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Academic Appointments

- 2021– Mary Toepelt Nicolai & George S. Blair Assistant Professor,
Division of Politics & Economics, [Claremont Graduate University](#)
- Faculty Affiliate, Inequality & Policy Research Center
 - Faculty Affiliate, Computational Justice Lab (Economics)
- 2020– Faculty Affiliate, [Center for Effective Lawmaking](#)
- 2020–2021 Assistant Professor,
Department of Political Science, University of Texas at El Paso
- Faculty Affiliate, Chicano Studies Program
- 2019–2020 APSA Congressional Fellow,
American Political Science Association, Washington, DC
- Placement: United States Senator Jeff Merkley (D-OR)

Education

- 2019 PhD in Political Science, University of California, Davis
- 2012 Master of Public Policy, Oregon State University
- 2009 B.A. in Political Science, Washington State University

Additional Training

- 2021 Credential in Effective College Instruction, Association of College and University Educators & American Council on Education

Publications

‡Denotes student colleague co-author.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 2026 [30] Guy-Uriel, Charles E., Luis Fuentes-Rohwer, Michael Latner, & **Carlos Algara**. “[Callais Confusion, Power-Sharing, and the Inevitability of Proportional Representation.](#)” *The Yale Law Journal Forum*. 654–695.
- Research Featured: [Election Law Blog](#)
- 2025 [29] **Algara, Carlos**, Byengseon Bae‡, Lisette Gomez‡, Edward Headington‡, Hengjiang Liu‡, & Bianca Nigri‡. “[Party Brands, Presidential Approval, and Challengers in U.S. National Elections.](#)” *Research & Politics*. 1–14.

- 2025 [28] **Algara, Carlos** & Jared Stefani. “Does Military Service Matter? How Veteran Status Motivates Legislative Collaboration, Success, & Effectiveness in the U.S. Senate.” *American Politics Research*. 1–12.
- 2025 [27] **Algara, Carlos**, Isaac Hale, & Daniel J. Simmons. “Interest Group Influence on Preferences for New Voting Rights Legislation in a Polarized Environment.” *Representation: Journal of Representative Democracy*. 1–12.
- 2024 [26] **Algara, Carlos**, Lisette Gomez[‡], Edward Headington[‡], Hengjiang Liu[‡], & Bianca Nigri[‡]. “Forecasting Partisan Collective Accountability During the 2024 U.S. Elections.” *PS: Political Science & Politics*. 1–21.
- Part of the Symposium on Forecasting the 2024 U.S. Elections
 - Fall 2023 Representation & Elections Independent Study Group Project
- 2024 [25] **Algara, Carlos** & Alexander Specht[‡]. “The Role of State & National Institutional Evaluations in Fostering Collective Accountability Across the U.S. States.” *Political Research Quarterly*. 1–20.
- Research Featured: [The Associated Press](#)
- 2024 [24] **Algara, Carlos** & Byengseon Bae[‡]. “Do Quality Candidates and Incumbents Still Matter in the Partisan World? Comparing Trends & Relationship Between Candidate Differentials and Congressional Election Outcomes, 1900–2022.” *Journal of Political Marketing*. 1–23.
- Part of the 2024 Special Symposium on the 2022 U.S. Midterm Congressional Elections
 - Research Featured: [The Washington Post](#)
- 2024 [23] **Algara, Carlos**. “Dynamics of Partisan Competition for Legislative Majorities in the U.S. House & Senate, 1959–2020.” *American Politics Research*. 1–19.
- Research Featured: [The New Yorker](#); [Vox](#); [Science of Politics Podcast](#)
- 2024 [22] Liu, Tzu-Ping & **Carlos Algara**. “The Greater Effects of Sexual Harassment: A Conjoint Analysis Assessing Variation in Political Scandal Effects on Candidate Evaluations in the United Kingdom.” *Sexuality Research and Social Policy*. 1–18.
- 2024 [21] **Algara, Carlos** & Josh M. Ryan. “The Electoral Costs of Legislative Action: Dynamic Partisanship and Agenda Control in the U.S. Congress.” *Journal of Political Institutions & Political Economy*. 577–615.
- Part of the Special Issue Commemorating the 30th Anniversary of the Legislative Leviathan (Cox & McCubbins 1993)
- 2023 [20] **Algara, Carlos** & Isaac Hale. “Race, Partisanship, and Democratic Politics: The Role of Racial Attitudes in Motivating White Americans’ Electoral Participation.” *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics*. 1–23.
- 2023 [19] **Algara, Carlos** & Daniel J. Simmons. “Incentivizing COVID-19 Vaccination in a Polarized and Partisan United States.” *Journal of Health Politics, Policy, and Law*. 1–39.
- Research Featured: [The Washington Post](#)
- 2023 [18] **Algara, Carlos** & Roi Zur. “The Downsian Roots of Affective Polarization.” *Electoral Studies*. 1–13.
- Part of the “Affective Polarization in Multiparty Systems” Special Issue

