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RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

American Politics, Race and Ethnic Politics, Latino Politics, Representation, Immigration, U.S. Congress

EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor, Lafayette College 2013-present
• Government and Law Department

EDUCATION

Ph.D, Political Science 2013
• Duke University
• Dissertation Title: The Political Representation of Non-Citizen Latinos: An Analysis of Legislative Motivations
• Committee: John H. Aldrich (chair), Paula D. McClain, Kerry L. Haynie, Richard L. Engstrom

MA, Political Science 2010
• Duke University
• Fields: American Politics, Race and Ethnic Politics

BA, Political Science 2007
• University of Colorado, Boulder
• Summa Cum Laude, With Distinction

RECENT AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

• ARC Research Grant, Lafayette College 2014
• EXCEL Scholar Grant, Lafayette College 2014
• The American Association of University Women (AAUW) Dissertation Fellowship 2012-2013
• Summer Research Fellowship, Duke University Graduate School 2012
• Race, Ethnicity and Gender in Social Sciences Graduate Fellow, Duke University 2010-2013
• Political Institutions and Public Choice Fellowship, Duke University 2007-2012
• Duke University Graduate Studies Fellowship 2007-2012
• Democracy, Institutions and Political Economy (DIPE) Grant, Duke University 2011

PUBLICATIONS

- Aldrich, John H., Brittany N. Perry and David W. Rohde. 2013. "Richard Fenno's Theory of Congressional Committees and the Partisan Polarization of the House." In *Congress Reconsidered, Tenth Edition*, ed. Lawrence C. Dodd and Bruce L. Oppenheimer.
- Aldrich, John H., Brittany N. Perry and David W. Rohde. 2012. "House Appropriations After the Republican Revolution." *Congress and the Presidency* 39: 1-25.

WORKING BOOK MANUSCRIPT

- *The Political Representation of Non-Citizen Latinos: An Analysis of Legislative Motivations.*

WORKING PAPERS

- "For Policy or Politics? Using Interview Data to Assess Non-Citizen Representation in the U.S. States"
- "Bridging the Gap: How Geographic Context Affects Political Information Flow among Citizen and Non-Citizen Latinos." With Christopher DeSante. *Under review.*
- "The Determinants of Political Participation for Non-Citizen Latinos." With Christopher DeSante. *Under review.*
- "How Political Geography Moderates the Effect of Citizenship Status on Latino Participation Rates." With Christopher DeSante
- "Finding a Focus: Immigration Policy Specialization in the United States Congress" With E. Scott Adler

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Instructor: Lafayette College

- Introduction to U.S. Politics Spring 2014
- Racial and Ethnic Minorities in American Politics Spring 2014
- Latino Immigration and American Politics (Seminar) Fall 2013
- Congress and the Legislative Process Fall 2013

Instructor: Duke University

- Latino Immigration and Elections Fall 2012
- Introduction to American Politics Summer 2011

Teaching Assistant

- APSA Ralph Bunche Summer Institute, Paula D. McClain Summer 2012
- Film, Race and Politics, Paula D. McClain Spring 2012
- Introduction to American Political Systems, David W. Rohde Fall 2011
- Introduction to Racial and Ethnic Minorities in American Politics, Paula D. McClain Spring 2011
- Public Opinion, D. Sunshine Hillygus Fall 2009

Research Assistant

- John H. Aldrich, Duke University 2007-2012
- Paula D. McClain, Duke University 2010-2012
- David Paletz, Duke University 2010
- E. Scott Adler, University of Colorado 2005-2007

RECENT PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCES

Paper Presentations

- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago April 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
- Southern Association of Public Opinion Research Conference, Raleigh October 2010
- American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Toronto August 2009
- Western Political Science Association Annual Conference, Las Vegas March 2007

Discussant

- American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Washington D.C. August 2014
Panel on Current Issues in Latino Politics
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago April 2014
Panel on Race, Class, and Ethnicity

Poster Presentations

- American Political Science Association Annual Conference, New Orleans August 2012

OTHER EDUCATION AND SKILLS

Education

- Certificate in College Teaching Program, Duke University Completed May 2013
- ICPSR Short Course, Panel Data Analysis Using STATA July 2011

Other Skills

- Proficient in LaTeX, STATA and R

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Department and Graduate School

- Coordinator, Departmental Research Working Group, Lafayette College January 2014-present
- Instructor, "From Me to We" Social Justice Retreat, Lafayette College May 2014
- Ralph Bunche Summer Institute, Graduate Student Coordinator 2010-2011
- Graduate Student President, Department of Political Science, Duke University 2010-2011
- Prospective Graduate Student Visit Coordinator, Department of Political Science Duke University 2008-2009
- Graduate Student Activities Coordinator, Department of Political Science Duke University 2007-2008

Honor's Thesis Advisor

- Matthew McKenzie, "The Old Problems of the New Prohibition: The Impact of US Prohibitionist Policy on Organized Crime in Mexico" 2013-2014

Referee

- American Politics Research
- American Review of Politics