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EDUCATION

Yale University

Political Science
Ph.D. 1999, M.Phil. 1995, M.A. 1993

University of California, Berkeley

Latin American Studies and Comparative Literature
B.A. 1992

- Summa cum laude
- Highest departmental honors in Latin American Studies

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Associate Professor; University of California, Berkeley 2008 – present
Graduate School of Education, Social and Cultural Studies Program

- Affiliated faculty, Charles and Louise Travers Department of Political Science
- Affiliated faculty, Department of Ethnic Studies, Chicano/Latino Studies Program

Chair; University of California, Berkeley 2010 – present
Center for Latino Policy Research

Associate Professor; University of California, Irvine 2006 – 2008
Departments of Political Science and Chicano/Latino Studies

Visiting Scholar; University of California, Los Angeles 2004 – 2006
Chicano Studies Research Center

Assistant Professor; University of California, Irvine 2001 – 2006
Departments of Political Science and Chicano/Latino Studies

Assistant Professor; California State University, Long Beach 1999 – 2001
Political Science Department and Liberal Studies Program

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2012 American Political Science Association Latino Caucus Best Book Award for *Latino Politics*
- 2012 Chancellor's Public Scholar, University of California, Berkeley

- 2008 Adaljiza Sosa-Riddell Award for Exemplary Mentoring of Latino/a Junior Faculty in Political Science
- 2006 American Political Science Association Ralph J. Bunche Award for *Fluid Borders*
- 2006 American Political Science Association Race, Ethnicity, and Politics Section Best Book Award for *Fluid Borders*
- 2004 Western Political Science Association Best Paper in Latino/a Politics for “Race, Connectedness, and Social Capital in the United States” (with Becki Scola).
- 2000 American Political Science Association Race, Ethnicity and Politics Section Best Dissertation Award

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

U.S. Department of Education Office of Innovation and Improvement Promise Neighborhoods Planning Grant, 2012, project title: “Mission Promise Neighborhood,” in collaboration with the Mission Economic Development Agency (MEDA), San Francisco Unified School District, and other partners (\$500,000 total award; UC Berkeley subaward: \$75,000).

University of California, Berkeley Innovation Grant for Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity, 2011-2012, project title: “Student Engagement and Retention through Research,” (\$25,000).

University of California, Center for New Racial Studies Faculty Research Grant, 2010-11, project title: “Beyond Whiteness: Asian Americans and Latinos in the U.S. Imagination,” co-PI Claire Jean Kim (\$8,000).

University of California, Berkeley Abigail Reynolds Hodgen Publication Fund award to support publication of *Mobilizing Inclusion: Transforming the Electorate through Get-Out-the-Vote Campaigns* (\$2,174).

University of California, Berkeley Innovation Grant for Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity, 2010-2011, project title: “Working Together to Improve Campus Climate for Undocumented AB540 Students at UC Berkeley,” co-PI Evelyn Nakano Glenn (\$26,500).

University of California, Berkeley, Committee on Research Faculty Bridging Grant, 2010-2012, project title: “Constructing Citizens: Race, Gender, and Conquest in California Public Schools, 1848 – 1879” (\$15,000).

James Irvine Foundation, 2009, project title: “The California Votes Initiative,” co-PIs Melissa Michelson and Donald Green (\$40,000).

James Irvine Foundation, 2007-2009, project title: “The California Votes Initiative and the 2008 Elections: An Evaluation,” co-PIs Melissa Michelson and Donald Green (\$435,000).

James Irvine Foundation, 2005-2007, project title: "The California Votes Initiative and the 2006-2007 Elections: An Evaluation," co-PIs Melissa Michelson and Donald Green (\$300,000).

Russell Sage Foundation, 2006, project title: "Pilot Study: the Political Socialization of Immigrant Youth" (\$30,612).

University of California, Irvine, Single Investigator Grant, 2005-2006, project title: "Social Context and Exile Politics: A Look at Cuban and Cuban American Political Attitudes" (\$6,250).

University of California, Irvine, Career Development Award, 2005-2006, project title: "The Right to Good Government: Race, Gender, and Citizenship in 19th Century California" (\$5,500).