- 2022 [17] **Algara, Carlos**, Sharif Amlani[‡], Samuel Collitt[‡], Isaac Hale, & Sara Kazemian[‡]. “Nail in the Coffin or Lifeline? Evaluating the Electoral Impact of COVID-19 on President Trump in the 2020 Election.” *Political Behavior*. 1–29.
- Research Featured: [London School of Economics U.S. Politics & Policy Blog](#)
- 2022 [16] Bae, Byengseon[‡] & **Carlos Algara**. “Fenno’s Paradox in a Polarized Age: How Polarization Lowers the Mass Public’s Assessments of the Congress & Legislators.” *Congress & the Presidency*. 1–32.
- 2022 [15] Fuller, Sam[‡], Sara Kazemian[‡], **Carlos Algara**, & Daniel J. Simmons. “Assessing the Effectiveness of COVID-19 Vaccine Lotteries: A Cross-state Synthetic Control Methods Approach.” *PLoS One*. 1–18.
- 2022 [14] **Algara, Carlos**, Isaac Hale, & Cory Struthers. “No Balance, No Problem: Evidence of Partisan Voting in the 2021 Georgia U.S. Senate Runoffs.” *American Politics Research*. 1–21.
- 2022 [13] **Algara, Carlos** & Savannah Johnston. “The Rising Electoral Role of Polarization & Implications for Policymaking in the United States Senate: Assessing the Consequences of Polarization in the Senate from 1914–2020.” *The Forum: A Journal of Applied Research in Contemporary Politics*. 1–35.
- Part of the January 2022 Special Symposium on the United States Senate
 - Research Featured: [Florida Politics](#)
- 2021 [12] Amlani, Sharif[‡] & **Carlos Algara**. “Partisanship & Nationalization in American Elections: Evidence from Presidential, Senatorial, & Gubernatorial Elections in the U.S. Counties, 1872–2020.” *Electoral Studies*. 1–13.
- Research Featured: [The Economist](#); [The New York Times](#)
- 2021 [11] Kazemian, Sara[‡], Sam Fuller[‡], & **Carlos Algara**. “The Role of Race and Scientific Trust on Support for COVID-19 Social Distancing Measures in the United States.” *PLoS One*. 1–23.
- Research Featured: [U.S. National Library of Medicine Center for Biotechnology Information PubMed Archive](#)
- 2021 [10] **Algara, Carlos**. “Congressional Approval & Responsible Party Government: The Role of Partisanship & Ideology in Citizen Assessments of the Contemporary U.S. Congress.” *Political Behavior*. 1–41.
- Research Featured: [Niskanen Center Science of Politics Podcast](#); [Roll Call](#)
- 2021 [9] **Algara, Carlos**. “The Collective ‘Congress’ on the Ballot? A Voter & Aggregate Level Analysis of Collective Responsibility in Congressional Elections.” *Congress & the Presidency*. 1–46.
- 2021 [8] **Algara, Carlos** & Joseph Zamadics. “Ideological Cross-Pressures or Random Error? An Analysis of Spatially Incorrect Voting in the U.S. House & U.S. Senate.” *Journal of Legislative Studies*. 1–35.
- 2020 [7] **Algara, Carlos**, Sam Fuller[‡], Christopher D. Hare, & Sara Kazemian[‡]. “The Interactive Effects of Scientific Knowledge & Gender on COVID-19 Social Distancing Compliance.” *Social Science Quarterly*. 1–10.

