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### **Academic Appointments**

2019-Present	Associate Professor, Claremont Graduate University
2018-Present	Co-Director, Inequality and Policy Research Center
2019-2022	Associate Dean, School of Social Science and Policy Evaluation
2019-2021	Chair, Department of International Studies (2019-2020) and Division of Politics and Economics (2021)
2011-2019	Assistant Professor, Claremont Graduate University
2010-2011	Visiting Assistant Professor, Claremont Graduate University

### Education

2005–2010 Ph.D. in Political Science, University of California San Diego
2003–2005 M.A. University of California San Diego
1997–2001 A.B. Brown University

### **Books**

2025	Geography,	Capacity, and Inequa	lity II: Redistribution.	Cambridge	University Press	(w/ Pablo Beramendi)
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- 2022 *Geography, Capacity, and Inequality I: Spatial Inequality.* Cambridge University Press (w/ Pablo Beramendi)
- 2015 The Politics of Place and the Limits to Redistribution. Routledge Press

### **Peer Reviewed Journal Articles**

- 28 The Modifiable Areal Unit Problem in Political Science. Conditionally Accepted, *Political Analysis* (w/ Dong Wook Lee, Hillel Soifer)
- 27 Federal Incarceration and Native American Felon Disenfranchisement in the US West (w/ Jean Schroedel, Joseph Dietrich) Forthcoming, *Journal of Political Institutions and Political Economy*
- 26 Decentralization and the Spatial Distribution of Infant Mortality in Less Developed Nations. Forthcoming, *Regional Studies* (w/ Pablo Beramendi and Soomin Oh)
- 25 Revisiting the Origins of Felony Disenfranchisement in the United States. Forthcoming, *Studies in American Political Development*. (w/ Jean Schroedel, Joseph Dietrich, Blake Garcia)
- 24 Achieving Electoral Equity After Brnovich: A Case Study in Native Activism in Nevada. *Social Science Quarterly*, (2024) 105(3): 567-581. (w/ Jean Schroedel, Joseph Dietrich, David Lindgren)
- 23 The Political Origins of Urban Deconcentration: Evidence from 50 Years of Nightlight Data. *Regional Studies, Regional Science*, (2024) 11(1):1-21. (w/ Soha Hammam)
- 22 Democracy, Economic Development, and Health Inequalities. *Studies in Comparative International Development*, (2023) 58(3): 511-537. (w/ Ana Salazar, Javier Rodriguez, Rena Salayeva)
- 21 Structural Racism, the USPS and Voting by Mail On-and Off-Reservation in Arizona. *Studies in American Political Development* (2023) 37: 111-126. (w/ Jean Schroedel, Joseph Dietrich).
- 20 Inequalities in Vote by Mail for Native Americans in the West. *Journal of Historical Political Economy* (2023) 2(4) (w/ Jean Schroedel, Joseph Dietrich)
- 19 Measuring the Rural Continuum in Political Science, *Political Analysis* (2021) 29(3): 267-286 (w/ Zoe Nemerever)
- 18 Federalism and the Welfare State in Latin America, *Regional and Federal Studies* (2021) 31(1): 163-184.
- 17 Federalism and Inequality in Risk-Taking, *Frontiers in Political Science* (2021) (w/ Yuzhu Zeng, Andrew Marx, Mia Poynor, Morgan Lu)
- 16 Assessing the Efficacy of Early Voting Access on Indian Reservations, *Politics, Groups, and Identities* (2020) 10(1): 81-99 (w/ Jean Schroedel, Joseph Dietrich, Savannah Johnston, Aaron Berg)
- 15 Fiscal Decentralization and the Distributive Incidence of the Great Recession, *Regional Studies* (2020) 54(7): 881-896 (w/ Pablo Beramendi)
- 14 When Militant Organizations Lose Militarily but Win Politically, *Cooperation and Conflict* (2020) 55(3): 365-387 (w/ Benjamin Acosta)

