

Race and Ethnic Politics in the United States
PSCI 529
Spring 2024

IV. Schedule

Part 1. Preliminaries

Week 1. Introduction and Orientation (January 18)

Week 2. Conceptual Foundations (January 23)

Fearon, James D. "What is identity (as we now use the word)." *Unpublished manuscript*, Stanford University, Stanford, California (1999): 1-43.

Hutchings, Vincent L., and Nicholas A. Valentino. "The centrality of race in American politics." *Annu. Rev. Polit. Sci.* 7 (2004): 383-408.

Bonomi, Giampaolo, Nicola Gennaioli, and Guido Tabellini. "Identity, beliefs, and political conflict." *The Quarterly Journal of Economics* 136, no. 4 (2021): 2371-2411.

Week 3. Historical Foundations (January 30)

Suryanarayan, Pavithra, and Steven Whitten. "Slavery, reconstruction, and bureaucratic capacity in the American south." *American Political Science Review* 115, no. 2 (2021): 568-584.

Bateman, David A., and Eric Schickler. "Deep Roots: Historical Causal Inference and the Political Legacy of Slavery." *Journal of Historical Political Economy* 3, no. 1 (2023): 95-124.

Logan, Trevon D. "Do Black Politicians Matter? Evidence from Reconstruction." *The Journal of Economic History* 80, no. 1 (2020): 1-37.

Week 4. Class cancelled (February 6)

Week 5. Attitude Formation I (February 13)

Egan, Patrick J. "Identity as dependent variable: How Americans shift their identities to align with their politics." *American Journal of Political Science* 64, no. 3 (2020): 699-716.

Tesler, M. (2012). *The Spillover of Racialization into Health Care: How President*

Trebbi, Francesco, Philippe Aghion, and Alberto Alesina. "Electoral rules and minority representation in US cities." *The Quarterly Journal of Economics* 123, No. 1 (2008): 325-357.

Week 8. Vote Dilution (March 12)

Shotts, Kenneth W. "Gerrymandering, legislative composition, and national policy outcomes." *American Journal of Political Science* (2002): 398-414.

Kuriwaki, Shiro, Stephen Ansolabehere, Aelo Dagonel, and Soichiro Yamauchi. "The Geography of Racially Polarized Voting: Creating Surveys at the District Level." *American Political Science Review*, 2023, 1-18

Cox, Adam B., and Richard T. Holden. "Reconsidering racial and partisan gerrymandering." *The University of Chicago Law Review* (2011): 553-604.

Week 9. Election Administration (March 19)

White, Ariel, NL Nathan and JK Faller. "Who do I need to vote? Bureaucratic discretion and discrimination by local election officials. AR White, NL Nathan, JK Faller." *American Political Science Review* (2015)

MK Chen, K Haggag, DG Pope. "Racial disparities in voting wait times: Evidence from smartphone data" *Review of Economics and Statistics* (2022)

Fraga, Brendan and MG Miller. "Who do voter ID keep from voting?" *The Journal of Politics* 84, no. 2 (2022): 1091-1105.

Cobb, Rachael V., D. James Greiner, and K.M. Quinn. "Can voter ID laws be administered in a race-neutral manner? Evidence from the city of Boston in 2008." *Quarterly Journal of Political Science* 7, no. 1 (2010): 1-33.

Week 10. Descriptive Representation (March 26)

Broockman, David E. "Black politicians are more intrinsically motivated to advance blacks' interests: A field experiment manipulating political incentives." *American Journal of Political Science* 57, no. 3 (2013): 521-536.

Lowande, Kenneth, Melinda Ritchie, and Erlan Ruterbach. "Descriptive and substantive representation in congress: Evidence from 80,000 congressional inquiries." *American Journal of Political Science* 63, no. 3 (2019): 644-659.

Nye, John VC, Ilia Rainer, and Thomas Stratmann. "Do black mayors improve black relative to white employment outcomes? Evidence from large US cities." *The Journal of Law, Economics, & Organization* 31, no. 2 (2015): 383-430.

Week 11. Segregation (April 2)

Roback J. The Political Economy of Segregation: The Case of Segregated Streetcars. The Journal of Economic History. 1986;46(4):893-917.

Trounstine, Jessica. 2018. "The Geography of Inequality: How Land Use Regulation Produces Segregation and Polarization." Typescript.

Hersh, Eitan, and Clayton Nall. 2015. "The Primacy of Race in the Geography of Income-Based Voting: New Evidence from Public Voting Records." Journal of Politics 60(2): 289-303.

Ananat, Elizabeth Oltmans, and Ebonya Washington. "Segregation and black political efficacy." Journal of Public Economics 93, no. 5-6 (2009): 807-822.

Week 12. Bureaucratic Discrimination (April 9)

Hübert, Ryan, and Andrew T. Little. "A Behavioral Theory of Discrimination in Policing." The Economic Journal (2023)

McCall, Andrew. "Resident assistance, police chief learning, and the persistence of aggressive policing tactics in black neighborhoods." The Journal of Politics 81.3 (2019): 1133-1142.

Penn, Maggie and John Patty. "Algorithms, Incentives, and Democracy." Working paper (2023)

Week 13. Marketplace Discrimination (April 16)

Bohren, J. Aislinn, Peter Hull, and Alex As. "Systemic discrimination: Theory and Measurement." No. w29820. National Bureau of Economic Research, 2022.

Haaland, Ingar, and Christopher Roth. "Beliefs about racial discrimination and support for pro-black policies." Review of Economics and Statistics 105, no. 1 (2023): 40-53.

Rose, Evan K. "A constructivist perspective on empirical discrimination research." Journal of Economic Literature 61, no. 3 (2023): 906-923.

Week 14. Class cancelled (April 23)

Week 15. Student Presentations (April 30)