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## Current position

*PhD. Student and Graduate Fellow*, Washington Institute for the Study of Sexuality, Ethnicity, and Race, University of Washington (expected 2018)

## Areas of specialization

American Government • Campaigns and Elections • Racial and Ethnic Politics • Methodology

## Education

2011 BA in Government, Skidmore College, NY, *summa cum laude*  
Minor, Spanish

## Grants, honors & awards

2014 Donald R. Matthews Graduate Fellowship Summer Stipend, University of Washington  
2013 Donald R. Matthews Graduate Fellowship, University of Washington  
2011 *Phi Beta Kappa*  
Susan Riley Gunderson '64 Prize for Excellence in the Study of American Government  
2009 *Pi Sigma Alpha*  
Levine Internship Award, \$3,000

## Publications & talks

### JOURNAL ARTICLES

#### IN PROGRESS

- 2014 “Political Ambition and Recruitment: Minorities and Candidate Emergence” (with Paru Shah).
- 2014 “Racial Cues and Campaign Advertising in the Age of Obama” (with Loren Collingwood and Ali Valenzuela).
- 2014 “Should We Stay or Should We Go? The Impact of Immigrant Campaign Appeals in the ‘New South’”
- 2014 “Immigrant Political Ambition: New Americans and the Quest for Political Office” (with Paru Shah). *Under Review*
- 2014 “Guillermo Horton: Anti-Immigrant Appeals in Statewide Electoral Contests” (Working Paper)

#### INFORMAL & REPORTS

- 2014 *Minority Representation Gaps, by the Numbers* (October). Monkey Cage. The Washington Post. <http://wapo.st/ZGQntG>.
- 2014 *Represent 2020: Toward a Better Vision for Democracy* (September). New American Leaders Project. <http://bit.ly/1tLsVcV>.
- 2013 *Run Local: New American Electorate and the 2013 Municipal Elections* (March). New American Leaders Project. <http://bit.ly/WKwtGR>.
- 2013 *Obama Barely Touched Immigration in His Speech, but That’s a Good Thing* (February). National Journal’s Next America. <http://bit.ly/WKwtGR>.
- 2012 *From the Community to the Capitol: Immigrants Flex Political Muscle in the 2012 Congressional Races* (October). New American Leaders Project. <http://bit.ly/RLVzVF>.
- 2012 *How the U.S. is Still Struggling with Universal Suffrage* (September). National Journal’s Next America. <http://bit.ly/UDAUdD>.
- 2012 *Educating Tomorrow’s Workforce is Crucial for America’s Prosperity* (July). National Journal’s Next America. <http://bit.ly/NCHoyf>.

#### SURVEY DATASETS

- 2014 Leadership Development and Recruitment Study (LDRS). Co-Principal Investigator with Paru Shah.

#### CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2014 “Anti-immigrant Appeals in Senate and Gubernatorial Campaigns”, PRIEC, Albuquerque, NM.
- 2014 “Immigrant Political Ambition: New Americans and the Quest for Political Office” (with Paru Shah), WPSA, Seattle, WA.

2013 “Guillermo Horton: When Do Gubernatorial Candidates Go Nativist?” (with Bob Turner),  
State Politics and Policy Conference, Iowa City, Iowa.

## Research Experience

2014 Research Assistant, Professor Matt Barreto, University of Washington  
2014 Research Consultant, New American Leaders Project, NY  
2011-2013 Program and Research Associate, New American Leaders Project, NY  
2011 Research Assistant for Dr. David Karp, Skidmore College, NY  
2011 Research Assistant for Dr. Tom Gais, Rockefeller Institute, NY  
2009-2011 Research Assistant for Dr. Bob Turner and Dr. Patricia Ferraioli, Skidmore College, NY  
2011 Research Intern for Senator Olympia Snowe (ME), Washington, D.C.

## Teaching Experience

2015 TA: Introduction to American Politics. Professor Megan Frances.  
2014 TA: Introduction to American Politics. Professor Becca Thorpe.

## Skills

GIS, SPSS, STATA, R, Python,  $\LaTeX$ , SQLite  
Adobe Creative Suites  
Experience with HTML and CSS  
Proficient in Spanish

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