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## Education

### Harvard University

Ph.D. Political Science *March 2005*  
A.M. Political Science *June 2000*

### Rice University

B.A. *summa cum laude* Political Science, Economics, and History *May 1998*

## Academic Appointments

### University of Washington

Professor · Department of Political Science	<i>September 2021–present</i>
Adjunct Professor · Department of Statistics	<i>September 2021–present</i>
Core Faculty · Center for Statistics & the Social Sciences	<i>September 2004–present</i>
Associate Professor · Department of Political Science	<i>September 2013–August 2021</i>
Adjunct Associate Professor · Department of Statistics	<i>September 2013–August 2021</i>
Assistant Professor · Department of Political Science	<i>September 2004–August 2013</i>
Adjunct Assistant Professor · Department of Statistics	<i>September 2004–August 2013</i>

### University of Essex

Instructor · Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis *July 2009–August 2022*

### University of Michigan

Robert Wood Johnson Scholar in Health Policy Research *August 2007–July 2009*

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UNIVERSITY of WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE



## Book

- B.01 **Christopher Adolph**. 2013. *Bankers, Bureaucrats, and Central Bank Politics: The Myth of Neutrality*. Cambridge Studies in Comparative Politics. Cambridge University Press.

Winner of the 2014 Charles H. Levine Memorial Prize for best book on comparative policy and administration, awarded by IPSA & *Governance*

### Reviewed in:

*Financial History Review*, 21(1), 103–106.      *Perspectives on Politics*, 14(1), 242–243.  
*Global Governance*, 21(2), 337.      *Public Administration*, 95(1), 289–293.  
*Int. Journal of Constitutional Law*, 12(3).      *Quarterly Journal of Central Banking*, 28(4).  
*Journal of Economic Literature*, 52(1), 223–226.      *Revue française de science politique*, 64(4).  
*Journal of Global Faultlines*, 1(1).      *The International Spectator*, 49(1), 152–154.  
*Journal of Politics*, 76(3), E22.

## Peer-Reviewed Articles

- A.28 Yoshito Kawakatsu, Jonathan Mosser, **Christopher Adolph**, Peter Baffoe, Fatima Cheshi, Hirotugu Aiga, David Watkins, and Kenneth Sherr. *Forthcoming*. “High-Resolution Mapping of Essential Maternal and Child Health Service Coverage in Nigeria: A Machine Learning Approach.” *BMJ Open*. 14: e080135. [Link](#)
- A.27 Thomas J. Bollyky, Emma Castro, et al [including **Christopher Adolph**]. 2023. “Assessing COVID-19 Pandemic Policies and Behaviours and their Economic and Educational Trade-offs across US States from Jan 1, 2020, to July 31, 2022: An Observational Analysis.” *The Lancet*. 401(10385): 1341–1360. [Link](#)
- A.26 Global Burden of Disease Long COVID Collaborators [including **Christopher Adolph**]. 2022. “Estimated Global Proportions of Individuals With Persistent Fatigue, Cognitive, and Respiratory Symptom Clusters Following Symptomatic COVID-19 in 2020 and 2021.” *JAMA*. 328(16): 1604–1615. [Link](#)
- A.25 Yoshito Kawakatsu, **Christopher Adolph**, Jonathan Mosser, Peter Baffoe, Fatima Cheshi, Hirotugu Aiga, David Watkins, and Kenneth Sherr. 2022. “Factors Consistently Associated with Utilization of Essential Maternal and Child Health Services in Nigeria: Analysis of Five Nigerian National Household Surveys (2003 to 2018).” *BMJ Open*. 12: e061747. [Link](#)

