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- Appointments **University of California, Irvine**, Irvine, CA
Assistant Professor. Department of Political Science, July 2023.
Faculty Affiliate. Culture and Theory Program, February 2024.
- Johns Hopkins University**, Baltimore, MD
Postdoctoral Fellow, P3 Lab. SNF Agora Institute, September 2021-July 2023.
- University of California, Irvine**, Irvine, CA
Visiting Scholar. Center for the Study of Democracy, September 2021-July 2023.
- Education **University of Chicago**, Chicago, IL
Ph.D., Political Science, August 2021.
Master of Arts, Social Sciences, 2017.
- Emory University**, Atlanta, GA
Bachelor of Arts, Political Science, 2015. *Magna Cum Laude*.
- Book Project EJ Davies, *Alienated: Anti-Blackness and the Process of Radical Organizing*. Manuscript in Progress.
- Peer-Reviewed Articles EJ Davies, "The Anti-Black Axis: Rethinking Racial Triangulation." *Politics, Groups, and Identities*. March 2022.
- EJ Davies**, Jenn Jackson, Shea Streeter. "Bringing Abolition In: Addressing Carceral Logics in Social Science Research." *Social Science Quarterly*. August 2021.
- Book Chapters EJ Davies. "Talking the Talk: Lori Lightfoot on Policing and Violence in Chicago." *Distinct Identities II: Minority Women in US Politics*. Routledge. July 2023.
- In Progress **EJ Davies**, Jenn M. Jackson, David Knight. "Limited Scopes of Repair: Black Reparations Strategies and the Constraints of Local Redress Policy." *Forthcoming*.
- EJ Davies, "The Uses and Re-Uses of Monuments: Blackwashing and Liberatory Memory Work." *Revise and Resubmit*.
- EJ Davies, "Dear Political Science: Tools for the Study of Black (Life and) Politics." *Under Review*.
- EJ Davies, "Foundations of Solidarity: A Theory of Race-Based Caucus Organizing."
- EJ Davies**, Jenn M. Jackson, Bocar Ba, "Funding Communities to Defund Police: Police, Nonprofits, and Reducing Community Violence in Chicago."

Book Reviews EJ Davies, "On Black Radical Feminist Pragmatism" in Forum on *Reckoning: Black Lives Matter and the Democratic Necessity of Social Movements* by Deva Woodly. *Review of Politics*. March 2024.

EJ Davies, "Breaking Ground: The Legacy of Michael Dawson's *Visions* in Black Political Thought." *Political Theory: 50th Anniversary Issue*, February 2023.

EJ Davies, "Reckoning: Black Lives Matter and the Democratic Necessity of Social Movements." Deva R. Woodly. *Contemporary Political Theory*. May 2022.

EJ Davies, Review and Response Essay: "After Afropessimism." In Response to Michael C. Dawson's "Against Afropessimism." *Ideology, Theory, and Practice Blog*. May 2021.

EJ Davies, "Stay Woke: A People's Guide to Making All Black Lives Matter." Tehama Lopez Bunyasi and Candis Watts Smith. *Journal of Race Ethnicity and Politics*. April 2020.

Policy and Technical Reports P3 Lab. "Building and Brokering: Solidarity Processes in Multi-Racial Coalitions." February 2024.
GenForward Survey. "Attitudes on Racial Justice and Policing." July 2019.
GenForward Survey. "Politics Towards 2020." July 2019.
Halley Potter and Kimberly Quick, with Elizabeth Davies. "A New Wave of School Integration: Districts and Charters Pursuing Socioeconomic Diversity." February 2016.

