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## POSITIONS HELD

Assistant Professor, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Department of Political Science (2017-present)

## EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science, University of Iowa (2017)

*Fields:* American Politics and Political Methodology

*Dissertation Title:* The Political Origins of Racial and Ethnic Inequality

*Dissertation Committee:* Rene Rocha (*Chair*), Julianna Pacheco, Caroline Tolbert, Frederick J. Boehmke, and Sarah K. Bruch (*Sociology*)

M.A. Political Science, University of Iowa (2014)

B.A. Political Science, Grinnell College (2011)

## RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS

Public Policy, Race and Politics,  
American Politics, Criminal Justice, Immigration

## HONORS & AWARDS

Blacks and Politics Paper Award from the Western Political Science Association (2016)  
Given by the Western Political Science Association for the best paper presented on Black Politics

Ted Robinson Memorial Award (2015)  
Given by the Southwestern Political Science Association for the best research proposal by a graduate student in the field of Minority Politics

Award for the best paper presented in the Race, Ethnicity, and Politics section of APSA (2015)

University of Iowa Ballard Seashore Dissertation Fellowship (Spring 2017)

University of Iowa Graduate College Post-Comprehensive Research Award (Spring 2016)

**REFEREED ARTICLES**

Maltby, Elizabeth and Rebecca J. Kreitzer. *Forthcoming*. “How Racialized Policy Contact Shapes the Social Constructions of Policy Targets.” *Policy Studies Journal*.

Kreitzer, Rebecca J., Elizabeth Maltby, and Candis Watts Smith. 2022. “Fifty Shades of Deservingness: An Analysis of State-Level Variation and Effect of Social Constructions on Policy Outcomes.” *Journal of Public Policy* 1-29.

Damore, David F., Elizabeth Maltby, and Rebecca D. Gill. 2022. “Battleground Nevada Holds Steady in 2020.” in *Presidential Swing States*. 3rd edition. *Editors: David Schultz and Rafael Jacob*. Lanham, Maryland: Lexington Books.

Maltby, Elizabeth, Rene Rocha, Brad Jones, and Dave Vannette. 2020. “Residential Context, Mass Deportation, and Latino Linked Fate.” *Journal of Race, Ethnicity and Politics* 5:3:509-536.

Pacheco, Julianna and Elizabeth Maltby. 2019. “Trends in State Level Opinions toward the Affordable Care Act.” *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law* 44:5:737-764.

Altema McNeely, Natasha, Elizabeth Maltby, and Rene Rocha. 2019. “How the Link Between Social Capital and Migratory Duration Helps Us Understand Immigrant-Native Inequality.” *Social Science Quarterly* 100:3:749-761.

Maltby, Elizabeth. 2017. “The Political Origins of Racial Inequality” *Political Research Quarterly* 70:3:1-14.

Pacheco, Julianna and Elizabeth Maltby. 2017. “The Role of Public Opinion: Does it Influence the Timing of ACA Decisions?” *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law* 42: 309-340.

**REVISE & RESUBMIT**

“Influence of State Party Politics on Public Attitudes towards Compromise.” (with Daniel J. Lee)

**MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW**

“Race and Democratic Decline in the US: How Minority Population Growth Affects Election Administration.” (with Joseph Coll and Rene R. Rocha)

“Crossed Wires: Understanding Policy Feedback in Varying Policy Environments.” (with Rachel Torres, Jielu Yao, Rene Rocha, and Adriano Undani)

**WORKING PAPERS**

“Constructing Groups from the Bench.” (with Abigail A. Matthews)

“Black Lives Matter, Racial Attitudes, and the Shaping of 2020’s Politics: How Race Influenced Political Participation in the Year of George Floyd.” (with Olivia K. Cheche)

“Race-Making Institutions: Criminal Justice Enforcement and Black Identity”

“Policing Participation: Policy Feedback in Context.” (with Jielu Yao and Rachel Torres)

“Immigration Enforcement and Anti-Immigrant Policy Preferences”

“Criminal Justice and the Polarization of Public Opinion”