- A.24 COVID-19 Cumulative Infection Collaborators [including **Christopher Adolph**]. 2022. “Estimating Global, Regional, and National Daily and Cumulative Infections with SARS-CoV-2 through Nov 14, 2021: A Statistical Analysis.” *The Lancet*. 399(10344): 2351–2380. [Link](#)
- A.23 **Christopher Adolph**, Kenya Amano, Bree Bang-Jensen, Nancy Fullman, Beatrice Magistro, Grace Reinke, Rachel Castellano, Megan Erickson, and John Wilkerson. 2022. “The Pandemic Policy U-Turn: Partisanship, Public Health, and Race in Decisions to Ease COVID-19 Social Distancing Policies in the United States.” *Perspectives on Politics*. 20(2): 595–617. [Link](#)
- A.22 COVID-19 Excess Mortality Collaborators [including **Christopher Adolph**]. 2022. “Estimating Excess Mortality Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic: A Systematic Analysis of COVID-19-Related Mortality, 2020–21.” *The Lancet*. 399(10334): 1513–1536. [Link](#)
- A.21 COVID-19 National Preparedness Collaborators [including **Christopher Adolph**]. 2022. “Pandemic Preparedness and COVID-19: An Exploratory Analysis of Infection and Fatality Rates, and Contextual Factors Associated with Preparedness in 177 Countries, from Jan 1, 2020, to Sept 30, 2021.” *The Lancet*. 399(10334): 1489–1512. [Link](#)
- A.20 COVID-19 Forecasting Team [including **Christopher Adolph**]. 2022. “Variation in the COVID-19 Infection–Fatality Ratio by Age, Time, and Geography during the Pre-Vaccine Era: A Systematic Analysis.” *The Lancet*. 399(10334): 1469–1488. [Link](#)
- A.19 **Christopher Adolph**, Kenya Amano, Bree Bang-Jensen, Nancy Fullman, Beatrice Magistro, Grace Reinke, and John Wilkerson. 2022. “Governor Partisanship Explains the Adoption of Statewide Mask Mandates in Response to COVID-19.” *State Politics & Policy Quarterly*. 21(1): 24–49. [Link](#)
- A.18 **Christopher Adolph** and Aseem Prakash. 2022. “Does the Economic Decline of the West and the Rise of China Encourage NGO Crackdown?” *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*. 51(2): 429–443. [Link](#)
- A.17 COVID-19 Mental Disorders Collaborators [including **Christopher Adolph**]. 2021. “Estimating the Global Prevalence and Burden of Depressive and Anxiety Disorders in 204 Countries and Territories in 2020 Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic.” *The Lancet*. 398(10312): 1700–1712. [Link](#)

- A.16 IHME COVID-19 Forecasting Team [including **Christopher Adolph**]. 2021. “Modeling COVID-19 Scenarios for the United States.” *Nature Medicine*. 27: 94–105. [Link](#)
- A.15 **Christopher Adolph**, Kenya Amano, Bree Bang-Jensen, Nancy Fullman, and John Wilkerson. 2021. “Pandemic Politics: Timing State-Level Social Distancing Responses to COVID-19.” *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law*. 46(2): 211–232. [Link](#)
- A.14 Lanu Kim, **Christopher Adolph**, Jevin West, and Katherine Stovel. 2020. “The Influence of Changing Marginals on Measures of Inequality in Scholarly Citations: Evidence of Bias and a Resampling Correction.” *Sociological Science*. 7: 314–341. [Link](#)
- A.13 Nives Dolšak, **Christopher Adolph**, and Aseem Prakash. 2020. “Policy Design and Public Support for Carbon Tax: Evidence from a 2018 U.S. National Online Survey Experiment.” *Public Administration*. 98(4). December. 905–921. [Link](#)
- A.12 **Christopher Adolph**, Christian Breunig, and Chris Koski. 2020. “The Political Economy of Budget Trade-offs.” *Journal of Public Policy*. 40(1). March. 25–50. [Link](#)
- A.11 Ellen Alexandra Holtmaat, **Christopher Adolph**, and Aseem Prakash. 2020. “The Global Diffusion of Environmental Clubs: How Pressure from Importing Countries Supports The Chemical Industry’s Responsible Care Program.” *World Development*. 127. March. 104735. [Link](#)
- A.10 **Christopher Adolph**. 2018. “The Missing Politics of Central Banks.” *PS: Political Science and Politics*. 51(4). October. 737–742. [Link](#)
- A.09 Christopher G. Kemp, Reed Sorensen, Nancy Puttkammer, Reynold Grand’Pierre, Jean Guy Honoré, Lauren Lipira, and **Christopher Adolph**. 2018. “Health Facility Readiness and Facility-Based Birth in Haiti: A Maximum Likelihood Approach to Linking Household and Facility Data.” *Journal of Global Health: Reports*. 2: e2018023. 1–11. [Link](#)
- A.08 **Christopher Adolph**, Vanessa Quince, and Aseem Prakash. 2017. “The Shanghai Effect: Do Exports to China Affect Labor Rights in Africa?” *World Development*. 89(1). January. 1–18. [Link](#)

