Finally Got the News*

Newsletter of the Race, Ethnicity and Politics Section
American Political Science Association
August 2009

From the Section Co-Presidents

Since the installation of the nation’s first president of African descent in January 2009, numerous questions have been raised concerning the unprecedented opportunities and significance of having a nonwhite male in charge of the White House – questions about the future of US race relations, racial progress, and democratic participation and governance. Although we won’t know the full impact of Obama’s presidency for a long time, what is certain is the heightened importance of the REP section’s contributions on the issues of race, ethnicity, and sovereignty. We hope to provide a regular channel of support for our members’ professional development activities related to research, teaching, and service.

One area of the section’s service is the maintenance of an active listserv and a periodic newsletter. We appreciate the continuing and consistent support of our long-term moderator Paula Mohan and editor Kim Geron. We hope our members use the listserv and the newsletter as opinion forums and to share information concerning important events and milestones in our professional lives. We are bidding a fondly farewell to Kim after this edition and expressing a warm welcome to Catherine Paden, who will work with a new co-editor to produce our section’s newsletter.

A related area of service is the maintenance of a unique website, the on-line home of the REP section <http://www.apsanet.org/~rep/>. We thank the Political Science Department at UCSB for sharing its student technician and website manager with us. James Dizon has done an amazing face-lift for us and he welcomes any suggestions and ideas to help improve the website. Our expansion plans include adding a new book section and a photo gallery. James would also appreciate suggestions for a REP section logo. He can be reached at jdizon@polsci.ucsb.edu. (Continued next page)

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*This title is borrowed from the Newsreel film about militant Black autoworkers in Detroit during the 1960s.
From the Section Co-Presidents (Continued)

Another area of our service is to organize annual award committees to select the best dissertation, book, and paper from the previous year. This does not always lead to the identification of awardees, as we learned from last year’s experience. However, we anticipate celebrating with winners of the 2009 REP best book, best dissertation, and best paper awards in the upcoming annual reception on September 5. We want to express our very gratitude for the numerous hours our volunteer referees and committee chairs and members donated to the selection process.

The recent retirements of two REP pioneers—William Nelson, Jr. from OSU and Don Nakanishi from UCLA—as well as the historic twin nominations of REP members Jane Junn and Michael Corre-Jones to the APSA Vice Presidency are among the reasons that we invite you all to set aside time on Saturday Sept. 5, 7:30-9pm, to meet, greet, and celebrate at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre room 716A during the section’s 2009 Reception and Gala Award Ceremony.

This year’s reception is generously co-sponsored by the APSA Committee on the Status of Blacks in the Profession, the Committee on the Status of Asian Pacific Americans in Political Science, and the Asian Pacific American Caucus at APSA. We cannot say enough thank-you for your support.

We also want to use the occasion to commemorate a pioneer in indigenous studies and, until her untimely passing, our section executive council member Darlene Williams. We thank her and miss her for her leadership and your service.

Finally, we have been monitoring the section membership since the raise of our annual membership dues from $8 to $10 in September 2008. We had 579 paid members in both June and Sept 2008. That number dropped to 553 in May 2009. Our last count in late July 2009 was 562. To keep us strong and competitive, please remember to RENEW your membership for both the APSA and the REP section and to always help us RECRUIT new members. Thank you!

To learn more about these and other section businesses, please make an effort to attend the 2009 Business Meeting on Friday September 4 at 12:15pm in the Metro Toronto Convention Centre 201E. All general members are welcome and all officers are required to attend.
NCOBPS And Latino Caucus Host Session On Black-Brown Politics
Report by Tony Affigne, Providence College

At its 2009 Annual Meeting in March, the National Conference of Black Political Scientists featured a standing-room only roundtable, where past NCOBPS presidents, and members of APSA's Latino Caucus, reported how research in several areas suggests optimism as well as concern about the state of Black-Brown political relations in the U.S.

