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## Current position

2020 *Postdoctoral Research Fellow*, Weidenbaum Center, Washington University in St. Louis

## Education

2020 PhD in Political Science, University of California Los Angeles

2015 MA in Political Science, University of Washington, WA

2011 BA in Government, Skidmore College, NY

## Publications

[\[Replication Files\]](#)

### JOURNAL ARTICLES

2020 15. **Reny, Tyler**, and David O. Sears. 2020. "Hands Off My Obamacare: Self-Interest and Symbolic Attitudes in The Health Care Debate" *Forthcoming at Research & Politics*

14. **Reny, Tyler**. 2020. "Masculine Norms and Infectious Disease: The Case of COVID-19" *Forthcoming at Politics and Gender* [\[PDF\]](#) [\[Gated\]](#)

• Press: [\[Washington Post\]](#) [\[Vox\]](#) [\[InsideHook\]](#) [\[Mother Jones\]](#) [\[FiveThirtyEight\]](#)

13. Newman, Benjamin J., Stephanie L. DeMora, and **Tyler Reny**. 2020. "Female Empowerment and the Politics of Language: Evidence Using Gender-Neutral Amendments to State Constitutions" *Forthcoming at the British Journal of Political Science* [\[PDF\]](#)

12. **Reny, Tyler**, and Matt Barreto. 2020. "Xenophobia in the Time of Pandemic: Othering, Anti-Asian Attitudes, and COVID-19" *Forthcoming at Politics, Group, and Identities* [\[PDF\]](#)

• Press: [\[Washington Post\]](#)

2019 11. **Reny, Tyler**, Ali A. Valenzuela, and Loren Collingwood. 2019. "No, You're Playing the Race Card': Testing the Effects of Anti-Black, Anti-Latino and Anti-Immigration Appeals in the post-Obama Era" *Forthcoming at Political Psychology* [\[PDF\]](#) [\[Appendix\]](#)

- Press: [\[Vox's The Weeds Podcast\]](#)

10. **Reny, Tyler**, Loren Collingwood, and Ali Valenzuela. 2019. "Vote Switching in the 2016 Election: Racial and Immigration Attitudes, Not Economics, Explains Shifts in White Voting" *Public Opinion Quarterly* 83(1): 91-113. [\[PDF\]](#) [\[Appendix\]](#)

- Press: [\[The Economist\]](#) [\[The Economist\]](#) [\[Vox\]](#) [\[Daily Beat Podcast Pt. 1\]](#) [\[Daily Beat Podcast Pt. 2\]](#) [\[Phys.org\]](#)

2018

9. **Reny, Tyler**, and Benjamin J. Newman. 2018. "Protecting the Right to Discriminate: The Second Great Migration and Racial Threat in the American West." *American Political Science Review*. 112(4): 1104-1110. [\[PDF\]](#) [\[Appendix\]](#)

- Awards: Charles Redd Award for Best Paper on Politics of the American West (WPSA 2018)

8. Gest, Justin, **Tyler Reny**, and Jeremy Mayer. 2018. "Roots of the Radical Right: Nostalgic Deprivation in the United States and Britain" *Comparative Political Studies* 51(13): 1694-1719. [\[PDF\]](#)

7. **Reny, Tyler** and Paru Shah. 2018. "Immigrant Political Ambition: New Americans and the Quest for Political Office." *Social Sciences Quarterly* 99(3): 1038-1059. [\[PDF\]](#)

- Press: [\[Voice of America\]](#)

2017

6. **Reny, Tyler**. 2017. "Demographic Change, Latino Countermobilization, and the Politics of Immigration in U.S. Senate Campaigns" *Political Research Quarterly* 70(4): 735-748. [\[PDF\]](#) [\[Supplement\]](#)

5. Barreto, Matt, **Tyler Reny**, and Bryan Wilcox-Archuleta. 2017. "Survey Methodology and the Latina/o Vote: Why a Bilingual, Bicultural, Latino-centered Approach Matters" *Aztlán: A Journal of Chicano Studies*. 42(2): 211-227. [\[PDF\]](#)

#### BOOK CHAPTERS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

2019

4. Valenzuela, Ali A. and **Tyler Reny**. 2019. "Evolution of Experiments on Racial Priming" *Forthcoming in Advances in Experimental Political Science* Eds. James N. Druckman and Donald P. Green [\[PDF\]](#)