James Irvine Foundation, 2005, project title: "The California Votes Initiative: An Evaluation" co-PIs, Melissa Michelson and Donald Green (\$50,000).

University of California, Los Angeles, Institute of American Cultures Postdoctoral Fellowship, 2004-2005, project title: "The Right to Good Government: Race and Citizenship in California, 1840-1875" (\$38,000).

University of California, Irvine, Center for the Study of Latinos in a Global Society, 2004-2006, project title: "Social Context and Exile Politics: A Look at Cuban and Cuban American Political Attitudes" (\$5,000).

University of California, Irvine, Center for the Study of Democracy, 2004-2006, project title: "Social Context and Exile Politics: A Look at Cuban and Cuban American Political Attitudes" (\$2,500).

University of California, Irvine Cultural Diversity Faculty Research Grant, 2003, project title: "The Imagined City: Race and the Creation of Los Angeles" (\$3,500).

University of California, Irvine Recruitment Initiative Award, 2001-2003, (\$25,000).

Huntington Library John Randolph and Dora Haynes Foundation Fellowship, 2001, project title: "The Imagined City: Institutional Design and Racial and Ethnic Politics in Los Angeles" (\$2,000).

Historical Society of Southern California/Haynes Foundation Research Stipend, 2000, project title: "The Imagined City: Institutional Design and Racial and Ethnic Politics in Los Angeles" (\$1,200).

American Political Science Association Congressional Fellowship, 1998-1999 (\$20,000).

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

García Bedolla, L. and M. R. Michelson. 2012. *Mobilizing Inclusion: Transforming the Electorate through Get-Out-the-Vote Campaigns*. New Haven: Yale University Press, in press.

García Bedolla, L. 2009. *Latino Politics*. Cambridge, UK: Polity.

García Bedolla, L. 2005. *Fluid Borders: Latino Power, Identity, and Politics in Los Angeles*. Berkeley: University of California Press.

JOURNAL ARTICLES, PEER-REVIEWED

García Bedolla, L. 2012. "Latino Education, Civic Engagement, and the Public Good." *Review of Research in Education* 36: 23-42.

García Bedolla, L. 2010. "Good Ideas Are Not Enough: Considering the Politics Underlying Students' Postsecondary Transitions." *Journal of Education for Students Placed at Risk (JESPAR)* 15 (1 & 2): 9-26.

Michelson, M. R., L. García Bedolla, and M. McConnell. 2009. "Heeding the Call: The Effect of Targeted Two-Round Phonebanks on Voter Turnout." *Journal of Politics* 71 (4): 1549-1563.

García Bedolla, L. and M. R. Michelson. 2009. "What Do Voters Need to Know? Testing the Role of Cognitive Information in Asian American Voter Mobilization." *American Politics Research* 37 (2): 254-274.

García Bedolla, L., J. Lavariega Monforti, and A. Pantoja. 2007. "A Second Look: The Latina/o Gender Gap." *Journal of Women, Politics & Policy* 28 (3 & 4): 147-171.

García Bedolla, L. and B. Scola. 2006. "Finding Intersection: Race, Class, and Gender in the California Recall Vote." *Politics and Gender* 2 (1): 5-27.

Alvarez, R. M. and L. García Bedolla. 2004. "The Revolution against Affirmative Action in California: Politics, Economics, and Proposition 209." *State Politics and Policy Quarterly* 4 (1): 1-17.

García Bedolla, L. 2003. "The Identity Paradox: Latino Language, Politics, and Selective Dissociation." *Latino Studies* 1 (2): 264-283.

Alvarez, R. M. and L. García Bedolla. 2003. "The Foundations of Latino Voter Partisanship: Evidence from the 2000 Elections." *Journal of Politics* 65 (1): 31-49.

García Bedolla, L. 2000. "They and We: Identity, Gender, and Politics among Latino Youth in Los Angeles." *Social Science Quarterly* 81 (1): 106-222.

JOURNAL ARTICLES, OTHER

García Bedolla, L. 2011. "Educating Immigrant Children: the American DREAM Deferred?" *Teachers College Record*, <http://www.tcrecord.org> ID Number: 16310.

