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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE | POLITICAL SCIENCE | PHD STUDENT



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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Race and Ethnic Politics •
- Gender Politics •
- Immigration •
- Political Psychology •
- Morality and Politics •
- State and Local Policy •
- Political Methodology •
- Mixed Method Research •

COMPUTER SKILLS

R, C++, Stata, LaTeX, Excel, HTML, WordPress

WEBSITE

StephenElk.com

EDUCATION

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY • FALL 2015 - PRESENT •

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

Political Science

Dissertation: "Morality and the Marginalized: The Politics of Identity and Morality"

Committee: Loren Collingwood (Chair), Jennifer Merolla, Benjamin Newman

MASTER OF ARTS • FALL 2015 - WINTER 2018 •

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

Political Science | Subfields: Mass Behavior & Comparative Politics

MASTER OF ARTS • FALL 2013 – SPRING 2015 •

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN BERNARDINO

Social Science and Globalization Studies | Subfield: Security Studies

BACHELOR OF ARTS • SUMMER 2010 – SPRING 2013 •

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN BERNARDINO

Social Science: Multidisciplinary Studies | Subfield: Political Science, Anthropology, and Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies

BACHELOR OF ARTS • SUMMER 2010 – SPRING 2013 •

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN BERNARDINO

Arabic Language, Literature, and Culture

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

3. Collingwood, Loren, Stephen Omar El-Khatib, Ben Gonzalez O'Brien. "Sustained Organizational Influence: American Legislative Exchange Council and the Diffusion of Anti-Sanctuary Policy." *Policy Studies Journal*. 47(3): 735-773. (2019).
2. Gonzalez-O'Brien, Benjamin, Loren Collingwood, and Stephen Omar El-Khatib. "The Politics of Refuge: Sanctuary Cities, Crime, and Undocumented Immigration." *Urban Affairs Review*. 55(1): 3-40. (2019).
Featured in: [WaPo Monkey Cage I](#); [WaPo Monkey Cage II](#); [WaPo Fact Check](#); [InsideHigherEd](#); [PolitiFact](#); [The Hill](#); [Christian Science Monitor](#); [Pacific Standard](#); [NBC News](#); [Huffington Post](#); [Seattle Times](#); [The Denver Post](#); [San Jose Mercury News](#); [Chicago Tribune](#); [San Diego Union Tribune](#)

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1. Collingwood, Loren, Jason Morin, and Stephen Omar El-Khatib. "Expanding Carceral Markets: Detention Facilities, ICE Contracts, and the Financial Interests of Punitive Immigration Policy." *Race and Social Problems*. 10(4). p. 275-292. (2018).

Featured in: [City Lab](#); [The Guardian](#); & [Mother Jones](#)

UNDER REVIEW / WORKING PAPERS

Matt Barreto, Stephen Omar El-Khatib, Natalie Masuoka, and Gabriel Sanchez. "Religiosity, Discrimination, and Group Identity Among Muslim Americans" *Politics of Groups and Identities* [R&R]

Stephen El-Khatib and Stephanie DeMora. "The Muslims Next Door: How Proximity to Mosques Impacts Political Attitudes" [In Progress]

John Burnett, Stephen Omar El-Khatib, Beyzanur Han Tuncez, and Michelangelo Landgrave. "How Can I Get Involved? Gender Differences in Activism" [In Progress]

BOOK CHAPTERS

Stephen Omar El-Khatib and Loren Collingwood. 2019. "Ted Cruz." In Jessica Lavariega Monforti (ed.) *Latinos in the American Political System: An Encyclopedia of Latinos as Voters, Candidates, and Office Holders*. ABC-CLIO.

REPORTS

Loren Collingwood, Benjamin Gonzalez-O'Brien, and Stephen El-Khatib. "Sanctuary cities do not experience an increase in crime" (2016) [The Washington Post: Monkey Cage](#)

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

Benjamin Gonzalez-O'Brien, Loren Collingwood, and Stephen El-Khatib. "Gimme Shelter: The Myth and Reality of the American Sanctuary City". Western Political Science Association Conference (April 2016)

Stephen El-Khatib, Stephanie DeMora, and Loren Collingwood. "American Extremism: Terrorist Attacks, Muslim Immigration, and American Opinion" Midwest Political Science Association (April 2017)

Benjamin Gonzalez-O'Brien, Loren Collingwood, and Stephen El-Khatib. "The Politics of Refuge: Sanctuary Cities, Crime, and Undocumented Immigration". Western Political Science Association Conference (April 2017)

Stephen El-Khatib and Loren Collingwood. "State Policy Responses to Sanctuary Cities: Partisan Control and Asymmetric Latino Threat" Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium (September 2017)

