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EDUCATION

Ph.D Candidate, Sociology, The University of Chicago

Dissertation: Donors, Factions, Parties: Intraparty Conflict and Campaign Finance in American Democracy

Committee: John Levi Martin (Chair), Elisabeth Clemens, John Mark Hansen

2015 M.A. (in passing), The University of Chicago

2007 B.A. (*magna cum laude*), Metropolitan Studies (high honors) and Journalism and Mass Communication, New York University
— Thesis: *The Omniscient Policeman: Terror and Surveillance in the New York City Subways.*

PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming/In Press

Martin, John Levi and Nick Judd. Forthcoming. “Tasks of the Political Sociology of the Next Ten Years.” In *The New Handbook of Political Sociology*, edited by Thomas Janoski, Cedric de Leon, Joya Misra and Isaac Martin. New York: Cambridge University Press.

Research Reports

Messing, Solomon, Patrick VanKessel, Adam Hughes, Nick Judd, Rachel Blum and Brian Broderick. February 2017. “Partisan Conflict and Congress-

sional Outreach.” Pew Research Center.

In Preparation

“Who Speaks in the People’s House? Policy Talk and Unequal Representation in the U.S. Congress.”

“Alliance and Opposition in a Multimodal Political Network.”

“Stability and change in a political role: Small-dollar Democratic donors in federal campaigns.”

AWARDS AND HONORS (SINCE 2013)

Spring 2020 Robert E. Park Lectureship, The University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS (SINCE 2013)

2019–2020 Harper/Provost Fellow, The University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill. (\$27,000)

Summer 2019 Charles R. Henderson Fund Research Grant, The University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill. (\$3,000)

2019–2020 Social Sciences Research Center Graduate Student Fellow, The University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill. (\$500)

Summer 2016 Data Labs Fellowship, Pew Research Center, Washington, D.C.

Summer 2015 Google Data Journalism Fellowship, Sunlight Foundation, Washington, D.C.

2013–2018 Social Science Research Fellow, The University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.

INVITED TALKS (SINCE 2013)

“Who Speaks in the People’s House? Policy Talk and Political Inequality in the U.S. Congress.”

October 2018 Open Scholarship for the Social Sciences, University of Maryland, College Park, Md.

“Hello From the Other Side: Interaction and Ideology in Elite Polarization.”

August 2016 Pew Research Center, Washington, D.C.

“Topic models for text analysis.”

April 2016 Macroanalysis in the Humanities Workshop, The University of Chicago.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (SINCE 2013)

“Beyond ‘Bernie Bros’ and CEOs: An empirical profile of the political donor.”

August 2019 American Sociological Association annual meeting, New York, N.Y.

“Alliance and opposition in a multimodal political network.”

June 2019 Sunbelt 2019, International Network for Social Network Analysis XXXIX Conference, Montréal, Qc.

“Resourceful Campaigner or Campaign Resource? The Campaign Finance Career of the Small-Dollar Democratic Donor.”

April 2019 Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Ill.

“Who Speaks in the People’s House? Policy Talk and Political Inequality in the U.S. Congress.”

August 2018 American Sociological Association annual meeting, Philadelphia, Penn.

July 2018 International Conference on Computational Social Science, Chicago, Ill.

April 2018 Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, Ill.

“Who Controls the People’s House? Agenda-Setting and Inequality in the U.S. Congress.”

August 2016 American Sociological Association annual meeting, Seattle, Wa.

Moderator, “How to Cover the Data-Driven Campaign.”

June 2013 Personal Democracy Forum, New York University, New York, NY.

Moderator, “Do’s and Don’ts for Civic Hackers.”

June 2013 Personal Democracy Forum, New York University, New York, NY.

CAMPUS TALKS

- April 2019 “Institutional Change, Organizational Strategy, and Mobilization: Campaign Finance in the U.S. 1992-2014.” Social Theory and Evidence Workshop, The University of Chicago.
- February 2019 Discussant, Politics, History and Society workshop, The University of Chicago.
- September 2017 “Who Controls the Peoples House? Policy Talk, Parliamentary Maneuvering, and Political Inequality in the U.S. Congress.” Crossing Disciplinary Boundaries conference, The University of Chicago.
- May 2016 “Who Controls the People’s House? Agenda-Setting and Inequality in the U.S. Congress.” Politics, History and Society Workshop, The University of Chicago.
- May 2016 Discussant, Money, Markets and Governance Workshop, The University of Chicago.
- May 2015 Computational Social Science workshop, The University of Chicago.

COURSES TAUGHT/UPCOMING (AS INSTRUCTOR OF RECORD)

- Spring 2020 Political Culture: Power, People, and the Press
- 2018–2019 Social Science Inquiry I-III
Academic Year
- Winter 2017, Social Science Inquiry II
Winter 2018

Autumn 2017 Mathematics for Social Science

COURSES TAUGHT (AS ASSISTANT OR INTERN)

Spring 2018 Teaching Assistant, Machine Learning and Policy

Fall 2016 Teaching Assistant, Mathematics for Social Science

Spring 2016 Teaching Intern, Social Science Inquiry III

Winter 2016 Teaching Intern, Social Science Inquiry II

Fall 2015 Teaching Intern, Social Science Inquiry I

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2018 Research Assistant
Center for International Social Science Research, The University
of Chicago

2018 Research Assistant
Justin Grimmer, Department of Political Science, The University
of Chicago

2016–2017 Consultant (working remotely through Ajilon)
Pew Research Center, Washington, D.C.

2016 Data Labs Fellow
Pew Research Center, Washington, D.C.

2006 Research Assistant
Center for an Urban Future, New York, N.Y.

JOURNALISM EXPERIENCE

- 2009-2013 Reporter and Editor
techPresident.com, New York, N.Y.
(2011-2013, managing editor; previously: associate editor,
assistant editor, reporter/writer)
- 2012 Contributor
Yahoo News
- 2008-2009 Staff Reporter
The Riverdale Press, New York, N.Y.
- 2007-2008 Intern Reporter
The Jersey Journal, Jersey City, N.J.
- 2007 Editorial Assistant
City Limits, New York, N.Y.

SERVICE

University

- October 2018 Co-organizer, “Replication and Transparency in the Social
Sciences: Crisis or Crossroads?” The University of Chicago.
- September
2018 Co-organizer, Crossing Disciplinary Boundaries conference, The
University of Chicago.
- May 2015 Co-organizer, 2015 University of Chicago Sociology Spring
Institute
- 2014–2015 Representative, Society for Social Research

Discipline

Occasional reviewer, *American Journal of Sociology*.

MEDIA COVERAGE

Quoted or cited in Politico, *The San Francisco Chronicle*, *The Washington Post*, CNN.com, Theatlantic.com, The New York Times' Five Thirty Eight blog, and Poynter.com; live radio or webcast appearances for "Huffington Post Live," Variety, and WOSU.

As a working journalist, many news articles published for outlets including The Sunlight Foundation, Vice.com, Yahoo News, and others.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2013– American Sociological Association
- 2018– Midwest Political Science Association
- 2019– International Network for Social Network Analysis
- 2007–2013 Society of Professional Journalists

REFERENCES

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