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Education

Doctorate of Philosophy, University of California, San Diego, *anticipated 2017*

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science, Brigham Young University, 2011

Publications

Peer-Reviewed Articles

1. "Using Networks to Combine 'Big Data' and Traditional Surveillance to Improve Influenza Predictions." 2015. Michael W. Davidson, Dotan A. Haim and Jennifer Radin. [Scientific Reports](#) 5 (8154): 1-5.

Under Review

1. "Prenatal Sex Hormones and Social Integration" with [Jaromír Kovářík](#), [Pablo Brañas-Garza](#), Shannon Carcelli, Dotan A. Haim and [James H. Fowler](#). *R&R*

Working Papers (Completed Draft)

1. "Family Networks and Voting Behavior: Evidence from the Philippines" with [Allen Hicken](#) and [Nico Ravanilla](#).
2. "Mine All Mine: Corruption and Electoral Competition" with Sara M Kerosky.
3. "[Buying Attention: Campaign Advertisements and Candidate Salience](#)" with Dotan A. Haim.
4. "Electoral Institutions, Social Structure and Ethnic Voting".
5. "Gendered Speech Under Authoritarian Rule: A Structural Topic Analysis of Women's Speeches in the Vietnam National Assembly" with [Paul Schuler](#).
6. "Using Networks to Find Better Politicians: Evidence from the Philippines" with [Cesi Cruz](#).
7. "Measuring Implicit Racial Framing in Campaign Advertisements with Automated Text Analysis" with Jason Wu.

Grants

Police-Community Embeddedness in the Philippines. \$10,000 with Dotan Haim and Matthew Nanes from the [Policy Design and Evaluation Lab](#), School of Global Policy and Strategy, University of California, San Diego.

Remote Sensing and Monitoring Corruption in Developing Democracies. Frontiers of Innovation Scholar. \$25,000 with Sara Kerosky from the University of California, San Diego.

Can technology be used to lower the barrier to entry in elections? \$40,000 with [Cesi Cruz](#) from the [Policy Design and Evaluation Lab](#), School of International Relations and Pacific Studies, University of California, San Diego.

Lab Experiments on Caste, Religion and Discrimination. \$1,500 from the Office on Research and Creative Activities (ORCA), BYU.

Awards

APSA SE Asian Politics Group Best Paper Award, 2015. "Inducement or Entry Ticket? Broker Networks and Vote Buying in Indonesia" with [Edward Aspinnall](#), [Allen Hicken](#) and [Meredith Weiss](#).

Presentations

American Political Science Association (2014, 2011)

Western Political Science Association (2015, 2014)

Midwest Political Science Association (2015)

Professional Experience

Consultant: World Bank, *Candidate Promises, Citizens Knowledge and Vote-Buying: Experimental Evidence from the Philippines* (2013)

Research Assistant: [James Fowler](#) (2013-2014), [Salvatore Nunnari](#) (2013), [Claire Adida](#) (2013) and [Joel S. Selway](#) (2009-2011, 2014-2015).

Intern, [United States Senator Maria Cantwell \(D\)](#) (2009)

Intern, [Washington State Senator Pam Roach \(R\)](#) (2005).

Skills and Languages

R, Stata, LaTeX, Gephi, Pajek, Applescript

Tagalog/Filipino (Fluent)

Academic Service

Co-organizer of UC San Diego [Human Nature Group](#)

2013 - 2014

UC San Diego Political Science Recruitment Co-chair

2013

References

[Joel S. Selway](#), Assistant Professor, Brigham Young University

[James H. Fowler](#), Professor, University of California, San Diego

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