- 2020 [6] **Algara, Carlos** & Isaac Hale[‡]. “White Racial Attitudes & Political Cross-Pressures in Nationalized Elections: The Case of the Republican Coalition in the Trump Era.” *Electoral Studies*. 68(1): 1–13.
- Research Featured: [The Sacramento Bee \(I\)](#); [The Sacramento Bee \(II\)](#); [Roll Call](#); [La Croix](#); [APSA Political Science Now](#); [The Texas Tribune](#); [The New York Times](#)
- 2020 [5] **Algara, Carlos**, Sam Fuller[‡], & Christopher D. Hare. “The Conditional Effects of Scientific Knowledge & Gender on Support for COVID-19 Government Containment Policies in a Partisan America.” *Politics & Gender*. 1–10.
- Part of the Cambridge Coronavirus Collection
 - Research Featured: [3Streams Blog](#); [U.S. National Library of Medicine: National Institutes of Health Public Health Emergency COVID-19 Initiative](#)
- 2019 [4] Barnett, George & **Carlos Algara**. “Diachronic Equivalence: An Examination of the International News Network.” *Social Network Analysis & Mining*. 9(6): 1–11.
- 2019 [3] **Algara, Carlos**. “The Conditioning Role of Polarization in U.S. Senate Election Outcomes: A Direct-Election Era & Voter-Level Analysis.” *Electoral Studies*. 59(1): 1–16.
- Research Featured: [LegBranch](#); [FiveThirtyEight](#)
- 2019 [2] **Algara, Carlos** & Isaac Hale. “The Distortionary Effects of Racial Animus on Proximity Voting in the 2016 Elections.” *Electoral Studies*. 58(1): 58–69.
- Research Featured: [The New York Times \(I\)](#); [The Pacific Standard](#); [The New York Times \(II\)](#); [La Tercera](#)
- 2019 [1] **Algara, Carlos** & Joseph Zamadics. “The Member Level Determinants & Consequences of Party Legislative Obstruction in the U.S. Senate.” *American Politics Research*. 47(4): 768–802.
- Research Featured: [London School of Economics U.S. Politics & Policy Blog](#)

Works in Progress

RESEARCH UNDER REVIEW

- [1] **Algara, Carlos**, Byengseon Bae[‡], & Isaac Hale. “Taking the Median Voter Seriously: Experimental & Observational Evaluation of the Extremity Penalty in U.S. Congressional Elections.” Presented at 2025 MPSA Annual Meeting. R&R at *Political Science Research & Methods*.
- [2] **Algara, Carlos**, Byengseon Bae[‡], Isaac Hale, Michael Heseltine, & Evan Lieber[‡]. “The Rise of Amateur Candidate Pipelines & Declining Value of Candidate Experience in U.S. Senate Primaries, 1980–2024.” Presented at 2024 WPSA, APSA Annual Meetings & 2025 USC Pipe Collaborative Workshop. R&R at *Legislative Studies Quarterly*.
- Research Featured: [USC Price School News](#)
- [3] **Algara, Carlos** & Isaac Hale. “The Multiple Dimensions of Electoral Choice: Adding Issue Salience to Partisanship & Ideology.” Working paper. Presented at 2023 CES Conference & 2025 APSA, WPSA Annual Meetings.

SELECT RESEARCH IN PREPARATION

- [1] **Algara, Carlos** & Byengseon Bae[‡]. “Inequality & Rational Retrospection: The Role of Income Inequality in Shaping Citizen Assessments of their Congress, President, and Supreme Court.” Working paper. Presented at 2023 APSA, WPSA, & MPSA Annual Meetings.
- [2] **Algara, Carlos**. “**Legislative Effectiveness, Electoral Anticipation, and Garnering Campaign Advantage in the United States Senate.**” Working paper. Center for Effective Lawmaking Working Paper 2024-08.
- [3] **Algara, Carlos**, Chris Hare, & Sam Fuller. “Are Voters Risk Averse? Specifying Utility Functions in Spatial Models of Voting.” Working paper. Presented at 2025 MPSA Annual Meeting.
- [4] **Algara, Carlos**, Sam Fuller, & Jack Rametta. “Rational Voting in the Age of Ideological Polarization & Responsible Parties: Examining Presidential Elections from 1972–2020.” Working paper. Presented at 2022 MPSA Annual Meeting, 2023 APSA EPOVB Conference, & 2026 Harvard American Politics Research Workshop.
- [5] **Algara, Carlos**, Javier Rodríguez, & Nasser Khalil[‡]. “Health in Forgotten Governments? Partisan Composition of County Governments & Constituent Public Health Outcomes.” Working paper. Research funded by Fletcher Jones Grant. Presented at 2024 APSA Annual Meeting.
- [6] **Algara, Carlos**. “Broadband Internet Expansion Motivates Intraparty Competition in U.S. Congressional Primaries.” Working paper. To be presented at 2026 MPSA & WPSA Annual Meetings.
- [7] **Algara, Carlos** & Lucas Wilder[‡]. “Self-Selecting into Polarization: College Freshmen Intending Political Careers Are More Ideologically Extreme and Politically Active than Their Peers.” Working paper. To be presented at 2026 MPSA & WPSA Annual Meetings.
- [8] **Algara, Carlos**, Michael Latner, & Lucas Wilder[‡]. “Racial Coalitions & Retrospective Economic Voting in U.S. National Elections, 2012–2024.” Working paper. To be presented at 2026 SPSA Annual Meeting.

