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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2016-Present Assistant Professor, Fordham University, Department of Political Science

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science, University of Minnesota, July 2016

M.A. Political Science, University of Minnesota, 2011

B.A. Political Science and Women Studies, University of Colorado at Boulder, 2003

SCHOLARSHIP**Articles in Peer Reviewed Journals**

“Intersectionality as an Assembly of Analytic Practices: Subjects, Relations, and Situated Comparisons”
New Political Science Vol. 37, No. 4 (2015): 649-656 (with Joe Soss).

“Transgender: Examining an Emerging Political Identity Using Three Political Processes”
Politics, Groups, and Identities Vol. 3, No. 3 (2015): 381-397.

“LGBT” *TSQ: Transgender Studies Quarterly* Vol. 1, Nos. 1/2 (May 2014): 118-120.

Chapters in Edited Volumes and Essays

“Rethinking GLBT as a Descriptive and Analytic Category in Political Science” in *LGBTQ Politics: A Critical Reader*, edited by Marla Brettschneider; Susan Burges; Cricket Keating (New York: NYU Press, forthcoming)

Working Papers

“‘Not Work Done in Your Home’: LGBT Scholars, the Study of Gender and Sexuality, and Intersectionally-Responsible Coalitions in Political Science” (with Dara Strolovitch)

“‘Gay’ or ‘Homosexual’: The Policy Implications of Question Wording Effects” (with Brianna Smith, Matthew Motta, Timothy Callahan, and Marissa Theys)

“After All Others Have Had Their Say: The Role of Supreme Court Opinions on the Diffusion of Policies Across the 50 States”

Conference Paper Presentations

“LGBT Politics in the Age of Conservative Ascendancy, 1988-1990,” presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, September 1-5, 2016.

“‘Not Work Done in Your Home:’ LGBT Scholars, the Study of Gender and Sexuality, and Intersectionally-Responsible Coalitions in Political Science” for “Building Coalitions to Advance Diversity and Address Discrimination” short course at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 2, 2015.

“Unity or Diversity: Examining the Formation of the LGBT Coalition in U.S. Politics” presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 3-6, 2015.

“‘Gay’ or ‘Homosexual:’ The Policy Implications of Question Wording Effects” to be presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 3-6, 2015 (with Brianna Smith, Matthew Motta, Timothy Callahan, and Marissa Theys)

“Like a Fish Needs a Bicycle: Examining the Construction of ‘Political Lesbians’ in the 1970s” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 15 – 18, 2015.

“LGBT: Examining a New Identity Category as Coalition” presented at the Western Political Science Association Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, April 2 – 5, 2015.

“Identity talk: LGBT” presented at the Western Political Science Association Meeting, Seattle, WA, April 17-19, 2014.

“If we do not make the title, we do not make the language:’ Tracing the discursive construction of LGBT political identity in the 1990s,” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, April 3-6, 2014.

“Backlash as Policy Diffusion: Anti-gay marriage amendments in the states after Lawrence v Texas,” presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, April 12-15, 2012.

Invited Talks

“The Future of Transgender Rights,” roundtable participant at the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, September 1-5, 2016.

“A Movement Against all the ‘-isms:’ Transgender Political Identity in the U.S., 1993-2003,” presentation for Trans*Mission Week at the University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire, November 4, 2015.

“Doing Archival Research,” presentation for Feminist Research Methods at the University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire, December 11, 2014.

“If we do not make the title, we do not make the language:’ Tracing the discursive construction of transgender political identity,” presented at the Gender, Sexuality, Power and Politics Colloquium convened by the departments of Political Science and Gender, Women, Sexuality Studies, Minneapolis, MN, April 25, 2014.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Department of Politics, Princeton University
Supervisor: Professor Dara Strolovitch, 2014 - ongoing

- Coded Historic Black Newspaper articles for the project “Advocacy in Hard Times;” conducted content analysis using R.
- Coded legislative hearings

Research Assistant, Department of Political Science & Writing Enriched Curriculum, University of Minnesota

Supervisors: Professor Andrew Karch and Pamela Flash, Spring 2013 & 2014

- Conducted assessment of undergraduate syllabi and writing assignments for academic year 2012-2013 and assisted in the development of undergraduate writing curriculum.

Methodological Training & Experience

Quantitative methods courses: Ordinary Least Squares Regression; Maximum Likelihood Estimation; Event History Analysis; Evolutionary Factor Analysis; Content Analysis in R

Qualitative methods courses: Historical Social Science; Graduate Qualitative Methods (Interviews); Course Participant, Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Syracuse University, June 13-24 2011.

Course Participant, Summer Institute in Political Psychology, Stanford University, July 2007.

Graduate Certificate, Political Psychology, The George Washington University, 2007.

Additional Training & Experience

Invited Participant, “‘Acts to Ground:’ On the Politics of the Humanities,” 2013 Winter School, Centre for Humanities Research, University of the Western Cape, Cape Town, South Africa, July 2013.

TEACHING

Experience

Instructor, Department of Political Science, University of Minnesota
POL 3733: Gender and Sexuality in U.S. Politics, Fall 2015

Lab Instructor, Department of Political Science, University of Minnesota
POL 3085: Quantitative Analysis in Political Science, Fall and Spring 2012

- Designed and led four sections to teach students basic commands in Stata, research design, and interpretation of results. Met regularly with students to assist them in designing independent research projects for final grade.

Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science, University of Minnesota

POL 4487: Struggle for Democracy and Citizenship, Spring 2014

POL 4495: Politics of Families, Sex, and Children, Spring 2013

POL 1001: American Democracy in a Changing World, Fall and Spring 2011, Spring 2009

POL 3477: Political Development, Spring 2010

POL 3767: Political Psychology of Elite Behavior, Fall 2010

POL 3739: Politics of Race, Class, and Ethnicity, Fall 2009

Related Experience/Training

Assistant, College in the Schools, University of Minnesota

Supervisor: Professor Timothy Johnson, 2009 – 2013.

- Led 15 high school teachers through workshops designed to enhance teaching POL 1001: American Democracy in a Changing World as part of the College of Continuing Education. Organize and oversee the annual Political Science College in the Schools Field Day for 350 high school students to debate issues related to US public policy.

GRAD 8101: Teaching in Higher Education, University of Minnesota, Fall 2012

Grading Student Writing, Center for Writing, University of Minnesota, Fall 2010

SERVICE

Recording Secretary, Sexuality and Politics Executive Committee, American Political Science Association

Judge, Best Paper on LGBTQ Politics Presented at APSA 2014, APSA LGBTQ Caucus (with Cynthia Burack)

Co-Chair, Graduate Student Life Committee, Academic year 2010-2011

Comparative Politics Proseminar Co-Coordinator, University of Minnesota, Academic year 2009-2010

First Year Mentor, Graduate Student Life Committee, Academic years 2009-2010; 2011-2012

FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, The Graduate School, University of Minnesota, 2014-2015

Zwickler Memorial Research Grant for the Human Sexuality Collection, Cornell University, May 2014

Wolfsberg Fellowship (for dissertation research and writing), Department of Political Science, University of Minnesota, Fall 2013

Summer Fellowship, Department of Political Science, University of Minnesota, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013

Robert and Shirley Holt Discovery Fellowship (for a graduate student studying comparative politics), Department of Political Science, University of Minnesota, 2008-2009