The panel explored themes of Black-Latino unity and strategy as well as controversies in Black-Latino relations. What are future prospects for Black-Latino cooperation and competition? How might the presidency of Barack Obama change the dynamic? What does social scientific evidence tell us about Black-Latino politics and inter-group relations, in national politics, our urban communities, social and political theory, and the discipline of political science?

Roundtable participants included:

Chair       Joseph P. McCormick II (Penn State University-York)
Panelists   Dianne Pinderhughes (University of Notre Dame)
            Mack Jones (Clark Atlanta University, retired)
            Tony Affigne (Providence College)
            Melina Abdullah (California State University-Los Angeles)
            James Jennings (Tufts University)
            Patricia Jaramillo (University of Texas-San Antonio)
The First Annual Latino Politics Workshop at APSA

Co-Sponsored by the APSA Committee on the Status of Latinas y Latinos, and the Latino Caucus in Political Science / Sector Latino de Ciencia Política

Wednesday, September 2, 2009
Toronto, Ontario

Short Course Seminars for Teachers and Researchers
“The State of Latino Political Studies, 2009”

1:00 WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Celeste Montoya, University of Colorado - Co-Chair, Committee on the Status of Latinas y Latinos

Tony Affigne, Providence College - President, Latino Caucus in Political Science

1:15 FIELD OVERVIEW: THE STATE OF LATINO POLITICAL STUDIES

Moderator : Kenneth Meier, Texas A&M University

Field Reviewers:
Latino Political Behavior - Matt Barreto, University of Washington
Gender and Latino Politics - Christine Marie Sierra, University of New Mexico
Politics in the Borderlands - Irasema Coronado, University of Texas, El Paso
Latino Identity/Identities - Gary Segura, Stanford University
Public Policy - Kenneth Meier, Texas A&M University

2:45 COFFEE BREAK

3:00 EMERGENT THEME: TRANSNATIONALISM IN THE LATINO IMMIGRANT DIA SPORA

Moderator : John A. Garcia, University of Arizona

Theme Discussants:
John A. Garcia, University of Arizona
Anna Sampaio, University of Colorado, Denver
Louis DeSipio, University of California, Irvine
Raymond Rocco, University of California, Los Angeles

4:30 WRAP-UP DISCUSSION AND SUGGESTED THEMES FOR 2010

Valerie Martinez, University of North Texas - Vice President, Latino Caucus in Political Science

Rodolfo Rosales, University of Texas, San Antonio, - Co-Chair, Committee on Status of Latinas y Latinos

5:00 END
The Asian Pacific American Caucus (APAC) will be hosting its annual business meeting and reception at the 2009 APSA annual meeting. The business meeting will be held on Friday, Sept 4, at 6:15pm. We will hold a joint reception with the REP section at this year’s meeting.

APAC is a related group focused on promoting the study of Asian Americans in politics. Membership in the caucus is free and open to all interested scholars and practitioners of and on Asian American politics. We welcome those who are interested in our organization to attend our meeting and joint reception in Toronto. More information about APAC is found on our website:

http://www.apa-politics.org/index.htm

Notices and Reports from Section Committees and Caucuses

The Committee on the Status of Latinos y Latinas in the Profession

The Committee on the Status of Latinos y Latinas in the Profession, together with the Latino Caucus, is happy to announce the First Annual Latino Politics Workshop at APSA. The Workshop will take place on Wednesday, September 2, 2009 in Toronto. The Workshop runs from 1-5 with a session on "The State of Latino Political Studies" and a session on "Transnationalism in the Latino Immigrant Diaspora." For more information, please go to the APSA webpage on shortcourses http://www.apsanet.org/shortcourses.

The Committee and the Caucus would also like to invite you to attend the Latino Politics Reception, held Friday, September 4, 2009 at 7:30pm. We hope to see you in Toronto.

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2008 REP Section Awards

BEST DISSERTATION AWARD

Vesla Mae Weaver, *Frontlash: Race and the Politics of Punishment*, Harvard University (2007);

Daniel Wei HoSang, *Racial Propositions: 'Genteel Apartheid' in Postwar California*, University of Southern California (2007)

Selection committee: Katherine Tate, University of California-Irvine (chair), Tony Affigne, Providence College, and Pei-te Lien, University of California-SB.