Fellowships and Grants Russell Sage Foundation Pipeline Grant for Early Career Scholars, 2023. \$30,000.
APSA Advancing Research Grant for Early Career Scholars, 2022. \$2500.
Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, 2020-2021. \$28,000 yearly stipend.
Ford Foundation Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, 2017-2020. \$24,000 yearly stipend.
Diversifying Faculty in Illinois Fellowship, 2019-2021. \$12,000 and \$15,000 stipend.
Berkeley Center on Democracy and Organizing Seed Grant, 2019-2020. \$5000.
UChicago Pozen Human Rights Doctoral Fellow, 2019-2020. \$1000.
UChicago Art, Science, and Culture Initiative Fellow, 2018-2019. \$2400.
UChicago Urban Doctoral Fellow, 2018-2019. \$1000.
UChicago Center for the Study of Race Politics & Culture Research Grant, 2017. \$1600.
UChicago-SAIC Art, Science, and Culture Collaboration Grant, 2017. \$3000.
Minority Fellows Program, American Political Science Association, 2015-2017. \$4000.

Conference Presentations Western Political Science Association Conference, 2019, 2022, 2024.
Midwest Political Science Association, 2017-2020, 2024.
National Conference of Black Political Scientists, 2014-2015, 2018, 2020, 2024.
APSA Teaching and Learning Conference, 2023.
African American Intellectual History Society, 2022.
American Political Science Association, 2014, 2017-2022.
American Studies Association Conference, 2021-2022.
Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium, UC Santa Barbara, 2021.

Teaching **Intro to Race and Ethnic Politics.**
Instructor. UC Irvine, Winter 2024.
Black Feminist Politics.
Instructor. UC Irvine, Winter 2024.

Race, New Media, and Youth Movements for Justice

Co-Instructor and Course Designed with David Knight. UChicago, Winter 2020.

Sponsored by the Stevanovich Institute on the Formation of Knowledge. \$2000.

Contemporary African American Politics

Teaching Assistant with Professor Cathy Cohen, 2019.

The Practice of Social Science Research

Teaching Assistant with Patricia Conley, 2019.

The Practice of Research

Preceptor, Mellon-Mays Research Training Program, 2018.

Power, Identity, and Resistance I and III

Teaching Intern, Social Sciences Core, 2017- 2018.

The Political Nature of the American Judicial System

Teaching Assistant with Professor Gerald Rosenberg, 2018.

Panels &
Invited Talks

“Finding Effective Strategies to Advocate for Peace and Nuclear Security.”

Discussant. UC Irvine Sociology. February 2024.

“Methods and Research.”

Guest Lecture. Graduate Research Seminar. Prof. Mary McThomas. UC Irvine. November 2023.

“Building and Brokering: Foundations of Solidarity in Multi-Racial Coalitions.”

Panelist. Beyond Impact C4 Power: Building a Pro-Black Future. Houston, TX. October 2023.

“To Build a Black Future: The Radical Politics of Joy, Pain, and Care’ Book Discussion.”

Participant. Prof. Christopher Harris. UC Irvine. October 2023.

“The Anti-Black Axis.”

Guest Lecture in Black Politics Course. Instructor Christian Hosam. UC Berkeley. June 2023.

“Constructing Campus Solidarities.”

Invited Speaker. Consortium on High Achievement and Success. May 2023.

“Foundations of Solidarity: A Theory of Race-Based Caucus Organizing.”

Presenter. Organizing Forum Seminar. Johns Hopkins University. May 2023.

“The Multidimensionality of Black Reparations: A View from Chicagoland.”

Presenter. RSF Black Reparations: Insights from the Social Sciences. New York City. April 2023.

“Educating for Social Justice: Rethinking the Purpose of Political Science Roundtable.”

Participant. APSA Teaching and Learning Conference. February 2023.

“Resistance and Aesthetic Forms.”

Presenter. ASA. November 2022.

“Author Meets Critics, Reckoning: BLM and The Democratic Necessity of Social Movements.”

Participant. APSA. September 2022.

“APSA Emerging Scholars Research Roundtable.”

Participant. APSA. September 2022.

“Social Media and Social Movements.”

Guest Lecture. Loyola Marymount University. June 2022.

Student Criminal Justice Organizing Space.

Invited Speaker. Stanford University. May 2022.

“Solidarity and Scholarship.”

Invited Speaker. UChicago Race Working Group. December 2021.

“Alienated Activism: Activation, Education, and Mobilization.”

Invited Research Talk. University of California, Irvine. November 2021.

“Series: Recent Work on Race and Ethnicity in Contemporary Politics.”

