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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of California, Berkeley

PhD Program Faculty Chair, Goldman School of Public Policy, July 2015 – current
Associate Professor of Public Policy, July 2014 – current
Assistant Professor of Public Policy, July 2013 – June 2014

Princeton University

Assistant Professor of Politics and Public Affairs, September 2008 – June 2013
Instructor of Politics and Public Affairs, July 2008 – September 2008

Patten College at San Quentin State Prison

Adjunct Faculty, Spring 2004 – Fall 2006

EDUCATION and TRAINING

University of California, Berkeley

PhD Political Science, December 2008
Research Interests Political Psychology and Behavior, Public Opinion, Race and Inequality, Social Policy, Experimental Research Methods
Dissertation The Citizens Prisons Produce: How Criminal Justice Policies Shape American Communities and Civic Life
Committee Henry Brady (chair), Jack Citrin, Paul Pierson, Jonathan Simon

MA Political Science, May 2003
Thesis Radical Choice meets Rational Choice: Rational versus Symbolic Frames and the Success of Strategic Membership Enticements

New York University

BA Social Policy and Political Science, Gallatin School, June 1999

National Science Foundation

Integrated Graduate Education Research and Training Program (IGERT) in Politics, Economics, Psychology, and Public Policy (PEPPPP), 2006-2008

Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR)

Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, 2003

BOOKS

In Progress

The Public Reputation Crisis: Perceptions of Government and Attitudes toward Privatization

American government has a reputation crisis. Over the past several decades, a majority of citizens—both Democrats and Republicans—have come to believe that “public” is synonymous with wasteful, inefficient, and low quality services. Do these negative stereotypes of government have significant consequences for public opinion toward public spending and privatization? In this book, I use original surveys and survey experiments, as well as a set of quasi- and field experiments, to show that the growing perception of government as an incompetent service provider is an important predictor of public attitudes, leading citizens to support a greater reliance on the private market to deliver an array of services that have been traditionally provided by federal, state, and local government.

May 2014, University of Chicago Press

Arresting Citizenship: The Democratic Consequences of American Crime Control (with Vesla Weaver)

In this book, we argue that institutions of criminal justice have become an important source of political socialization, in which the lessons that are imprinted are antagonistic to democratic participation and inspire negative orientations toward government. To test this argument, we conduct the first systematic empirical exploration of how criminal justice involvement shapes the citizenship, political voice and racial attitudes of a growing swath of Americans. We find that custodial involvement carries with it a substantial civic penalty that is not explained by criminal propensity or socioeconomic differences alone. Our research suggests that the historical growth of the criminal justice sector has profound consequences for the political representation of historically marginalized groups and for the health of American democracy.

August 2013, Cambridge University Press

The Modern Prison Paradox: Politics, Punishment and American Community

In this project, I examine the rise and consequences of the paradigmatic shift that has taken place in American prison administration over the last half century. Using original data and a set of natural experiments, I show that harsher prison environments have detrimental effects on inmates, as well as on the growing number of correctional employees who work in the nation’s prisons. By examining not only *whether* we incarcerate individuals, but *how* we incarcerate them, this book makes an important contribution to the timely debate over American crime control policy, as well as to our understanding of the role of the State in shaping Americans’ social networks and collective norms.

CHAPTERS AND ARTICLES

In Publication

A Triologue on Democracy and Mass Incarceration (with Vesla Weaver). 2015. *Perspectives on Politics*.

Does the Front Line Reflect the Party Line? The Politicization of Punishment and Prison Officers' Perspectives on Incarceration (with Joshua Page). 2015. *British Journal of Criminology*.

Political Ideology, Skin Tone, and the Psychology of Candidate Evaluations (with Katherine McCabe and Meredith Sadin). January 2015. *Public Opinion Quarterly* 79 (1): 53-90.

The Carceral State and American Political Development (with Vesla Weaver). 2015. In Oxford Handbook of American Political Development, ed. Robert Lieberman, Suzanne Mettler, and Richard Valelly, New York: Oxford University Press.

Stereotyping or Projection: How White and Black Voters Estimate Black Candidates' Ideology (with Meredith Sadin). Online Dec 2014, print April 2015. *Political Psychology*.

Reading Wacquant as Both 'Lumper' and "Splitter": A Brief Response to Wacquant's "Urban Marginality, Ethnicity, Penalty in the Neoliberal City." 2014. *Ethnic and Racial Studies Review* 37(10):1739-1747.