**No best paper or best book awards were presented in 2008**
Report from the Indigenous Studies Network

This has been a year of transition for the related group, the Indigenous Studies Network, but we hope that we are moving in a good direction. We have both good and sad news to report.

To begin with the sad news, we lost one of our most active members, Darlene Williams, to cancer in September 2008. Darlene was the first indigenous recipient of the APSA Minority Fellowship program, awarded in 2003. Since becoming a member of ISN, Darlene has served the related group in multiple roles with great distinction. Among her other contributions, she, along with Stephanie Di Alto, helped to arrange the ISN program for APSA for the last few years, and her insight and vision were reflected in the quality of the panels. She was also serving a term on the executive council for REP, which was cut short prematurely by her passing. She will be missed not only for her scholarship, but for her vision, humor, and sheer common sense. In the Toronto meetings, there will be an opportunity for those who would like to commemorate her presence to meet and honor her life.

On a happier note, we are actively working to create an APSA status committee for indigenous peoples and will reach out to all REP members to help get the needed signatures. Our hope, in pursuing this, is to further indigenize the academy by bringing an understanding of the fundamental challenges that indigenous scholarship presents to the settled (settler?) wisdom of the discipline. We also look forward to the opportunity to find more slots for indigenous scholars and those doing work on indigenous topics in the annual meeting.

ISN is also sponsoring a "working group" for the APSA 2009 meetings, titled "Tribal Sovereignty and Indigenous Peoples and Politics", hosted by Paula Mohan and Stephanie Di Alto. We welcome and invite any REP member who is interested to join and to share in our discussions. For details, please go to the APSA page on "working groups" and you will be able to read more specific details about ours.

The Committee on the Status of Blacks in the Profession

The Committee on the Status of Blacks in the Profession is one of the oldest standing committees of the American Political Science Association (http://apsanet.org/content_3688.cfm). Its current members are Clarissa Peterson and Robert (Bob) Starks (Co-Chairs), Alice Jackson, Mark Q. Sawyer, Valeria Sinclair-Chapman, and Toni-Michelle Travis. The committee provides periodic reports to APSA on issues of concern to African Americans in the profession. The committee is currently responding to the findings of its article which appeared in PS: Political Science & Politics, "Survey of African American Portrayal in Introductory Textbooks in American Government/Politics: A Report of the APSA Standing Committee on the Status of Blacks in the Profession." This article uncovered the overwhelming problems with the way that American Government textbooks cover race. As a result, the committee is creating a list of consultants to provide textbook authors and publishers. The committee is also working on connecting with the authors and publishers to pursue a dialogue on how the textbooks might be come more inclusive. To this end the committee plans to meet with the major textbooks book authors and publishers over the next three years.

The committee has noticed a low number of Black faculty members at the annual meeting of APSA and is undergoing efforts to increase Black membership. Moreover, the committee hopes to increase the number of Black members who participate in the governance of APSA.

Finally, In honor of the late Linda Faye Williams, the CSBP plans to propose a mentoring award for faculty members. We hope to increase the number of faculty members who become mentors and award them for their hard work. The committee is working on the details and proposal. We invite REP members to sign up for the Mentoring Initiative, administered via the APSA website. If you are interested in providing advice and assistance to students or other scholars in the field, please visit the site. or send an email to the Educational, Professional and Minority Initiative Office at mentoring@apsanet.org.
Description
This working group will discuss how, both historically and more recently, public policy and political (non)action affected the ways in which we think about citizenship and non-citizenship, low-wage immigrant workers, nativism and anti-immigrant backlash, and refugees and asylum seekers. This working group will invite attention to scholarship overlapping public policy, political behavior and opinion, urban politics, and international relations with the issues concerning race, ethnicity, and immigration. While the focus is on the U.S., we extend working group discussions to include comparative research on immigration issues in other parts of the world.