- A.07 Paula Lantz, Jeffrey Alexander, **Christopher Adolph**, and JoLynn Montgomery. 2014. “State Government Organization of Health Services, 1990–2009: Correlates and Consequences.” *Journal of Public Health Management and Practice*. 20(2). March/April. 160–167. [Link](#)
- A.06 Margaret Levi, **Christopher Adolph**, Daniel Berliner, Aaron Erlich, Anne Greenleaf, Milli Lake, and Jennifer Noveck. 2012. “Aligning Rights and Interests: Why, When, and How to Uphold Labor Standards.” *World Development Report 2013: Jobs* Background Paper. Washington, D.C.: World Bank. [Link](#)
- A.05 **Christopher Adolph**, Scott L. Greer, and Elize Massard da Fonseca. 2012. “Allocation of Authority in European Health Policy.” *Social Science & Medicine*. 75(9). 1595–1603. [Link](#)
- A.04 Victor Shih, **Christopher Adolph**, and Mingxing Liu. 2012. “Getting Ahead in the Communist Party: Explaining the Advancement of Central Committee Members in China.” *American Political Science Review*. 106(1). February. 166–187. [Link](#)

*Reprinted in:*

Tony Saich, ed., 2015, *Political Governance in China*, Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar.

Kjeld Erik Brødsgaard, ed., 2016, *Critical Readings on the Communist Party of China*, Leiden: Brill.

- A.03 Scott Greer, Elize Massard da Fonseca, and **Christopher Adolph**. 2008. “Mobilizing Bias in Europe.” *European Union Politics*. 9(3). 403–433. [Link](#)

Winner of the 2008 Sage Prize for Best Article in *European Union Politics*

- A.02 **Christopher Adolph** and Gary King, with Michael Herron and Kenneth Shotts. 2003. “A Consensus on Second Stage Analyses of Ecological Inference Models.” *Political Analysis*. 11. 86–94. [Link](#)
- A.01 **Christopher Adolph** and Gary King. 2003. “Analyzing Second Stage Ecological Regressions.” *Political Analysis*. 11. 65–76. [Link](#)

## Other Publications

- P.04 **Christopher Adolph**, Vanessa Quince, and Aseem Prakash. 2017. “Do African Exports to China Hurt Labor Rights? Here’s What We Found.” *Washington Post* Monkey Cage. 3 March. [Link](#)
- P.03 **Christopher Adolph**. 2005. “The Dilemma of Discretion: Career Ambitions and the Politics of Central Banking.” Ph.D. dissertation. Harvard University. Department of Government. Advisors: Torben Iversen (chair), James Alt, and Michael Hiscox.
- P.02 **Christopher Adolph**. 2003. “Visual Interpretation and Presentation of Monte Carlo Results.” *The Political Methodologist*. 11(2). 31–35. [Link](#)
- P.01 **Christopher Adolph**. 2000. “Party Schools.” *American Prospect*. December 18. 16–17. [Link](#)