García Bedolla, L. 2009. "Why U.S. Foreign Policy Matters: Latino Migration to the United States." *Berkeley Review of Latin American Studies* (spring): 50-55.

García Bedolla, L. 2007. "Intersections of Inequality: Understanding Marginalization and Privilege in the Post Civil-Rights Era." *Politics and Gender* 3 (2): 232-248.

García Bedolla, L. 2005. "The Gender, Race, and Ethnic Implications of Initiative Policymaking in California." *California Policy Issues Annual* 6: 21-33.

García Bedolla, L. 2005. "Resources and Civic Engagement: the Importance of Social Capital for Latino Political Incorporation." *Harvard Journal of Hispanic Policy* 17: 41-54.

García Bedolla, L. and C. Uhlaner. 2004. "Is the Personal Political? Gender, Sexual Misconduct, and the California Recall." *PS: Political Science and Politics* 37 (1): 15-18.

BOOK CHAPTERS

García Bedolla, L. 2010. "Do Cubans Swing? The Politics of Cuba and Cubans in the United States." In A. Cabezas, I. Hernández-Torres, S. Johnson, and R. Lazo, eds., *Una Ventana a Cuba y los Estudios Cubanos/A Window into Cuba and Cuban Studies*. San Juan, PR: Ediciones Callejón.

Lavariaga Monforti, J. and L. García Bedolla. 2009. "The Influence of History on the Policy Positions and Partisanship of Hispanics in the United States." In V. Martínez-Ebers and M. Dorraj, eds., *Perspectives on Race, Ethnicity, and Religion: Identity Politics in America*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Michelson, M. R., L. García Bedolla, and D. Green. 2008. "Mobilizing the Registered: Tactics for Improving Voter Turnout." In M. E. Felchner, ed. *Voting in America*, Vol.1. Westport, CT: Praeger.

García Bedolla, L. 2007. "Race, Social Relations, and the Study of Social Capital." In J. Jennings, ed. *Politics, Neighborhoods, and the Misuse of Social Capital*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

García Bedolla, L. 2006. "Rethinking Citizenship: Noncitizen Voting and Immigrant Political Engagement in the United States." In T. Lee, K. Ramakrishnan, and R. Ramírez, eds. *Transforming Politics, Transforming America: The Political and Civic Incorporation of Immigrants in the United States*. Charlottesville: University of Virginia Press.

García Bedolla, L. 2006. "Latinas in the United States Congress, 1989-2002." In V. L. Ruiz and V. Sánchez Korrol, eds. *Latinas in the United States: An Historical Encyclopedia*. Bloomington: Indiana University Press.

Scola, B. and L. García Bedolla. 2005. "Race, Gender, and the Recall Vote." In S. Bowler and B. Cain, eds. *Clicker Politics: Essays on the California Recall*. New York: Prentice Hall.

García Bedolla, L., K. Tate and J. Wong. 2005. "Indelible Effects: The Impact of Women of Color in the U.S. Congress." In S. Thomas and C. Wilcox, eds. *Women in Elective Office, Past Present and Future*, 2nd ed. New York: Oxford University Press.

García Bedolla, L. 2005. "What Does Bowling Have to Do with It? Social Capital and Latina/o Participation." In W. E. Nelson, Jr. and J. Lavariaga Monforti, eds. *Black and Latina/o Politics: Issues in Political Development in the United States*. Miami: Barnhardt and Ash.

BOOK REVIEWS

García Bedolla, L. 2011. *Citizenship, Borders, and Human Needs*, Rogers M. Smith, ed. *Perspectives on Politics* 9 (3): 690-91.

García Bedolla, L. 2007. *Racial Transformations: Latinos and Asians Remaking the United States*, Nicholas De Genova, ed., *Journal of American Ethnic History* 27 (1): 85-87.

García Bedolla, L. 2007. *Lobbying for Inclusion: Rights Politics and the Making of Immigration Policy*, by Carolyn Wong, *Journal of Politics* 69 (2): 586-587.

García Bedolla, L. 2004. *Straddling the Border: Immigration Policy and the INS*, by Lisa Magaña, *Perspectives on Politics* 2 (3): 599-600.