Scholars of all fields with an interest in immigration are invited to join the working group for the following three sessions:

Session 1: Thursday, September 3
Time: 6:00-7:30 PM
Location: Convention Centre 707

Session 2: Friday, September 4
Time: 12:00-2:00 PM
Location: Convention Centre 709

Session 3: Saturday, September 5
Time: 12:00-2:00 PM
Location: Convention Centre 709

For more information, and a listing of relevant panels, please contact the working group coordinators:

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Chair: Gladys Mitchell
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Author(s):
“Cherokee Freedmen: Racism and Citizenship in Tribal Societies”
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“Polemics, Political Racism, and Misrecognition: Naming and Analyzing Prejudice Against Arab-Americans”
Emily Wills, New School University, wille480@newschool.edu

“Racial Bias by Another Name: Anti-Muslim Attitudes and Voting Against Barack Obama”
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32-2  Politics, Race and the City
Thursday, Sep 3, 2:00 PM
Co-sponsored by 30-1

Author(s):
“Black and White Americans and Latino Immigrants: A Preliminary Look at Attitudes in Three Southern Cities”
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“A Comparative Analysis of Voting Power on City Councils: The Political Incorporation of Minorities in Miami-Dade and Los Angeles Counties”
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“Where Race Matters: The Effects of Space and Neighborhood on Voting Behavior”
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32-3  Pan-Ethnicity, Exploring New Horizons in Identity
Saturday, Sep 5, 8:00 AM
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“The Social and Political Consequences of Asian American Panethnicity”
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“Latino Public Opinion: Does It Exist?”
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“Endogenous Pan-Ethnicity: Parties, Politics and American Latino Identity”
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“Panethnicity as both a Dependent and Independent Variable: Asian American and Latino Cases”
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32-4  Comparative Racial and Ethnic Politics
Date: Thursday, Sep 3, 4:15 PM

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“Comparative Ethno-nationalism: Kurds vs. Lazs”
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“Portuguese in Canada: Diasporas & Adopted Nations”
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“Sikh Politics, Minority Status, and Narrative Identity in Postcolonial India”
Natasha Behl, University of California, Los Angeles, nbehl@ucla.edu

“Afro-Brazilian Activists, Blackness, and Black group Identity”
Gladys Mitchell, Duke University, gladyslmitchell@yahoo.com

“Multicultural Multiracialism, Multiracial Multiculturalism: Race, Mixed-Race and Diversity in the United States, Great Britain and Canada”
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32-5  Coalitions, and Minority Politics
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Politics is Not Enough: Re-examining the Racial and Economic Conditions for Protest in American Cities
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The Obama and the Clinton Factors: How Race and Gender Factor into Blacks’, Whites’, and Latinos’ Trust in the Representation of Group Interests
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Illinois Latinos and Obama: A Comparative Analysis of the the 2004 and 2008 Elections
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32-6  Race, Ethnicity, Popular Culture and Politics
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“Shifting the Gender Gaze: The Intersection of Race and Gender in the Obama Candidacy”
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“Citizenship and Cultural Diversity: Building Trust, Developing Solidarity and Sharing Power”
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“Overcoming Prejudice? Muslim Americans and their Bumpy Ride in Presidential Politics”
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Post-9/11 Politics and the Political Representation of Muslim Women in the West
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32-7 Assimilation, Incorporation or Racialization?
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“Urban School Contexts and the Political Socialization of Immigrant Children”
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“Immigrant Transnationalism Across Time in the United States”
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“Overcoming Pre-immigration Barriers to Socio-political Participation in the Latino Immigrant Community”
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Rafael Augusto Jimeno, Arizona State University, Rafael.Jimeno@asu.edu
Mark Q. Sawyer, University of California, Los Angeles, msawyer@polisci.ucla.edu

“Residential Concentration and the Political Participation of Immigrants in Canada”
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32-8 Gender, Race and Sexuality
Date: Thursday, Sep 3, 10:15 AM

