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EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley, CA

Ph.D. Political Science 2021 -M.A. Political Science 2023

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

A.B. Politics, magna cum laude

2021

 Certificates in Political Economy, Quantitative and Analytical Political Science, and South Asian Studies

DISSERTATION PROJECT ARTICLES Playing the Field: Navigating Gendered Pipelines into Politics

Yadav, K., A. Wanless, & S. Lai (Forthcoming). 'Defining Information Integrity: A Framework for Multilateral Initiatives and Democratic Governance" in *Springer Handbook on Disinformation: A Multidisciplinary Analysis*.

Siwakoti, S., K. Yadav, N. Bariletto, L. Zanotti, U. Erdogdu, & J.N. Shapiro (2021). "How COVID Drove the Evolution of Fact-Checking." *Harvard Kennedy School Misinformation Review*.

Siwakoti, S., K. Yadav, I. Thange, N. Bariletto, L. Zanotti, A. Ghoneim, & J.N. Shapiro (2021). "Localized Misinformation in a Global Pandemic: Report on COVID-19 Narratives Around the World." *Empirical Studies of Conflict, Princeton University*.

Yadav, K., U. Erdogdu, S. Siwakoti, J.N. Shapiro, & A. Wanless (2021). "Countries have more than 100 laws on the books to combat misinformation. How well do they work?" *Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists*.

Working Papers Yadav, K. "When Gatekeepers Open the Gates: Internal Party Quotas as Reputation Building Strategies."

Yadav, K. & R. Xu. "Seeking Truth: Incentivizing Peer-to-Peer Correction of Online Misinformation."

OTHER PUBLICATIONS Yadav, K. & S. Lai (2024). "What Does Information Integrity Mean for Democracies?" Law fare.

Lai, S. & K. Yadav (2023). "Operational Reporting in Practice: The EU's Code of Practice on Disinformation." Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

Yadav, K (2023). "Exploratory Data Analysis in Social Science Research." $Berkeley\ D\text{-}Lab$

Adam, I., S. Lai, A. Nelson, A. Wanless, & K. Yadav (2023). "Emergency Management and Information Integrity: A Framework for Crisis Response." *Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*.

Yadav, K., M.J. Riedl, A. Wanless, & S. Woolley (2023). "What makes an influence operation malign?" *Carnegie Endowment for International Peace*.

Reynolds, J.R., A. Bawa, & K. Yaday (2022). "Researcher Access to Restricted Government Data." Institute for Research for the Information Environment.

Wanless, A. & K. Yadav (2022). "What Do Transparency and Data Sharing Really Mean?" Lawfare.

Yadav, K. & A. Wanless (2022). "Social Listening Companies and Access to Sensitive Data." Institute for Research on the Information Environment.

Yadav, K., K.D. Gall, & J.R. Reynolds (2022). "Financial Models of Large-Scale Scientific Instruments and Organizations." Institute for Research on the Information Environment.

Yadav, K (2021). "Platform Interventions: How Social Media Counters Influence Operations." Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

Yadav, K (2020). "Countering Influence Operations: A Review of Policy Proposals Since 2016." Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

Yadav, K., I. Thange, J. Ilhardt, S. Siwakoti, & J.N. Shapiro (2020). "Old hatreds fuel online misinformation about COVID-19 in South Asia." Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists.

Dubow, B., E. Hu, J.N. Shapiro, U. Erdogdu, & K. Yadav (2020). "Here's how Russia's RT spread propaganda in the lead-up to the election." Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists.

Musto, G., K. Yadav, A. Yan, J. Oledan, & J.N. Shapiro (2020). "A jet ski vacation during the coronavirus lockdown? Online liars want to make you mad at politicians." Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists.

Simpson ABD Fellowship, UC Berkeley (\$11,000) 2024 Grants & Awards Bhattacharya Graduate Research Fellowship, UC Berkeley (\$1000) 2024 Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, UC Berkeley 2024 The John L. Simpson Pre-Dissertation Research Fellowship in International and 2023 Area Studies, UC Berkeley (\$5000) Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, UC Berkeley 2023 Caroline M. Picard Prize, Princeton University (\$5000) 2020 International Internship Program Fellowship, Princeton University (\$2000) 2019 Whig-Clio Summer Fellowship, Princeton University (\$1500) 2018 European Conference on Politics and Gender, Paper Presentation 2024 Conferences Midwestern Political Science Association Conference, Paper Presentation 2024 & Invited Talks NYU Rebecca Morton Conference on Experimental Political Science, Poster 2024 American Political Science Association Conference, Panel Chair 2023 Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Washington D.C. Professional Research Analyst 2023

EXPERIENCE

 Published research on information integrity as a concept and assessing reports from the European Union's Code of Practice on Disinformation to suggest improved impact measurement metrics of social media platforms' interventions to counter disinformation

Research Assistant 2020 - 2022

- Published research on the information environment, and social media platform interventions and policy proposals to counter influence operations
- Wrote three reports for and assisted in the foundation of a new research institution, Institute for the Research on the Information Environment

Empirical Studies of Conflict, Princeton, NJ

2019 - 2021

Research Assistant

- Conducted descriptive and observational causal inference on data gathered from Twitter's API on fact-checking efforts by 15 organizations from across the globe during the COVID-19 pandemic
- Contributed to research projects on COVID-19 misinformation, Russian propaganda, and foreign influence efforts in South Asia and Latin America

Centre for Social Research, India

2019

Research Intern

• Drafted a review paper on reasons for underrepresentation of women in politics and policy solutions to improve the same

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

D-Lab at University of California, Berkeley

2023 -

Senior Data Science Fellow

- Instructing and assisting workshops on statistical softwares (R and Python), writing posts on applications of quantitative research methods, and presenting research to other Fellowship recipients
- Designing curriculum on use of Chat-GPT in social science research, power analysis, and survey design in Qualtrics

University of California, Berkeley

2022 - 2024

Graduate Student Instructor

- PS3 (Undergraduate): Introduction to Empirical Analysis and Quantitative Methods (Section 1 Evaluations: 6.86/7, Section 2 Evaluations: 6.75/7)
- PS231A (Graduate): Quantitative Analysis in Political Research (Fall '22 Course Evaluations: 6.44/7, Fall '23 Course Evaluations: 6.82/7)
- PS236B (Graduate): Quantitative Methodology in the Social Sciences (Spring '23 Course Evaluations: 6.5/7)

McGraw Center for Teaching and Learning, Princeton, NJ 2018 - 2021 Tutor

 $\bullet\,$ Tutored undergraduate students in introductory math and economics courses

SERVICE

Equity and Inclusion Committee, UC Berkeley

Center for the Politics of Development Workshop, UC Berkeley

Graduate student coordinator

Comparative Politics Colloquium, UC Berkeley

Graduate student coordinator

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Languages and Code

English & Hindi R, \LaTeX , Git, SQL (PostgreSQL), Qualtrics, Jupyter