RESEARCH REPORTS

García Bedolla, L. and R. Rodriguez. 2011. "Classifying California's English Learners: Is the CELDT too Blunt an Instrument?" Research Brief. Berkeley: UC Berkeley Center for Latino Policy Research. Report available from: <http://www.escholarship.org/uc/item/2m74v93d?query=lisa%20garcia%20bedolla>

García Bedolla, L. 2010. "21st Century Competencies and Civic Participation." Washington, DC: National Academy of Sciences, Center for Education. Report available from: http://www7.nationalacademies.org/dbasse/Research_on_21st_Century_Competerencies_Papers_and_Presentations.html

Michelson, M. R., L. García Bedolla, and D. Green. 2009. "New Experiments in Minority Voter Mobilization: the Third and Final Report on the California Votes Initiative." San Francisco: The James Irvine Foundation. Report available from: <http://www.irvine.org/publications/publications-by-topic/californiademocracy#civic5>

Michelson, M. R., L. García Bedolla, and D. Green. 2008. "New Experiments in Minority Voter Mobilization: the Second in a Series of Reports on the California Votes Initiative." San Francisco: The James Irvine Foundation. Report available from: <http://www.irvine.org/publications/publications-by-topic/californiademocracy#civic5>

Michelson, M. R., L. García Bedolla, and D. Green. 2007. "New Experiments in Minority Voter Mobilization: A Report from the California Votes Initiative." San Francisco: The James Irvine Foundation. Report available from: <http://www.irvine.org/publications/publications-by-topic/californiademocracy#civic5>

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

"The Roots of Inequality: Race, Class and Gender in California Schools, 1849-1900." Paper to be presented at the Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Milwaukee, WI, April 2012.

"The Roots of Inequality: Race, Class and Gender in California Schools, 1849-1900." Paper presented at the American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, October 2011.

“Beyond Whiteness: Asian Americans and Latinos in the U.S. Imagination” (with Claire Jean Kim). Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, September 2011.

“Mobilizing Inclusion: Redefining Citizenship through Get-Out-the-Vote Campaigns” (with Melissa R. Michelson). Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, September 2011.

“The Roots of Inequality: Race, Gender and Citizenship in California Schools, 1849-1900.” Presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 2011.

“Survey Says: Numbers Don’t Lie, but People Do” (with Melissa R. Michelson). Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 2010.

“Heeding the Call: The Effect of Targeted Phonebanks on Voter Turnout” (with Melissa R. Michelson and Margaret McConnell). Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, September 2008.

“Strangers vs. Neighbors: the Efficacy of Grassroots Voter Mobilization” (with Betsy Sinclair, Melissa Michelson, and Margaret McConnell). Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, September 2007.

“Mobilizing Minorities: New Lessons from California Field Experiments” (with Melissa Michelson and Donald Green). Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 2007.

“New Experiments in Minority Voter Mobilization” (with Melissa Michelson and Donald Green). Presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, March 2007.

“Exile Politics: A Look at Political Ideology in the Cuban-Origin Population” (with Jessica Lavariega Monforti). Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, March 2007.

“The Civic Engagement of Immigrant Youth: A Pilot Study.” Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, September 2006.

“Cuban and Cuban American Political Attitudes” (with Jessica Lavariega Monforti). Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, September 2006.

“Anglo and Latino Vote Choice in the 2004 Election” (with Michael Alvarez and Jonathan Nagler). Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Albuquerque, NM, March 2006.

“Latina/o Gender Differences in Public Opinion: Results from the 2004 Pew Hispanic Survey” (with Jessica Lavariega Monforti and Adrian Pantoja). Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, September 2005.

"The Legal Construction of Native American Citizenship in California, 1840-1875." Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Oakland, CA, March 2005.

"Indelible Effects: the Impact of Women of Color in the U.S. Congress" (with Katherine Tate and Janelle Wong). Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Oakland, CA, March 2005.

"Race and Social Capital: Studying Social Relations" (with Becki Scola). Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, September 2004.

"Race, Social Relations, and the Study of Social Capital" (with Becki Scola). Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 2004.

"Race, Connectedness, and Social Capital in the United States" (with Becki Scola). Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, March 2003. [Winner of the 2004 WPSA Latino/Latina Politics Best Paper Award]

"Power, Intersectionality and Latina/o Political Participation." Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 2003.

