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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Yale University

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, January 2019 – present
Assistant Professor, Department of Statistics & Data Science (secondary), January 2019 – present

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley

Ph.D., *Political Science*, 2018

* Dissertation Cmte.: Jasjeet Sekhon, Eric Schickler, Gabe Lenz, and Avi Feller

M.A., *Political Science* (with distinction), 2016

* Fields: American Politics, Political Behavior, Methodology & Formal Theory

Yale University

M.A., *Political Science*, 2014

B.A., *Political Science*, 2014 (*Magna Cum Laude*, with distinction)

JOURNAL ARTICLES

10. [Broad Cross-National Public Support for Accelerated COVID-19 Vaccine Trial Designs](#) (with David Broockman, Alexander Guerrero, Mark Budolfson, Nir Eyal, Nicholas P. Jewel, Monica Magalhaes, and Jasjeet S. Sekhon). 2021, *Vaccine* 39(2): 309-316.
9. [Reducing Exclusionary Attitudes through Interpersonal Conversation](#) (with David Broockman). 2020, *American Political Science Review* 114(2): 410-425.
8. [Correcting Bias in Perceptions of Public Opinion Among American Elected Officials: Results from Two Field Experiments](#) (with Ethan Porter). Forthcoming at *British Journal of Political Science*.
7. [The Ties that Double Bind: Social Roles and Women's Underrepresentation in Politics](#) (with Frances Rosenbluth and Dawn Teele). 2018, *American Political Science Review* 112(3): 525-541.
6. [The Minimal Persuasive Effects of Campaign Contact in General Elections: Evidence from 49 Field Experiments](#) (with David Broockman). 2018, *American Political Science Review* 112(1): 148-166.
5. [Are You My Mentor? A Field Experiment on Gender, Ethnicity, and Political Self-starters](#) (with Frances Rosenbluth and Dawn Teele). 2018, *Journal of Politics* 80(1): 337-341.
4. [The Design of Field Experiments With Survey Outcomes: A Framework for Selecting More Efficient, Robust, and Ethical Designs](#) (with David Broockman and Jasjeet Sekhon). 2017, *Political Analysis* 25(4): 435-464.
3. [Durably Reducing Transphobia: A Field Experiment on Door-to-door Canvassing](#) (with David Broockman). 2016, *Science* 352(6282): 220-224.
* Winner of the Cialdini Prize from the Society for Personality and Social Psychology.
2. [Campaign Contributions Facilitate Access to Congressional Officials: A Field Experiment](#) (with David Broockman). 2016, *American Journal of Political Science* 60(3): 545-558.
1. [Editorial Bias in Crowd-Sourced Political Information](#) (with Peter Aronow). 2015, *PloS one* 10(9): e0136327.

WORKING PAPERS [Candidate Ideology and Vote Choice in the 2020 US Presidential Election](#) (with David Broockman).
Revise & Resubmit at *Quarterly Journal of Political Science*.

A field experiment on changing abortion attitudes (with Adam S. Levine and David Broockman).
Revise & Resubmit at *Journal of Politics*.

[Which narrative strategies durably reduce prejudice? Evidence from field and survey experiments supporting the efficacy of perspective-getting](#) (with David Broockman). Under Review.

[When and Why Are Campaigns' Persuasive Effects Small? Evidence from the 2020 US Presidential Election](#) (with David Broockman). Under Review.

[Can the Political Ambition of Young Women Be Increased? Evidence from U.S. High School Students](#) (with Ethan Porter). Under Review.

[Does Affective Polarization Undermine Democratic Norms or Accountability? Maybe Not](#) (with Sean Westwood and David Broockman). Under Review.

Issue Voting in Congressional Elections: A Field Experiment (with David Broockman).

[Increasing Response Rates and Representativeness of Online Panels Recruited by Mail: Evidence from Experiments in 12 Original Surveys](#) (with Alan Yan and David Broockman).