Mapping Carceral Communities: How Police Contact Remakes Citizen-State Relations (with Vesla Weaver). January 2014. *The ANNALS of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 651(1): 202-219.

Race and Crime in American Politics: From Law and Order to Willie Horton and Beyond (with Vesla Weaver). January 2014. In Oxford Handbook of Race, Ethnicity, Immigration and Crime, ed. Michael Tonry and Sandra Bucerius, New York: Oxford University Press.

The State of the Job: An Embedded Work Role Perspective on Prison Officer Attitudes (with Joshua Page). December 2012. *Punishment & Society* 14(5):503-529.

Political Consequences of the Carceral State (with Vesla Weaver). November 2010. *American Political Science Review* 104(4):817-833.

The People Prisons Make: Effects of Incarceration on Criminal Psychology. 2009. In Do Prisons Make Us Safer, ed. Steve Raphael and Michael Stoll, New York: Russell Sage Foundation.

The Rights of the Accused. 2008. In Public Opinion and Constitutional Controversies, ed. Nate Persily, Jack Citrin and Patrick Egan, New York: Oxford University Press.

Testing Huntington: Empirical Evidence of Latino Immigrant Assimilation (with Jack Citrin, Michael Murakami, and Kathryn Pearson). March 2007. *Perspectives on Politics* 5(1):31-48.

Old Neighbors, New Era: The Future of U.S. Mexico Relations. 2003. *Quarterly Publication of the Berkeley Center for Latin American Studies*, Special Issue.

Forthcoming

A Tradeoff Between Democracy and Deterrence? (with Vesla Weaver). 2015. In Democratic Theory and Mass Incarceration, ed. Albert Dzur, Ian Loader and Richard Sparks, New York: Oxford University Press.

Book Review: "Trapped in America's Safety Net: One Family's Struggle" by Andrea Louise Campbell. *Journal of Politics*.

Under Review

Information, Self-Interest and Experience: Conditional Effects of Policy Feedback (with Katherine McCabe)

Work in Progress

Confirmation Bias and Perceptions of Government Performance (with Dan Acland)

Who Gains from Crime? Neighborhood Violence and the Race/Party Turnout Effect (with Meredith Sadin)

Policy Consequences of Public Reputations: Evidence from a Field Experiment on the ACA (with Meredith Sadin)

Plea Bargains from the Defendant's Perspective (with Ariel Powell)

OP-EDS AND REPORTS

Slate. "Protest is Democracy at Work" (with Vesla Weaver). 2014.

Washington Post. "What Medicare Can Teach Us About the Future of Obamacare." Nov 26, 2013.

Scholar Strategy Network, "How Harsh Policing and Mass Imprisonment Create Second-Class American Citizens" (with Vesla Weaver). 2014.

A Preliminary Report on the Recidivism-Reducing Effects of Prison Higher Education, 2012

Evaluating 'The Farm': A Focus Group on Media Effects, Report for the Highest Common Denominator Media Group, 2010.

Managing Prison Violence: Perceptions of Safety among California Correctional Officers, Report to the Center for Evidence-Based Corrections, University of California, Irvine, December 2006.

GRANTS, AWARDS and FELLOWSHIPS

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| 2015 | Russell Sage Foundation , Research Award |
| 2014 | American Political Science Association Urban Politics Section , Best Book Award |
| 2014 | UC Berkeley Goldman School of Public Policy , Michelle A. Schwarz Endowed Chair |
| 2012 | Princeton University , Nominee for the Graduate Student Advising Award |
| 2011 | Southern Political Science Association Nominee (with Vesla Weaver) for the 2012 Pi Sigma Alpha Award |

- 2010 **Bobst Center for Peace and Justice** Faculty Research Grant
- 2008 **American Political Science Association** The Heinz I. Eulau Award for best paper published in *Perspectives on Politics*
- American Political Science Association** Political Methodology Section Summer Conference Fellowship
- 2006-2008 **National Science Foundation** Integrated Graduate Research, Education and Training Program in Politics, Economics, Psychology and Public Policy Fellow (IGERT-PEPP)
- 2007 **Justice Research and Statistics Association** Student Presentation Award
- American Political Science Association** US Graduate Travel Grant
- Law and Society Association** Graduate Student Travel Subsidy, Alternate Candidate
- 2006 **National Science Foundation** Dissertation Improvement Grant
- UPENN Fox Leadership Center** Fox Leadership Fellow
- UC Irvine Center for Evidence-Based Corrections** Research Sub-Award
- UC Berkeley Institute for Governmental Studies** Dissertation Fellowship
- UC Berkeley Graduate Division** Summer Grant
- 2005-2006 **UC Berkeley Graduate Division** Normative Time Fellowship
- 2005 **UC Berkeley GSI Teaching and Resource Center** Teaching Effectiveness Award
- UC Berkeley Graduate Council Advisory Committee for GSI Affairs** Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award
- 2004 **National Science Foundation** Graduate Fellowship, Honorable Mention
- 2002 **UC Berkeley Department of Political Science** Fellowship