"Is It Gender, Race or Class? Intersectionality and Latina/o Political Participation." Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, March 2003.

"Democracy, Power and Consent: Latinos and Political Participation." Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Long Beach, CA, March 2002.

"The 'Imagined City:' Racial and Ethnic Politics in Los Angeles." Paper presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, September 2001.

"The Foundations of Latino Voter Partisanship: Evidence from the 2000 Election." (with R. Michael Alvarez) Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, March 2001.

"The Right to Good Government: Native American Citizenship in California, 1821-1855." Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, March 2001.

"A Thin Line Between Love and Hate: Language, Stereotypes and Community Identity." Presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, September 1999.

"Participation in the Next Generation: Political Attitudes of Mexican-American Youth in Los Angeles." Presented at the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, August 1997, and at the Georgetown University Race, Ethnicity and Politics Working Group, November 1997.

"Contextual Integration: Mexican Americans and Mexican Immigrants in Los Angeles." Presented at the seminar series for the Yale University Center for the Study of Race, Inequality and Politics, April 1997.

"The Alienation of an 'Alien' Nation: Voting and Political Attitudes of Latinos in Los Angeles." Presented at the Northeastern Political Science Association Conference, Boston, MA, November 1996.

OTHER CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Roundtable participant, "APSA Professional Development and Career Roundtable," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, September 2011.

Roundtable participant, "Theorizing Latino Politics: A Roundtable on Recent Work by Cristina Beltrán," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, September 2011.

Roundtable discussant, "From *Protest is Not Enough* to *Newcomers, Outsiders, and Insiders*: A Roundtable on Immigrants and Twenty-Five Years of Political Incorporation Research," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, April 2010.

Panel chair, "Curricularizing a Troubled Past: Research from Germany, Rwanda, and Israel," American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, April 2009.

Panel chair and discussant, "Race, Ethnicity, and Electoral Politics," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, March 2008.

Panel chair, "Social and Political Context and Ethnic and Racial Politics," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, September 2006.

Roundtable participant, "Doing Intersectionality Research: Conceptual and Practical Issues," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, September 2006.

Roundtable participant, "Mobilizing Democracy, Mobilizing Exclusion?" American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, September 2005.

Panel discussant, "Evolving Racial Identity in the American Context," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, September 2005.

Panel chair, "Candidates, Elections, and the Politics of Women in Public Service," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Oakland, CA, March 2005.

Panel chair, "Public Opinion, Racial Bloc Voting and Political Participation," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, March 2004.

Roundtable participant, "Critical Studies in Latino Politics," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, March 2004.

Roundtable participant, "Race, Diversity and Higher Education 25 Years after *Bakke*," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 2003.

Roundtable participant, "The APSA Congressional Fellowship Program: Practice and Scholarship," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 2003.

Panel chair, "Women Workers in a Global Context," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, March 2003.

Panel chair, "Methodological Challenges in Studying the Political Activity of African Americans, Asian Americans and Latinos," Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Long Beach, CA, March 2002.

Panel discussant, "Issues in Latino Politics and Policy," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, September 2001.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

"Ethnorace and Place: the Political Socialization of Immigrant Youth." Presented at "The Politics of Race and Place" conference, University of California, San Diego, San Diego, CA, February 2012.

"Politics, Immigration, and California's Future." Presented at the Berkeley La Raza Law Conference, Berkeley Law, Berkeley, CA, February 2012.

"Race, Party, and California Voters." Presented at the "Race Matters" series, UCSB Multicultural Center, Santa Barbara, CA, January 2012.

"Race, Party, and California Voters." Presented at "Redrawing the Maps: Redistricting, Race, and Representation in the Next Decade," Stanford Law School, Stanford, CA, January 2012.

"The Political Socialization of Immigrant Youth in Orange County: Evidence from a Pilot Study." Presented at the "Second Generation and Racial Boundaries" conference, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, December 2011.

"The DREAM Act in Historical Perspective." Presented at "The DREAM Act: 10 Years of Activism and Debate," Constitution Day Event, University of California, Berkeley Free Speech Movement Speaker Series, Berkeley, CA, September 2011.