Invited Research Talk. Reed College. November 2021.

“Alienated Activism: Activation, Education, and Mobilization.”

Invited Research Talk. Tulane University. November 2021.

- “Alienated Activism: Activation, Education, and Mobilization.”
Invited Research Talk. Loyola Marymount University. October 2021.
- “Black Revolt: Recovery, Reuse, Rehearsal and Records.”
Panelist. American Studies Association Conference. October 2021.
- “Exploring LGBTQ contributions to and inclusion in the BLM movement.”
Roundtable Participant. American Political Science Association. October 2021.
- “The Anatomy of an Uprising.”
Invited Speaker. Baltimore Center Stage. Baltimore, MD. September 2021.
- “Community Change Action Partner Survey Presentation.”
Presenter. Community Change Action. August 2021.
- “Emerging Issues In Political Science: Alienated Activism.”
Invited Research Talk. University of Georgia. June 2021.
- “Changing The Things We Cannot Accept: Prison Organizing and Abolition Teach-In.”
Moderator. Mass Incarceration Working Group, University of Chicago. June 2021.
- “Combating Police Violence and Building Youth Power.”
Moderator. UChicago Center for the Study of Race, Politics, and Culture. April 2021.
- “Against Cops and Bosses: An Abolition & Labor Workshop,”
Moderator. UChicago Graduate Students United. Chicago, IL. April 2021.
- “Alienated Activism: Activation, Education, and Mobilization.”
Invited Research Talk. University of Southern California. February 2021.
- “Movement Research and Activist Partnerships.”
Invited Research Talk. P3 Lab. Johns Hopkins University. February 2021.
- “From Adherents to Activists The Process of Social Movement Mobilization.”
Guest Lecture. Prof. Mary Ryan. Washington & Jefferson College. September 2020.
- “Political Science and the Movement for Black Lives: A Roundtable Discussion.”
Moderator. American Political Science Association. Virtual Conference. September 2020.
- “Remembering Mine: A Roundtable on Liberatory Memory Work.”
Presenter. UChicago Pozen Center for Human Rights. Chicago, IL. May 2020.
- “Understanding the Black Electorate.”
Presenter. AFL-CIO. Washington, DC. October 2019.
- “Reflections on Experiences at the Institute for Civically Engaged Research.”
Presenter. American Political Science Association. Boston, MA. September 2019.
- “Minding the Gap: Addressing Inequality in Political Science Discussion.”
Moderator. University of Chicago. Chicago, IL. February 2019.
- “Race and Pedagogy Working Group.”
Invited Speaker. University of Chicago. Chicago, IL. November 2018.
- “The Politics of Millennials.”
Presenter. Center for Law and Social Policy. Washington, DC. May 2017.
- “The New Black Politics.” Measuring the Dream Symposium.
Invited Talk. GA Tech/NAACP/ACLU. Atlanta, GA. May 2017.
- “Environmental and Reproductive Justice.”
Invited Talk. SisterSong: Women of Color Reproductive Justice Collective. Atlanta, GA. April 2017.

Professional
Development

Institute for Qualitative and Multimethod Research.

Syracuse University, 2022.

Institute on Memory Human Rights.

UChicago Pozen Center for Human Rights, 2019.

Center for Democracy and Organizing Summer Institute.

University of California, Berkeley, 2019.

Institute for Civically Engaged Research.

Tufts University, 2019.

Service **Reviewer.** Russell Sage Foundation, *Social Problems*; *American Political Science Review*; *Peace and Conflict Studies*; *PS: Political Science & Politics*; *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity*; *Politics, Groups, and Identities*; *National Review of Black Politics*.
Judge. NCOBPS Student Paper Competition, 2022.
Book Reviewer. *Political Theory's 50th Anniversary Issue*; *Contemporary Political Theory*; *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics*.
Member. UChicago GRAD Diversity Advisory Board, 2016-2018.
Member. Political Science Faculty Search Committee: Race and Ethnic Politics Scholar, 2017.

Non-profit Advisory Board, Women's All Points Bulletin. Chicago, IL.
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