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Academic Appointments

College of the Holy Cross
Assistant Professor, *Fall 2023 - current*

Education

University of California, Los Angeles
Ph.D., Political Science, *June 2023*
Sub-Fields: Race and Ethnicity Politics; Comparative; American
Dissertation: Is DACA Enough?: The Effect of DACA on Young
Unauthorized Immigrants

University of California, San Diego
M.A., International Affairs, *June 2015*
Sub-Fields: Public Policy; Int'l Development and Nonprofit Mgmt

University of California, San Diego
B.A., International Studies, *June 2014*
Sub-Fields: Political Science and Economics

Research Interests

American politics, Race and ethnicity, Asian American politics, Comparative, immigration policy, political behavior, and political psychology

Publications

Peer-Reviewed

Pérez, Efrén, Jessica HyunJeong Lee, Ana Oaxaca, Tania Cervantes, Jasmine Rodríguez, Kimberly Lam, and David McFall 2023. "Manifold Threats to White Identity and Their Political Effects on White Partisans." *Social Psychological and Personality Science*.

Pérez, Efrén, Jessica HyunJeong Lee, Ana Oaxaca, Cole Matthews, and Madison Ritsema. 2023. "Unexpected, but consistent and pre-registered: Experimental evidence on interview language and Latino views of COVID-19." *Research & Politics*, 10(2).

Lee, Jessica HyunJeong, Evangel Penumaka, and Natalie Masuoka. 2020. "Asian American Voters in 2020: Analysis of Democratic Primary Voting and Lessons for Future Elections." *AAPI Nexus Journal Volume 17:1 & 2*.

Under Review and Selected Works in Progress

Pérez, Efrén, Jessica HyunJeong Lee, and Gustavo A. Martir Luna.
Partisans of Color: How Racialization and Polarization Structure Asian American and Latino Party ID. Under review.

Lee, Jessica HyunJeong and Sara Sadhwani. *Independents No More: The Influence of Asian Americans in the 2020 Elections and the State of Georgia.* Under review.

Chan, Nathan Kar Ming, Vivien Leung, Natalie Masuoka, and Jessica HyunJeong Lee.
How Asian Americans Voted on Affirmative Action: The Case of California Prop 16. Working paper.

Other Academic Works

Gutierrez, Angela, Michael Herndon, Jessica HyunJeong Lee, Marcel Roman, and Natalie Masuoka. 2020. *Democratic Party 2020: Analysis of Latino and Asian American Voting in 10 States.* Los Angeles: Latino Policy and Politics Initiative.

Lee, Jessica HyunJeong, Nathan Chan, and Natalie Masuoka. 2020.
From Affirmative Action to Gig Economy: Racial Differences in the Support for California Propositions in the 2020 Election. Los Angeles: Latino Policy and Politics Initiative.

Teaching Experience **University of California, Los Angeles**

PS 186: Racial and Ethnic Politics in the U.S. (*Summer 2020*)

UCLA: Teaching Assistant

M183/M136C: Experiments in Racial and Ethnic Politics (*Spring 2022*)
Professor Efrén Pérez

PS 40: Introduction to American Politics (*Winter 2022*)
Professor Chris Tausanovitch

PS 186: Racial and Ethnic Politics in the U.S. (*Fall 2019, Fall 2021*)
Professor Natalie Masuoka

PS 140B: The American Presidency (*Spring 2020*)
Professor Scott James

PS 147C: American Political Development (*Winter 2020*)
Professor Scott James

PS 20: Introduction to World Politics (*Winter 2019, Spring 2019*)
Professor Robert F. Trager, Professor Eric Min

PS 143C: Politics of American Suburbanization (*Fall 2018*)
Professor Lorrrie Frasure

Additional Teaching Experience

Mark Q. Sawyer Summer Institute: Intro to Data Analysis (*Summer 2022*)
Course Instructor

Awards and
Fellowships

University of California, Los Angeles

Summer Mentored Research Fellowship (*Summer 2021*)
Graduate Research Mentorship (*2020-2021*)
Institute of American Cultures Research Grant (*2020-2021*)
Graduate Summer Research Mentorship (*Summer 2019*)
UCOP AB540 Fellowship (*2018-2019*)
Graduate Summer Research Mentorship (*Summer 2018*)

American Political Science Association

Minority Fellowship Program (*Spring 2018*)

Conferences
and
Presentations

American Political Science Association Conference

Los Angeles, CA (*August 2023*)
“Partisans of Color” (with Pérez and Martir Luna)
“Asian Americans on Affirmative Action” (with Chan, Leung, and Masuoka)

Virtual (*September 2020*) - *Not Attended due to COVID-19*
“Identity Formation of Ethnic Minority Groups: A Cross-Racial
Analysis of Asian Americans and Latinos”

Western Political Science Association Conference

San Francisco, CA (*April 2023*)
“Is DACA Enough?: The Effect of DACA on Young Unauthorized Immigrants”

Portland, OR (*March 2022*)
“How Asian Americans Voted on Affirmative Action: The Case of
California Proposition 16” *co-author with Chan, Leung, and Masuoka*

Los Angeles, CA (*April 2020*)
“Can American ID Be an Ethnic ID for Members of Racial and
Ethnic Minority Groups?: Identity Formation of Asians”

San Diego, CA (*April 2019*)
“Identity Formation of Immigrants: A Cross-Racial Analysis of
Asians and Latinos”

Liminally Legal Asians Conference

Brown University, Providence, RI (*September 2018*)
“The Contours of Attitudes Towards Undocumented Immigration:
A Cross-racial Analysis” (with Masuoka, Leung, and Penumaka)

Service

University of California, Los Angeles

Mark Q. Sawyer Summer Institute (*Summer 2022*)
Introduction to Data Analysis Instructor

Languages
and Skills

English (native), Korean (native), Spanish (basic)
R, STATA \LaTeX
GIS, Web Scraping, Excel