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Education

PhD University of Kentucky, Political Science (expected) May 2019
Dissertation Committee: Dr. Tiffany D. Barnes (chair), Dr. Emily Beaulieu,
Dr. Abby Córdova, Dr. Clayton Thyne, Dr. Ana S. Q. Liberato (sociology)

Dissertation: “Perceptions of Fairness, Political Support, and Representation in the Face of Economic Inequality”

- **National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant SES-1747436**

MA University of Kentucky, Political Science May 2018

MA University of Cincinnati, Political Science May 2014

BA University of Cincinnati, Political Science (Honors) June 2012

Peer-Reviewed Articles

“Working-Class Legislators and Perceptions of Representation in Latin America.” *Political Research Quarterly*, Forthcoming (with Tiffany D. Barnes).

“Restoring Trust in the Police: Why Female Officers Reduce Suspicions of Corruption.” *Governance* 31 (1): 143-161, 2018 (with Tiffany D. Barnes and Emily Beaulieu).

“Sex and Corruption: How Sexism Shapes Voters’ Responses to Scandal.” *Politics, Groups, and Identities*. DOI 10.1080/21565503.2018.1441725, Forthcoming (with Tiffany D. Barnes and Emily Beaulieu).

Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters

“Women’s Representation in Governmental Office in Latin America.” In *Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science*. Ed. Sandy Maisel. New York: Oxford University Press, 2018 (with Tiffany D. Barnes and Dakota Thomas).

“Women’s Political Activism and Civil Society in Latin America.” In *Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science*. Ed. Sandy Maisel. New York: Oxford University Press, Forthcoming (with Tiffany D. Barnes, Victoria Beall, and Dakota Thomas).

“Los estudios sobre género y política en América Latina.” In *La política comparada en América Latina*. Eds. Simón Pachano and Santiago Basabe, Forthcoming (with Tiffany D. Barnes and Dakota Thomas).

Working Papers

Under Review

“Governance Quality, Fairness Perceptions, and Satisfaction with Democracy in Latin America” (under review at *Comparative Politics*)

- Best Graduate Student Paper in Political Science, Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists 76th Annual Meeting, 2016
- S. Sidney & Margaret Ulmer Award for Best Graduate Student Paper, University of Kentucky Political Science Department, 2016

In Progress

“Sex Scandals, Corruption, and Political Ideology: Liberal and Conservative Responses to Scandal” (with Tiffany D. Barnes).

“Class and Unequal Representation in Latin America: Descriptive and Symbolic Representation in Latin American Parties” (with Tiffany D. Barnes).

“Descriptive Representation of the Working Class in Argentina and Mexico” (with Tiffany D. Barnes and Yann P. Kerevel)

Research and Teaching Interests

Comparative Politics, Latin American Politics, Political Behavior, Politics of Development, Political Participation and Representation, Poverty and Inequality, International Relations

Teaching Experience

Primary Instructor

Introduction to Comparative Politics (Spring 2017, Fall 2016)

Introduction to Political Analysis (Spring 2016)

Teaching Assistant

Special Topics in PS: Professional Development and Working in the Profession (Spring 2018)

Introduction to Comparative Politics (Fall 2016, Fall 2014)

Introduction to Political Theory (Spring 2014)

Online Instruction

Introduction to Comparative Politics (Summer 2018)

Internships in Political Science (Fall 2018, Spring 2018)

Introduction to American Government (Fall 2013)

Funded Fieldwork

February-April 2019

Argentina: *Archival research and elite interviews*

May-June 2018

Argentina: *Archival research and elite interviews*

July-August 2017

Argentina: *Archival research and informational interviews*

Research Experience

2016-2018

Research Assistant, Dr. Tiffany D. Barnes

- Conducted data analysis
- Fielded survey experiments
- Collected data on women's appointments to the judiciary in Argentina
- Collected data on women's appointments to defense and security ministries worldwide
- Head Research Assistant responsible for managing a team of undergraduate researchers.

