## Mark Anthony Hoffman

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RESEARCH Interests social networks, culture, politics, history, text analysis, computational methods

**EDUCATION** 

## Columbia University, New York, NY USA

Ph.D. Candidate, Sociology (expected graduation: May 2019)

- Dissertation Topic: "Cultural Consumption and Political Thought After the American Revolution"
- Advisor: Peter S. Bearman

M.Phil., Sociology, 2018 M.A., Sociology, 2016

## New York University Abu Dhabi, Abu Dhabi, UAE

B.A., Social Research and Public Policy, Magna Cum Laude, 2014

Peer reviewed PUBLICATIONS

Zerubavel, Noam, Mark A. Hoffman, Adam D. Reich, Kevin N. Ochsner, and Peter Bearman. 2018. "Neural precursors of future liking and affective reciprocity." Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences.

Hoffman, Mark A., Jean-Phillipe Cointet, Philipp Brandt, Newton Key, and Peter Bearman. 2018. "The (Protestant) Bible, the (printed) sermon, and the word (s): The semantic structure of the Conformist and Dissenting Bible, 1660-1780." Poetics.

Winner of the Distinguished Article Award, Sociology of Religion Section of the American Sociological Association, 2018

Hoffman, Mark A. and Peter Bearman. 2015. "Bringing anomie back in: exceptional events and excess suicide." Sociological Science, 2, 186-210.

Papers Under Review Hoffman, Mark A. 2018. "The Materiality of Ideology: Cultural Consumption and Political Thought after the American Revolution."

Conditionally accepted at the American Journal of Sociology

Papers in PREPARATION

Hoffman, Mark A., Jean-Philippe Cointet, and Peter Bearman. 2018. "The Thematic Structure of American Sociology: 1980-2015."

Hoffman, Mark A., Noam Zerubavel, Adam D. Reich, and Peter Bearman. 2018. "The Neural Foundations of Social Relations."

Hoffman, Mark A., and Adam D. Reich. 2018. "Structural and Cultural Pathways to the New York Manumission Society."

Conference Presentations Hoffman, Mark A. 2018. "The Materiality of Ideology." Summer Conference on Economy and Society, EUI, Florence, Italy.

Hoffman, Mark A., Noam Zerubavel, Adam D. Reich, and Peter Bearman.	2017.	"The Neural
Foundations of Social Relations." American Sociological Association, Montreal.		

Teaching
Experience

Social Networks, 2018, Instructor, Doctoral Short Course, New York University

Social Networks, 2015-2017, Teaching Assistant, Doctoral Short Course, London School of Economics

Social Networks, 2015-2016, Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate Course, Columbia University

Social Networks, 2014-2015, Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate January Term Course, New York University Abu Dhabi

Honors and Awards Alex Inkeles Award for Outstanding Graduate Student Work, 2018, Department of Sociology, Columbia University

INCITE Graduate Fellowship, 2015-Present, Columbia University

Ernst M. Oppenheimer and Hilde Schall Fellowship, 2015-16, Columbia University

Paul Lazarsfeld Ph.D. Fellowship, 2014-Present, Columbia University

Professional Service Reviewer: American Sociological Review, Socius, British Journal of Sociology

Graduate Student Coordinator: Networks and Time, 2015-Present, Columbia University

OTHER SKILLS

Programming: Python, R, HTML, CSS

Software: STATA, Pajek, Gephi