## Datasets

- D.01 Nancy Fullman, Bree Bang-Jensen, Grace Reinke, Beatrice Magistro, Rachel Castellano, Megan Erickson, Carolyn Dapper, Rebecca Walcott, Kenya Amano, John Wilkerson, and **Christopher Adolph**. 2021. “State-level Social Distancing Policies in Response to COVID-19 in the U.S.” [Link](#)

## Software

*Available at* [faculty.washington.edu/cadolph/software](http://faculty.washington.edu/cadolph/software)

- S.04 **Christopher Adolph**. `tile`. R package. Graphical system for model interpretation and data exploration.
- S.03 **Christopher Adolph**. `simcf`. R package. Flexible counterfactual set-up and simulation for estimated models.
- S.02 **Christopher Adolph**. `partialrank`. R package. Regression models for partially observed rank data.
- S.01 **Christopher Adolph** and Lanu Kim. `ineqReSample`. R package. Adjust citation inequality metrics (such as the Gini coefficient) for marginals bias.

## Honors, Grants, and Fellowships

Principal Investigator, University of Washington COVID-19 State Policy Project, supported by the Benificus Foundation, 2020–2021

Nominated for the University of Washington Distinguished Teaching Award, 2017

Charles H. Levine Memorial Prize (International Political Science Association) for best book on comparative public policy and administration, 2014

Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences (CSSS) Seed Grant, 2012

Who's Who In America, 2011–present

Dean's commendation for consistently high teaching evaluations, 2010–2011, 2011–2012, 2013–2014, 2015–2016

Sage Award for Best Article in *European Union Politics*, 2008

Robert Wood Johnson Scholar in Health Policy, 2007–2009

Mancur Olson Award (American Political Science Association) for best dissertation in political economy, 2005

Senator Charles Sumner Dissertation Prize, Harvard University, 2005

Center for Basic Research in the Social Sciences (CBRSS) Dissertation Completion Fellowship, 2002–2003

Doctoral Fellow of the Harvard University Multidisciplinary Program in Inequality and Social Policy; NSF IGERT-funded Fellowship, 2001–2002

Harvard Summer Language Fellowship, 1999

National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Fellowship, 1998–2001

Phi Beta Kappa, 1998

## Teaching

### University of Washington, 2004–2007, 2009–present

POLS 205	Political Science as a Social Science S10
STAT/SOC/CSSS 221	Statistical Concepts and Methods for the Social Sciences W12
CSSS/SOC/STAT 321	Case-Based Social Statistics I F10, F12
POLS/ECON 409 <i>various topics; most recent shown</i>	Political Economy from Great Recession through Pandemic S05, F06, W15, S17, S19, S21, S23, S25
POLS 501	Quantitative Political Methodology I W06
POLS/CSSS 503	Quantitative Political Methodology II S05, S07, S10, S11, S12, S14
POLS/CSSS 510	Maximum Likelihood Methods for the Social Sciences F09, F10, F11, F12, F13, F14, F15, F16, F17, F18, F19, F20, F21, F23, F24, F25
CSSS/POLS 512	Time Series and Panel Data for the Social Sciences S15, S18, S20, S22, S24, S26
SOC/CSSS/STAT 536	Analysis of Categorical Data W05, F05, F06
CSSS 569	Visualizing Data and Models W06, W10, W11, W12, W13, W14, W15, W16, W17, W18, W19, W20, W21, W22, W23, W24, W25, W26

### University of Essex Summer School in Social Science Data Analysis, 2009–2022

Course 2g	Panel Data Analysis for Comparative Research 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22
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### Invited short courses

#### Visualizing Model Inference and Robustness

Instituto Juan March, Madrid · 19–21 November 2012

Universität Konstanz, Germany · 25–27 March 2015

Københavns Universitet, Copenhagen · 19–21 July 2017

## Mentoring

\* *indicates committee chair*

University of Washington political science Ph.D.'s graduated (current position):