- 13 Measuring Geographic Distribution for Political Research, *Political Analysis* (2019) 27(3): 263-280 (w/ Dong Wook Lee)
- 12 Inter-regional Inequality and the Dynamics of Government Spending, *Journal of Politics* (2019) 81(2): 487-504. (w/ Dong Wook Lee)
- 11 Intra-elite Competition and Long-run Fiscal Development, *Journal of Politics* (2019) 81(1): 49-65. (w/ Pablo Beramendi, Mark Dincecco)
- 10 Disparate Geography and the Origins of Tax Capacity, *Review of International Organizations* (2018) 16(1):213-327 (w/ Pablo Beramendi)
- 9 What's Left to Tax? Partisan Reallocation of Trade Taxation in Less Developed Countries, *Political Research Quarterly* (2017) 70(3): 495-508 (w/ Eunyoung Ha)
- 8 Barriers Against the Egalitarian Turn. *Latin American Research Review*, (2017) 52(4): 529-551 (with Pablo Beramendi, Alberto Díaz-Cayeros)
- 7 Analysis of Panamanian DMSP/OLS Nightlights Corroborates Suspicions of Inaccurate Fiscal Data, *Remote Sensing Applications: Society and Environment* (2017) (November, v8): 99-104 (w/ Andrew Marx)
- 6 Taxing with Dictators and Democrats: Regime Effects, Transfers, and Revenue in Argentina's Provinces. *Journal of Politics in Latin America* (2014) 6(1): 3-44
- 5 Income Taxation and the Validity of State Capacity Indicators. *Journal of Public Policy* (2013). 34(1): 1-24 (w/ Nicholas Weller)
- 4 National Leverage: Partisan Constraints on Reform in Sub-National Bureaucracies. *Revista Sul America de Ciência Política* (2013) 1(1): 112-137
- 3 Democracias Liberal E Iliberal Na América Latina. (reprint in Portuguese) *Opinião Pública* (2009) 15(2): 356-385 (w/ Peter Smith)
- 2 Liberal and Illiberal Democracy in Latin America. *Latin American Politics and Society* (2008) 50(1): 31-57 (w/ Peter Smith)
- 1 Governmental Performance and Political Regimes: Latin America in Comparative Perspective, 1990-2004. *Taiwan Journal of Democracy* (2008) 3(2): 101-117 (w/ Peter Smith)

### **Other Peer Reviewed Publications**

- 7 "On the Spatial Dimension of Redistributive Politics." In Olivier Jacques and Alain Noël, ed. *Inequality and Redistribution Across Territories*. (2024) McGill University Press
- 6 "Book Review: Spending to Win." *Perspectives on Politics* 19(1).
- 5 "Inequality and Democratic Representation in Latin America." In Dolores Trevizo and Joe Foweraker, ed. *Democracy and Its Discontents in Latin America.* (2016) Lynne Reinner Press
- 4 "Book Review: The Fire Next Door: Mexico's Drug Violence and the Threat to America." *Trends in Organized Crime* (2013) 16(2): 249-250
- 3 The Taxation Tango: State Capacity in Argentina's Provinces. (2010) UMI Dissertation Publication
- 2 "Illiberal and Liberal Democracy in Latin America." In William Smith, ed. *Latin American Democratic Transformations*. (2010). Cambridge: Blackwell Publishers
- 1 *From Peace to Governance: Police Reform and the International Community* Washington, D.C.: Washington Office on Latin America (2002).

### **Under Review**

- Democracy Distorted (w/ Pablo Beramendi, Carles Boix, Marc Guinjoan)
- Voting Your Pocket Book or Voting Your Place? (w/ Dong Wook Lee) Revise and Resubmit
- Assessing the Impact of Precinct Location and Police Division Management on Crime Response in Dallas (w/ Ben Feingold, Spencer Mueller, Rina Nagashima)
- Democracy Against the State? Commodity Booms and the Politics of Capacity Building (w/ Pablo Beramendi, Victoria Paniagua)
- Measuring Voter Equity at the Local Level (w/ Jean Schroedel, Joseph Dietrich, Tessa Provins)

### **Book Manuscripts**

- Spatial Segregation and Political Exclusion of Native Americans in the United States (w/ Jean Schroedel)

## **University Leadership Roles**

Associate Dean, School of Social Science, Policy, and Evaluation: 2019-2022 Co-Director, Inequality and Policy Research, Center of the Institute for Democratic Renewal: 2018-Present Division Chair, Division of Politics and Economics: 2021 Department Chair, Department of International Studies: 2019-2020 Chair, Faculty Research Committee (University Level): 2020-Present American Politics Field Chair: 2020-Present Comparative Politics Field Chair: 2015-Present Claremont Faculty Leadership Program: 2020 Founder and Director, CGU Inequality Lab: 2016-2018 Academic Search Committee Chair: 2020 (3 Positions) Academic Search Committee Member: 2014, 2016, 2017, 2019 Admissions and Financial Aid Committee (Division Level): 2011-Present Transdisciplinary Program Advisory Committee (University Level) Budget Committee (University Level) Academic Standards Committee (University Level) Board Chair's Advisory Group (University Level)