"Beyond Whiteness: Asian Americans and Latinos in the U.S. Imagination (with Claire Jean Kim)." Presented at the UC Center for New Racial Studies Inaugural Conference, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, April 2011.

"Mobilizing Inclusion: Redefining Citizenship through Get-Out-the-Vote Campaigns." Presented at the Center for Race and Gender, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, February 2011.

"Mobilizing Inclusion: Redefining Citizenship through Get-Out-the-Vote Campaigns." Presented at the Political Science Department, University of Texas A & M, College Station, TX, February 2011.

"Mobilizing Inclusion: Redefining Citizenship through Get-Out-the-Vote Campaigns." Presented at the Wayne Morse Center Public Affairs Speaker Series, University of Oregon, Portland, OR, January 2010.

"Mobilizing Inclusion: Redefining Citizenship through Get-Out-the-Vote Campaigns." 2010 Distinguished speaker, Political Science Students of Color, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, November 2010.

"The Latino Electorate in 2010." Presented at "The Changing Face of America: Going Beyond the Rhetoric on Immigration" conference, Chief Justice Earl Warren Institute on Race, Ethnicity, and Diversity and UC Berkeley Graduate School of Journalism, Berkeley, CA, November 2010.

"Local Government and the Common Good: Social Change through Public/Private Partnerships." Keynote speaker, International City/County Management Association (ICMA) inspirational breakfast, San José, CA, October 2010.

"Mobilizing Inclusion: Redefining Citizenship through Get-Out-the-Vote Campaigns." Presented at the Sociology Department, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, September 2010.

"Unexpected Consequences: Anti-immigrant Propositions and Latino Political Mobilization in California." Presented at the *Boom*/California Studies Association "Failed State?" Conference, University of California, Davis, Davis, CA, April 2010.

"Twenty-first Century Competencies and Civic Participation." Presented at the National Academy of Sciences, Center for Education, Washington, DC, February 2010.

"Mobilizing Inclusion: Getting Out the Vote among Low Propensity Voters in California." Presented at the Political Science Department, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, January 2010.

"Why U.S. Foreign Policy Matters: Latino Migration and Political Adaptation in the United States." Presented at the Politics Department, Pomona College, Pomona, CA, November 2009.

"Is 'Neutral' the Same as 'Colorblind'? Considering the Role Power Plays in How We Define Neutrality." Presented at the "090909 Nor Good, Nor Bad, Nor Neutral" Conference, Berkeley Center for New Media, University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, September 2009.

"Placing Students in Context: the Micro and Macro-Level Factors Affecting Student Achievement." Presented at the UC ACCORD PSE+ Convening of Scholars, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, May 2009.

"Why U.S. Foreign Policy Matters: Latino Migration and Political Adaptation in the United States." Presented at the Center for Latin American Studies, University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, March 2009.

"Fluid Borders: Latino Power, Identity, and Politics in Los Angeles." Presented at the Political Science Department, California State University East Bay, Hayward, CA, March 2009.

"Are You Asking Me? Mobilization and Inclusion among Low-Propensity Voters in California." Presented at the Institute for Governmental Studies, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, January 2009.

“Heeding the Call: The Effect of Targeted Phone Banks on Voter Turnout” (with Melissa R. Michelson). Presented at the 40th Anniversary Celebration for the Institute for Social and Policy Studies, Yale University, New Haven, CT, November 2008.

“The Political Socialization of Immigrant Youth.” Presented at the Center for US-Mexico Studies, UC San Diego, San Diego, CA, May 2008.

“Cuban and Cuban American Politics.” Presented at “Cuba: New Research Directions” conference, UC-Cuba Multi-Campus Research Program, Irvine, CA, May 2008.

“Generation vs. Ethnicity: A Look at the Political Socialization of Immigrant Youth in Orange County, CA.” Presented at “The Americas in American Politics” conference, Georgetown University, Washington, DC, April 2008.

“Race and Gender in the 2008 Presidential Election.” Presented at the Jepson Leadership Forum, University of Richmond, Richmond, VA, January 2008.

“Immigrant Political Incorporation.” Presented at the Immigrant Political Incorporation Workshop, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, September 2007.