- 2025 **Tao Lin** ·
- 2024 **Zhaowen Guo** · Georgetown University, Postdoctoral Fellow
- 2024 **Ryan Goehrung** · People Powered, Learning and Evaluation Specialist
- 2023 **Kenya Amano** \* · Harvard University, Weatherhead Center Postdoctoral Fellow
- 2022 **Bree Bang-Jensen** · Univ. of Georgia, Asst. Prof. of International Affairs
- 2022 **Riddhi Mehta-Neugebauer** · Private Equity Stakeholder Project, Research Director
- 2020 **Kylie Clay** · Michigan State University, Assoc. Program Director (Forestry)
- 2019 **David Lopez** · South Seattle College, Full-time Faculty
- 2019 **Daniel Yoo** · Facebook, Data Scientist
- 2017 **Xiao Ma** · Peking University, Assoc. Prof. of Political Science
- 2017 **Jennifer Noveck** · Bellingham Regional Econ. Partnership, Research Coord.
- 2017 **Carolina Johnson** · King County (WA), Senior Data Scientist
- 2016 **Kassra Ooskoi** · University of Delaware, Assoc. Prof. of Political Science
- 2016 **Aaron Erlich** · McGill University, Assoc. Prof. of Political Science
- 2016 **William D'Ambruoso** · Bowdoin College, Visit. Asst. Prof. of Political Science
- 2016 **Kendra Dupuy** · Western Washington Univ., Asst. Prof. of Political Science
- 2015 **Sergio Garcia-Rios** · University of Texas, Asst. Prof. of Public Affairs
- 2015 **Joannie Tremblay-Boire** · Univ. of Maryland, Asst. Prof. of Public Policy
- 2014 **Amanda Clayton** · UC–Berkeley, Asst. Prof. of Political Science
- 2013 **Sijeong Lim** · Korea University, Assoc. Prof. of International Studies
- 2013 **Loren Collingwood** · Univ. New Mexico, Assoc. Prof. Political Science
- 2012 **Daniel Berliner** · London School of Economics, Assoc. Prof. Political Science
- 2008 **John Ahlquist** · UC–San Diego, Prof. of International Relations

Other University of Washington Ph.D.'s graduated (current position):

- 2025 **Mohamed Albirair** · Global Health Implementation
- 2024 **Ivan Rahmatullah** · Biomed & Health Informatics · Univ. Airlangga, Asst. Prof.
- 2023 **Erin Holland Frame** · Global Health Metrics · Harvard Medical School, Postdoc
- 2023 **Yoshito Kawakatsu** · Global Health Implementation · UNICEF, Statistics Specialist
- 2022 **Rebecca Walcott** · Public Policy · American Institutes for Research, Economist
- 2021 **Lauren Snyder** · Biomed & Health Informatics · Gates Foundation, Sr. Program Officer
- 2019 **Adam Hayes** · Public Policy · Washington State Dept. of Ecology, Economist

- 2019 **Frances Aunon** · Psychology · Yale Univ., Assoc. Research Scientist in Psychiatry
- 2018 **Xingwei Wu** · Civil Engineering · Cruise, Senior Engineer
- 2016 **Lynette Shaw** · Sociology · Knowable, Data Scientist
- 2016 **Tavis Linsin** · Education · Creative Inquiry Labs, Founding Director
- 2016 **Amy Li** · Education · Florida International Univ., Assoc. Prof.
- 2016 **Shin Haeng Lee** · Communication · Sejong University, Asst. Prof.
- 2015 **Tricia Maas** · Education · Curriculum Associates, Assoc. Dir. UX Research
- 2014 **Erin Abu-Rish Blakeney** · Nursing · U. of Washington, Research Assoc. Prof.
- 2014 **Ji Youn (Rose) Kim** · Business · University of Kentucky, Assoc. Prof.
- 2013 **Sui Luo** · Economics · Capital Univ. of Econ. & Bus. (Beijing), Assoc. Prof.
- 2007 **Santosh Srivastava** · Applied Math · Olea Edge Analytics, Data Scientist

UW Masters students graduated (not including students listed above):

- Political Science: Tongtian Xiao, Elizabeth Echavarria, Kayla Morton, Ramses Llobet,<sup>\*</sup>  
 Brian Leung, Nicholas Stramp, Emily Gade, Kristan Seibel,  
 Tania Melo, Young-Jin Yang, Crystal Pryor, Yu Sasaki, Tao Lin.
- Public Health: Miriam Alvarado, Michael Freeman, Hayley Tymeson.

