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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of California Riverside, Professor of Political Science (2014-on)
University of California Riverside, Associate Professor of Political Science (2008-2014)
University of California Riverside, Assistant Professor of Political Science (2006-2008)
University of Miami, Assistant Professor of Political Science (2001-2006)
Harvard University, Research Fellow at the Harvard MIT Data Center (2000-2001)
California State University Long Beach, Visiting Lecturer (Fall 1998)

EDUCATION

UCLA, Ph.D. in Political Science, 2001 (Fields: American Politics; Methodology)
University of Michigan, ICPSR Summer Program, 2000
UCLA, M.A. in Political Science, 1998
California State University at Long Beach, M.A. in Political Science, 1993
University of Southern California, B.A. in Political Science and History, 1990

BOOK

Tyranny of the Minority: The Subconstituency Politics Theory of Representation. 2009.
Philadelphia: Temple University Press. (Softcover: 2010).

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- "Opinion Backlash and Public Attitudes: Are Political Advances in Gay Rights Counterproductive?" Forthcoming. *American Journal of Political Science*. With Tom Hayes, Matt Incantalupo, and Tony Smith.
- "When do Legislators Defy Popular Sovereignty? Testing Theories of Minority Representation using DOMA." 2013. *Political Research Quarterly*. 66: 794-803. With Tony Smith.
- "Do Social Ties Encourage Immigrant Voters to Participate in Other Campaign Activities?" 2014. *Social Science Quarterly*. 95: 295-310. With Casey Klofstad.
- "Why Won't Little Havana Turn Blue? The Political Incorporation of Cuban Americans." 2012. *Political Research Quarterly*. 65: 588-601. With Casey Klofstad.
- "Turf Wars: Local Context and Latino Political Development." 2012. *Urban Affairs Review*. 48: 111-137. With Karen Kaufmann and Dan Stevens.
- "Exit and Entrance Polling: A Comparison of Election Survey Methods." 2012. *Field Methods*. 24: 429-437. With Casey Klofstad.
- "Issue Salience, Subconstituency Politics, and Legislative Representation." 2012. *Congress & the Presidency* 39: 133-159. With Thomas Hayes.
- "Getting Out the Vote: Minority Mobilization in a Presidential Election." 2011. *Political Behavior* 33: 113-138. With Dan Stevens.

- “Deceit, Diversity, or Mobilization? Intra-ethnic Diversity and Changing Patterns in Florida’s Hispanic Vote.” 2009. *Social Science Journal* 49: 571-583. With Casey Klofstad.
- “The Impact of Economic versus Institutional Factors in Elite Evaluations of Presidential Progress toward Democracy in Latin America.” 2006. *Comparative Political Studies* 39: 1194-1219. With Rob Barr and Matthew Lebo.
- “Authoritarian Attitudes, Democracy and Policy Preferences among Latin American Elites.” 2006. *American Journal of Political Science*. 50: 606-620. With D. Stevens and R. Barr.
- “Does Democracy Suffer from Diversity? Issue Representation and Diversity in Senate Elections.” 2006. *Public Choice*. 129: 201-215. With J. Dow and J. Adams.
- “Character Counts? Honesty and Fairness in Election 2000.” 2006. *Public Opinion Quarterly*. 70: 235-248. With Daniel Stevens and Christian Wilson.
- “Estimating Legislators’ Preferences using Background Characteristics.” 2006. *Journal of Political Ideologies*. 11: 309-334.
- “The Determinants of Racial Disparities in Perceived Job Insecurity: A Test of Three Perspectives.” 2006. *Sociological Inquiry*. 76: 210-230. With George Wilson and Tamela Eitle.
- “Truth or Consequences? Character and Swing Voters in the 2000 Election.” 2005. *Public Integrity*. 7: 129-146. With Daniel Stevens and Christian Wilson.
- “The Validity and Accuracy of Commonly Used Ideology Measures: A Consumer’s Guide.” 2004. *American Review of Politics*. 25: 201-220.
- “Representation in Congressional Campaigns: Evidence for Discounting/ Directional Voting in U.S. Senate Elections.” 2004. *Journal of Politics*. 66: 348-373. With James A. Adams and Jay Dow.
- “Dormant Delegation: Evidence on The Conflicting Findings of Research on Legislative Representation.” 2004. *Polity*. 37: 618-635.
- “Independently Validating Ideology Measures: A Look at NOMINATE and Adjusted ADA Scores.” 2003. *American Politics Research*. (31: 404-425).
- “Heterogeneity and Representation Reconsidered: A Replication and Extension.” 2002. *Political Analysis*. 10: 210. With Christopher Dennis.
- “Constituency Influence in Congress: Does Subconstituency Matter?” 2000. *Legislative Studies Quarterly*. (25: 389-415). Winner of the Jewell-Loewenberg Award for the best paper published in *Legislative Studies Quarterly* in 2000.