“Fluid Borders: Latino, Power, Identity, and Politics.” Presented at the Center for Leadership and Values, California Lutheran University, Thousand Oaks, CA, February 2007.

“Fluid Borders: Latino, Power, Identity, and Politics.” Presented at the Center for Latino Policy Research, University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, November 2006.

“Border Trouble: Gender, Sexuality, and Illegal Immigration.” Presented at the Haverford College, Bi-College Program in Gender and Sexuality, Haverford, PA, April 2006.

“Cuban and Cuban American Political Attitudes” (with Jessica Lavariega Monforti). Presented at the Metropolitan Center Policy Studies Breakfast, Florida International University, Miami, FL, March 2006.

“Latino Political Engagement: the Intersection of Power, Identity, and Place.” Presented at the UC Santa Barbara New Racial Studies Project, Santa Barbara, CA, January 2006.

“Fluid Borders: Latino Power, Identity, and Politics in Los Angeles.” Presented at the Santa Monica College/UC Press Lecture Series, Santa Monica, CA, December 2005.

“The California Special Election.” Presented at the Pomona Student Union, Pomona College, Claremont, CA, November 2005.

“Studying Inequality: Race, Class, Gender, and Sexuality.” Presented at the Latina/o Studies Symposium, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, October 2005.

“The Legal Construction of Native American Citizenship in 19th Century California.” Presented at the UCLA American Indian Studies Center, co-sponsored by the UCLA Chicano Studies Research Center, Los Angeles, CA, April 2005.

"The 2004 Elections and California Politics: Reflections and Considerations." Presented at UC Center Sacramento, Sacramento, CA, November 2004.

"The Gender, Race, and Ethnic Implications of Initiative Policymaking." Presented at the Pat Brown Institute California Policy Issues Conference, Hollywood, CA, November 2004.

"Latinos and the 2004 Election." Presented at the Weissman Center for Leadership and the Liberal Arts, Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, MA, October 2004.

"Studying Inequality: Race, Class, Gender and Sexuality." Presented at the Ralph Bunche Summer Institute, Duke University, Durham, NC, June 2004.

"Studying Inequality: Race, Class, Gender and Sexuality." Presented at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, DC, May 2004.

"Fluid Borders: Latino Power, Identity and Politics in Los Angeles." Presented at the "Migration, Borders and Transnational Organizations" conference, Institute of Gender, Globalization and Democracy, California State University, Northridge, May 2004.

"Resources and Participation: the Importance of Social Capital for the Latino Community." Presented at the "Latinos in California II, 1996-2003," conference, co-sponsored by the UC Committee on Latino Research and the University of California Institute for Mexico and the United States, University of California, Riverside, September 2003.

"Democracy, Power and Consent: Immigrants, Citizenship and Political Engagement in the United States." Presented at the "A Nation of Immigrants: Ethnic Identity and Political Incorporation" conference, Institute for Governmental Studies, University of California, Berkeley, May 2003.

"Power, Identity and Latino Politics." Presented at the Race and Politics Workshop, Department of Political Science, UCLA, April 2003.

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Boards and Steering Committees

- Expert Panel Member, California Adult Education Strategic Plan, California Department of Education. Convened by West Ed, San Francisco, CA, 2009 – 2010
- Advisory Board Member, Center for Information and Research on Civic Learning and Engagement, School of Public Affairs, University of Maryland, College Park, 2001 to 2006
- Member, Regional Advisory Council, Southern California Public Radio, KPCC, 2006 - 2008
- Steering Committee Member, "Voices of Reform: Improving California Governance Project," Commonwealth Club of California, 2004-2007
- Associate Editor, *Politics, Groups, and Identities*, 2010 – 2013
- Editorial Board Member, University of California Press, 2009 – 2014
- Editorial Board Member, *American Political Science Review*, 2007-present
- Editorial Board Member, *Politics and Gender*, 2007-present

- Editorial Board Member, *Latino Studies*, 2007-2014
- Editorial Board Member, *Aztlán: A Journal of Chicano Studies*, 2012-2015
- Editorial Board Member, *Journal of Politics*, 2005-2007
- Award Panel Member, Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowships, 2005, 2010

