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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2018-
Assistant Professor Political
Science, California State University,
Sacramento

2015-2017
Visiting Assistant Professor,
University of California, Sacramento
Center

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science
University of California, Davis
2010-2015 American Politics,
Methodology

**M.A., B.A. International Affairs,
Government**
**California State University,
Sacramento**
2010; 2005

COURSES TAUGHT

California Public Policy
Research Methods for Public Policy
California Politics
American Government
Research Methods
Politics of Immigration
Latino/a/x Politics
Writing in Political Science (MA)
Introduction to American
Government

SELECTED RECENT RESEARCH

- "Rethinking Political Science Education." PS Political Science and Politics: with Jaime Jackson et al August 2024.
- "Language Acquisition and Proficiency for Immigrant Children in K-12: The Lasting Impacts in Higher Education," Book Chapter in School-University Collaboration and the Immigrant Educational Experience. Ed. R. Martin Reardon and Jack Leonard (2021).
- "Public Opinion on Immigration," Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science. Ed. Sandy Maisel. New York: Oxford University Press.
- "Simulations and Games I: Strategy, Game Design, and Constitutions and Treaties." PS: Political Science and Politics Volume 53, Issue 3, 2020: with Michael Toje and Kathrine Trubee.
- "Zoot Suit Riots" and "Operation Wetback 1954" Political Violence in America: Historical Flashpoints and Modern-Day Trends. Ed. Tomislav Han, Lori Han. Summer 2021.
- "Alien Citizens and the Canonical Immigrant: Do Stigmatized Attributes Affect Latina/o Judgment about Discrimination?" American Journal of Political Science Volume 63, Issue 4, 2019: with Bradford S. Jones, Dave Vannette.
- "The Immigration and Nationality Act of 1965 and the Changing Face of U.S. Foreign Policy- the Role of Mexicans and Mexican Americans" in The Immigration and Nationality Act of 1965: Legislating a New America, Cambridge University Press, 2015: with Jeannette Money.

WORKING PAPERS

- "Using Minimal Group Experiments to Simulate Direct Democracy in the Classroom," submitted, conditionally accepted book chapter in an edited volume on games and simulations, available on APSA Preprints.
- "Same Ethnicity, Sympathetic Heart? Testing Ethnic and Policy Cues" (with Danielle Martin).
- "Guatemalan Economic Development, Political Violence, and Intra-Interstate Migration" (book manuscript).
- "Emotions and Attribution: The Effect of Emotions, Cues, and Identity on Attribution and Support for Redistributive Public Policy."
- "The Ties that Bind: Experimental Evidence on the Effects of Ethnic Cues on Vote Choice."

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CURRENT PROJECTS WITH STUDENT ASSISTANTS

Odyssey Peer Mentor Program
Bridge Program
Peer Advisor in Political Science
Social Media for Odyssey and Bridge
HSI Career Readiness Research Assistant

ADDITIONAL EXPERTISE

Stata, R, LaTeX, Media Lab, Qualtrics,
Survey Monkey, MTurk, ArcGIS,
Canvas, Camtasia, Zoom, Panopto

COURSE PROJECTS

- Podcast (The Civic Experience)
 - Zines
 - Voter Guides
 - Websites
 - Social Media Campaigns
 - Newsletters
 - Election. Post-Mortem
 - Research Designs
 - Teaching Plans
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ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- 2013 Stanford University Summer Institute in Political Psychology.
- 2012-2013 University of Arizona Methodology Workshop Geographic Information Systems, Survey Design, Matching & Causal Inference.
- 2012 Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) at University of California, Berkeley Causal Inference, Experiments, Regression Discontinuity.
- 2011 Essex University Political Methodology Summer Session Cross-sectional Time Series, Selection and Strategic Models.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- "CREATE Grant, CSU Civic Engagement, Community Outreach and Project-Based Learning (submitted, not awarded \$77,903).
- "Minigrant for Developing Hispanic Serving Institution: Career Readiness." Awarded (\$5800), California State University, Sacramento.
- "CREATE Grant, CSU Civic Engagement, Community Outreach, and Project-Based Learning" (submitted, not awarded \$104,520).
- "ASI Student Employment Grant: Odyssey Mentoring Program" (submitted, awarded \$4,800), Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies, California State University, Sacramento.
- "Orion Bridge Program" awarded SSIS Special Project Funding (\$3,000), Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies, California State University, Sacramento.
- "Minigrant for Developing Hispanic Serving Institution: INSPIRE Peer Program" awarded to Odyssey Mentoring Program (\$4,400), California State University, Sacramento.
- Social Sciences Dean's Doctoral Fellowship for Excellence Award Division of Social Sciences in the College of Letters and Science University of California, Davis.
- University of California Davis & Humanities Graduate Research Award University of California, Davis.
- Faculty-Student Collaborative Research Fellowship, "Fight or Flight: External Threats and Political Cohesion Among Out-Group Members" (with Bradford S. Jones) University of California, Davis.
- Travel Grant(s) and Hardin Award(s) for attending: Stanford University Summer Institute in Political Psychology; APSA, MPSA Annual Conference; University of Arizona Methodology Workshop; ICPSR Summer Session at University of California, Berkeley; Essex University Political Methodology Summer Session.
- Department of Political Science Fellowship, University of California, Davis.
- Graduate Student of the Year College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies, CSU, Sacramento Government Department, CSU, Sacramento.
- Odyssey Mentor Program Grant.
- Faculty Student Mentor Program, College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies, Student Academic Success and Educational Equity Programs (with Robert Friedman).