“Race, Space, and Representation.” (with Kristen Carroll and Rene Rocha)

“Objective Economic Inequality and Public Opinion toward Inequality in the States” (with Shuai Jin and Julianna Pacheco)

## INVITED TALKS

”Unintended Consequences of Immigration Policy” talk given for the O’Hara Lecture in Law and Politics at Miami University, October 2019

## CONFERENCES & PRESENTATIONS

“Constructing Groups from the Bench.” (with Abigail A. Matthews) American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, September 2022

“Race and Democratic Decline in the US: How Minority Population Growth Affects Election Administration.” (with Joseph Coll and Rene R. Rocha) Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2022

“Black Lives Matter, Racial Attitudes, and the Shaping of 2020’s Politics: How Race Influenced Political Participation in the Year of George Floyd.” (with Olivia K. Cheche) Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, March 2022

“Policing Participation: Policy Feedback in Context.” (with Rachel Torres, Rene Rocha, Jieliu Yao, and Adriano Undani) Journal of Public Policy REP Workshop, February 2021

“Policing Participation: Policy Feedback in Context.” (with Jieliu Yao and Rachel Torres) American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August 2019

“Assessing the Relationship Between Policy and Social Constructions in US States.” (with Rebecca Kreitzer and Candis Watts Smith) American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August 2019

“Policing Participation: Policy Feedback in Context.” (with Jieliu Yao and Rachel Torres) Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2019

“Influence of State Party Politics on Public Attitudes towards Compromise.” (with Daniel J. Lee). Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2019

“How Policy Contact Shapes Social Constructions of Politically Relevant Groups.” (with Rebecca Kreitzer) Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, January 2019

“Policing Participation: Policy Feedback in Context.” (with Jieliu Yao and Rachel Torres) American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, September 2018

“A Full-Text Approach to Policy Diffusion Research with an Application to Abstinence-Only Policy.” (with Rebecca D. Gill, Eric C. Nystrom, and Luna M. Rodriguez) State Politics and Policy Conference, June 2018

“Race-Making Institutions: Criminal Justice Enforcement and Black Identity.” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2018

“Race, Space, and Representation.” (with Kristen Carroll and Rene Rocha). Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2018

“Immigration Enforcement and Anti-Immigrant Policy Preferences.” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2017

“Trends in State Level Opinions toward the Affordable Care Act.” (with Julianna Pacheco) Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2017

“Immigration Enforcement and Anti-Immigrant Policy Preferences.” Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2017

“Immigration Enforcement and Public Perceptions of Immigrants and Latinos.” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, September 2016

“Criminal Justice and the Polarization of Public Opinion.” Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2016

“Criminal Justice and the Polarization of Public Opinion.” Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, March 2016

“The Role of Public Opinion: Does it Influence the Timing of ACA Decisions?” (with Julianna Pacheco) Diffusion of ACA Policies Across the American States: What? How? Why?, *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law* and University of Chicago, June 2015.

“New Policy Creates New Politics: How Punitive Outcomes Structure Racial Threat Among Latinos and Anglos.” (with Rene Rocha) Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2015.

“New Policy Creates New Politics: How Punitive Outcomes Structure Racial Threat Among Latinos and Anglos.” (with Rene Rocha) Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2015.

“Latino Identity, Ethnic Context, and Mass Deportation.” (with Rene Rocha) American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August 2014.

“Why Does Social Capital Increase Inequality Between Immigrants and Natives?” (with Rene Rocha) Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2014.

“Delegation Choices and Accidental Outcomes: The European Court of Justice and the Federalization of the European Union.” Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April 2011.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **Instructor: Undergraduate Courses**

PSC 302: Research Methods (Spring 2019)

PSC 401I: Ethnic and Minority Politics (Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Fall 2020, Spring 2022, Fall 2022)

PSC 401Z: Racial Inequality in American Politics (Spring 2021, Spring 2022)

PSC 403Z: Immigration Policy (Fall 2017, Spring 2019)

PSC 403Z: American Public Policy (Fall 2018, Fall 2020)

PSC 499: Senior Seminar (Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021)