2015

Research Assistant, Dr. Tiffany D. Barnes and Dr. Emily Beaulieu

- Research project examines how gender stereotypes affect perceptions of political corruption

2014

Research Assistant, Dr. Barbara Bardes

- Assisted with revisions to American politics textbook *American Government and Politics Today* (Cengage Learning)

2012—2014

Graduate Student, University of Cincinnati

- Master's project focused on the political and social consequences of the debt crisis in the European Union

2009—2012

Undergraduate Student, University of Cincinnati

- Capstone project focused on economic structural adjustment and IMF involvement in Latin America, 1970-present

Research Funding and Travel Grants

2018	NSF Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (\$21,897)
2018	Graduate Student Incentive Program, University of Kentucky (\$1,095)
2018	Travel Award, Southeast Latin American Behavior Group (\$500)
2018	American Political Science Association Conference Travel Award (\$75)
2018	Political Science Department APSA Travel Award, UK (\$725)
2018	APSA Class and Inequality Graduate Student Travel Award (\$400)
2018	Political Science Travel Award, University of Kentucky (\$525)
2018	Endowed Doctoral Research and Travel Award, University of Kentucky (\$500)
2018	Latin American, Caribbean, and Latino Studies Travel Award, UK (\$500)
2018	Travel Award, Latin American Social and Public Policy Conference (\$300)
2018	Graduate Student Congress Travel Award, University of Kentucky (\$300)
2017	Travel Award, Southeast Latin American Behavior Group (~\$200)
2017	Political Science APSA Travel Award, University of Kentucky (\$1,000)
2017	Field Research Travel Award, University of Kentucky (\$1,800)
2017	Political Science Travel Award, University of Kentucky (\$400)
2017	Graduate School Travel Award, University of Kentucky (\$400)
2016	Prestage-Cook Graduate Student Travel Award, SPSA (\$300)
2016	Graduate School Travel Award, University of Kentucky (\$800)
2014	Graduate School Travel Grant, University of Cincinnati (\$400)

Fellowships and Scholarships

2019	Arts & Sciences Dean's Competitive Fellowship, University of Kentucky
2018	Ken and Mary Sue Coleman Graduate Student Summer Fellowship
2017	Ken and Mary Sue Coleman Graduate Student Summer Fellowship
2017	Research Assistantship, University of Kentucky
2016	Teaching Assistantship, University of Kentucky
2015	Teaching Assistantship, University of Kentucky
2015	Summer Research Assistantship, University of Kentucky
2014	Teaching Assistantship, University of Kentucky
2013	Graduate Assistantship, University of Cincinnati
2012	University Graduate Scholarship, University of Cincinnati
2011	Richard E. Greenholz Scholarship, University of Cincinnati

Awards

2018	Malcolm E. Jewell Award for Outstanding Graduate Students in Political Science, University of Kentucky Department of Political Science
2018	Emerging Global Scholars Award, Comparative Politics, University of Kentucky Department of Political Science
2017	Karen Mingst Emerging Global Scholar Award, University of Kentucky

- 2016 Department of Political Science
Best Paper by a Graduate Student in Political Science, Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists
- 2016 S. Sidney & Margaret Ulmer Award for Best Graduate Student Paper, University of Kentucky Political Science Department

