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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Hoover Institution — Stanford University
Hoover Fellow   2022 - Present

Princeton University
Senior Research Specialist   2021 - 2022
  Center for the Study of Democratic Politics and Bobst Center for Peace and Justice

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley
Ph.D. in Political Science   August 2021
  Fields: Political Behavior (*with distinction*), American Politics, Political Methodology
  Committee: Gabriel Lenz (*chair*), David Broockman, Cecilia Hyunjung Mo, Laura Stoker
M.A. in Political Science   May 2019
  Master's Thesis: Geographic Identity as a Political Concept
  Master's Committee: Gabriel Lenz, Leonardo Arriola, Susan Hyde

Indiana University   May 2016
Bachelor of Arts, Political Science (*with highest distinction*)
  Thesis Advisor: Matthew Hayes

PUBLICATIONS

2022:

Forthcoming: **Social Groups and Ideological Belief Systems: Fresh Evidence on an Old Theory** with Neil A. O'Brian. In press at the American Political Science Review.

Forthcoming: **Whats My Name Again? An Experimental Analysis of Signaling Race, Ethnicity, and Gender Using Names** with Matthew Hayes. In press at the Journal of Politics.

Civilian National Service Programs Can Powerfully Increase Youth Voter Turnout with Cecilia Hyunjung Mo and John B. Holbein. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences 119.29.

2020:

How Can We Increase Turnout among Low Propensity Voters? with Seth Hill, Thad Kousser, Gabriel Lenz, and Mackenzie Lockhart. California Journal of Politics and Policy 12(1)

WORKING PAPERS

Company Towns: Local Governments Under Industry Dominance and Decline *(under review)*

Race in the Jury: Does Racial Representation Matter? with Tali Mendelberg, Christopher Karpowitz, and David Ribar *(under review)*

Can Addressing Integrity Concerns about Mail Balloting Increase Turnout? Results from a Large-Scale Field Experiment in the 2020 Presidential Election with Seth Hill, Thad Kousser, Gabriel Lenz, and Mackenzie Lockhart. *(under review)*

The Long-Term Effects of Neighborhood Disadvantage on Political Behavior: The "Moving to Opportunity" Experiment with Tali Mendelberg and Ryan Enos. *(under review)*

Psychological Power in Political Life

Geographic Identity as a Political Concept

Generalization and Calibration of Treatment Effect Estimates: A Response Propensity Weighting Approach with Laura Stoker and Casey Ste. Claire

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

American Political Science Association, 2022
"Company Towns: Local Governments Under Industry Dominance and Decline"
Class and Inequality Conference at Claremont Graduate University, 2022
"The Long-Term Effects of Neighborhood Disadvantage on Political Behavior" (with Tali Mendelberg and Ryan Enos)
Midwest Political Science Association, 2022
"Perceptions of Polarization: Media and Mass Public" (with Neil A. O'Brian)
American Political Science Association, 2021
"Social Groups and Ideological Belief Systems: Fresh Evidence on an Old Theory" (with Neil A. O'Brian)
California Workshop in Empirical Political Science, 2021
"Company Towns: Local Governments Under Industry Dominance and Decline"
Midwest Political Science Association, 2020 *(cancelled due to COVID-19)*
"Psychological Power in Political Life"
American Political Science Association, 2019
"Why Follow the Leader? Attitude Formation Processes and Attitude Strength" (with Casey Ste. Claire)
Southern Political Science Association, 2019
"Why Follow the Leader? Attitude Formation Processes and Attitude Strength" (with Casey Ste. Claire)
Midwest Political Science Association, 2018
"Geographic Identity as a Political Concept"
Western Political Science Association, 2017
"The Effects of Context on Social Identity" (with Matthew Hayes)

AWARDS

2019 Odegard Award, "Given every spring to doctoral students in their third year who have performed exceptionally on coursework and the preliminary examinations"
2019 Outstanding GSI Award, given to graduate student instructors (GSIs) "for their outstanding work in the teaching of undergraduates"

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, UMRI grant to study voter turnout in California	Jan '19 - May '21
Statistics and Data Consultant, Political Science Honors Thesis Program	Aug '18 - May '21
Senior Graduate Assistant, Berkeley IGS Poll	April '20 - Jan '21
Graduate Assistant, Berkeley IGS Poll	Dec '17 - Oct '18

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Graduate student instructor:

Quantitative Methodology in the Social Sciences *(Ph.D. level)*	Spring 2021
Public Opinion, Voting and Participation	Spring 2019
Crime and Democracy	Fall 2018
Political Psychology	Spring 2018
Introduction to Empirical Analysis and Quantitative Methods	Fall 2017