Loren Collingwood, Stephen El-Khatib, and Benjamin Gonzalez-O'Brien. "Sanctuary Policy in the States: The Interlocking Features of GOP Control and Racial Threat" Western Political Science Association (April 2018)

Loren Collingwood, Stephen El-Khatib, and Benjamin Gonzalez-O'Brien. "Sustained Organizational Influence: American Legislative Council and the Diffusion of Anti-Sanctuary Policy" Midwest Political Science Association (April 2018)

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Stephen Omar El-Khatib and Stephanie DeMora. "The Muslims Next Door: How Proximity to Mosques Impacts Political Attitudes" Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium (April 2018)

Stephen Omar El-Khatib and Stephanie DeMora. "The Muslims Next Door: How Proximity to Mosques Impacts Political Attitudes" The Society for Political Methodology (July 2018)

Loren Collingwood, Stephen Omar El-Khatib, and Jason Morin. "Expanding Carceral Markets: Detention Facilities, ICE Contracts, and the Financial Interests of Punitive Immigration Policy" American Political Science Association (August 2018)

Stephen Omar El-Khatib and Stephanie DeMora. "The Muslims Next Door: How Proximity to Mosques Impacts Political Attitudes" Southwest Workshop on Mixed Methods Research (November 2018)

Stephen Omar El-Khatib and Stephanie DeMora. "The Muslims Next Door: How Proximity to Mosques Impacts Political Attitudes" Melon Advancing Intercultural Studies Conference (March 2019)

Stephen Omar El-Khatib. "Moral Credit and the 2016 Election: Voting for the Female Candidate to be Sexist" Midwest Political Science Association (April 2019)

John Burnett, Stephen Omar El-Khatib, Beyzanur Han Tuncez, and Michelangelo Landgrave. "How Can I Get Involved? Gender Differences in Activism" Midwest Political Science Association (April 2019)

Stephen Omar El-Khatib. "Moral Credit and the 2016 Election: Voting for the Female Candidate to be Sexist" Western Political Science Association (April 2019) Western Political Science Association (April 2019)

John Burnett, Stephen Omar El-Khatib, Beyzanur Han Tuncez, and Michelangelo Landgrave. "How Can I Get Involved? Gender Differences in Activism" Western Political Science Association (April 2019)

ACADEMIC GRANTS AND AWARDS

AMERICAN POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

- Awarded First Generation Scholars in the Profession Annual Meeting Travel Reimbursement Grant – Fall 2018

SOCIETY FOR POLITICAL METHODOLOGY

- Awarded John Garcia Scholarship for Under Represented Graduate Students – Summer 2018

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE | POLITICAL SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

- Awarded Single Departmental Grant to Attend the ICPSR Summer Program – Summer 2018
- Awarded Departmental Grant: Graduate Research Proposal Award – Spring 2018

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE | CENTER FOR IDEAS AND SOCIETY

- Awarded Mellon Advancing Intercultural Studies Seminar Research Grant – Spring 2018
 - Religious Identity: Harmony or Discrimination?

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN BERNARDINO | SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT

- Awarded as Most Outstanding Graduate Student – 2015

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ACADEMIC TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ASSOCIATE INSTRUCTOR • UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

- POSC 160S Globalization and Underdevelopment
 - *Summer 2017*
- POSC 146 Mass Media and Public Opinion
 - *Summer 2019*

TEACHING ASSISTANT • ICPSR SUMMER PROGRAM

- Statistics and Data Analysis I: Introduction
 - *Summer 2019*

PART-TIME LECTURER • CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN BERNARDINO

- GEOG 305 Geographic Statistics and Research Methods
 - *Fall 2018, Fall 2019*
- SSCI 165 (ONLINE) Regions & Peoples of the World
 - *Fall 2019*

TEACHING ASSISTANT • UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

- POSC 015 Comparative Politics
 - *Summer 2016*
- POSC 150S Human Rights, Law, and Politics
 - *Fall 2016*
- POSC 108 Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity in the U.S.
 - *Winter, Spring, Fall 2017*
- POSC 114S Theory and Methodology of Political Science
 - *Winter, Fall 2018*
- POSC 115S Utopia and Dystopia
 - *Winter 2019*
- POSC 10W American Politics
 - *Spring 2019*

WEBSITE ADMINISTRATOR • UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

- Political Science Department
 - *December 2016 - Present*

READER • UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

- POSC 123 Conflict Resolution
 - *Fall 2015*
- POSC 145 Money in American Politics
 - *Fall 2016*

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AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

- Western Political Science Association
- Midwest Political Science Association
- American Political Science Association
- Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium
- The Society for Political Methodology
- Inland Council for Immigrant Justice
- National Model United Nations
- Model Arab League
- Graduate Student Association
- Muslim Student Association

REFERENCES

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