## **Recent Awards**

Fletcher Jones Foundation Award, Felony Disenfranchisement of Native Americas (\$8,000) New Perspectives in Studies of American Governance (\$14,692, w/ Joseph Dietrich, Jean Schroedel) Public Agenda Project Democracy Renewal Project Grant (\$50,000; w/ Joseph Dietrich, Jean Schroedel, Tessa Provins) American Philosophical Society, Phillips Fund for Native American Research (\$3,200) Andrew Carnegie Fellows Program Senior Faculty Nominee 2023, Theme: Political Polarization Lincoln Land Initiative, 2023: Support for projects on Police Geography, Gender Effects of Deindustrialization, and the Local Political Economy Conference (\$15,000) Institute for Humane Studies 2023: Conceptualizing and Measuring Geographic Polarization (\$2,500; w/ Zoe Nemerever) Health and Human Services: ADRD Program, 2021 (\$45,000, with Javier Rodriguez, Sandra Garcia, Dong Wook Lee) ICPSR Workshop 2021 "Ethical Collection, Dissemination, and Use of Data on American Indian and Alaska Native Populations" BLAIS Research Grant, 2018-2019 (\$15,750) Visiting Fellow, UCSD Center for U.S. Mexican Studies 2018 Fletcher Jones Research Grant, Claremont Graduate University 2017 (\$7,258; with Andrew Marx) Big Data Faculty Research Award, Claremont Graduate University 2015 (\$3,500) Fletcher Jones Research Grant, Claremont Graduate University 2015 (\$6,400) BLAIS Research Grant, 2013-2014 (\$24,876) Fletcher Jones Research Grant, Claremont Graduate University 2012 (\$7,100) Avery Fellow, Claremont Colleges 2012-2013, 2015-1016, 2019-2020 (\$6,000) Post-Doctoral Fellowship, University of Southern California 2010-2011 (Declined) Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Center for U.S. Mexican Studies 2010-2011 and 2011-2012 (Declined) Senior Vice Chancellor's Fellowship, Academic Year 2009-2010

#### National Science Foundation Dissertation Research Grant, 2007-2009 (\$12,000)

## Service to the Profession

Councilmember	American Political Science Association (2024-)
Chair	Political Methodology Society Diversity Committee (2022-)
	APSA Political Economy Section Best Book Award Committee (2022)
	APSA 2025 Political Economy Section
Organizer	Southern California Political Institutions and Political Economy Conference (2024)
	PRIEC at CGU (2024)
	Local Political Economy Conference (2023)
	California Workshop in Empirical Political Science (CaliWEPS IV, 2022)
	CGU-UCR Job Market Workshop 2022
	Class and Inequality Conference (2022)
	Visions in Methodology Conference, Political Methodology Society (2021)

	Southern California Comparative Political Institutions (2012, 2017, 2019)				
	Department of International Studies Student Conference (2018, 2019)				
	Politics of Race Immigration Ethnicity Consortium (2019)				
Evaluator	Advancement, Tenure, and Promotion decisions, 2019 (1), 2023 (2)				
Editor	APSA's Representation and Electoral Systems Newsletter				
Mentor	Midwest Political Science Association (2018)				
Faculty Mentor	r "The Current Global Regime and its Great Challenges towards 2050," UCSD and Fundación BBVA (2023)				
Panelist	Best Graduate Student Paper, MPSA 2020				
Panel Chair	Western Political Science Association 2013, 2019, 2020				
	Midwest Political Science Association 2012, 2017, 2019				
Discussant	Historical Political Economy Workshop 2020 & 2021				
	Political Institutions & Political Economy Collaborative 2022, 2023				
	American Political Science Association 2019 & 2020				
	Council for European Studies 2015				
	Southern California Comparative Political Institutions 2011, 2012				
	Midwest Political Science Association 2012 (2); 2013 (3); 2015; 2016 (2); 2017 (2); 2020				
	Western Political Science Association 2013, 2016, 2019, 2020				
Reviewer	American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, British Journal of Political Science,				
	Journal of Politics, International Studies Quarterly, Trends in Organized Crime, Journal of Public Policy, Po-				
	litical Research Quarterly, Comparative Politics, Comparative Political Studies, Journal of Politics in Latin				
	America, Political Science Research and Methods, International Interactions, Political Analysis, Studies in				
	Comparative International Development, Environment and Planning C, Latin American Research Review,				
	Electoral Studies, International Security, Publius, Regional and Federal Studies, Review of International Or-				
	ganizations, Comparative Economic Studies, American Sociological Review, World Development				

