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Area of Interest Public Opinion; Text-as-Data; Social Media

Technical Proficiencies

- R (dplyr and ggplot), Python (incl. Pandas and Scikit-learn)
- Webscraping, through APIs and Beautiful Soup
- Network analysis with Gephi
- Crowdsourcing with MTurk and Crowdfunder
- Causal inference

Education

New York University Department of Politics PhD Student	2013-present
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill B.A. in Mathematics and B.A. in Economics (Honors)	2008-2012

Publications

<i>Choosing in Groups: Analytical Politics II</i> , with Michael Munger; Cambridge University Press	2014
“Spatial Competition in Latin America: An Overview of Some Illustrative Models,” with Michael Munger. <i>Revista Mexicana de Análisis Político y Administración Pública</i> . 2: 33-40.	2013

Working Papers

“Elites Tweet to get Feet off the Streets: Using Social Media to Measure Regime Response to Protest.”

“Tweetment Effects on the Tweeted: The Effects of Social Norm Promotion on Online Harassers”

“The Impact of Social Media Use on Voter Knowledge and Behavior in the 2015 UK Election: Evidence from a Panel Survey”

Conference Presentations

Midwestern Political Science Association (accepted)	Apr 2016
Harvard Experimental Political Science Graduate Conference (accepted)	Mar 2016
American Political Science Association	Aug 2015
Political Methodology Summer Meeting (Poster)	Jul 2015
Midwestern Political Science Association	Apr 2015
NYU-Columbia Political Economy of Latin America	Nov 2014

Invited Talks	Yale ISPS Experiments Workshop	Oct 2015
Teaching Experience	TA: UG Power and Politics in America (Patrick Egan)	Fall 2015
	TA: Short Course, Introduction to R (Pablo Barberà)	January 2016
	TA: MA Text-as-Data (Dept. of Data Science, Arthur Spirling)	Spring 2016
Experience	Member , NYU Social Media and Political Participation (SMaPP) Lab <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with lab Principal Investigators developing methods to study social media's role in politics 	2013-present
	Research Assistant , Dean Anna Harvey, NYU <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provided statistical modeling and causal inference assistance 	2015-present
Academic Honors	New York University, MacCracken Fellowship,	2013-2016
	Humane Studies Fellowship,	2013-2016
	National Merit Scholarship,	2008-2012
	Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship,	2008-2010