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EDUCATION **Ph.D. – Political Science** In progress, 2020–present
Northwestern University
Fields: American Politics, Political Methodology
B.A. with Honors – Psychology and Political Science 2016 – 2020
New College of Florida
Honors Thesis: *Measuring Morality*

ADDITIONAL TRAINING **Summer Institute in Survey Research Techniques**
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
• Introduction to Questionnaire Design (*Summer 2021*)
Psychology Research Experience Program (an NSF-funded REU) Summer 2019
University of Wisconsin–Madison
Advisor: Markus Brauer, Ph.D.

RESEARCH

RESEARCH INTERESTS **American Politics:** Political Geography, Public Opinion, Networks, Political Behavior
Political Methodology: Experiments, Surveys, Reproducible Research, Text as Data
Psychology: Morality, Intergroup Dynamics, Stereotypes/Prejudice, Social Cognition

PUBLICATIONS **Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles**

[7] Lin, J., & Lunz-Trujillo, K. (2022) [Urban-Rural Differences in Non-Voting Political Behavior](#). *Political Research Quarterly*. ([PDF](#))

[6] Green, J., Druckman, J. N., Baum, M. A., Lazer, D., Ognyanova, K., Simonson, M. D. Lin, J., Santillana, M., & Perlis, R. H. (Forthcoming). Using General Messages to Persuade on a Politicized Scientific Issue. *British Journal of Political Science*.

[5] Perlis, R. H., Simonson, M., Green, J., Lin, J., Safarpour, A., Lunz Trujillo, K., Quintana, A., Chwe, H., Della Volpe, J., Ognyanova, K., Santillana, M., Druckman, J. N., Lazer, D., & Baum, M. (2022). [Prevalence of Firearm Ownership Among Individuals With Major Depressive Symptoms](#). *JAMA Network Open*, 5(3):e223245. ([PDF](#))

[4] Perlis, R. H., Ognyanova, K., Santillana, M., Lin, J., Druckman, J. N., Lazer, D., Green, J., Simonson, M., Baum, M., & Della Volpe, J. (2022). [Association of Major Depressive Symptoms With Endorsement of COVID-19 Vaccine Misinformation Among US Adults](#). *JAMA Network Open*, 5(1):e2145697. ([PDF](#))

[3] Perlis, R. H., Green, J., Simonson, M., Ognyanova, K., Santillana, M., Lin, J., Quintana, A., Chwe, H., Druckman, J. N., Lazer, D., Baum, M., & Della Volpe, J. (2021). [Association Between Social Media Use and Self-reported Symptoms of Depression in US Adults](#). *JAMA Network Open*, 4(11):e2136113. ([PDF](#))

- [2] Perlis, R. H., Ognyanova, K., Quintana, A., Green, J., Santillana, M., **Lin, J.**, Druckman, J. N., Lazer, D., Simonson, M., Baum, M., & Chwe, H. (2021). Gender-specificity of resilience in major depressive disorder. *Depression and Anxiety*, 38, 1026–1033. ([🔗 PDF](#))
- [1] [†]Christenson, D. P., **Lin, J.**, & Makse, T. (2021). Ask Only What Your Country Can Do for You: Group Interests, Constituency Characteristics, and Demands for Representation. *American Politics Research* 49 (1), 17 - 29. ([🔗 PDF](#))

Under Review

- [2] **Lin, J.** (Under Review). From Barack Obama to Donald Trump: The Evolution of Moral Appeals in National Conventions.
- [1] Baum, M. A., Druckman, J. N., Simonson, M. D., **Lin, J.**, & Perlis, R. H. (Under Review). What I Saw on the Road to Insurrection: Internal Political Efficacy, Conspiracy Beliefs and the Effect of Depression on Support for the January 6th Storming of the Capitol.

Book Chapters

- [1] **Lin, J.**, & Druckman, J. N. (Forthcoming) “Party Polarization and COVID-19”. In Monica K. Miller eds. *The Social Science of the COVID-19 Pandemic: A Call to Action for Researchers*. Oxford University Press.