Chair: Regina P. Branton, Rice University, branton@rice.edu

“Is the Gender Gap "American"? The Generational Evolution of Latino/a Political Differences“
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“Muslim, American and Female: Constructing Social Identity”
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“Straddling the Digital Divide: Race, Pornography, and Representation in Cyberspace“
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“The Limits of Deliberation: Debating Gender and Religion in the French and Canadian Public Spheres”
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32-9  Policy Focus on Fat Poor Minorities: From Welfare Reform to Fresh Fruits and Vegetables  Date: Thursday, Sep 3, 8:00 AM

Chair: Anna R. Kirkland, University of Michigan, Anna.Kirkland@umich.edu

“What’s Wrong with the Environmental Approach to Anti-Obesity Policy?”
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“Food Politics: Race, Gender, and the Politics of Food Access”
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“The Recovery Model Comes to Welfare: Success Stories, Oblates, and the Medicalization of Welfare Reform”
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“The Influence of Calorie Labeling on Food Choice: Initial Evidence from NYC’s Low-Income Communities”
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32-10  Theme Panel: The Globalization of the ‘French Model’: A Turning Point in Ethnic and Racial Politics?  Date: Saturday, Aug 30, 4:15 PM

Chair: Terri E. Givens, University of Texas-Austin, tgivens@mail.utexas.edu

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“Governing Ethnic Minorities in a Post-Secular World: Convergences Between France and Canada”
Eléonore Lépinard, Université de Montréal, eleonore.lepinard@umontreal.ca

“The Persistence of Intent Requirements in Criminal and Civil Enforcement of Employment Discrimination Law”
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“The Interplay between Religion and Ethnicity in Antidiscrimination Policies: a Comparison of France and Britain”
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32-11  Race and American Political Development
Date:  Sunday, Sep 6, 8:00 AM
Co-sponsored by 7-16

Chair:  Catherine Paden, Simmons College, catherine.paden@simmons.edu

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“Crime and Citizenship ”
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“Police Chief Ben C. Collins and Law Enforcement in Clarksdale, Mississippi, 1961-1966 ”
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32-12  Mobilizing Ethnic and Class Identities
Date:  Friday, Sep 4, 8:00 AM
Co-sponsored by 12-22

Chair:  Courtney Jung, University of Toronto, courtney.jung@utoronto.ca

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“Comparative Ethno-nationalism: Kurds vs. Lazs”
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“Rethinking Class Analysis in Democratization Studies: Turkey and Thailand”
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“The Genesis of Muhajir Identity and Violence in Pakistan”
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32-13  Is Education Policy Serving the Disadvantaged?
Date: Saturday, Sep 5, 2:00 PM
Co-sponsored by 25-9

“Race, Class and Education Policy: Second-Generation Discrimination in the 21st Century ”
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“Multiple Identity Theory and Racial Integration Policies in the Era of Voluntary School Integration”
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32-14  Race, Ethnicity, and Representation in the States
Date: Friday, Sep 4, 8:00 AM
Co-sponsored by 29-4

Chair:  Kerry L. Haynie, Duke University, klhaynie@duke.edu

“Nationalism, Race and the Obama Victory ”
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“Critical Actors or Critical Mass? The Conditional Role of Race and Ethnicity in Legislative Agenda Setting ”
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“Advancing beyond the Local and Congressional Level: Under Which Conditions are Black's Nominated for High Profile State-Wide Office ”
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“Policymaking in the Forced Federalism Era ”
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32-15 Rainbow's End? An Examination of an Urban Classic
Date: Thursday, Sep 3, 4:15 PM
Co-sponsored by 30-8
Chair: Peter F. Burns, Loyola University New Orleans, pburns@loyno.edu

