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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Princeton University

Assistant Professor of Politics July 2014-present
Postdoctoral Research Associate, July 2013 –July 2014

Harvard University

Sheila Biddle Ford Foundation Fellow, Hutchins Center for African and African American Research, September 2017-May 2018

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, Department of Political Science, July 2012- June 2013

EDUCATION

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Ph.D. in Political Science and Public Policy, May 2013

University of Rochester, Rochester, NY

B.A., Political Science (Departmental Honors), May 2002

BOOK

Stephens-Dougan, LaFleur. 2020. *Race to the Bottom: How Racial Appeals Work in American Politics*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

Reviewed in Perspectives on Politics and The Forum.

ARTICLES

“Beyond the Pale: The Role of Messenger Race and Respondent Race in Tests of the Theory of Racial Priming.” (under review)

“White Americans’ Reactions to Racial Disparities in COVID-19” (under review)

“The Electoral Consequences of Anti-Muslim Sentiment” (with Ashley Jardina) (revise and resubmit at *Electoral Studies*)

“Do All Black Lives Matter Equally to Black State Legislators?: A Field Experiment on Intragroup Policing in Black Politics (with Jeron Fenton) (forthcoming at the *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics*)

(2021) Stephens-Dougan, LaFleur. “The Persistence of Racial Cues and Appeals in American Elections.” *The Annual Review of Political Science*.

(2016) Stephens-Dougan, LaFleur. "Priming Racial Resentment without Stereotypic Cues." *The Journal of Politics* 78.3: 687-704.

BOOK CHAPTERS

2007) Hutchings, Vincent and LaFleur Stephens. “The Role of Blacks in the Presidential Nomination Process” in William Mayer (ed), *In Pursuit of the White House 2008: How We Choose Our Presidents*. Chatham, NJ, Chatham House.

NON-PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES

(2019) Book Review of Davenport, Lauren. *Politics Beyond Black and White: Biracial Identity and Attitudes in America* (Cambridge University Press). *Perspectives on Politics*.

(2017) Book Review of Tesler, Michael. *Post Racial or Most-Racial?: Race and Politics in the Obama Era* (University of Chicago Press). *Political Research Quarterly* 132.2: 351-353.

WORKING PAPERS

“Does Shared Disadvantage Foster Black and Latino Cooperation?” (With Davin Phoenix and Sonya Chen)

“The Influence of the Terms We Use on Racial Attitudes” (with Ashley Jardina)

“Racial Appeals and the Differential Role of Individualism Among Blacks and Whites” (with Ashley Jardina)

“I Get So Emotional: Race, Gender, and Candidate Evaluations” (with Andrea Benjamin and Davin Phoenix)

“Race and Universal Policy” (with Steven Moore)

OTHER WRITING

Joe Biden’s ‘Civility’ Comment Told Biased Whites What We Won’t Upset the Racial Order.” *Washington Post/Monkey Cage*. July 2, 2019.

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

2020 National Science Foundation's Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences Program Grant, "Racial Backlash Effect? White Americans' Reactions to Racial Disparities in COVID-19."

2020 National Science Foundation's Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences Program Grant, "The Influence of the Terms We Use on Racial Attitudes." (with Ashley Jardina)

2020 Russell Sage Foundation Pipeline Grant, \$30,000

2020 Princeton University Dean of Faculty Addressing Racism Grant \$10,000

2020 Mamdouha S. Bobst Center Faculty Research Grant, \$25,000

2019 University Committee on Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences, Princeton University, \$6000

2019 Social Sciences Research Council Anxieties of Democracy Grant \$4,737

2019 Woodrow Wilson Foundation Nancy Weiss Malkiel Award, finalist

2016 University Committee on Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences, Princeton University Anonymous Undergraduate Research Grant \$2,016

2015 Princeton University Center for Human Values Faculty Grant \$30,000 (with Ashley Jardina)

2014 University Committee on Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences, Princeton University Research Grant \$10,000