Select Other Writing

- [12] Pippert, C., **Lin, J.**, Lazer, D., Perlis, R. H., Simonson, M., Ognyanova, K., Druckman, J., Tandon, U., Santillana, M. & Baum, M. (2021, August). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #61: Parental Concerns about COVID-19 Vaccines* (pp.1-18). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public’s Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
- [11] **Lin, J.**, Lazer, D., Baum, M., Perlis, R. H., Pippert, C., Qu, H., Green, J., Druckman, J., Huh, K., Kobotis, M., Ognyanova, K., Santillana, M. & Simonson, M. (2021, August). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #59: What Americans Think About People Who Are Not Vaccinated* (pp.1-23). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public’s Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
- [10] Lazer, D., Green, J., Ognyanova, K., Baum, M., **Lin, J.**, Druckman, J., Perlis, R. H., Santillana, M., Simonson, M., & Uslu, A. (2021, July). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #57: Social Media News Consumption and COVID-19 Vaccination Rates* (pp.1-10). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public’s Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
- Also published in the *Washington Post’s* Monkey Cage.
- [9] Huh, K., **Lin, J.**, Druckman, J., Baum, M., Lazer, D., Perlis, R. H., Santillana, M., Ognyanova, K., Quintana, A., Myers, E., Tandon, U., Gitomer, A., Simonson, M., Green, J. & Uslu, A. (2021, May). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #51: Trajectory of Health-related Behaviors in California* (pp.1-8). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public’s Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
- [8] Lazer, D., **Lin, J.**, Baum, M., Perlis, R. H., Santillana, M., Druckman, J., Ognyanova, K., Green, J., Simonson, M., Quintana, A., Gitomer, A. & Uslu, A. (2021, March). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #44: Trajectory of Health-related Behaviors in Massachusetts* (pp.1-7). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public’s Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
- [7] **Lin, J.**, Ognyanova, K., Druckman, J., Perlis, R. H., Santillana, M., Lazer, D., Huh, K., Yang, L., Grow, D., Arul, S., Quintana, A., Baum, M., Gitomer, A., Simonson, M., Green, J. & Uslu, A. (2021, March). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #42: Trajectory of Health-related Behaviors in New York* (pp.1-7). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public’s Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/

[†]Alphabetical Ordering of Authors

- [6] **Lin, J.**, Ognyanova, K., Druckman, J., Perlis, R. H., Santillana, M., Lazer, D., Huh, K., Yang, L., Grow, D., Quintana, A., Baum, M., Gitomer, A., Simonson, M., Green, J. & Uslu, A. (2021, March). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #41: Trajectory of Health-related Behaviors in New Jersey* (pp.1-7). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public's Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
- [5] Baum, M., **Lin, J.**, Lazer, D., Ognyanova, K., Perlis, R. H., Druckman, J., Santillana, M., Quintana, A., Simonson, M., Green, J., Uslu, A., Gitomer, A. & Chwe, H. (2020, December). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #30: Economic Hardships Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic* (pp.1-13). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public's Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
- [4] Druckman, J., **Lin, J.**, Perlis, R. H., Santillana, M., Lazer, D., Quintana, A., Yang, L., Huh, K., Baum, M., Ognyanova, K., Gitomer, A., Uslu, A., Simonson, M., Green, J. & Chwe, H. (2020, November). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #27: The Trajectory of Health Related Behaviors in Illinois* (pp.1-6). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public's Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
 - Featured by the [Northwestern University Institute of Policy Research](#) and [Crain's Chicago Business](#)
- [3] Baum, M., **Lin, J.**, Gitomer, A., Quintana, A., Ognyanova, K., Green, J., Lazer, D., Druckman, J., Perlis, R. H., Santillana, M., Chwe, H. & Simonson, M. (2020, October). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #21: Most Important Problems Facing the Country Today* (pp.1-15). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public's Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
 - Featured in the [Boston Globe](#)
- [2] Baum, M., **Lin, J.**, Ognyanova, K., Chwe, H., Quintana, A., Lazer, D., Druckman, J., Perlis, R. H., Santillana, M., Della Volpe, J., Simonson, M. & Green, J. (2020, September). *The State of the Nation: A 50-State COVID-19 Survey, Report #13: Public Trust in Institutions and Vaccine Acceptance* (pp.1-23). COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public's Policy Preferences Across States. www.covidstates.org/
 - Featured in [The Hill](#) and [The Boston Globe](#)
- [1] [†]Reilly, J. L., Belk, J. K., Kuforvich, A., **Lin, J.**, & Renzy, R. (2019). Scott, Nelson, DeSantis, Gillum, and Beyond: A Look at the 2018 Florida Precinct Returns. *The Florida Political Chronicle*, 27(1), 23-36.

WORKING PAPERS

- “Next-Door Neighbors and Affective Polarization”
- “Divisive or Descriptive: How Americans Understand Critical Race Theory” – with Alauna C. Safarpour, Kristin Lunz-Trujillo, Jon Green, Caroline Pippert and James N. Druckman
- “Go Far by Going (To the Polls) Together: Distance to the Polls in the 2018 Ohio Midterm Elections” – with Caroline Pippert
- “Levels of Conceptualization and Political Discourse” – with Todd Makse, Anand E. Sokhey and Damon C. Roberts
- Perlis, R. H., Green J., Santillana, M., Lazer, D., Ognyanova, K., Simonson, M., Baum, M., Quintana, A., Chwe, H., Druckman, J., Della Volpe, J., & **Lin, J.** (Working Paper) Persistence of Symptoms up to 10 Months Following Acute COVID-19 Illness. ([Link to Preprint](#))