# Ph.D. Student Placement

Committee Chair	
Academic, Tenure	Frack
	Shawnika Johnson (Pitzer College), Alma Bezares (Whittier College, Economics), Zeyad Elkelani (Cairo
	University, Data Science), Giacomo DiPasquale (Wagner College, Economics), Amy Nantkes (Point Loma
	Nazarene), Noemi Alexander (Cal Baptist Univ), Lily Rowen (Laramie County Community College), Ha-
	jer Basodan (King AbdulAziz University), Lama Shaiekh (King AbdulAziz University), Abdurraof Elakder
	(University of Tripoli)
Academic, Post Do	c/Fellowship/Teaching
	Soha Hammam (Fellow, Harvard University), Timothy Milosch (Biola University), Simon Tang (CSU Fuller-
	ton), Gary Hawk (Copper Mountain College), Lauren Shaffer (CSU Northridge), Gia Honnen (Pepperdine)
Public Sector	
	Abdulaziz Albinali (Govt of Bahrain), Jake Campbell (Department of Veteran Affairs, LA County Dept of
	Public Health), Roger Chin (Washington State), Brian Jewett (Laguna Beach Water District), Zaid Alkdidi
	(Govt of Saudi Arabia), Glenn Steinback (Department of Defense), Noemi Alexander (Riverside Unified
	School Board), Amad Abukkazam (Govt of Libya), Inseon Roh (Govt of South Korea), Zeyad Elkelani (Chief
	Data Scientist, Ministry of the Economy of Egypt)
Private & Non-Prof	
	Carlos Echeverria-Estrada (National Opinion Research Center), Byron Ramirez (Economist, BPM), Lara
	Steele (Biogen), Lisa Jene (U.S. Overseas Cooperative Development Council), Shawn Matiossian (Disney)
Committee Membe	
Academic, Tenure	
	Dong Wook Lee (Adelphi University), Joseph Dietrich (Towson University), Kerstin Fisk (Loyola Mary-
	mount), Rachelle Walker (Vanguard Univ), Sumaia Alkohlani (United Arab Emirates University), Linda
	Alvarez (CSU Northridge), Charupol Ruangsuwan (Thammasat University), Benjamin Acosta (LSU, IDC-
	Herzliya)
Academic, Post Do	c/Fellowship/Teaching
	Minjae Yun (Assistant Director, Lowe Institute, Claremont McKenna College), Chungeon Koo (Post Doc,
	Inequality Center South Korea), Joseph Lake (CSU San Bernadino), Jessica McGuire, Ning Li, Se Kwen Kim
	(University of LaVerne), Benjamin Smith (Sacramento State)
Public Sector	

Paul Pulido (LA Govt), Ichsan Zulkarnaean (Govt of Indonesia), Morgan Stockman (CDC), Miriam Sierra Aguilar (Washington State), Rainita Nerender (Riverside Co Prosecutor's Office)

Private & Non-Profit Sector

Kristoffer Wikstrom (Neilson), Maryah Garner (Economist, Coleridge Initiative), Yunie Le (Economist, Coleridge Initiative), Jingjing An (Acumen), Sara Kazemian (Acumen), Morgan Stockman (Economist, Blisspoint Media), Eveline Gnabasik, Norvell Thomas, Michael Merino (US Green Building Council), Maria Morales (MIM Consulting), Ben Feingold, Spencer Mueller

## **Media Participation**

Voice of America:"Despite Gains, Native Americans Still Face Voting Barriers"

The Economist: "Punching above their weight"

Washington Post "Monkey Cage": "Is your town urban or rural? A lot of money rides on the government's answer-which may soon change"

Dallas Morning News, January 2020

NPR's Marketplace, December 2, 2019

Washington Post "Monkey Cage"" "What keeps Native Americans from voting ... and what could change this?"