Harvard University senior thesis advisees (current position):

- 2001 **Alexander Kuo**<sup>\*</sup> · Political Science · Oxford University, Assoc. Prof.

## Academic Service

<sup>\*</sup> *indicates committee chair*

Department of Political Science, University of Washington

Admissions Committee, 2011–2012, 2013–2014, 2016–2017<sup>\*</sup>, 2017–2018<sup>\*</sup>,  
 2018–2019<sup>\*</sup>, 2019–2020<sup>\*</sup>, 2020–2021<sup>\*</sup>, 2021–2022<sup>\*</sup>

Personnel Committee, 2022–2023

Comparative Politics/Political Economy Search Committee, 2015–2016

Political Methodology Search Committee, 2012–2013, 2013–2014, 2018–2019<sup>\*</sup>

Methods Field Supervisor, 2005–2007, 2009–2015, 2017–2025

Graduate Program Committee, 2023–2025

Undergraduate Program Committee, 2005–2006

Co-organizer, Symposium Honoring Margaret Levi, 2014

Website Design Committee, 2014–2015

Technology Committee, 2009–2013

*Ad hoc* committees on student awards, 2006–2007, 2010–2011, 2019–2020, 2023–2024,  
2024–2025

Review, promotion, and tenure committees: various years, ranks, and departments<sup>\*</sup>

#### Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences, University of Washington

Associate Director, 2023–2024, 2024–2025

Consulting Director, 2016–2017, 2017–2018, 2018–2019, 2019–2020, 2020–2021,  
2021–2022, 2022–2023

Seminar Director, 2013–2014

Executive Committee, 2013–2014, 2015–present

Blalock Award Committee, 2004–2007, 2009–present

Social Coordinator, 2004–2007

#### Other University of Washington service

Royalty Research Fund, Subcommittee for the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences,  
2020–2022; Reviewer, 2006, 2012, 2017, 2024

Selection Committee, UW Presidential Dissertation Fellowships, 2017–2018

External Review Committee, Center for Social Science Computation and Research  
(CSSCR), 2013–2014

Steering Committee, Center for Social Science Computation and Research (CSSCR),  
2010–2014

Faculty Affiliate, Center for Comparative and Historical Analysis of Organizations  
and States (CHAOS), 2004–2015

#### Public Service

Expert witness on statistical inference for panel data in a consolidated rate setting case  
before the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, *WUTC v. Puget Sound  
Energy*, 2014–2015.

Expert witness on ecological inference and the statistical analysis of elections in *Sarantou  
v. Lucas County, Ohio*, which contested the 2010 Lucas County commissioner election.  
*Positive outcome; case dropped by plaintiff.*

Expert witness on ecological inference and the statistical analysis of elections in *Borders  
v. King County*, which contested the 2004 Washington gubernatorial election. *Positive  
verdict; unappealed.*

Research analyst for consultants and expert witnesses in fourteen redistricting lawsuits, 2001–2003.

### Professional Activities

Member of American Political Science Association, International Studies Association, Society for Political Methodology, and American Statistical Association.

Editorial Board, *Political Research Quarterly*, 2016–2018.

Referee for *American Journal of Political Science*; *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*; *American Political Science Review*; *Comparative Political Studies*; *International Organization*; *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law*; *Journal of Politics*; *Journal of Primary Prevention*; *Nature Human Behaviour*; *Party Politics*; *Perspectives on Politics*; *Political Analysis*; *Political Science Research and Methods*; *PS: Political Science & Politics*; *Public Choice*; *Scientific Data*; *Social Science Quarterly*; *Sociological Methods and Research*; *State Politics & Policy Quarterly*; and *Statistical Analysis and Data Mining*.