2014 Princeton 250th Anniversary Fund for Innovation in Undergraduate Education Grant, \$55,500 (with Ali Valenzuela and Omar Wasow)

2014 Best Dissertation in Race and Ethnic Politics, American Political Science Association

2013 Fund for Experimental Social Science, Princeton University \$8000

2013-2015 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Scholars in Health Policy Research Program, University of California at Berkeley (Declined)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & POSTERS

Social Science Research Council: Anxieties of Democracy Research Workshop, February 2019

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2018, 2013, 2012, 2011

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2019, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2009

National Conference of Black Political Scientists Annual Meeting: 2019, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2010

INVITED TALKS

Minority Politics Online Seminar Series, June 2021

UC Berkeley Book Salon for *Race to the Bottom*, May 2021

UCLA, Race, Ethnicity, and Politics Workshop, April 2021

Rutgers University, American Politics Workshop, April 2021

Columbia University, Identity Politics Research Group (rescheduled due to COVID-19)

Yale University American Politics and Public Policy Workshop, December 2020

University of Maryland Department of Political Science American Politics Workshop, December 2020

Princeton University Office of the Dean of Undergraduate Students, November 2020

Harvard University Hutchins Center for African and African American Studies, November 2020

American Political Science Association Roundtable on Examining the Role of Emotions in Black Politics, September 2020

International Society of Political Psychology Presidential Symposium on the Intersection of Black Politics and Political Psychology, July 2020

Chicago Area Political Behavior Workshop, Northwestern University, July 2020

American Political Science Association, Political Psychology Pre-Conference

Northwestern University, Department of Political Science, March 2019

University of Pennsylvania, Department of Political Science, February 2019

Cornell University, Department of Political Science, May 2018

University of California at Berkeley, Department of Political Science, April 2017

Columbia University, Department of Political Science, February 2017

Black Power at 50 Conference, Columbia University, October 2016

Rutgers University, Emerging Trends in Political Science, March 2014

University of California at Berkeley, Institute for Governmental Studies' Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Colloquium, March 2014

TEACHING

Princeton University

Race and Politics in the United States (undergraduate), Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2020

Race and Politics in the Age of Obama (undergraduate), Spring 2016

Introduction to American Politics: Political Behavior (graduate), Fall 2018, Fall 2015

Black Politics in the Post-Civil Rights Era (undergraduate), Spring 2015

Junior Paper Workshop on Race and Ethnic Politics (undergraduate), Fall 2014, Fall 2018, Fall 2019

The University of Michigan

Undergraduate Research Opportunity Advisor, 2011

Teaching Assistant, Political Science 300: Contemporary Political Issues, 2011

Instructor, Political Science 323: Blacks and the American Political System, Summer 2010

Teaching Assistant, Political Science 111: Introduction to American Politics, 2011, 2006, 2007, 2008

ADVISING

Dissertation Committees

Chaya Crowder, Co-Chair (Assistant Professor, Loyola Marymount University)

Kabir Khanna

Alexander Kustov

J. Baxter Oliphant

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT AND PROFESSION

Reviewer for *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *DuBois Review*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics*, *Political Communication*, *Political Psychology*, *Political Behavior*, *Politics, Groups and Identities*, *Public Opinion Quarterly*.

American Political Science Association Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior Section, Graduate Student Travel Award Committee (2019)

American Political Science Association REP Section Best Dissertation Award Committee (2019)

National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Section Chair on Identity Politics (2019)

Symposium on the Politics of Immigration, Race and Ethnicity, Co-Organizer (With Bernard Fraga, Daniel Gillion, Sophia Jordan Wallace) (2015-present)

Princeton University, Co-Organizer of the Politics Research in Experimental Social Science (With Ali Valenzuela and Omar Wasow) (2013-present)

Princeton University, Senior Thesis Prize Committee (2015, 2016, 2019, 2020)

Princeton University, Aesthetics Committee (2019)

Princeton University, Faculty Advisor, Department of Politics Political Behavior Working Group (2015-2016)