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Academic Appointments

DENISON UNIVERSITY

Assistant Professor (*Incoming*), Department of Politics and Public Affairs, Fall 2026

Education

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA

Ph.D., Political Science, expected 2026

M.A., Political Science, 2021

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO

M.I.A., International Affairs, 2019

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY

B.A., Political Science and Social Science with Distinction, 2017

Research and Writing

Peer-Reviewed Articles

1. ["Inclusive State Policies, Stronger Identities: The Impact of Policy on Latino Immigrant Linked Fate."](#) 2025. *Politics, Groups, and Identities*.

Submitted Manuscripts

1. ["What Makes Policy Fair? Evidence from U.S. Immigrant Integration Policy and Public Opinion."](#) **Job Market Paper**.
2. ["When Threat Doesn't Mobilize: Linking Policy Perceptions with Behavior Among Non-Citizen Immigrants."](#) **Working Paper**.

Research in Progress

1. ["Measuring Fairness in Empirical Research."](#) **Working Paper**.
2. ["Restrictions Increase Willingness to Pay for Immigrant Integration Policy."](#) with Clayton Nall. **Working Paper**.
3. ["State Policy and Immigrant Political Participation: Is Participation Decreased by More Inclusive Policy?"](#) **Working Paper**.
4. ["State Integration Policy, Perceptions of Fairness, and Attitudes toward Asylum Seekers in the United States."](#) **Data Collected**.

5. "Immigrant Integration Policy and Perceptions of Fairness by Race." **Data Collected.**
6. "Zero-Sum Thinking and Policy Attitudes." with Clayton Nall. **Data Collected.**
7. "Fair Policy, Favorable Opinion? Increasing the Salience of Immigrant Integration Policy."
8. "Extending from the EU: What Type of Asylum Regime Would Americans Prefer?"

Other Writing

1. "Inclusive—Not Hostile—State Policies Promote Linked Fate Among Latino Immigrants." November 24, 2025. *London School of Economics United States Politics and Policy Blog.*

Select Grants, Fellowships, and Scholarships

1. UC Santa Barbara Dept. of Political Science Support Grant (2026) — \$1,400
2. Southern Political Science Association Prestage-Cook Travel Grant (2026) — \$500
3. American Political Science Association Centennial Center Research Grant (2025) — \$2,400
4. University of California Academic Senate Doctoral Grant (2025) — \$1,500
5. UC Santa Barbara Central Fellowship: Humanities and Social Science Grant (2025) — \$3,000
6. UC Santa Barbara Dept. of Political Science Graduate Supplemental Research Grant (2025) — \$2,220
7. Global Latinidades Center Research Support Grant (2024) — \$500
8. UC Santa Barbara Professional Development Fellowship (2024) — \$500
9. UC Santa Barbara Dept. of Political Science Summer Research Grant (2024) — \$6,000
10. University of California Academic Senate Doctoral Grant (2024) — \$900
11. UC Santa Barbara Dept. of Political Science Summer Research Grant (2023) — \$3,500
12. UC Santa Barbara Dept. of Political Science Summer Research Grant (2022) — \$2,830
13. Louis Lancaster Scholarship (2022 and 2021) — \$2,000
14. UC Santa Barbara Dept. of Political Science Summer Research Grant (2021) — \$2,750
15. UC San Diego Graduate Student Association Grant (2019) — \$500
16. UC San Diego School of Global Policy and Strategy Summer Internship Grant (2018) — \$5,000
17. UC San Diego School of Global Policy and Strategy Merit Fellowship (2017-19) — \$35,000
18. Cal Coast Credit Union Academic Scholarship (2017) — \$2,000
19. Phi Eta Sigma Continuing Student Scholarship (2017) — \$500
20. Scholars Without Borders Study Abroad Scholarship (2015 and 2014) — \$2,500

Select Awards

- ★ UC Santa Barbara Adams-Lee Distinguished Teaching Award (2021)
- ★ UC Santa Barbara Manzer-Wesson Award for Best Graduate Seminar Paper (2020)
- ★ San Diego State University Campus Diversity Program of the Year Award (2017)

Teaching Experience

DENISON UNIVERSITY (*upcoming*)

Assistant Professor

U.S. State and Local Politics: Fall 2026

Introduction to Policymaking in Democracies: Fall 2026

UC SANTA BARBARA

Instructor of Record

Introduction to Comparative Politics: Summer 2024

Teaching Assistant

Urban Government and Politics: Spring 2026, Spring 2024, Spring 2023

Mexican Politics: Winter 2026

Introduction to American Government: Fall 2025, Summer 2025, Fall 2024, Fall 2022, Fall 2019

U.S. Immigration Policy: Spring 2025

U.S. Minority Politics: Winter 2025

American Political Development: Winter 2024

Introduction to Comparative Politics: Fall 2023, Fall 2021, Spring 2021, Winter 2021,
Summer 2020, Spring 2020

Introduction to International Relations: Summer 2023

Domestic Russian Politics: Winter 2023

South Asian Politics: Spring 2022, Fall 2020

Public Opinion: Winter 2022

Asian American Politics: Winter 2020

UC SAN DIEGO

Teaching Assistant

Introduction to International Relations: Spring 2019

The Cuban Revolution: Winter 2019

Comparative LGBT Politics: Fall 2018

Conference and Workshop Presentations

- 2026**
- Making Immigration Better Workshop (*upcoming*)
 - American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (*upcoming*)
 - Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting
 - Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting
 - Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting
- 2025**
- Political Science Colloquium (UC Santa Barbara)
 - Comparative Politics and Political Economy Workshop - Fall (UC Santa Barbara)
 - Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium (UC Riverside)
 - American Political Science Association Annual Meeting
 - American Political Science Association Migration & Citizenship Dissertation Workshop
 - Conference of Migration and Mobility Studies (University of Neuchâtel)
 - Southern Political Science Association Borders & Migration Summer Session
 - Research Transparency and Reproducibility Training (UC Berkeley)

Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium (Cal Poly Pomona)
 Comparative Politics and Political Economy Workshop - Winter (UC Santa Barbara)
 Political Science Graduate Colloquium (UC Santa Barbara)
 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting

- 2024** American Political Science Association Annual Meeting
 Comparative Politics and Political Economy Workshop (UC Santa Barbara)
 American Political Science Association Race, Ethnicity, and Politics Workshop
 Political Science Graduate Colloquium (UC Santa Barbara)
- 2023** International Political Science Association Annual Meeting
 Political Science Graduate Colloquium (UC Santa Barbara)
- 2019** International Conference on Education and Social Science
- 2017** California State University Social Science Symposium

Skills

Language: Spanish (Advanced)

Quantitative Research Tools: Stata, R Studio, SPSS, Qualtrics

Select Academic Service

COMMITTEES, LEADERSHIP, AND MENTORSHIP

1. First-Year Graduate Student Mentor, UCSB, 2020-26
2. Lancaster Chair International Relations Job Search Committee, UCSB, 2024-25
3. Latino/a/x Politics Job Search Committee, UCSB, 2023-24
4. Political Science Graduate Committee, UCSB, 2022-23
5. President of Political Science Graduate Student Association, UCSB, 2021-22

CONFERENCE SERVICE

1. Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium Organizing Committee, 2026
2. Discussant, Migration Governance and Policy Implementation, SPSA, 2026

REFEREE: *Journal of International Migration and Integration*

References

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