Content Expert, START Center, Department of Global Health, University of Washington, 2025

Member of Review Panel, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG), Clusters of Excellence: October 2023 (Zoom Meetings), December 10–12, 2024 (Bonn, Germany)

Invited Panelist, “The Economy as a 2020 Election Issue,” Folio: The Seattle Athenaeum, 21 September 2020. [Link](#)

Roundtable Participant, “The Democratic Politics of Central Banking,” Annual Meetings of the American Political Science Association, 29 August 2019.

Steering Committee, PoliInformatics Network (PI-NET), 2012–2017.

Invited Panelist, “The Rise of the Right Across Western Democracies,” Seattle Town Hall, 17 April 2017.

Invited Participant, “Inequality in Trump’s America: Favoring Finance and the Federal Reserve,” Nuffield College, University of Oxford, 9–10 March 2017.

Invited Participant, Annual Meeting of the Robert Wood Johnson Scholars in Health Policy Research, San Diego, California, June 2015; Aspen, Colorado, May 2009; Aspen, Colorado, May 2008; Aspen, Colorado, May 2007.

Roundtable Participant and Panel Discussant, “Quantitative Studies of the Chinese Elite,” Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation, University of California–San Diego, 6–7 February 2015.

Invited Participant, PoliInformatics Workshop at IslandWood, Bainbridge, WA, 9–11 November 2014.

Panel Chair, “Positive Political Economy of China and Vietnam,” Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2014.

Panel Discussant, “Labor Unions, Wage Bargaining, and Inequality,” Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2014.

Panel Chair, “New Frontiers in Quantitative Chinese Politics Research,” Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2013.

Panel Discussant, “All Politics Is Local: Migrants, Counties, and Governance in China,” Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2013.

Panel Discussant, Tenth Anniversary Conference of the Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences, University of Washington, Seattle, June 2009.

Participant, Image and Meaning 2, Los Angeles, July 2005.

Discussant, Comparative Political Economy Poster Session, Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, 10 April 2005.

Panel Chair, “New Approaches to the Welfare State,” European Political Economy Workshop, Center for European Studies, Harvard University, 5–6 November 1999.

## Presentations

“The Pandemic Policy U-Turn: Partisanship, Public Health, and Race in Decisions to Ease COVID-19 Social Distancing Policies in the U.S.” With Kenya Amano, Bree Bang-Jensen, Nancy Fullman, Beatrice Magistro, Grace Reinke, Rachel Castellano, Megan Erickson, and John Wilkerson. Invited presentation to the Workshop on Public Policy, Opinions, Behavior, and Health Outcomes during the COVID Pandemic hosted by Texas A&M University, University of São Paulo, and Vienna University of Economics and Business, 14 May 2021.

“COVID-19 State Policy Project.” With Nancy Fullman, Bree Bang-Jensen, Grace Reinke, Beatrice Magistro, Rachel Castellano, Megan Erickson, Rebecca Walcott, Carolyn Dapper, Kenya Amano, and John Wilkerson. Presented to the Special Tracker Panel of the COVID-19 Public Health and Social Measures (PHSMs) Data Coverage Conference, hosted by CoronaNet Research Project and Hochschule für Politik München, 10 February 2020.

“Update on Mask Mandates and Social Distancing Policies.” Presented as part of a regular COVID Exit Strategy press conference, 28 October 2020. [Link](#)

“Pandemic Politics: Understanding State-Level Social Policy Responses to COVID-19.” With Kenya Amano, Bree Bang-Jensen, Nancy Fullman, Beatrice Magistro, and John Wilkerson. Invited presentation to the Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, University of Washington, 16 October 2020.