Conference Presentations

- October 2018 “Inequality, Fairness Perceptions, and Political Support in Latin America.” Latin American, Caribbean, and Latinx Studies symposium, Lexington, KY
- September 2018 “Inequality, Fairness Perceptions, and Political Support in Latin America.” Southeast Latin American Behavior (SeLAB) conference, Nashville, TN
- September 2018 “Inequality, Fairness Perceptions, and Political Support in the Americas.” American Political Science Association annual meeting, Boston, MA
- September 2018 “Descriptive Representation of the Working Class in Argentina and Mexico.” (with Tiffany D. Barnes and Yann Kerevel). American Political Science Association annual meeting, Boston, MA
- April 2018 “Distributive Unfairness and Satisfaction with Democracy: Linking Inequality, Fairness Perceptions, and Political Support in Latin America.” Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, IL
- March 2018 “Distributive Unfairness and Satisfaction with Democracy: Linking Inequality, Fairness Perceptions, and Political Support in Latin America.” Latin American Social and Public Policy Conference, Pittsburgh, PA
- January 2018 “Distributive Unfairness and Satisfaction with Democracy: Linking Inequality, Fairness Perceptions, and Political Support in Latin America” Southern Political Science Association annual meeting, New Orleans, LA
- October 2017 “Distributive Unfairness and Satisfaction with Democracy: Linking Inequality, Fairness Perceptions, and Political Support in Latin America” Southeast Latin American Behavior (SeLAB) mini-conference, Atlanta, GA
- October 2017 “Class and Unequal Representation in Latin America: Linking Descriptive and Symbolic Representation” (with Tiffany D. Barnes) Southeast Latin American Behavior (SeLAB) mini-conference, Atlanta, GA
- September 2017 “Class and Unequal Representation in Latin America: Linking Descriptive and Symbolic Representation” (with Tiffany D. Barnes) American Political Science Association (APSA), San Francisco, CA

- August 2017 “Class and Unequal Representation in Latin America: Linking Descriptive and Symbolic Representation” (with Tiffany D. Barnes)
Sociedad Argentina de Análisis Política (SAAP), Buenos Aires, Argentina
- April 2017 “Class and Unequal Representation in Latin America: Linking Descriptive and Symbolic Representation (with Tiffany D. Barnes)
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, IL
- March 2017 “Class and Unequal Representation in Latin America: Linking Descriptive and Symbolic Representation (with Tiffany D. Barnes)
Kentucky Political Science Association (KPSA), Danville, KY
- January 2017 “Class and Unequal Representation in Latin America: Linking Descriptive and Symbolic Representation (with Tiffany D. Barnes)
Southern Political Science Association (SPSA), New Orleans, LA.
- September 2016 “Inequality and Democratic Stability: Do Perceptions of Distributive Unfairness Depress Support for Democracy in Latin America?”
Ohio Association of Economists and Political Scientists (OAEPS), Highland Heights, KY
- April 2016 “Inequality and Democratic Stability: Do Perceptions of Distributive Unfairness Depress Support for Democracy in Latin America?”
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, IL.
- March 2016 “Sex and Corruption: How Ideology Shapes Voters’ Responses to Scandals” (with Tiffany D. Barnes and Emily Beaulieu)
Kentucky Political Science Association (KPSA), Somerset, KY.
- January 2016 “Inequality and Democratic Stability: Are Perceptions of Distributive Unfairness Depressing Support for Democracy in Latin America?” Southern Political Science Association (SPSA), San Juan, PR.
- April 2014 “Crisis in the Eurozone: Greek Austerity and Political Radicalization.”
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, IL.

Other Conference Participation

- April 2018 Discussant, “Latin American Politics Poster Session.” Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.
- April 2018 Panel Chair and Discussant, “Turning Money into Power.” Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.
- September 2017 Panel Chair and Discussant, “Democratic Legitimacy.” Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, CA.

Additional Teaching Training

- 2017 Workshop, *Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky*
- “Cultural Competence 101”
- 2017 Workshop, *Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky*
- “Team-based Learning”
- 2016 Workshop, *Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky*
- “Implicit Bias in the Classroom”
- 2016 Workshop, *Center for the Enhancement of Learning and Teaching, University of Kentucky*
- “Rethinking Presentation Slides Using Assertion-Evidence Structure.”
- 2015 Workshop, *Center for the Enhancement of Learning and Teaching, University of Kentucky*
- “Incorporating Mobile Technology into the Classroom”
- 2015 Workshop, *Center for the Enhancement of Learning and Teaching, University of Kentucky*
- “Designing Effective Multiple Choice Exams”

Discipline Service

Graduate Student Faculty Representative, University of Kentucky, Political Science Department, 2016-2017

Conference Assistant, Visions in Methodology Conference and Pre-Conference Workshop on Political Violence at the University of Kentucky, 2015

Journal Referee, *Journal of Women, Politics, and Policy*, *Latin American Politics & Society*, *Latin American Research Review*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Public Integrity*, *Research & Politics*