RECENT and UPCOMING INVITED LECTURES

- 2015 American Library Association, June
- Invited Lecture, University of Edinburgh, March
- Invited Lecture, Harvard University, April
- 2014 Invited Lecture, Stanford University, November
- Invited Speaker, Notre Dame, October

- Invited Lecture, University of Kentucky, March
- Invited Lecture, Georgetown, February
- Invited Lecture, Columbia, February
- Invited Lecture, Vera Institute of Justice, February
- 2013 The Politics of Privatization, Invited Lecture, UC Berkeley Political Science, September
- The Politics of Privatization, Invited Lecture, University of Pennsylvania, April
- Invited Lecture, Bucknell University, April
- 2012 Race and Crime Control in America: What Do We Know?, Public Lecture, *Growing Up Urban* Series, Mercer Street Friends
- Race and Crime Control in America: What Do We Know?, Faculty Lecture, Princeton Alumni Association of Memphis
- Keynote Address, Guggenheim Fellowship in Criminal Justice
- 2011 Public Policy and the Drug War, Princeton University Students & Alumni of Color Symposium, November
- The Politics of Privatization, American Politics Conference, Yale University, July
- Political Consequences of the Carceral State, Cornell University, April
- Political Consequences of the Carceral State, Temple University, February
- The Politics of Privatization, Princeton Center for the Study of Democratic Politics, February
- 2010 Political Consequences of the Carceral State, University of California, Berkeley, November
- Political Consequences of the Carceral State, George Washington University, October
- Political Consequences of the Carceral State, American Politics Conference, MIT, September
- Incarceration and Social Capital: Experimental Evidence, Occasional Series on Reentry Research, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, April
- 2009 Love Thy Neighbor As Thy Cell: The Relational Feedback Effects of American Criminal Justice Policy, Princeton University Department of Sociology Seminar Series, March
- Policy Feedback in Reverse: Effects of Public Employment on Public Opinion, Princeton University Center for the Study of Democratic Politics Seminar Series, February
- Bowling Alone (With my Own Ball and Chain): The Effects of Incarceration and the Dark Side of Social Capital, Columbia University Quantitative Methods in the Social Sciences Seminar Series, February

- Expert Testimony on Women and the Impact of Incarceration, Public Hearing of the New Jersey Legislature hosted by Majority Leader Watson Coleman, January
- 2008 Learning to Walk “the Toughest Beat”: Quasi-Experimental Evidence on Correctional Officer Attitudes towards Rehabilitation, Princeton Crime and Punishment Workshop, December
- Learning to Walk “the Toughest Beat”: Quasi-Experimental Evidence on the Role of Prison Context in Shaping Correctional Officer Attitudes towards Rehabilitation, Berkeley Center for Criminal Justice Roundtable, November
- Bowling Alone (With my Own Ball and Chain): The Effects of Incarceration and the Dark Side of Social Capital, Columbia University Applied Statistics Seminar, October
- The People Prisons Make: Effects of Incarceration on Criminal Psychology, American Politics Colloquium, UC Berkeley, February
- 2007 The People Prisons Make: Effects of Incarceration on Criminal Psychology, Incarceration Policy Working Group, Russell Sage Foundation, May
- The Ties that Bind: Effects of Incarceration on Social Networks and Belonging, Cornell Evolving Family Conference on Fatherhood and Incarceration, Ithaca NY, April
- The Parolees Prisons Make: Regression Discontinuity and the Criminogenic Effects of Incarceration, National Science Foundation Integrated Graduate Education, Research and Training Program in Politics, Economics, Psychology and Public Policy (IGERT) Seminar Series, UC Berkeley, February
- Managing Prison Violence: Perceptions of Safety among Correctional Officers, Board of Directors meeting of the California Correctional Peace Officers Association, Ontario, CA, January
- 2006 Who Works the Line: Preliminary Results from the California Correctional Officer Study, Annual Convention of the California Correctional Peace Officers Association, Reno, NV, September
- The Prison and the Polity: Effects of Incarceration on Social Capital, American Government Colloquium series, UC Berkeley
- Policy Feedback on a Captive Audience: How Prison Cultures Shape Civic Attitudes and Behavior, Probing the Penal State interdisciplinary conference, UC Berkeley