Grants & Awards

2024	Faculty-Student Research Collaboration Award (\$5,250), Lincoln Land Policy Institute
2023	Fletcher Jones Foundation Research Grant (\$9,000), Claremont Graduate University
2022	Summer Centennial Center Research Grant (\$2,500), American Political Science Association
2022	Center for Effective Lawmaking Research Conference Honorarium Award (\$1,500), University of Virginia
2020	University Faculty Research Institute Grant (\$5,000, Declined), University of Texas at El Paso, Office of Research & Special Projects
2020	Dirksen Center Congressional Research Grant Award (\$3,500), Dirksen Congressional Research Center

- 2020 Center for Effective Lawmaking Small Grant Competition Award (\$2,400), [Center for Effective Lawmaking, University of Virginia & Vanderbilt University](#)
- 2020 Certification in Effective Teaching Classroom & Online Practices (\$1,333), Association of College and University Educators (ACUE)
- 2019 Emerging Congressional Scholars Dinner Honorarium Award (\$1,200), Hewlett Foundation Madison Initiative & American University
- 2019 National Science Foundation Travel Grant (\$1,000), Cooperative Congressional Election Study Sundance Conference
- 2019 Harrell Rodgers Policy Studies Graduate Student Travel Scholarship (\$500), Midwest Political Science Association
- 2018 Annual Meeting Travel Grant (\$500), American Political Science Association
- 2018 National Science Foundation Travel & Workshop Grant (\$900), Annual Political Networks Conference, American Political Science Association
- 2018 Dissertation Workshop Retreat Grant (\$500), UC Davis Institute for Social Sciences & Humanities
- 2018 Conference Travel Grant (\$500), UC Davis Graduate Student Association Conference
- 2016 Faculty-Student Summer Collaborative Research Fellowship (\$5,000), UC Davis Department of Political Science (with Walter Stone & Christopher Hare)
- 2016 Department Travel Grant to the Annual Meeting of the APSA (\$500), UC Davis Department of Political Science
- 2016–18 Department Travel Grants to the Annual Meeting of the MPSA (\$500 each), UC Davis Department of Political Science
- 2013 Fall Graduate Student Fellowship (\$6,000), UC Davis Department of Political Science
- 2010–12 Masters of Public Policy Fellowship (Tuition & Stipend), Oregon State University

Teaching

INSTRUCTOR OF RECORD

Claremont Graduate University

- 2025 Nature of Inquiry: Quantitative Research Design in Social Science (Graduate Seminar). [Syllabus](#)
- 2024–25 Introduction to Statistical Methods in Political Science Using R (Graduate Seminar). [Syllabus](#)
- 2023–25 Topics in American Politics: Critically Evaluating Democracy in America—Backsliding? (Graduate Seminar). [Syllabus](#)
- 2022–23 Executive (Presidential)-Congressional Relations in the United States (Graduate Seminar). [Syllabus](#)
- 2023 Independent Study Research Workshop: Electoral Accountability & Forecasting in the United States (Graduate Research Workshop). [Syllabus](#)

- 2023 Maximum Likelihood Estimation & Applied Research Methods in Political Science (Graduate Research Workshop). [Syllabus](#)
- 2022–24 Political Representation in the United States (Graduate Seminar & Research Workshop). [Syllabus](#)
- 2021–25 Introductory American Politics Graduate Core Course (Graduate Seminar). [Syllabus](#)

University of Texas at El Paso

- 2021 The United States Congress (Asynchronous Online Undergraduate Lecture). [Syllabus](#)
- 2021 Race Politics in America: Behavioral Foundation of Identity (Synchronous Graduate Student Seminar, MA/MPA). [Syllabus](#)
- 2020 Introduction to American Politics & Government (Synchronous Online Undergraduate Lecture). [Syllabus](#)

