University of Colorado, Political Science Department. Small Research Grant (\$620) 2015 University of Colorado, Political Science Department. Poster Prize, First Place (\$100) 2014 University of Colorado, Political Science Department. MPA Student of the Year 2011 University of New Hampshire, Political Science Department. TRAVEL GRANTS Artinian Travel Award (\$500) 2020 Grant to attend and present at the annual Southern Political Science Association. Southern Political Science Association. Travel Stipend (\$300) 2019 Grant to attend and present at the annual Midwest Political Science Association. United Government of Graduate Students, University of Colorado. Travel Stipend (\$900) 2016

Science Foundation.

Grant to attend and present at the annual Political Networks Conference. National

# Travel Stipend (\$300)

2016

Grant to attend and present at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. University of Colorado Graduate School.

# Travel Stipend (\$300)

May 2015

Grant to attend and present at the annual State Politics and Policy Conference.

# Conference Presentations

"Tenure in Higher Education: How Party Identification, Elite Rhetoric, and Policy Knowledge in Shaping Citizen Attitudes."

2024 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. With Alisa Hicklin Fryar. Allyson Shortle, and Andrew Koricich.

"Recruiting for Diversity in Formal Deliberation Initiatives."

2023 Four Corners Political Psychology Network Conference.

2022 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.

2020 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

(Canceled due to COVID-19.)

"The Influence of Anger in Political Discussion Networks."

Spring 2022 Meeting of the Junior Americanist Workshop Series.

2022 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

2022 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association. With Carey Stapleton.

"Workshop: Organizing & Supporting Junior Scholar Virtual Workshops." 2021 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

"Reason-giving and Information Processing in Deliberative Settings."

Poster at the 2020 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

"Re-examining Disagreement within Small Group Deliberations."

2020 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.

2016 Political Networks Conference.

2016 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

With Anand Edward Sokhey and Andrew Therriault

"Beyond Turnout: Distinct Effects of Internal and External Efficacy on Political Participation."

2020 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.

2019 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

With Brett Bessen

"Making Deliberation Work: Network Spillover Effects from Deliberative Sessions."

Junior Scholar Symposium at the 2019 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

2018 Political Networks Conference.

"Making Deliberation Work: Recruitment Design and Partisanship."
2018 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.
Poster at the 2017 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

"Gender, Deliberation, and Small-Group Dynamics."
2017 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.
With Anand Edward Sokhey and Andrew Therriault

"Does the Election of Female Governors Influence Women's Political Ambition?"
2016 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.
2015 Annual State Politics and Policy Conference.
With Jeffrey J. Harden and Jason H. Windett

"Does Process Affect Evaluations of Outcomes in Lawmaking? Direct Democracy and Citizens' Perceptions of Legitimacy."

2015 Annual State Politics and Policy Conference.

#### Teaching Instructor of Record

Dodge Family College of Arts and Sciences, University of Oklahoma

- Civil Rights and Liberties (2024)
- Gateway to the Social Sciences (2024, 2025)
- Public Opinion (2025)

Political Science Department, University of Nevada, Reno

- American Politics: Process and Behavior (2019, 2020, 2021)
- Constitutional Law: Separation of Powers and Federalism (2021)
- Political Campaigns and Elections (2019, 2020, 2022)
- Public Opinion and Political Behavior (2020, 2021, 2022, 2023)
- Research Methods in Political Science (graduate) (2022)
- Survey of State and Local Governments (2021, 2023)
- Urban Politics (2022)

Political Science Department, University of Colorado

- American Political System (2016)
- US Campaigns and Elections (2017)
- Urban Politics (2018)

#### **Graduate Teaching Assistant**

Political Science Department, University of Colorado

- Introduction to Political Science Data Analysis (graduate) (2018)
- Maximum Likelihood Estimation (graduate) (2015)
- American Political System (undergraduate) (2013, 2014, 2015, 2016)
- Quantitative Research Methods (undergraduate) (2015, 2016, 2017, 2019)

#### Social Network Analysis Workshop Instructor

Spring 2018

Center for Research Data and Digital Scholarship, University of Colorado

Lab Fellow ACADEMIC 2016 - 2019Work American Politics Research Lab, University of Colorado Lead Lab Fellow, Fall 2016 & Fall 2018 EXPERIENCE Research Assistant 2014 - 2016Research assistance for Jeffrey J. Harden Trained Discussion Facilitator 2011 New Hampshire Listens Carsey School of Public Policy, University of New Hampshire Trained by Everyday Democracy Summer 2010 Local Government Fellowship Municipal Management Association of New Hampshire Local Government Center, University of New Hampshire Graduate Assistant 2010 - 2011Political Science Department, University of New Hampshire Courses: American Government, Comparative Politics of the Middle East Advising University and Angie Knoll (Committee Member, UNR History MA) DEPARTMENTAL • Amelia Lane (Advisor, UNR MPA) SERVICE Benjamin Payne (Committee Member, UNR Journalism MA) Bridget Peterson (Advisor, UNR MPA) Amber Reid (Committee Member, UNR PhD) Madeliene Stuart (Advisor, UNR MPA) Grace Whited (Advisor, UNR MPA) 2020 - 2023Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee Department of Political Science, University of Nevada, Reno Department Representative May 2016 – May 2017 United Government of Graduate Students, University of Colorado Undergraduate Committee Representative May 2015 – April 2016 Graduate Students in Political Science, University of Colorado Vice President May 2014 – April 2015 Graduate Students in Political Science, University of Colorado New Student Liaison Spring 2014

Graduate Students in Political Science, University of Colorado

Professional

Reviewer

SERVICE

American Political Science Review, Electoral Studies, European Journal of Political Research, Government and Opposition, Public Opinion Quarterly, Political Research Quarterly, State Politics and Policy Quarterly, W. W. Norton & Company.

**Emeritus Organizer** 

2020 - 2023

Junior Americanist Workshop Series (JAWS)

Skills and Training **Statistical Training:** Linear Regression, Maximum Likelihood Estimation, Generalized Linear Modeling, Time Series Analysis, Bayesian Analysis, Experimental Methods and Causal Inference, Survey Analysis, Network Analysis.

ICPSR Summer Program (2015): Advanced Networks, Complex Systems Modeling.

References

Carolyn Warner

Chair and Vail Pittman Professor Email: carolyn.warner@unr.edu Department of Political Science University of Nevada, Reno

**Anand Edward Sokhey** 

Professor Email: anand.sokhey@colorado.edu Department of Political Science University of Colorado

Jeffrey J. Harden

Andrew J. McKenna Family College Professor Email: jeff.harden@nd.edu Department of Political Science University of Notre Dame

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