American Public Policy (Spring 2015, University of Iowa)

### **Instructor: Graduate Courses**

PSC 710R: American Politics Pro-Seminar (Fall 2019, Fall 2021, Fall 2022)

PSC 719: Advanced Studies in American Politics: Race and Politics (Spring 2020)

PSC 721: Public Policy Process (Spring 2018)

### **Teaching Assistant, University of Iowa**

American Public Policy (Fall 2014, Fall 2015)

Immigration Politics (Fall 2015)

Introduction to American Politics, Head TA (Spring 2014)

Introduction to American Politics (Fall 2012, Fall 2013)

The U.S. Congress (Spring 2013)

### **OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

Research Assistant, Julianna Pacheco (Fall 2014, Summer 2014, Summer 2016, Fall 2016)

Research Assistant, Rene Rocha (Summer 2015, Summer 2017)

Research Assistant, Frederick Boehmke (Summer 2013)

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Section Chair, Public Policy. Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2023

Section Co-Chair, Undergrad: Policy and Administration. Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2022

Race, Ethnicity and Politics APSA Book Award Committee Member. American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2020

Section Co-Chair, Parties, Interest Groups, and Social Movements. Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2020

Section Chair, State, Local and Urban Politics. Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2019

Reviewer, *American Journal of Political Science*; *American Politics Research*; *Electoral Studies*; *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties*; *Journal of Politics*; *Journal of Public Policy*; *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics*; *Latino Studies*; *Policy and Politics*; *Policy Studies Journal*; *Political Behavior*; *Political Research Quarterly*; *Politics, Groups, and Identities*; *Public Opinion Quarterly*; *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*; *Sociological Inquiry*

### **DEPARTMENTAL & UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

Registered Student Organization Faculty Advisor for UNLV Black Student Mentorship Program (2022–Present)

Registered Student Organization Faculty Advisor for UNLV People Power (2022–Present)

College of Liberal Arts Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, Political Science Representative, UNLV (2021–present)

Department of Political Science Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee Member, UNLV (2021–present)

ICPSR Designated Representative for UNLV (2019–present)

Department of Political Science Undergraduate Studies Committee Member, UNLV (2019–present)

Department of Political Science Personnel Committee Member, UNLV (2019–2020)

Department of Political Science American Politics Search Committee Member, UNLV (2018–2019)

Department of Political Science Graduate Studies Committee Member, UNLV (2018–2019)

Department of Political Science Awards Committee Member, UNLV (2017–2019)

Department of Political Science Scholarship Committee Member, UNLV (2017–2019)

## **PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

UNLV Equity Institute, Spring 2022 Cohort, UNLV

Educational Equity: Inclusion and Diversity in the Classroom Workshop, August 2019, UNLV

## **GRADUATE STUDENTS SUPERVISED**

Sabrina Maki, MA Thesis Defended Summer 2018

Alison Caleindo, PhD Defended Summer 2019

Bernadette Lazar, PhD Defended Fall 2019

Christopher Rivers, (Chair) MA Thesis Defended Spring 2021

Michael Mutzhaus, (Chair) MA Thesis Defended Spring 2021

Kaylie Pattni, MA Thesis Defended Spring 2021

Nicole Koval, PhD In Progress

Robert Melanson, MA Thesis Defended Fall 2021

Dante Miller, PhD In Progress

Justin Ponkow, (Chair) PhD In Progress

Paula Luna, (Chair) MA In Progress

## **UNDERGRADUATE HONORS STUDENTS SUPERVISED**

Olivia Cheche, (Chair) Honors Thesis Defended Fall 2021

Syeda Jamshed, Honors Thesis Defended Fall 2021

Nashontia Abdul-Ali, (Chair) Honors Thesis In Progress

## **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

American Political Science Association

Public Policy (APSA Section)

Race, Ethnicity and Politics (APSA Section)

Midwest Political Science Association

Western Political Science Association

Southern Political Science Association

## **OTHER SKILLS**

Statistical Packages: Stata

Applications: L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, common Windows database, spreadsheet, and presentation software

*References available upon request.*