“Equality, Inferiority and Electoral Competition: Black-Brown Partnerships in Newark, New Jersey”
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“Inter-group Relations and Neighborhood Context in Suburban Los Angeles”
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“Local Versus National Partisan Representation”
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Discussant(s):
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32-16 Elected Officials at the Intersection of Gender and Race
Date: Friday, Sep 4, 10:15 AM
Co-sponsored by 31-4
Chair: Julia S. Jordan-Zachery, Providence College, jjordanz@providence.edu

“Institutions, Intersections, and Women (of Color) Legislators: How Race/Ethnicity and Gender Inform Office Holding across the States”
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“How Do We Get Along? Linked Fate, Political Allies, and Issue Coalitions”
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“We’re Not Always Busboys: How Intersectional Discrimination Shapes Latino Political Participation”
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“Understanding Differences in the Electoral Success of Women State Legislature Candidates across Racial Groups and Institutional Contexts”
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32-17  Between Minority Inclusion and Gender Equality? Analyzing Identities and Institutions
Date: Saturday, Sep 5, 4:15 PM
Co-sponsored by 31-5

Chair: Hamideh Sedghi, Harvard University, hsedghi@fas.harvard.edu

“Do Majority-Minority Districts and Reserved Seats for Minorities Undermine the Election of Women?”
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“Dislocating Muslim Women in Post-Feminist, Post-Secular France”
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“Gender Equality Versus Minority Inclusion: The Political Dilemma of Religious Arbitration”
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“The Limits of Deliberation: Debating Gender and Religion in the French and Canadian Public Spheres”
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32-18  Theme Panel: Intersectional Analysis of Comparative Politics
Date: Friday, Sep 4, 2:00 PM
Co-sponsored by 31-9 and T-16

Chair: Jennifer Leigh Disney, Winthrop University, disneyj@winthrop.edu

“What will be left of parity democracy once we embrace intersectionality?”
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“Institutionalising Intersectionality in the European Union? Policy Developments and Contestations”
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“The Politics of Intersectionality”
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“Intersectionality and Feminist Theory: Reflections on the Current Debate in Europe”
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“Intersections and Privilege: Uncovering the Genesis of False Universalizations.”
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Co-sponsored by 31-19

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32-20  Race and Electoral Politics in America
Date: Thursday, Sep 3, 4:15 PM
Co-sponsored by 36-15

Chair: Matt A. Barreto, University of Washington, mbarreto@washington.edu

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“Turn Out or Burn Out? How Negative Ads Affect Latino and non-Latino Voting”
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“Race, Redistricting and Minority Officeholding in Congress and State Legislatures, 1960s to 2008”
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“The Impact of Race and Ethnicity on Turnout in US Presidential Elections”
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“The Effect of African-American Proximity on Latino Vote Choice in the 2008 Presidential Primary”
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“Elections in Black and White: Race, Perceptions, and Voting Behavior in U.S. House Elections”
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32-21  Prejudice, Racism, Racial Threat, and Public Opinion
Date: Friday, Sep 4, 4:15 PM
Co-sponsored by 37-22

Author(s):
“Racial Context is Factual, But is Racial Threat Partisan?”
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“Absence of Prejudice or Political Correctness? Comparing Survey-Based Indicators of Racial Bias with the Implicit Association Test”
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“Emotions Underlying Contemporary Racial Threat; Anger or Fear”
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“What is the Best Way to Measure the Bradley Effect? Lessons from the 2008 Election”
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Discussant(s): Deborah Schildkraut, Tufts University, deborah.schildkraut@tufts.edu

32-22  Race, Ethnicity, and the Politics of Same-Sex Marriage
Date: Saturday, Sep 5, 2:00 PM
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Chair: Evan Gerstmann, Loyola Marymount University, egerstma@lmu.edu

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“California's Proposition 8: Demographic Explanations and Implications”
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‘Whites Oppose, Blacks Support, Latinos Divided’: Making Sense of the Racialized Discourse Surrounding California’s Proposition 8”
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“Asian-Americans and Marriage Equality”
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“The Political and Sexual Attitudes of Young Black Americans”
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“Embodied Borders: The Role of Marital and Immigration Policy in the Regulation of US Citizenship”
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