3. **Reny, Tyler**, Bryan Wilcox-Archuleta, and Vanessa Cruz Nichols. 2019. "Threat, Mobilization, and Latino Voting in the 2018 Election" *Forum: A Journal of Applied Research in Contemporary Politics* 16(4): 631-657 [\[PDF\]](#)

2017

2. Garcia-Rios, Sergio I., Angela X. Ocampo, **Tyler Reny**, and Bryan Wilcox-Archuleta. 2017. "El peso del voto latino en 2016." *Foreign Affairs Latinoamerica* 17(1): 11-15. [\[PDF\]](#)

- 2016 1. **Reny, Tyler** and Sylvia Manzano. 2016. "The Negative Effects of Mass Media Stereotypes of Latinos and Immigrants." In *Media and Minorities: Questions on Representation from an International Perspective*. Eds Georg Ruhrmann, Yasemin Shooman, and Peter Widmann. Jewish Museum of Berlin Press. [\[PDF\]](#)

## Research Grants and External Funding

- 2018 "Populism and Immigration Attitudes in Europe" (With Justin Gest and Jeremy Ferwerda) *National Endowment for Democracy, European Liberal Forum, and Alliance of Liberals and Democrats for Europe* (\$200,000)
- 2018 "How In-Group Elite Rhetoric Shapes Immigration Attitudes" (Co-PI with Justin Gest) *Partnership for a New American Economy* (\$73,375)

## Small grants, fellowships, honors & awards

- 2020 Weidenbaum Center Research Grant (\$10,000)
- 2019 APSA Travel Grant (\$200)  
Distinguished Junior Scholar Award from the APSA Political Psychology Section (\$400)
- 2018 UCLA Fellowship in Political Psychology (\$500)  
Charles Redd Award for Best Paper on Politics of the American West (WPSA 2018) (\$250)  
APSA Political Communication Subsection Travel Award (\$700)  
UCLA Hoffenberg Fellow  
APSA Travel Grant (\$100)  
CSREP Mark Q. Sawyer Professional Development Travel Grant (\$300)  
Harrell Rodgers Graduate Student Travel Scholarship (\$500)  
UCLA Fellowship in Political Psychology (\$500)
- 2017 APSA First Generation Scholars in the Profession Travel Grant (\$250)  
UCLA Luskin Center for History and Policy Fellowship (\$5,000)  
UCLA Fellowship in Political Psychology (\$500)  
UCLA Graduate Research Mentorship Award (\$36,000)  
UCLA Graduate Research Summer Mentorship Award (\$6,000)
- 2016 UCLA Hoffenberg Award  
UCLA Fellowship in Political Psychology (\$500)  
UCLA Graduate Research Mentorship Award (\$36,000)  
UCLA Graduate Research Summer Mentorship Award (\$6,000)  
APSA Warren E. Miller Fund Research Grant (\$2,000)
- 2015 Department of Political Science Best Graduate Student Paper Award, University of Washington (\$500)
- 2014 Donald R. Matthews Graduate Fellowship Summer Stipend, University of Washington (\$5,000)
- 2013 Donald R. Matthews Graduate Fellowship, University of Washington (\$51,000)
- 2011 *Phi Beta Kappa*

Susan Riley Gunderson '64 Prize for Excellence in the Study of American Government (\$500)

2009

*Pi Sigma Alpha*

Levine Internship Award (\$3,000)

#### INFORMAL & REPORTS

2020

*If you think real men don't wear masks, you're more likely to get coronavirus* (July). Monkey Cage. The Washington Post. [\[Link\]](#).

*Americans who are biased against Asians are more likely to fear the coronavirus* (April). Monkey Cage. The Washington Post. [\[Link\]](#).

2019

"Democracy Fund + UCLA Nationscape Methodology and Representativeness Assessment" with Chris Tausanovitch, Lynn Vavreck, Alex Rossell Hayes, and Aaron Rudkin (December). Nationscape. [\[Link\]](#).

2018

"To win over moderates, Democrats need a coherent immigration policy" with Justin Gest (July). LA Times Op-Ed. [\[Link\]](#).

