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Employment

- 2015– Research Fellow, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne, Germany
- 2012–2015 Junior Research Fellow, Carlos III-Juan March Institute for the Social Sciences*, and Visiting Professor, Carlos III University, Madrid, Spain
- *Formerly the Center for Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences (CEACS) of the Juan March Institute*

Education

- 2012 Ph.D. Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Dissertation:* “Power and Pesos: Bureaucracy, Expertise and the Politics of Money in Mexico and Argentina”
- Committee:* Erik Olin Wright (chair), John Levi Martin, Gay Seidman, Joan Fujimura, Menzie Chinn (economics)
- 2005 M.A. Humanities and Social Thought, New York University
- Thesis:* “Money and Morality in Early Capitalism: The School of Salamanca’s Analysis of Exchange” (Advisor: Craig Calhoun)
- 2000 B.A. Sociology (with honors), Whitman College

Research Interests

Comparative economic and political sociology; social networks; organizations; globalization; sociological theory; sociology of knowledge; Latin America and Southern Europe

Peer-reviewed publications

- 2016 “Consensus, Polarization and Alignment in the Economics Profession” *Sociological Science* 3 (first author with John Levi Martin and Misha Teplitsky).
- 2015 “Washington dissensus: Ambiguity and conflict at the International Monetary Fund.” *Socio-Economic Review*. Advance access, December 19, 2015.
- 2015 “Cohesion, Consensus and Conflict: Technocratic elites and financial crisis in Mexico and Argentina.” *International Journal of Comparative Sociology* 56(5).

- 2015 “Cycles of polarization and settlement: diffusion and transformation in the macroeconomic policy field.” *Theory and Society* 44(4).
- 2012 “Charisma, status and gender in groups with and without gurus,” second author with John Levi Martin and Benjamin Zablocki. *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 51(1).

Work in progress

“Brokers, Clients and Elite Political Networks in Mexico” (revise and resubmit, *American Journal of Sociology*)

“Varieties of indebtedness: Financialization and mortgage market institutions in Europe” (first author with Edo Navot, under review at *Social Science Research*)

“Diffusion of financial exuberance: Securitization in the Spanish Banking Sector” (preliminary research report)

Other publications

- 2016 “Economists are just like the rest of us. Their views on controversies line up with their ideologies.” Monkey Cage blog, Washington Post, Dec. 13. Also published on the ASA Work in Progress blog. <http://tinyurl.com/jv2nxq2>
- 2016 “The IMF and global exchange rates: dissensus in Washington,” Oxford University Press blog, <http://tinyurl.com/jg7sae9>
- 2013 “Economic expertise in hard times.” Infolibre (Spain; published in English and Spanish), <http://tinyurl.com/hy3378x>
- 2010 “Review of Martin Wolf, *Fixing Global Finance*, The Johns Hopkins University Press.” *Journal of World Systems Research* 16(2).

Invited Presentations

“Beyond Orthodox and Heterodox in Latin American Economics” (preliminary title). Cultures of Economic Expertise workshop, London School of Economics (planned, September 2017).

“Elite Brokers and the Presidential Succession in Mexico” (preliminary title). Institute for Analytical Sociology, Linköping University, Sweden (planned, May 2017).

“Brokers, Clients and Elite Political Networks in Mexico.” Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE), Mexico City, October 2015 and University of Kiel, October 2016.

“The Portfolio Society in Europe: Financial Intensification and Household Debt in Six European Countries.” Babies, Bonds and Buildings workshop, Central European University, Budapest, May 2015.

“A Paradox of Bureaucratic Autonomy: Central Bank Legitimacy, Transparency and Commitment.” Center for Social and Constitutional Studies, Madrid, December 2013.

“Washington Dissensus? Ambiguity and Conflict at the International Monetary Fund.” University of Edinburgh, February 2013.

Conference Papers

“The Diffusion of Financial Exuberance: Securitization in the Spanish Banking Sector.” Research report presented at the workshop Financial Innovation, Diffusion and Institutionalization: the Case of Securitization, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne, June 2016.

“Do Housing Bubbles Redistribute Wealth? Evidence from Spain.” Presented at the workshop Inequality: the Wealth-Credit-Housing Nexus and its Political Consequences, Max Planck-Sciences Po Center on Coping with Instability in Market Societies (MaxPo), Paris, April 2016.

“The Portfolio Society in Europe: Financial Intensification and Household Debt in Six European Countries.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Socio-Economics, London, July 2015.