CONFERENCE Panels

- PRESENTATIONS**
- [15] “Next-Door Neighbors and Affective Polarization”: Presented at the 2022 American Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.
 - [14] “Divisive or Descriptive: How Americans Understand Critical Race Theory” with Alauna C. Safarpour, Kristin Lunz-Trujillo, Jon Green, Caroline Pippert and James N. Druckman:

Presented at the 2022 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

- [13] “Party Narratives and Political Discussions” with Todd Makse, Damon C. Roberts and Anand Edward Sokhey: Presented at the 2022 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.
- [12] “Next-Door Neighbors and Affective Polarization”: Presented at the 2022 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.
- [11] “Urban-Rural Differences in Non-Voting Political Behavior” with Kristin Lunz-Trujillo: Presented at the 2022 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.
- [10] “Go Far by Going (To the Polls) Together: Distance to the Polls in the 2018 Ohio Midterm Elections” with Caroline Pippert: Presented at the 2022 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.
- [9] “What I Saw on the Road to Insurrection: Internal Political Efficacy, Conspiracy Beliefs, and the Effect of Depression on Support for the January 6th Storming of the Capitol” with Matthew A. Baum, James N. Druckman, Matthew D. Simonson and Roy H. Perlis: Presented at the 2021 Midwest Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
- [8] “Multiple successful messages to reduce COVID-19 vaccine hesitancy and resistance” with Jon Green, James N. Druckman, Matthew A. Baum, David Lazer, Katherine Ognyanova, Matthew Simonson, Mauricio Santillana and Roy Perlis: Presented at the 2021 American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Seattle, Washington.
- [7] “The Levels of Conceptualization: Argument Preferences among the Mass Public” with Todd Makse, Anand Sokhey and Damon C. Roberts: Presented at the 2021 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Online.
- [6] “From Barack Obama to Donald Trump: The Evolution of Moral Appeals in National Conventions”: Presented at the 2021 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Online.
- [5] “Democrats and Republicans Communicate Different Moral Values in National Convention Speeches”: Presented at the 2020 Midwest Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Conference, Online.
- [4] “What It Is and What We Can Be: Using Social Norms to Influence Intergroup Attitudes and Behaviors” with Naomi Isenberg and Markus Brauer: Presented at the 2019 eLUCID8, Madison, Wisconsin.
- [3] “Levels of Conceptualization and Perceptions of Sophistication in Political Discourse” with Todd Makse and Anand Sokhey: Presented at the 2019 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.
- [2] “Group Interests, Constituency Characteristics and Demands for Representation” with Todd Makse and Dino Christenson: Presented at the 2019 Florida Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Tampa, Florida.
- [1] “Color, Size, and the Effectiveness of Direct Mail: Study on Voter Turnout in a Local Election.” with Jack Reilly, Jack Belk, Annika Kufrovich and Rory Renzy: Presented at the 2019 Florida Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Tampa, Florida.

Posters

- [2] “Democrats and Republicans Communicate Different Moral Values through their 2016 National Convention Speeches” with Catherine Cottrell and Jack Reilly: Accepted to the 2020 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois. (Conference Canceled due to COVID-19)
- [1] “Will God’s Grace Guide My Vote?” with Steven M. Graham: Presented at the 2019 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

- INVITED TALKS AND GUEST LECTURES**
- [3] **United States Naval Academy, Department of Political Science** (September 2022) – FP471D: Political Psychology of the American Public
 - [2] **University of Wisconsin–Madison, Department of Psychology** (August, 2022) – Psychology Research Experience Program (PREP) Symposium
 - [1] **New College of Florida. Division of Natural Sciences** (May, 2021) – Natural Sciences Seminar Series

ACADEMIC AND Research Assistant

- PROFESSIONAL RESEARCH EMPLOYMENT**
- James N. Druckman, Institute for Policy Research at Northwestern University (*Summer 2022*)
 - Jean M. Clipperton, Northwestern University (*Winter 2022*)
 - James N. Druckman, Northwestern University (*2020 – 2021*)
 - James N. Druckman, Institute for Policy Research at Northwestern University (*Summer 2020*)
 - John G. Bullock, Northwestern University (*Summer 2020*)
 - Jack Reilly, New College of Florida (*Spring 2020*)

SKILLS

Statistics Software: R, R Studio, Stata, Python

Document Preparation Systems: L^AT_EX, B_BT_EX, R Markdown, HTML, Microsoft Office