Panoramas Website, University of Pittsburgh: Taxing with Dictators and Democrats

## **Selected Working Papers**

- Endogenous Borders (w/ Pablo Beramendi, Dong Wook Lee)
- Conceptualizing and Quantifying Geographic Polarization in the American States (w/ Zoe Nemerever)
- Inter-elite Competition and Fiscal Development in the US States (w/ Pablo Beramendi, Traviss Cassidy, and Mark Dincecco)
- Political Parties and the Geography of Economic Preferences (w/ Dong Wook Lee)
- Political Competition and Economic Development in Industrializing America: Growth Dynamics in the US South (w/ Byengseon Bae)
- Deindustrialization and Government's Role in Gendered Employment Recomposition (w/ Maggie Kohl)
- The Curse of Overrepresentation (w/ Pablo Beramendi)

## **Teaching Experience**

Claremont Graduate University Wealth, Poverty, and Inequality Parties and Elections **Comparative Political Economy** Theories and Issues in Comparative Politics Democracy and Development **Comparative Political Institutions Oualitative and Mixed-Methods Research** Politics of Non-Democratic Countries Foreign Policy of Latin America Politics of Developing Countries Political and Econ Development in Latin America Pitzer College Democracy and Development Wealth, Poverty, and Inequality Scripps College Wealth, Poverty, and Inequality University of California, San Diego The U.S. Congress Politics of the Southern Cone Latin American Politics Thunderbird School of Management Guest Lecturer, U.S. Foreign Policy and the Latin American Business Climate

## **Invited Talks**

October 2024 University of Arizona School of Government and Public Policy October 2024 Native Candidate Forum, Phoenix March 2024 Brennan Center Convening on Voting Rights, NYU March 2024 PIPE Workshop on The Political Economy of Native Policy, USC January 2024 Conference on Regional Inequalities, Bocconi University September 2023 Conference on Electoral Administration, Massachusetts Institute of Technology May 2023 DONDENA Center, Bocconi University May 2023 Department of Social and Political Sciences, Bocconi University April 2023 Montréal Inequality and Federalism Conference March 2023 Empirical Study of Gender Research Network, UC San Diego March 2023 Polarization Research Lab Annual Meeting, Stanford December 2022 Political Institutions and Political Economy Conference, USC December 2022 University of Houston Hobby School of Public Affairs November 2022 Political Institutions and Political Economy Workshop, USC September 2022 USC Comparative Politics Workshop May 2022 Seminar on Fiscal Federalism, Buenos Aires, Argentina May 2022 Politics of Crisis Workshop, Santiago de Compostela, Spain May 2022 Princeton Book Workshop May 2022 Historical Political Economy of the US West, USC April 2022 Inequality Conference, Konstanz, Germany April 2022 USC Book Workshop February 2022 UCSB Political Economy Workshop February 2022 UC Riverside Political Behavior Workshop October 2021 **IPRC** Workshop CGU Tuesday Talk Series February 2021 May 2020 UCSD Democracy and Inequality Workshop May 2020 UC Riverside: Political Behavior Workshop February 2020 London School of Economics: Comparative Politics Workshop October 2019 University of Mannheim: The Political Economy of Reforms July 2019 Peking University: Taxation and Fiscal Capacity Workshop June 2019 OOG & VDEM (U Gothenburg): State Capacity- Measurement Innovations, Gaps and Challenges Workshop April 2019 Duke University: State Capacity- Causes and Consequences December 2018 The Carter Center: Native American Participation in U.S. Elections October 2018 Center for US-Mexican Studies, UCSD January 2018 California Police Chief's Executive Leadership Institute October 2017 Claremont University Club: U.S. Elections in Comparative Perspective March 2017 University of Amsterdam: Workshop on the Sub-National State in Latin America March 2017 Texas A&M: Taxation, Fiscal Capacity and Revenue Workshop March 2017 UC Riverside: Graduate Colloquium November 2016 CGU Tuesday Talk: "A Natural Experiment of GDP Underreporting using Nightlights Data" October 2016 CGU Taking the Constitution Seriously Series CGU Tuesday Talk Series: "Intra-elite Competition and Long-run Fiscal Development" September 2016 May 2016 SUNY Buffalo: Workshop on the Politics of Redistribution January 2016 UCLA Comparative Politics Series: "Geography, Elite Competition, and the Origins of Tax Capacity" April 2015 Stanford University Comparative Politics Workshop: "Geography, Capacity, and Inequality" February 2014 Occidental College: "Regional Inequality in Latin America" October 2013 UC San Diego: "Inequality, Electoral Institutions, and Government Spending" CGU Tuesday Talk Series: "Shifting the Burden in Global Markets" October 2013 November 2013 IELA: "Regional Inequality within Latin America" May 2013 CGU Board of Visitors, School of Politics and Economics February 2012 CGU Tuesday Talk Series: "Uneven Development, Unequal Education" December 2011 Claremont University Club: "South America and the Global Economic System" December 2011 CGU Minority Mentors Program: "How to Present at Conferences" April 2011 CGU Tuesday Talk Series: "Taxing with Dictators Under Democracy"

