

Curriculum Vitae

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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Postdoctoral Fellow, National Science Foundation *2018-2020*
University of California, Santa Barbara
Funded by the Social, Behavioral and Economic Sciences Postdoctoral Research Fellowship
Research Scholar, Center for Information, Technology, and Society *2018-2020*
University of California, Santa Barbara

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Cornell University, Department of Government *August 2018*
American Politics
Committee: Suzanne Mettler (Chair), David Bateman (Co-Chair), Jamila Michener
B.S. University of Notre Dame, Department of Political Science *2008*
Dual major: Political Science, Philosophy

RESEARCH INTERESTS

American federalism and the decentralization of public policy
Effects of partisan polarization on policy implementation
State-level variation in partisan issue selection for gubernatorial and legislative campaigns

PUBLICATIONS

Accepted

Meyer-Gutbrod, Joshua L., “*Between National Polarization and Local Ideology: The Impact of Partisan Competition on State Medicaid Expansion Decisions*” *Publius: The Journal of Federalism (in press)*

Under Review

Meyer-Gutbrod, Joshua L. and Woolley, John, “*The Decline of Propriety: Using Sentiment Analysis to Evaluate Administration-Press Relations from Clinton through Trump*”

Working Papers

Meyer-Gutbrod, Joshua L., “*Running Against the Grain: Measuring Partisan Rhetoric in State-Level Campaigns*”

Meyer-Gutbrod, Joshua L., “*Choosing Partisan Goals Over Public Opinion: Polarization-Driven Changes In American Federalism*”

Meyer-Gutbrod, Joshua L., “*Partisanship or Constituent Goals: Explaining Variation In State Response To Federal Preemption*”

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

National Science Foundation, Post-Doctoral Research Fellowship (\$138,000)	2018, 2019
UCSB Center for Information Technology and Society Research Grant (\$500)	2018
Sage Fellowship; Cornell University (\$120,000)	2013, 2017
Meigs American Politics Research Grant, Cornell University (\$3,000)	2016
Herbert I. Flournoy Fellowship, Cornell University (w/ Jamila Michener) (\$2,000)	2015

DATA PROJECTS

Digital Campaigns Project: Archive of state legislative campaign websites from 2014-2018. Texts archives of lower chamber campaign websites in 2014, and 2016, and lower and upper chambers in 2018. 2018 data is collected and stored on a public repository, including images, in collaboration with Archive-It.org.

Geographic Knowledge and Partisan Bias (with Daniel Gomez): Pending digital survey assessing the use of geographic knowledge as a heuristic for partisan knowledge and negative partisanship.

MENTORING

Undergraduate Research Mentor, UCSB	2018-2019
Mentor 5 undergraduate students in data collection and data processing. Included instruction in policy categorization and data carpentry in R with an optional research project.	
<i>Projects:</i>	
<i>Labor Union Rhetoric in the States after Janus vs. AFSCME</i>	
<i>Framing Opioids and Marijuana in the States: Health or Criminal Issues</i>	
Undergraduate Research Mentor, Cornell University	2015-2016
Mentor 8 undergraduate students in data collection and data processing. Included instruction in policy categorization and state politics.	

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

American Political Science Association, Annual Meeting, Washington D.C.,	2019
<i>Running Against the Grain: Measuring Partisan Rhetoric in State-Level Campaigns</i>	
State Politics and Policy Conference, State College, PA,	2018
<i>Challenging Washington Through Legislation: Examining State Response to Federal Mandate</i>	
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL,	2017
<i>Polarized Devolution and the Complexities of State Response: Investigating Medicaid Expansion under the Affordable Care Act</i>	
American Political Science Association, Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA	2016
<i>Unpopular Policy, Devolution and American Federalism in an Age of Polarization</i>	
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL	2015
<i>Party Brand or Policy Substance: Campaigning on the Affordable Care Act at the State Level</i>	
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL	2014
<i>Measuring the Effects of Partisan Imbalance and Professionalization on Competition in State Legislative Elections</i>	

TEACHING EXPERIENCE*Instructor of Record*

Introduction to American Politics (UC Santa Barbara)	2019
Introduction to Research Methods in Political Science (UC Santa Barbara)	2018
Marx, Nietzsche, Freud (Cornell University)	2016 - 2017
Politics in Whoville: U.S. Politics in Children's Literature (Cornell University)	2016

Teaching Assistant-Cornell University:

Introduction to Western Political Thought (Distance Learning) with Dr. Isaac Kramnick	2016 - 2017
American Political Campaigns with Dr. Adam Levine	2015
Introduction to Western Political Thought with Dr. Isaac Kramnick	2015
Introduction to American Politics with Dr. Suzanne Mettler	2014
Taking America's Pulse: Creating and Conducting National Opinion Poll with Dr. Peter Enns	2014
Social Movements in American Politics with Dr. Elizabeth Sanders	2013

Teaching Assistant-University of Oregon:

Women and Politics with Dr. Priscilla Yamin	2009
Modern World Governments with Dr. Clinton Smith	2009
Political Ideologies with Dr. Bruno Anili	2008

Guest Lectures:

Gateway Technology and Society Colloquium: Online Hate at UCSB <i>Polarization, Negative Partisanship, and Hate Speech</i>	2019
Intergovernmental Relations at UCSB <i>Federalism: A History of Conflict</i> <i>State FOIA and Open Meetings Laws in the Digital Age</i>	2019
Macaulay Honors College of City University of New York, at Hunter College <i>Political Science and Election 2016: What we got wrong and What we got right</i>	2016

Advanced Curriculum Development:

Technical Development of Online Distance Learning Courses Introduction to Western Political Thought with Dr. Isaac Kramnick	2015
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND SERVICE

Referee for:

Publius: The Journal of Federalism
Journal of Elections, Public Opinion, and Parties
Journal of Public Policy

UCSB, American Politics Working Group - Coordinator	2018-2019
Cornell University American Politics Working Group - Coordinator	2017
Taking America's Pulse National Opinion Poll, Graduate Student Coordinator	2013
Nonprofit Program Editor and Manager: Lucy Burns Institute & WikiFOIA	2009 - 2013
National Freedom of Information Coalition Conference	2010

SOFTWARE EXPERIENCE

Programming languages:

R, Python & Regular expressions, HTML, STATA, Wiki syntax, Javascript

MEMBERSHIPS

American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association