Sacramento State University

- 2019 American Public Opinion & Political Behavior (Upper-Level Undergraduate Seminar). [Syllabus](#)

University of California, Davis

- 2017 Introduction to American Politics & Government (First-Year Undergraduate Seminar). [Syllabus](#)

Conference & Workshop Presentations

- 2025 University of Southern California, Political Institutions & Political Economy (PIPE) Collaborative Workshop (Invited Presentation)
- 2024 UCSD American Politics Mini Conference, University of California, San Diego (Invited Presentation)
- 2023 Legislative Leviathan 30th Anniversary Conference, Political Institutions & Political Economy (PIPE) Mini Conference, USC Price School of Public Policy (Invited Presentation)
- 2023 University of Southern California, Political Institutions & Political Economy (PIPE) Collaborative Workshop (Invited Presentation)
- 2023 Elections, Public Opinion, & Voting Behavior (EPOVB) Inaugural Conference, American Political Science Association, Florida State University (Section Panel)
- 2023 California Workshop in Empirical Political Science (Virtual Workshop)
- 2022 State Politics & Policy Conference, American Political Science Association, Florida State University (Section Panel)
- 2021 New Perspectives and New Questions in Legislative Studies, Center for Congressional & Presidential Studies, American University (Invited Funded Virtual Conference, ×2)
- 2021 Congress & History Conference, University of Kansas Dole Institute of Politics & Washington University at St. Louis (Invited Funded Virtual Workshop)
- 2021 ECPR Workshop: Affective Polarization Around the World, European Consortium for Political Research (Virtual Conference Joint Session Workshop)

- 2021–25 Center for Effective Lawmaking Spring Research Conference, Vanderbilt University & University of Virginia (Invited Funded Conference)
- 2019, 2023 Cooperative Election Study (CES) Sundance Conference, Brigham Young University (Invited Funded Conference)
- 2017 APSA Dissertation Workshop on U.S. Congressional Politics (Invited Workshop)
- 2016–26 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting (Section Panels)
- 2016–26 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (Section Panels)
- 2016–26 Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting (Section Panels)
- 2018 Sunbelt Social Networks Conference Annual Meeting (Section Panel)
- 2018 Political Networks (PolNet) Conference Annual Meeting (Section Panel)
- 2012 Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting (Section Panel)

Departmental & Professional Service

For a complete list of media appearances, see: calgara.github.io/media.html

- 3/2026 Science of Politics Podcast Guest: What Predicts Midterm Results? [Niskanen Center](#)
- 1/2025 News Interview: “Did Republicans Take Washington in a Landslide? Not So Much.” [The New York Times](#)
- 1/2024 News Interview: “Unchartered waters for fractured GOP.” [France 24](#)
- 6/2023 News Interview: “Supermajorities in state capitols push controversial policies to the edge.” [Associated Press](#)
- 5/2023 Online Workshop: Academic CVs, Jobs, & Interviews. Hosted by CGU Division of Politics & Economics
- 4/2023 Tuesday Talk Research Presentation, [Claremont Graduate University](#)
- 12/2022 Panelist: Future of the Senate Project (Washington, DC), Brookings Institution
- 5/2022 Online Workshop: Preparing for the Job Market in Political Science. Hosted by CGU Inequality & Policy Center and UC-Riverside Department of Political Science
- 4/2022 Presentation: CGU Lunch & Learn Workshop. Hosted by Student Engagement & Division of Politics and Government
- 2/2022 Online Workshop: CGU Political Science Graduate Student Workshop. [Conference Proposal Process/Presenting at Conferences](#)
- 10/2021 Tuesday Talk Research Presentation, [Claremont Graduate University](#)
- 9/2021 Online Workshop: CGU Political Science Graduate Student Workshop. [How to Prepare for the Academic Job Market during Graduate School \(with Tyler Reny\)](#)
- 5/2021 Science of Politics Podcast Guest: How Voters Judge Congress. [Niskanen Center](#)
- 3/2021 Panelist: First-Generation Scholar Panel, [Edward R. Murrow College of Communication, Washington State University](#)

