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Employment _____

University of PittsburghPittsburgh, PAAssistant Professor of Political Science2019 - Present

University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA

Pre/Postdoctoral Fellow 2017 – 2019

Education

University of California, Berkeley

Berkeley, CA

Ph.D. in Political Science 2018
M.A. in Political Science 2012

Korea University Seoul, Korea

B.A. in Economics (with Highest Honors) 2007

Book Project_____

Severed Connections: Intraparty Politics and the Representation in Democratic Africa (In progress)

Publications

Peer-reviewed

- 2. Donghyun Danny Choi, Mathias Poertner, and Nicholas Sambanis. 2019. "Parochialism, Social Norms, and Discrimination Against Immigrants", *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 116(33), 16274–16279.
 - **Coverage**: Los Angeles Times, The Sacremento Bee, The San Diego Union Tribune, Der Spiegel (in German), Die Zeit (in German)
- 1. Chris Krogslund, Donghyun Danny Choi, and Mathias Poertner. 2015. "Fuzzy Sets on Shaky Ground? Parametric and Specification Sensitivity in fsOCA". *Political Analysis* 23(1), 21–41.

Work in Progress _____

Under Review / Revision Requested

- 3. Leonardo Arriola, Donghyun Danny Choi, Matthew Gichohi, and Ken Opalo. "Do Voters Respond to Cross-Ethnic Campaigning in Divided Societies?" (Under review)
- 2. Leonardo Arriola, Donghyun Danny Choi, and Matthew Gichohi. "Political Endorsements and Cross-Ethnic Voting in Multi-ethnic Societies" (Under review)
- 1. Leonardo Arriola, Donghyun Danny Choi, and Staffan Lindberg. "The Rejection of Election Results in Africa" (Revise and resubmit at *African Affairs*)

Working Papers

- 9. Leonardo Arriola, Donghyun Danny Choi, Justine Davis, Melanie Phillips, Lise Rakner, and Ingvild Skage. "The Business of Politics: Candidate Defection and Party Institutionalization in Africa"
- 8. Donghyun Danny Choi. "Party Control of Primary Elections in New Democracies"
- 7. Donghyun Danny Choi, Benjamin Laughlin, and Anna Schultz. "Communication Technology and National Identity: Evidence from Sub-Saharan Africa"
- 6. Leonardo Arriola, Donghyun Danny Choi, Matthew Gichohi, and Ken Opalo. "Accountability Under Devolved Government: Evidence from a Field Experiment in Kenya"
- 5. Donghyun Danny Choi. "Congruence or Disconnect? Local Issue Priorities and Public Spending in Kenya"
- 4. Donghyun Danny Choi, J. Andrew Harris, and Fiona Shen-Bayh. "Ethnicity and Judicial Decision-making: Evidence from the Kenyan Appellate Courts"
- 3. Donghyun Danny Choi, Mathias Poertner, and Nicholas Sambanis. "Feminist Backlash to Political Islam: Evidence from Social Encounters in the Field"
- 2. Donghyun Danny Choi, Mathias Poertner, and Nicholas Sambanis. "Temperature and Ingroup Bias"
- 1. Donghyun Danny Choi and Fiona Shen-Bayh. "The Political Logic of Judicial Appointments in Africa"

Fellowships & Awards _____

2016–17 Dean's Completion Fellowship, Graduate Division, UC Berkeley	\$21,000
2016–17 African Studies Fellowship, Center for African Studies, UC Berkeley	\$1,500
2015–16 Rocca Dissertation Fellowship, Center for African Studies, UC Berkeley	\$5,000
2015–16 Simpson Fellowship, Institute for International Studies, UC Berkeley	\$12,000
2011–16 Graduate Division Fellowship, Graduate Division, UC Berkeley	\$15,000
2011–16 Doctoral Research Fellowship, Korea Foundation for Advanced Studies	\$217,350

Teaching

Undergraduate

- 2019 University of Pittsburgh, Introduction to African Politics
- 2019 University of Pittsburgh, Comparative Politics Capstone: Building Democracy Around the World

Presentations

* = Invited Talks

- 2019 SPSA, MPSA, APSA (scheduled), University of Pennsylvania (Immigration Conference)*
- 2018 MIT (CTSN 3 Workshop),* ERF Workshop (Casablanca, Morocco),* University of Pittsburgh (Department of Political Science),* Yale University (Department of Political Science),* University of Florida (Department of Political Science),*, New York University Abu Dhabi (Social Science Division),* APSA, MPSA
- 2017 APSA, EPSA, ASA (African Studies Association)
- 2016 Stanford University (WGAPE), New York University Abu Dhabi (WESSI), NYU Florence (WESSI), * APSA, MPSA

Professional Service _____

Discipline

Referee for American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, Comparative Politics, Journal of Politics, Political Analysis, Public Choice

University/Department

Co-convener, Human Rights and Migration Seminar (HUMS), Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh, Fall 2019/Spring 2020

Co-organizer, Immigration: Research Frontiers and Policy Challenges Conference, Perry World House, University of Pennsylvania, Fall 2019