“Constituent Diversity and Congress: The Case of NAFTA.” 2000. *The Journal of Socio-Economics*. With Chris Dennis and Politimy Nicolaou. 29: 614-629.

“The Impact of Legislator and Constituency Ideology on Voting on the Assault Weapons Ban.” 1995. *The Journal of Socio-Economics*. (24: 585-591). With Marshall Medoff and Chris Dennis.

“Bimodal Issues, The Median Voter Model, Legislator’s Ideology and Abortion.” 1995. *The Atlantic Economic Journal*. (23: 293-303). With Marshall Medoff and Christopher Dennis.

DATA SETS

Exit Poll of Voters in Miami Dade County, November 2008. [Computer File]. Coral Gables, FL. With Casey Klofstad.

Exit Poll of Voters in Miami Dade County, November 2004. [Computer File]. Coral Gables, FL. With Daniel Stevens.

University of Miami / Zogby Poll of Latin American Elites, September 2005. [Computer File]. Coral Gables, Florida: University of Miami [producer], 2003. Utica, New York: Zogby International [distributor], 2005. With John Zogby.

University of Miami / Zogby Poll of Latin American Elites, September 2003. [Computer File]. Coral Gables, Florida: University of Miami [producer], 2003. Utica, New York: Zogby International [distributor], 2003. With Robert R. Barr.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

“The Decline of the Cuban American Hard-liners” Washington Post (The Monkey Cage) December 19, 2014.

“Should we Fear Opinion Backlash on Gay Marriage?” The Monkey Cage. June 18, 2013.

Book review of “Out and Running: Gay and lesbian Candidates, Elections, and Policy Representation” by Donald P. Haider-Markel. 2013. *Perspectives on Politics 11: 319-320*

“Did Little Havana Just Turn Blue?” The Monkey Cage. November 11, 2012.

<http://themonkeycage.org/blog/2012/11/11/did-little-havana-just-go-blue/#comments>

Book review of “Party position change in American politics: Coalition management.” By David Karol. 2012. *Party Politics 18: 115-117*

“Miami Dade’s Cuban American Voters in the 2008 Election.” 2009. *Cuban Affairs*. 4:1-14. With Feryal Cherif, Andy Gomez, and C. Klofstad.

“What to Expect from the Cuban American Electorate.” 2008. *Cuban Affairs*. 3:15. With Feryal Cherif, Andy Gomez, and Dan Stevens.

“Review of *The Persuadable Voter: Wedge Issues in Presidential Campaigns*”. 2009. *The Forum*: Volume 7(2), Article 8.

“Democracy, Heterogeneity and Representation: Explaining Representational Differences across States. 2003. *Legislative Studies Section Newsletter*. 26.

“Of Military and Presidential Campaigns: Is the Veterans Vote AWOL?” Editorial appeared in the *Miami Herald* 9/29/ 2004.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION FOR SUBMISSION (OR ON REVIEW)

When do Legislators Defy Popular Sovereignty? Testing Theories of Minority Representation on Immigration. (w/ Loren Collingwood, Andrea Silva, and Carrie Skulley).