“State-level Social Distancing Policies in Response to the 2019 Novel Coronavirus in the US.” With Nancy Fullman, Bree Bang-Jensen, Grace Reinke, Beatrice Magistro, Kenya Amano, and John Wilkerson. Invited presentation to the Covid-19 Mobility Data Network weekly webinar, 31 July 2020; also presented as part of a regular COVID Exit Strategy press conference, 23 July 2020. [Link](#)

“Pandemic Politics: Understanding State-Level Social Distancing Responses to COVID-19.” With Kenya Amano, Bree Bang-Jensen, Nancy Fullman, Beatrice Magistro, Christianna Parr, and John Wilkerson. Invited presentation as part of the Population Health Colloquium Series, College of Health, Lehigh University, 8 July 2020; also presented as part of the UW Department of Political Science Faculty Panel on “State Politics and the Coronavirus Pandemic,” 19 May 2020.

“The Global Diffusion of Environmental Clubs: The Chemical Industry’s Responsible Care Program.” With Ellen Alexandra Holtmaat and Aseem Prakash. Presented at the

Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association, Toronto, Ontario, 29 March 2019; and the Sustainability and Development Conference, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 9 November 2018.

“Making America Great Again? Infrastructure, Industry, and Trade Policy under President Trump.” Presented at the UW Department of Political Science Faculty Panel on “The U.S. and Global Policy Challenges Today,” 24 May 2017.

“Dispensable Partners: How China’s Displacement of Western Export Markets Facilitates Africa’s NGO Crackdown.” With Aseem Prakash. Presented at the Annual Conference of the International Studies Association, Baltimore, 23 February 2017.

“The Myth of Neutrality...and the Twilight of the Technocrats?” Invited Keynote Speaker, New Roles for Central Banks, Institute for European Studies, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada, 2 February 2017.

“Legal Protection of Dating Partners and Intimate Partner Homicide: Evidence from policy experiments in the U.S. states, 1976–2010.” With Miriam Alvarado, Emmanuela Gakidou, and Ali Mokdad. Invited presentation in the SCOPE/Deviance Seminar series, Department of Sociology, University of Washington, Seattle, 30 January 2015.

“The Shanghai Effect: Do Exports to China Affect Labor Rights in Africa?” With Vanessa Quince and Aseem Prakash. Presented at the Annual Meetings of the International Studies Association, New Orleans, 19 February 2015; Symposium Honoring Margaret Levi, University of Washington, Seattle, 10 October 2014; the Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, 3 April 2014.

“Modeling Bureaucratic Careers: Advancement, Policy, and Performance.” Invited presentation in the Comparative Public Policy Speaker Series, Department of Political Science, Texas A&M University, 24 March 2014.

“Tuftes without Tears: Simple tools for visual exploration and presentation of regression models.” Invited presentation at the Social Development Research Group, November 8, 2011; the Joint Statistical Meetings, Denver, August 2008; and the Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences, University of Washington, 31 January 2007.

“Getting Ahead in the Communist Party: Explaining the Advancement of Central Committee Members in China.” With Victor Shih and Mingxing Liu. Presented at Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences, University of Washington, October 2009, Uni-

versity of Chicago, November 2008, and Annual Meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, September 2008.

“Health Policy Priorities in Hard Times: A Compositional Model of Budget Trade-offs in the States.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Robert Wood Johnson Scholars in Health Policy Research, Aspen, May 2009.

“Something’s Got to Give: The Political Economy of State Budget Trade-offs.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Political Science Association, Boston, MA, 2008, and Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, 14 April 2007.

“Exit, Advancement, and Loyalty in the Central Bank: The Political Economy of Central Banker Tenures,.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, 20 April 2006.

“The Dilemma of Discretion: Career Ambitions and the Politics of Central Banking.” Invited Comparative Historical Analysis of Organizations and States (CHAOS) seminar, University of Washington, 2–3 February 2006.

“Statistical Issues in the 2004 Washington Gubernatorial Election Contest.” With Mark Handcock. Presented at the Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences, University of Washington, 30 November 2005.

“Three simple tests of career influences on monetary policy.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September 2005.

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