[Evidence of Rising Rates of Inattentiveness on Lucid in 2020](#) (with Peter Aronow, Lilla Orr, and John Ternovski).

[Irregularities in LaCour \(2014\)](#) (with David Broockman and Peter Aronow).

GRANTS **National Science Foundation**, Award #1917993, \$666,276 (with David Broockman).
Berkeley Signatures Innovation Fellow, \$100,000 (with Jasjeet Sekhon and David Broockman).
"Platform for Design, Implementation, and Analysis of Randomized Experiments," 2015-2016.
Gill Foundation, \$90,000 for field experiments on transgender discrimination, (with David Broockman).
Equality Federation Institute, \$40,000 for field experiments on transgender discrimination, (with David Broockman).
NARAL Pro-Choice America Foundation, \$50,000 for field experiments on abortion attitudes, (with David Broockman).

AWARDS **Society for Personality and Social Psychology Cialdini Prize**, "Recognizes the publication that best explicates social psychological phenomena principally through the use of field research methods." Awarded for *Durably reducing transphobia*.
Leamer-Rosenthal Prize for Open Social Science, Emerging Researcher, 2015.
David M. Howard Memorial Prize in American Politics, "Awarded to an exceptionally deserving UC Berkeley graduate student conducting research in the field of American political behavior," 2017.
Peter H. Odegard Award, "Given every spring to doctoral students in their third year who have performed exceptionally on coursework and the preliminary examinations," 2017.
University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley Fellowship, "Awarded to outstanding applicants to doctoral programs in all fields," 2014-2019.
Yale University Frank M. Patterson Prize, "For the Best Senior Essay on the American Political System", 2014.
Yale University Phi Beta Kappa, 2014.

Honorable Mention, National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship, 2014.

TEACHING

Political Preferences and American Political Behavior (undergraduate and graduate seminar in political science)

Measuring Impact and Opinion Change (a lecture course on field experiments designed for advanced undergraduates in statistics & data science)

Data Science for Political Campaigns (an introductory undergraduate lecture with a focus on teaching Python)

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Referee for *American Journal of Political Science* (x9); *American Political Science Review* (x8); *American Politics Research* (x2); *British Journal of Political Science* (x8); *Canadian Journal of Political Science* (x2); *European Journal of Political Economy*; *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*; *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology* (x2); *Journal of Experimental Political Science* (x3); *Journal of Gender Studies*; *Journal of Homosexuality*; *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*; *Journal of Politics* (x10); *Journal of Women, Politics & Policy*; *Legislative Studies Quarterly* (x3); *Oxford University Press*; *Political Analysis* (x2); *Political Behavior* (x3); *Political Communication* (x3); *Political Research Quarterly*; *Political Science Research and Methods* (x3); *Politics & Gender* (x2); *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*; *Research & Politics* (x2); *Review of Economics and Statistics* (x2); *Social Influence*; *Social Science Computer Review*; *State Politics & Policy Quarterly*; *TESS*.

UNIVERSITY AND
DEPARTMENTAL
SERVICE

Yale University: Institutional Review Board Human Subjects Committee (2019 – 2021); Co-organizer, Quantitative Research Methods Workshop (2019 – 2021); American Politics Field Exam Committee (2019; 2020); First-Year Advisor (2020 – 2021); Board of Trustees, Slifka Center for Jewish Life (2020 – present).

CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS &
INVITED
PRESENTATIONS

2020 – 2021: Columbia University Political Methodology Colloquium; University of Colorado, Boulder Department of Information Science Lecture Series; Yale University Social/Personality Psychology Colloquium; University of Washington Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences Seminar Series.

2019 – 2020: Toronto Political Behaviour Workshop; University of Washington Political Science Department.

2018 – 2019: Columbia University Political Science Department; Northwestern University Kellogg School of Management Dispute Resolution Research Center; Princeton University Center for Behavioral Science & Public Policy; Social Science Research Council Identity, Community, and Participation Workshop.