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Education

2003-Present

Ph.D. Political Science, expected June 2010 from University of California, Davis

- Primary Emphasis: American Politics
- Secondary Emphasis: Political Methodology

Dissertation: The Interaction of Political Rhetoric and Social Group Perceptions in Shaping Public Opinion

- Dissertation Committee: Robert Huckfeldt (Chair), Cindy D. Kam (Vanderbilt University), Benjamin Highton, Walter J. Stone

1997-2001

B.A. Political Science and Communications, *with Honors*, June 2001 from University of California, Davis

Additional Training

Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research Summer Program, 2005

Publications

Kam, Cindy D. and Carl L. Palmer "Reconsidering the Effects of Education on Political Participation." *The Journal of Politics* 70(3): 612-31.

Awards

- Journal of Politics Best Paper Award (with Cindy D. Kam), Southern Political Science Association 2009
- Pi Sigma Alpha Award for Best Paper (with Cindy D. Kam), Midwest Political Science Association 2006
- UC Davis: Departmental Faculty Collaboration Grant Summer 2005

Working Papers

Palmer, Carl L. "Dynamic Framing and Group Implication in Abortion Rhetoric." Second Round Revise and Resubmit at *Political Behavior*

Palmer, Carl L. "The Implications of Implicit Stereotype Appeals for Group-Centric Issue Opinion."

Palmer, Carl L. "The Ties That Bind: Social Groups, Framing Effects, and the Shape of Public Opinion."

Palmer, Carl L. and Rolfe D. Peterson. "The Shoe that Didn't Drop: Bias and Racial Priming in the 2008 Presidential Election."

Invited Talks

Palmer, Carl L. "Pushing Buttons: The Effects of Implicit and Explicit Stereotype Manipulations on Political Behavior." UC Davis Economics, Justice, and Society Workshop, September 2006.

Selected Conference Presentations

Palmer, Carl L. "The Ties That Bind: Social Groups, Framing Effects, and the Shape of Public Opinion." Paper presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Dublin IRL.

Palmer, Carl L. "The Implications of Implicit Stereotype Appeals for Group-Centric Issue Opinion." Paper presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL.

Palmer, Carl L. and Rolfe D. Peterson. "The Shoe that Didn't Drop: Bias and Racial Priming in the 2008 Presidential Election." Paper presented at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL and at the 2009 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Vancouver BC.

Palmer, Carl L. "Building Bridges (rhetorically that is): Tying Abortion to Social Groups." Paper presented at the 2008 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

Huckfeldt, Robert, Carl L. Palmer, and John B. Ryan. "Political Innovation, Novel Appeals, and Patterned Responses." Paper presented at the 2006 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

Kam, Cindy D. and Carl L. Palmer. "Unpacking the Effects of Education and Socialization on Participation." Paper presented at the 2006 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

Academic Appointments

Instructor:

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| Scientific Study of Politics (Research Methods) | Summer 2007, Spring 2008 |
| | Summer 2008, Winter 2009 |
| | Spring 2009, Summer 2009 |

Teaching Assistant (Graduate):

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| Modeling Political Behavior (Game Theory) | Spring 2007 |
| Linear Models (ICPSR) | Summer 2006 |
| Maximum Likelihood | Spring 2006 |
| Linear Models | Winter 2006 |
| Introduction to Statistics | Fall 2005 |
| Math Camp | Fall 2005, Fall 2006 |

Teaching Assistant (Undergraduate):

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|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| American National Government | Winter 2004, Winter 2007 Fall 2007, Winter 2008 |
| Scientific Study of Politics (Research Methods) | Spring 2005, Fall 2006 |
| Legislative Process | Summer 2006 |
| Political Psychology | Winter 2005 |
| Introduction to Comparative Politics | Spring 2004 |

Research Assistance:

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| 2004-Present | Programmer/Experimental Lab Administrator |
| 2004-2008 | Research Assistant to Prof. Cindy D. Kam |
| 2004-2007 | Research Assistant to Prof. Robert Huckfeldt |
| 2004-2005 | Research Assistant to Prof. Elizabeth J. Zechmeister |
| Fall 2006 & 2008 | Research Assistant to Prof. Scott S. Gartner |
| Summer 2007-Present | Research Assistant to Prof. Zeev Maoz |

Academic Service

- Reviewer, *American Politics Research*
- Graduate Representative American Institutions Job Search Committee, Fall 2006.
- Panel Discussant: "Issue Framing and Opinion Formation." International Society of Political Psychology Meeting, Dublin IRL, July 2009.
- Panel Chair: "Innovations in the Measurement of Racial Attitudes." Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago IL, April 2009.
- Panel Chair and Discussant: "Modeling Elections." Western Political Science Association Meeting, Vancouver BC, March 2009.
- Panel Chair: "Complex Estimation Problems." Midwest Political Science Association Meeting, Chicago IL, April 2006.
- Graduate Association of Political Science Students Treasurer (2004-2005)

References

- Robert Huckfeldt, Professor and Chair, Department of Political Science, UC Davis. (530) 752-0975, rhuckfeldt@ucdavis.edu
- Cindy Kam, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Vanderbilt University. (615) 322-6222, cindy.d.kam@vanderbilt.edu
- Ben Highton, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, UC Davis. (530) 752-0970, bhighton@ucdavis.edu
- Walt Stone, Professor, Department of Political Science, UC Davis. (530) 752-0976, wstone@ucdavis.edu