Development Tools: Git, GitHub

Survey Research: Qualtrics

TEACHING & MENTORING

- COURSES**
- Teaching Assistant Northwestern University**
- **DECS 435:** Business Analytics – Jörg Spenkuch (*Fall 2022* – Kellogg School of Management MBAi)
 - **POLI SCI 403:** Introduction to Probability and Statistics – Jason Seawright (*Fall 2022* – Graduate)
 - **MMSS 211-3:** Institutions, Rules, & Models in Social Science – Jean Clipperton (*Spring 2022* – Undergraduate)
 - **MORS 457:** Social Dynamics and Network Analysis – Hyejin Youn (*Winter 2022* – Kellogg School of Management MBA)
 - **POLI SCI 210:** Introduction to Empirical Methods for Political Science – Jason Seawright (*Fall 2021* – Undergraduate)
- Teaching Assistant New College of Florida**
- **PSYC 3550:** Social Psychology – Catherine Cottrell (*Spring 2020*)
 - **PSYC 2140:** Introduction to Psychology: Animal Thinking – Heidi Harley (*Fall 2019*)
 - **POLS 2100:** Introduction to American Politics – Jack Reilly (*Fall 2018*)
 - **ECON 2510:** Introduction to Macroeconomics – Sherry Yu (*Spring 2018*)
- WORKSHOPS**
- Instructor Northwestern University**
- **POLI SCI 490:** R Workshop: R for Social Network Analysis (*Spring 2023* – Graduate)
 - **POLI SCI 490:** R Workshop: Integrating R with Application Programming Interfaces (APIs) (*Winter 2023* – Graduate)
 - **POLI SCI 490:** R Workshop: Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in R (*Spring 2022* – Graduate)
 - **POLI SCI 490:** R Workshop: Advanced ggplot2 (*Winter 2022* – Graduate)
 - **POLI SCI 490:** R Workshop: Module on Graphs in ggplot2 (*Fall 2021, Fall 2022* – Graduate)

- **Zotero:** Using Zotero (*Fall 2021 – Undergraduate*)
- **R:** Pipes and ggplot (*Spring 2021 – Graduate*)

Teaching Assistant *Northwestern University*

- **Math Camp:** Mathematics Prefresher for Graduate Students in Political Science and Sociology (*Fall 2022 – Graduate*)

MENTORING

Mentor

- **Mentor to New Graduate Students:** Northwestern University (*Fall 2022*)
- **Polygence High School Research Experience:** Polygence (*Summer 2022*)
- **Psychology Research Experience Program (PREP)** (an NSF-funded REU): University of Wisconsin–Madison (*Summer 2022*)

Research Assistant Supervisor

- **The COVID-19 Consortium for Understanding the Public's Policy Preferences Across States:** 5 undergraduates and 1 high school student (*January 2021 - August 2021*)

SERVICE

**TO THE
INSTITUTION**

Northwestern University

- **R Consultant,** Department of Political Science (*Spring 2022*)

New College of Florida

- **Reviewer,** Student Research and Travel Grant (*Fall 2019, Spring 2020*)
- **Peer Leader,** Office of the Provost – First Year Programs (*Fall 2019*)
- **Student Ambassador,** Office of Admissions (*Spring 2019 – Spring 2020*)
- **Career Mentor,** Center for Career Engagement and Opportunity (*2019*)

**PROFESSIONAL
AFFILIATIONS**

American Political Science Association
Midwest Political Science Association
American Association for Public Opinion Research
Midwest Association for Public Opinion Research
Florida Political Science Association

ACHIEVEMENTS

**RESEARCH
AWARDS**

Minar Memorial Summer Award (\$600), Northwestern University (*Summer 2022*)

Minar Memorial Summer Award (\$800), Northwestern University (*Summer 2021*)

Joe Haaf Research Fellowship (\$420), New College of Florida (*Spring 2018*)

**TRAVEL
AWARDS**

Travel Grant (\$450), Political Communication Section of the American Political Science Association (*Fall 2022*)

Travel Grant (\$500), Northwestern University Department of Political Science Conference Travel Grant (*Fall 2022*)

Travel Grant (\$150), American Political Science Association Conference Travel Grant (*Fall 2022*)

Travel Grant (\$500), Northwestern University Department of Political Science Conference Travel Grant (*Spring 2022*)

Travel Grant (\$465), Northwestern University Department of Political Science Conference Travel Grant (*Winter 2022*)

Travel Grant (\$115), Northwestern University Department of Political Science Conference Travel Grant (*Winter 2021*)

Graduate and Professional Student Recruitment Initiative (\$1,000), Ohio State University (*Fall 2019*)

Travel Grant (\$1,050), New College of Florida (*Spring 2019*)

Travel Grant (\$1,000), American Association of University Women (*Summer 2018*)

SCHOLARSHIPS **Northwestern University Fellowship**, Northwestern University (*2020 – 2021*)

Silver Scholar, New College of Florida (*2016 – 2020*)

Florida Academic Scholarship, Florida Bright Futures (*2016 – 2020*)