"Should I Stay or Should I Go? How Effective Transit Oriented Development Can Lead to Positive Economic Growth Without Displacing Latinos" (March). LPPI. [\[Link\]](#).

Press: [Mercury News](#) || [Citylab](#) || [Block Club Chicago](#) || [Curbed](#) || [East Bay Express](#).

"Why the GOP's anti-immigration politics are here to stay." (July). LSE US Centre Blog. [\[Link\]](#).

2017

"In contrast to the exit poll, official election results in Illinois show Latino turnout was up and vote for Trump was down." (February). The Huffington Post. [\[Link\]](#).

"No, Trump didn't do surprisingly well among Latino voters: Let's once and for all dispense with that exit-poll-based fiction." (January). The New York Daily News. [\[Link\]](#).

2016

"Trump fared worse than Romney in Florida Hispanic vote." (December). The Hill. [\[Link\]](#).

2014

*Minority Representation Gaps, by the Numbers* (October). Monkey Cage. The Washington Post. [\[Link\]](#).

*Represent 2020: Toward a Better Vision for Democracy* (September). New American Leaders Project. [\[Link\]](#).

2013

*Run Local: New American Electorate and the 2013 Municiple Elections* (March). New American Leaders Project. [\[Link\]](#).

*Obama Barely Touched Immigration in His Speech, but That's a Good Thing* (February). National Journal's Next America. [\[Link\]](#).

2012

*From the Community to the Capitol: Immigrants Flex Political Muscle in the 2012 Congressional Races* (October). New American Leaders Project. [\[Link\]](#).

*How the U.S. is Still Struggling with Universal Suffrage* (September). National Journal's Next America. [\[Link\]](#).

*Educating Tomorrow's Workforce is Crucial for America's Prosperity* (July). National Journal's Next America. [\[Link\]](#).

## Conference Presentations

American Political Science Association Annual Conference (2016, 2017, 2018)  
Western Political Science Association Annual Conference (2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019)  
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference (2015, 2017, 2018, 2019)  
Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium Conference (PRIEC) (2014, 2015, 2016)  
State Politics and Policy Conference (2013)

## Additional Experience

2020-	Co-PI Multiwave National Panel Study of COVID19 (UCLA, UNM, ASU, UNC)
2019-2020	Project Coordinator, Democracy Fund + UCLA Nationscape Survey
2017-	Research Fellow, UCLA Latino Public Policy Institute (LPPI)
2015-	Research Assistant, Assistant Professor Justin Gest, George Mason University
2015-	Research Fellow, New American Leaders Project, NY
2014-	Research Assistant, Professor Matt Barreto, UCLA
2014	Research Consultant, New American Leaders Project, NY
2011-2013	Program and Research Associate, New American Leaders Project, NY
2011	Research Assistant for Associate Professor David Karp, Skidmore College, NY
2011	Research Assistant for Dr. Tom Gais, Rockefeller Institute, NY
2009-2011	Research Assistant for Professors Bob Turner and Patricia Ferraioli, Skidmore College, NY
2011	Research Intern for Senator Olympia Snowe (ME), Washington, D.C.

## Teaching

### GRADUATE INSTRUCTOR

2016-2019	Graduate Bootcamp in R Statistical Programming
2017-2019	Introduction to R
2016-	Political Science Department R Maven

### UNDERGRADUATE INSTRUCTOR

2019	Instructor: 1960s Cluster: Data Analysis and Research Design
2018	Instructor: Introduction to Data Analysis

### UNDERGRADUATE TA

2018	TA: Political Communications. Professor Georgia Kernell
	TA: Political Communications. Professor Tim Groeling
2015	TA: Introduction to American Politics. Professor Mark Smith

TA: Introduction to American Politics. Professor Megan Frances

TA: Introduction to American Politics. Professor Becca Thorpe

## Service to the Discipline

Reviewer for *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *Political Behavior*, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *American Politics Research*, *Political Science Quarterly*, *Religion and Politics*, *Politics and Gender*, *Politics, Groups, and Identities*, *Journal of Elections*, *Public Opinion & Parties*, *Social Psychology and Personality Science*, *Translational Issues in Psychological Science*

## Skills

R, SPSS, STATA, Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, SQLite, QGIS, GIMP

Survey design and programming, Webscraping

Proficient in Spanish

## References

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