RECENT and UPCOMING CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2015 Race, Politics, and Policing, APSA, September
- Race and Skin Tone, MPSA, April
- 2014 Democracy and Deterrence, ASC, November
- Privatization and Policy Feedback, APSA, August

- 2013 Public Opinion and Privatization, APSA, August
- Response Rates and Representativeness across Survey Modes, AAPOR, May
- Private Markets, Public Opinion, Midwest Political Science Association, April
- Race and Skin Tone in Black and White Voters' Candidate Evaluations, Midwest Political Science Association, April
- 2012 Black Voters, Black Candidates: Effects of Race and Skin Tone on Candidate Evaluation, American Political Science Association, September
- 2011 The Making of Democratic Citizens: The Consequences of Criminal Justice for Civic Attitudes and Engagement, Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, January
- 2010 Black Voters, Black Candidates: Evidence from a Survey Experiment, American Political Science Association, September
- Concentrated Incarceration and Community Social Capital, American Political Science Association, September
- Re-estimating Race: How Incarceration Biases Studies of Black/White Political Attitudes (and How We Should Fix It), Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, April
- 2009 The People Prisons Make: Modeling Incarceration as a Dynamic Risk Factor, American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, November
- The Effects of Correctional Work on Officers' Attitudes towards Rehabilitation: Evidence from a Natural Experiment, American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, November
- 2008 The Nature of Experience: Effects of Hierarchical Trust and Perceived Competence on the Use of Bureaucratic Discretion, American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, August
- Do Bureaucracies Shape Bureaucrats? Evidence from a Natural Experiment, Annual Political Methodology Summer Meeting, University of Michigan, July
- 2007 Are you my Brother's Keeper?: Street-Level Bureaucrats and Policy Feedback, American Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, IL, August
- Using RDD and 2SLS to Estimate Effects of Incarceration on Social Capital, Graduate Student Attendee of the Annual Political Methodology Summer Meeting, Penn State, July
- How Prisons Shape Politics: Two Natural Experiments on Prison Effects, Joint Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association and Research Committee on Sociology of Law, Berlin, Germany, July
- Understanding Street-Level Bureaucrats: Empirical Tests of Professional Norms, Midwest Political Science Association annual conference, Chicago, IL, April

POLICY AND POLITICAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Research Consultant	Prison University Project Research and Evaluation on issues related to prison-based higher education	2008-current
Board of Directors	Isles, Inc Advisory position for community development organization	2009-2011
Curriculum Writer	Kaplan, Inc. Co-author of a set of textbooks for readers at grade levels 3, 4, and 5, published and released in 2004.	2004
VP, Policy Studies	Attention America, LLC Speech writing and editing, research and analysis, as well as lobbying and public education for non-profit and political organizations.	Sept 2000– August 2002
International Development	Namaste Orphanage: Kathmandu, Nepal Curriculum development for children ages 5-13 at full-time facility. University Elementary: Santiago, Chile Design and implementation of a K-6 ESL program for at-risk youth. Camp Hope: Quito, Ecuador Spanish-English translator for on-site staff at special needs orphanage.	Aug 1999– Aug 2000
Constituency Services	Brooklyn Congressional District Office Direct constituency liaison, responsible for client meetings and casework Related to housing and social services.	Sept 1998 – June 1999

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Advisory Board	UCDC, Berkeley chapter, 2014-current
Co-organizer	Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration Lecture Series, UC Berkeley, 2014-current
Advisory Board	Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, 2013-current
Advisory Board	PolicyMatters journal, UC Berkeley, 2013-current
Co-Sponsor	Princeton University Crime & Punishment Workshop, 2008-2013
Board Member	Isles, Inc., 2010
Co-Chair	APSA Working Group on Punishment and Prisons, 2010
Co-Chair	Collaborative Research Network on Prisons and Prisoners Law and Society Association, 2006-2010

Chair Princeton University Conference on Prison Higher Education, 2008

Member American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, Southern
Political Science Association, American Sociological Association, Law and Society
Association

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Languages

Semi-fluent Spanish
Conversational Naso (Panamanian tribal language)

Statistical software and programming languages

Stata, SPSS, ArcGIS, R, python, html