“Brokers, Clients and Elite Political Networks in Mexico.” Presented at the Comparative Political Networks workshop, Carlos III University, Madrid, June 2015 and Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 2016.

“A Paradox of Bureaucratic Autonomy: Central bank Legitimacy, Autonomy and Commitment. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, August 2014.

“Accounting for Household Debt: Inequality, Social Policy or Financialization?” Financialization and its Consequences Conference, Carlos III-Juan March Center for the Social Sciences, Madrid, June 2014.

“Washington Dissensus? Ambiguity and Conflict at the International Monetary Fund.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, August 2013.

“Strategic Transparency: Crisis, Legitimacy and Central Bank Strategies in the Global Diffusion of Inflation Targeting.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Socio-Economics, Milan, June 2013.

“Cycles of contention and settlement: Rethinking the Dynamics of Change in the Macroeconomic Policy Field.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Social Science History Association, Vancouver, November 2012.

“A Theory of the Bureaucratic Field: Elite Circulation, Professional Networks and the Policy Process.” Presented at the 6th Junior Theorists Symposium, Denver, August 2012.

“Washington Dissensus? Ambiguity and Conflict at the International Monetary Fund.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Denver, August 2012.

“Conflict and Consensus among Elite Economists in the State.” Presented at the 2nd International Sociological Association Forum of Sociology, Buenos Aires, August 2012.

“Rethinking the Political Economy of High Inflation: Latin America in the 1980s.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Social Science History Association, Boston, November 2011.

“Shifting the Center: Financial Crises and the Transnational Field of Economics.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, August 2011.

“Network Cohesion and Policy Consensus among Economic Experts.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, August 2010.

“Money and Morality in Early Capitalism: The School of Salamancas Analysis of Exchange.” Presented at Politics and Culture: The Third Annual NYLON Conference, London, March 2005.

Grants and Fellowships

2009	Dissertation Improvement Grant, National Science Foundation (\$15,000)
2009	Research Travel Grant, Holtz Center for Science and Technology Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison (\$1,000)
2008	International Dissertation Research Fellowship, Social Science Research Council (\$25,000)
2007	Dissertation Proposal Development Fellowship, Social Science Research Council (\$5,000)
2007	Summer Research Fellowship, Holtz Center for Science and Technology Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison (\$3,000)
2006	Research Travel Grant, Holtz Center for Science and Technology Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison (\$1,000)
2004	Graduate School of Arts and Science Tuition Scholarship, New York University

Other awards

- 2012 American Sociological Association Postdoctoral Fellowship Program (declined)
- 2012 Honorable mention for “Cohesion, Consensus and Conflict in Bureaucratic State Elites,” Ronald S. Burt Student Paper Award from the Economic Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association
- 2008 Distinction on Preliminary Examination, Sociology of Economic Change and Development
- 2008 Distinction on Preliminary Examination, Sociology of Science
- 2005 Gillen Welcome Award, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2000 Eli Chertok Award for excellence in writing a senior thesis in sociology, Department of Sociology, Whitman College

Teaching Experience

- 2015 Invited instructor: Mini-course on political networks, Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE), Mexico City
- 2015 Lecturer: Theories of International Relations (Globalization and Development), IE School of International Relations, Madrid, Spain
–Award for highest student evaluations within department in semester
- 2012 Lecturer: Classical Sociological Theory, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2010 Lecturer: Problems of American Racial and Ethnic Minorities, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2008 Lecturer: Problems of American Racial and Ethnic Minorities, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2008 Teaching Assistant: Survey of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2005 Teaching Assistant: Survey of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Professional Service

Organizer of workshop on Financial Innovation, Diffusion and Institutionalization: the Case of Securitization, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne, June 2016

Organizer of workshop on Inequality: the Wealth-Credit-Housing Nexus and its Political Consequences, Max Planck-Sciences Po Center on Coping with Instability in Market Societies, April 2016

Organizer of Comparative Political Networks conference, Carlos III-Juan March Institute, Madrid, June 2015

Jury, Burt Student Paper award, Economic Sociology section of the American Sociological Association, 2015

Reviewer for *The American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *Socio-Economic Review*, *Latin American Politics and Society*, *World Politics*

Graduate Forum member, New York University, 2005; Organizer and Moderator, Draper Colloquium, New York University, 2003–04

Professional Affiliations

American Sociological Association; Social Science History Association; Society for the Study of Socio-Economics

Languages

Fluent Spanish; Intermediate French; Basic German

References

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