- 1/2021 Panelist: Rebuild Congress Initiative Roundtable (Cambridge, MA), Harvard Negotiation Project
- 1/2021 Brookings Debate Coverage: “**McConnell releases Schumer from filibuster promises, but left still pushes.**” The Times Union (Albany, NY)
- 1/2021 Panelist: **Debating the Future of the Filibuster**, The Brookings Institution (Washington, DC)
- 12/2020 Panelist: Beyond the 2020 Election Panel Conversation, UTEP Center for Student Engagement
- 11/2020 Panelist: **Why White Voters Overwhelmingly Supported Trump—Again**, KQED, Northern California National Public Radio Affiliate
- 11/2020 Panelist: **Post-2020 Election Panel Conversation**, The Nelson A. Rockefeller Center for Public Policy at Dartmouth College
- 11/2020 Panelist: **Post-2020 Election Panel Conversation**, UTEP Center for Student Engagement
- 10/2020 Panelist: Domestic Affairs Forum 2020 Election Panel, United States Military Academy (USMA), West Point
- 10/2020 Alumni Panelist: Congressional Fellowship Orientation, American Political Science Association (Washington, DC)
- 9/2020 Panelist: **The Constitution: Then & Now Panel Discussion**, UTEP Student Engagement & Leadership Center
- 9/2020 Panelist: Discussion on the state of the U.S. Senate, Bipartisan Policy Center (Washington, DC)
- 2023 Conference Panel Organizer, APSA Congressional Fellowship “Understanding Congress as an Institution” Pre-Conference Panel
- 2023 Committee Member, APSA Congressional Fellowship Program Selection Committee
- 2023–25 Committee Member, CGU Budget University Level Committee
- 2023– Committee Member, CGU MA/PhD Political Science Admissions Committee
- 2022– Committee Member, CGU Qualifying Exam Committees (American Politics)
- 2022– Faculty Co-Founder, CGU Political Behavior Lab
- 2022–24 Committee Member, APSA Rules & Elections Committee
- 2022 Alan Rosenthal Prize Committee, **APSA Legislative Studies Section**
- 2021–22 Conference Panel Organizer, APSA Political Networks (PolNet) Conference
- 2019–20 Faculty Committee Member, UTEP Political Science Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
- 2016–20 Student Co-founder & Organizer, American Politics Reading Group/Workshop, UC Davis
- 2016 Associate Instructor Development Certificate, Learner-Centered Teaching, UC Davis
- 2016 Mentor, UC Davis Undergraduate Research Training & Mentorship Program (Funded)
- 2014–15 Graduate Student Union Representative, Department of Political Science, UC Davis

Peer-Review Service

American Political Science Review; Journal of Politics; Political Behavior; PLOS One; Political Research Quarterly; British Journal of Political Science; Legislative Studies Quarterly; Electoral Studies; Political Psychology; Congress & the Presidency; American Politics Research; Spatial Demography; Politics & Gender; Social Science Quarterly; Acta Politica; Economic Systems; West European Politics; Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics; Political Marketing; Japanese Journal of Political Science; Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties; Public Opinion Quarterly; Party Politics; Politics & Governance; Social Science Research; Representation: Journal of Representative Democracy; Cambridge University Press (textbook review); W.W. Norton & Company

Student Thesis Advising

Graduate Students (CGU): Samantha Vo (Chair, Master of Public Policy, Politics & Government); Samantha Nickelson (Committee Member, Master of Public Policy, Politics & Government); Ellie Sun Hwang (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government); David Edlefsen (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government); Shawn Mattiossian (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government); Christopher Freeland (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government); Laura Bouamrane (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government); Bianca Nigri (Committee Member, PhD, Economics); Mark Smith (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government); Hengjiang Liu (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government); Edward Headington (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government); Faisal Alhamar (Committee Member, PhD, Politics & Government)

Graduate Students (UTEP): Adriana Chavez De La Rosa (Committee Member, M.A., Political Science); Christopher Farrell (Committee Member, M.A., Political Science)

Non-Academic Work

2012–13 Research Analyst, Oregon State University Foundation, Corvallis, OR
2011 Graduate Legislative Fellow, Office of U.S. Sen. Jeff Merkley (D-OR), Washington, DC
2009 Undergraduate Legislative Intern, Washington State House of Representatives, Olympia, WA

Applied Computing & Research Skills

Statistical **R** (advanced, including data visualization, data management, SNA, & Bayesian methods), **Stata**, Qualtrics
Methodology Causal Inference, Latent Variable Measurement & Scaling, Social Network Analysis, Predictive & Forecasting Modeling
Presentation **L^AT_EX** (advanced, including Beamer presentation, BibTeX, & poster presentation), **RMarkdown** (advanced, including typesetting, code replication/collaboration, & HTML web development)

References

Available upon request.