# Legal Training

Redistricting Expert Witness Training, Native American Rights Fund, May-September 2021

# **Recent Conference Presentations**

American Political Science Association, September 2024
Elite Interests and Fiscal Development in US States
Comparative Internal Migration
Industrializing South
Electoral Integrity Conference, July 2024
Measuring Voter Equity in US Counties
Electoral Science, Reform, and Administration Conference, May 2024
Measuring Voter Equity in US Counties
American Political Science Association, September 2023
Political Parties and the Geography of Economic Preferences
Measuring Voter Equity in US Counties
The Curse of Overrepresentation
Commodity Booms, State Capacity, and Enfranchisement
Polarization Research Lab, March 2023
Conceptualizing and Quantifying Geographic Polarization in the American States
American Political Science Association, September 2022
Political Parties and the Geography of Economic Preferences
Conceptualizing and Quantifying Geographic Polarization in the American States
Political Origins of Urban Concentration in Latin America
Midwest Political Science Association, April 2022
Voting Your Pocketbook or Voting Your Place?
Political Origins of Urban Concentration in Latin America
American Political Science Association, September 2021
Voting Your Pocketbook or Voting Your Place?
Democracy Distorted
Structural Racism, the USPS and Voting by Mail On-and Off-Reservation in Arizona
Political Origins of Urbanization
Royal Geography Society, September 2021 Political Origins of Urban Change in Latin America
American Political Science Association, September 2020
Voting Your Pocketbook or Voting Your Place?
The Modifiable Areal Unit Problem in Political Science
Western Political Science Association, April 2020
Voting Your Pocketbook or Voting Your Place?
State Politics Conference, March 2020
Intra-elite Competition and Long-run Fiscal Development in the U.S. States
Southern California Political Methods, September 2019
Measuring Rural Populations in Political Science
American Political Science Association, September 2019
The Politics of Death
Visions in Methodology, May 2019
Measuring Geographic Distribution for Political Research
Western Political Science Association, April 2019
Economic Geography, Industrialization, and Redistribution
Geography, Capacity, and Inequality
Midwest Political Science Association, April 2019
Economic Geography, Industrialization, and Redistribution
Building Subnational State Capacity in Mexico
American Political Science Association, September 2018
Economic Geography and Redistribution
Midwest Political Science Association, April 2018
Nascent Bureaucracies
Measuring Geographic Distribution for Political Research
Electoral Integrity Project, September 2017

Assessing the Efficacy of Early Voting Access on Indian Reservations	
American Political Science Association, September 2017	
From Losers to Winners	
Economic Geography and the Politics of Redistribution	
What's the Right Answer to Trade Liberalization?	
Midwest Political Science Association, April 2017	
Commodity Shocks, State Capacity, and the Politics of Redistribution	
Measuring Regional Inequality for Political Research	
Economic Geography and State Capacity	
Southern California Comparative Political Institutions Conference, September 2016	
Measuring Regional Inequality for Political Research	
American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, September 2016	
Intra-elite Competition and Long-Run Fiscal Development	
Latin American Studies Association, New York, May 2016	
Inequality and Democratic Representation in Latin America	
Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2016	
Regional Inequality and Dynamics Government Expenditure	
Western Political Science Association, San Diego, March 2016	
NAFTA's Opportunities	
Shifting the Burden	
Council for European Studies, Paris, July 2015	
Geography, Capacity, and Inequality	
Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2015	
Bringing Regions Back In	
Comparing Inequalities	
Southern California Comparative Political Institutions Conference, September 2014	
Comparing Inequalities	
Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2014	
Regional Inequality and Political Party Representation	
Bringing Home the Bacon or Serving the Homemade Bread	
American Political Science Association, Chicago, September 2013	
Regional Inequality and Political Parties	
International Studies Association-Peace Science Society, Budapest, July 2013	
Bringing Regions Back In	
Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2013	
Regional Income Inequality and Government Spending	
Federalism and Regional Income Inequality	
International Studies Association, San Francisco, April 2013	
Shifting the Burden: Partisan Effects on Tax Reform	
Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2012	
Uneven Development, Unequal Education	
Trading for Development: Local Interests and National Policy Salience	

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