Descriptive Representation by Surrogate: Why Black Legislators Support LGBT Rights (w/ Andrea Silva and Carrie Skulley).

The Statistical Analysis of Representation (w/ Chad Murphy, David Park, and Andrea Silva).

Foreshadowing Gender Equality: Female Elites' Views of Democratic Progress in Latin America. (w/ Feryal Cherif).

GRANTS, HONORS, AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

2014 Bailey Award for the best paper on LGBT politics presented at the 2013 American Political Science Association Meeting.

2011 Bailey Award for the best paper on LGBT politics presented at the 2010 American Political Science Association Meeting.

Committee on Research, UC Riverside 2006-2014 (various amounts \$1000-\$4700)

Center for Cuban and Cuban American Studies. *Exit Poll of Voters in Miami Dade County Exit Poll of Voters in Miami Dade County*. \$15,000.

Dean’s Grant. “*Exit Poll of Voters in Miami Dade County*” \$8750.

Competitive General Research Grant. “Representation in Congressional Campaigns.” University of Miami. \$2650.

James W. McLamore Award 2003.

Jewell-Loewenberg Award. 2001. For the best paper published in *LSQ*.

Harvard-M.I.T. Data Center. Research Fellow. 2000-2001.

Stewart Fellow. Outstanding Student in American Politics. UCLA, 1999.

Merit Fellowship. UCLA, 1998, 2000.

Outstanding Master’s Graduate. CSULB 1993.

CONFERENCES

Discussant, Presenter, or Chair at over forty conferences including:

American Association for Behavior in the Social Sciences

American Political Science Association.

Hawaiian International Social Science Association.

International Studies Association.

International Studies Association—West.
Latin American Studies Association.
Midwest Political Science Association.
Northeastern Political Science Association.
Politics of Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration Consortium.
Southern Political Science Association.
Society for Political Methodology.
Western Political Science Association.
Western Social Science Association.

Service

Graduate Adviser (Director of Graduate Studies). Department of Political Science. 2013-on.
Search Committee Chair. Open Rank American Politics Search (two positions). 2014.
Vice Chair. Executive Committee 2010-2012. College of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences.
Executive Council. 2012-2014. Elections, Public Opinion and Voting Behavior section of the American Political Science Association.
Chair. 2012 Bailey Best Paper Award Committee. LGBT Caucus of the Gender and Politics section of the American Political Science Association.
Chairman. 2012. Distinguished Lecturer Selection Committee. College of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences.

Dissertations Supervised

Thomas Hayes, 2012. Currently, University of Connecticut.
Carrie Skulley, Ph.D. Candidate.
Anwar Hijaz, graduate student.

Dissertation Committee Member

Charles Hilliard 2010. Currently, unknown.
Byran Martin, 2010. Currently, Houston Community College
Andrew Flores, Ph.D. Candidate.
Andrea Silva, graduate student.

MISCELLANEOUS

Manuscript/Proposal Reviewer. *American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Politics, British Journal of Political Science, American Politics Research, Fullbright Award Committee, Legislative Studies Quarterly, National Science Foundation, Political Analysis, Political Research Quarterly, Public Opinion Quarterly, Journal of Political Ideologies, Politics and Policy, Public Integrity, Social Science Quarterly.*
Consultant. 2014. University of Florida Survey Research Laboratory. State Election Polling.
Consultant. 2004. Service Employees International Union . Immigrant Voter Project.
Consultant. 2002. Bendixen and Associates. Immigration and Remittances.
Consultant. 2002-2005 University of Miami /Zogby Latin America Elites Poll.
Chairman. 2002 Jewell-Loewenberg Award Committee. Legislative Studies Section, APSA.
Founder and coordinator. American Politics Research Workshop. UM, UCR.
Participant. New Methodologies for the Social Sciences. March 10-12, 2000.

REFERENCES

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