American Political Science Association

- President-elect, Women and Politics Section, 2011-2012
- Chair, Research Working Group, President's Task Force on Political Science in the 21st Century, 2008-2010
- Member, Nominating Committee, 2007 – 2009
- Program co-chair, Women and Politics Section, 2012 annual meeting
- Program co-chair, Race, Ethnicity, and Politics Section, 2007 annual meeting
- Chair, Best Paper Award Committee, Public Policy Section, 2012
- Chair, Ralph Bunche Award Committee, 2011
- Chair, Best Dissertation Award Committee, Women and Politics Section, 2010
- Co-chair, Committee on the Status of Latinas y Latinos in the Profession, 2004-2006
- Member, Committee on the Status of Latinas y Latinos in the Profession, 2002-2004
- Member, Executive Committee, Public Policy Section, 2010 – present
- Member, Executive Committee, Race, Ethnicity, and Politics Section, 2005-2007
- Member, Best Book Award Committee, Race, Ethnicity and Politics Section, 2000
- Member, Women's Caucus in Political Science, Mary Lepper Award Committee, 2006-2009
- Webmaster, Race, Ethnicity, and Politics Section, 2001-2004
- Webmaster, Latino Caucus, 2000-2005

American Educational Research Association

- Section Chair, Division L, 2013 Annual Meeting
- Member, Division G Mentoring Committee, 2009-2011

Western Political Science Association

- Chair, Pi Sigma Alpha Award Committee, 2011
- Member, Executive Council, 2007-2010
- Co-Chair, Local Arrangements, 2010 annual meeting
- Chair, 2009 Latina/o Politics Best Paper Award Committee
- Chair, Voting and Elections Section, 2006 annual meeting
- Chair, Race, Ethnicity and Diversity Section, 2002 annual meeting
- Chair, 2002 Chicana/o Politics Best Paper Award Committee
- Member, Committee on the Status of Latinas/os in the Profession, 2000-2003
- Member, 2000 Chicana/o Politics Best Paper Award Committee

UC Systemwide Service

- Member, Executive Board, UC/ACCORD MRU, 2010 – present

- Member, Editorial Board, University of California Press, 2009 – 2014
- On-site reviewer, University of California President's Postdoctoral Program, 2008, 2009, 2010
- Off-site reviewer, University of California President's Postdoctoral Program, 2007, 2008, 2010
- Member, Steering Committee, UC Cuba MRU, 2011 - 2013
- Member, Graduate Fellowship Award Committee, UC Cuba MRU, 2009, 2011, 2012
- Participant, University of California President's Summit on Faculty Diversity, May 2006

Campus Service

- Member, Academic Senate Subcommittee on the Breadth Requirement in American Cultures, 2011 – present
- Member, Advisory Board, Center for Latin American Studies, University of California, Berkeley, 2009 – present
- Member, Graduate Diversity Action Committee, University of California, Berkeley, 2011 – present
- Member, Haas Multicultural Education Advisory Group, University of California, Berkeley, 2010 – present
- Member, Haas Scholars Program Selection Committee, Office of Undergraduate Research, University of California, Berkeley, 2012
- Member, Graduate Fellow Selection Committee, Center for the Study of Social Change, University of California, Berkeley, 2011
- Member, Summer FLAS Award Selection Committee, Center for Latin American Studies, University of California, Berkeley, 2009
- Member, English Language Learner Search Committee, Graduate School of Education, University of California, Berkeley
- Member, Academic Review Committee, Graduate School of Education, University of California, Berkeley.
- Member, Personnel Committee, Graduate School of Education, University of California, Berkeley, 2009 – 2011
- Member, Dissertation Award Committee, Graduate School of Education, University of California, Berkeley, 2009 – 2011
- Member, Council on Research, Computing, and Libraries (CORCL), University of California, Irvine, 2007-2010
- Member, Advisory Panel on Undergraduate Scholarships, Honors, and Financial Aid, Academic Senate Committee, University of California, Irvine, 2001-2003
- Member, Executive Committee, School of Social Sciences, University of California, Irvine, 2003-2004
- Member, Graduate Committee, Department of Political Science, University of California, Irvine, 2002-2004
- Member, UCI Diversity Fellowship Nomination Committee for continuing graduate students, 2006