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICE & DEVELOPMENT

Ongoing Peer Reviewer *American Journal of Political Science, Political Psychology, Political Behavior, Journal of Policy History, California Journal of Politics and Policy, Routledge Press, CCE Cultural Competency Certificate Program*

2022-2023

Political Science: Chair, Internship Committee, Scholarship Committee member, Curriculum Committee member, Budget Committee, Co-Advisor for Odyssey Mentor Program, Faculty Advisor Bridge Program, Faculty Advisor, Faculty Student Mentor Program-peer mentor, Committee member Masters Thesis, George Harris, 26 Letters of recommendation for graduate school (MA, Law), internships, pre-law program, Capital Fellows, job search, Teaching observation for Trevor Krapf, Admitted Student Day/Future Hornet Day

College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies Faculty Fellows for Advising

Center for Race, Immigration, and Social Justice Faculty Affiliate, Podcast Committee, Pitch Your Podcast, Building Bridges Community Empowerment-Moderator Expert Panel

Dreamer Resource Center Planning Committee, annual Keeping the Dream Alive Conference and Moderator Expert Panel

Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Teaching Institute Faculty Mentor

Chicanx/Latinx Faculty and Staff Association Webmaster

Search Committee Member Sr. Associate Vice President Public Affairs and Advocacy, Serna Center

Serna Center Chicanx/Latinx Recognition Ceremony Planning Committee

2021-2022

Political Science: Job Search, Identity Politics, Chair Internship Committee/Sacramento Semester, Scholarship Committee, Curriculum Committee, Co-Advisor Odyssey Mentor Program, Bridge Program, Online Course Policy

University, Office of Diversity and Inclusion Job Search, University Access and Inclusion Director

Center for Race, Immigration, and Social Justice Faculty Affiliate, Coordinator for Academics, Podcast Committee Scholarship Committee, Website Committee.

College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies Faculty Fellows for Advising

Dreamer Resource Center Planning Committee for annual Keeping the Dream Alive Conference

Chicanx/Latinx Faculty and Staff Association Fundraising Officer

Center for Teaching and Learning: Summer Teaching Institute Faculty Mentor

FESS Scholarship Committee Member

University Ad Hoc Committee Selection for ePortfolio platform

2020-2021

Political Science Chair, Internship Committee/Sacramento Semester, Scholarship Committee, Curriculum Committee, Co-advisor Odyssey Mentor Program

College of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies Faculty Fellows for Advising

Dreamer Resource Center Planning Committee, Keeping the Dream Alive Conference

Center for Teaching and Learning Teach ON!-line Summer, Winter Camps, Summer Teaching Institute Faculty Mentor

Center for Race, Immigration, and Social Justice Faculty Affiliate, Faculty Coordinator for Academics, Podcast

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICE & DEVELOPMENT

2020-2021 (continued)

Chicanx/Latinx Faculty and Staff Association fundraising officer

Summer Faculty Learning Community Facilitator "Innovator's Institute"

Action Planning Group for the Impact of and on the Sacramento Region Antiracist and Inclusive Campus Plan

2019-2020

Political Science Job Search Committee, Internship Committee/Sacramento Semester, Scholarship Committee, Co-advisor Odyssey Mentor Program, Political Science Minor Advisor

Dreamer Resource Center Planning Committee Keeping the Dream Alive Conference, Dreamer Ally Training

Center for Teaching and Learning Teach ON!-line Summer Camp

Center for Race, Immigration, and Social Justice Faculty Affiliate, Faculty Coordinator for Academics

Faculty and Professional Learning Community Reacting to the Past, Culturally Responsive Teaching and the Brain, Engaging and Promoting Chicanx/Latinx Research and Scholarship

2018-2019

Political Science Committee for examining Blended BA/MA program, Sacramento Semester/Internships Committee

Center for Race, Immigration, and Social Justice Faculty Affiliate, Faculty Coordinator for Academics, Event and Media Subcommittees

Faculty and Professional Learning Community Designing for Equity & Student Success, Interdisciplinary Writing Workshop on Immigration

2016-2011

University of California, Davis Diversity Awareness Training, Chancellor's Graduate and Professional Students Advisory Board, Co-Chair for the Committee for Graduate Diversity Recruitment and Retention Projects prepared for Chancellor: International Students, Underrepresented Students, Student Housing, Teaching Assistant Services, Student Recreational Center, Faculty Mentoring, Job Search Committees: Methods Faculty Position, Diversity Outreach Officers, Peer Mentor, Latinx Graduate Student Association, President/Secretary/GSA Representative Graduate Association of Political Science, Graduate Mentor for the Graduate Academic Achievement and Advocacy Program

University of California Sacramento Center Bacon Public Lectureship Administrator, Emerging Scholars Committee

Midwest Political Science Association Latino/a Caucus Treasurer

Latino Graduate Issue Network member
