

## JESSICA HYUNJEONG LEE, PH.D

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### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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#### California State University, Fullerton

Assistant Professor, Political Science  
Division of Politics, Administration and Justice

Fullerton, CA  
Fall 2025 - Current

#### College of the Holy Cross

Assistant Professor, Political Science  
Department of Political Science

Worcester, MA  
2023 - 2025

### EDUCATION

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#### University of California, Los Angeles

Ph.D., Political Science

Subfields: Race and Ethnicity Politics; Comparative; American

Dissertation: Is DACA Enough?: The Effect of DACA on Young Unauthorized Immigrants

Los Angeles, CA  
June 2023

#### University of California, Los Angeles

M.A., Political Science

Subfields: Race and Ethnicity Politics; Comparative Politics

Los Angeles, CA  
December 2020

#### University of California, San Diego

M.A., International Affairs

Subfields: Public Policy; International Development and Nonprofit Management

Area Specialization: Korea

La Jolla, CA  
June 2015

#### University of California, San Diego

B.A., International Studies

Subfields: Political Science and Economics

Area Specialization: Europe

La Jolla, CA  
June 2014

### PUBLICATIONS

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#### Peer-Reviewed

1. Pérez, Efrén, Jessica HyunJeong Lee, and Gustavo A. Martir Luna. 2025. "Partisans of Color: How Racialization and Polarization Structure Asian American and Latino Party ID." *American Political Science Review*.
2. Pérez, Efrén, Jessica HyunJeong Lee, Ana Oaxaca, Tania Cervantes, Jasmine Rodrigues, Kimberly Lam, and David McFall. 2023. "Manifold Threats to White Identity and Their Political Effects on White Partisans." *Social Psychological and Personality Science*.
3. Pérez, Efrén, Jessica HyunJeong Lee, Ana Oaxaca, Cole Matthews, and Madison Ritsema. 2023. "Unexpected, but consistent and pre-registered: Experimental evidence on interview language and Latino views of COVID-19." *Research & Politics*, 10(2).
4. Lee, Jessica HyunJeong, Evangel Penumaka, and Natalie Masuoka. 2020. "Asian American Voters in 2020: Analysis of Democratic Primary Voting and Lessons for Future Elections." *AAPI Nexus Journal Volume 17:1 & 2*.

#### Under Review and Selected Works in Progress

1. Lee, Jessica HyunJeong. "Is DACA Enough: The Effect of DACA on Young Undocumented Immigrants." *Working book project*.
2. Lee, Jessica HyunJeong. "Race, Religion, and Politics: How Religion shapes Asian American and Latino Political Behavior in the United States." *Working paper*.
3. Chan, Nathan Kar Ming, Vivien Leung, Natalie Masuoka, and Jessica HyunJeong Lee. "How Asian Americans Voted on Affirmative Action: The Case of California Prop 16." *Working paper*.
4. Cho, Soonhong, Jieun Park, Jessica HyunJeong Lee. "Drivers of Attitudes toward Asian Americans: Disentangling Stereotyping from Racial Identity." *Working paper*.

## Other Published Academic Works

1. Gutierrez, Angela, Michael Herndon, Jessica HyunJeong Lee, Marcel Roman, and Natalie Masuoka. 2020. "Democratic Party 2020: Analysis of Latino and Asian American Voting in 10 States." *Los Angeles: Latino Policy and Politics Initiative*.
2. Lee, Jessica HyunJeong, Nathan Chan, and Natalie Masuoka. 2020. "From Affirmative Action to Gig Economy: Racial Differences in the Support for California Propositions in the 2020 Election." *Los Angeles: Latino Policy and Politics Initiative*.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### California State University, Fullerton

- POSC 310: Political Behavior Fall 2025
- POSC 317: Race and Ethnicity in the US Politics Fall 2025

### College of the Holy Cross

- POLS 100: Principles of American Politics Fall 2024, Spring 2025
- POLS 110/199: Race and Ethnicity Politics Fall 2023, Spring 2024, Fall 2024
- POLS 212/299: Politics of U.S. Immigration Spring 2024, Spring 2025

### University of California, Los Angeles

#### Instructor of Record

- PS 186: Racial and Ethnic Politics in the U.S. Summer 2020

#### Teaching Assistant

- M183/M136C: Experiments in Racial and Ethnic Politics (Pérez) Spring 2022
- PS 40: Introduction to American Politics (Tausanovitch) Winter 2022
- PS 186: Racial and Ethnic Politics in the U.S. (Masuoka) Fall 2019, Fall 2021
- PS 140B: The American Presidency (James) Spring 2020
- PS 147C: American Political Development (James) Winter 2020
- PS 20: Introduction to World Politics (Trager, Min) Winter 2019, Spring 2019
- PS 143C: Politics of American Suburbanization (Frasure) Fall 2018

## FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

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### College of the Holy Cross

- J.D. Power Center Research Associate Program Fall 2023, Fall 2024, Spring 2025
- Weiss Summer Research Program Summer 2024

### University of California, Los Angeles

- Summer Mentored Research Fellowship Summer 2021
- Graduate Research Mentorship 2020-2021
- Institute of American Cultures Research Grant 2020-2021
- Graduate Summer Research Mentorship Summer 2019
- UCOP AB540 Fellowship 2018-2019
- Graduate Summer Research Mentorship Summer 2018

### American Political Science Association

- Minority Fellowship Program Spring 2018

## CONFERENCES

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### "Is DACA Enough?: The Effect of DACA on Young Unauthorized Immigrants"

- 2024 New England Council of Latin American Studies Conference Storrs, CT (Nov 2024)
- 2024 American Political Science Association Conference Philadelphia, PA (Sep 2024)
- 2024 Midwest Political Science Association Conference - *could not attend* Chicago, IL (Apr 2024)
- 2024 Southern Political Science Association Conference New Orleans, LA (Jan 2024)
- 2023 Northeastern Political Science Association Conference Boston, MA (Oct 2023)
- 2023 Western Political Science Association Conference San Francisco, CA (Apr 2023)

- “Partisans of Color” (with Pérez and Martir Luna)**  
 2023 American Political Science Association Conference  
 Los Angeles, CA (Aug 2023)
- “Asian Americans on Affirmative Action” (with Chan, Leung, and Masuoka)**  
 2023 American Political Science Association Conference  
 2022 Western Political Science Association Conference  
 Los Angeles, CA (Aug 2023)  
 Portland, OR (Mar 2022)
- “Identity Formation of Ethnic Minority Groups”**  
 2020 American Political Science Association Conference  
 2019 Western Political Science Association Conference  
 Virtual (Sep 2023)  
 San Diego, CA (Apr 2019)
- “Identity Formation of Asians”**  
 2020 Western Political Science Association Conference  
 Los Angeles, CA (Apr 2020)
- “The Contours of Attitudes Towards Undocumented Immigration” (with Masuoka, Leung, and Penu-  
 maka)**  
 2018 Liminality Legal Asians Conference, Brown University  
 Providence, RI (Sep 2018)

## SERVICE

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### College of the Holy Cross

- Community Standards Board committee member 2024-2027
- Pi Sigma Alpha advisor 2024-2025
- Preliminary Cluster Hire (Race in the U.S.) Steering Committee Spring 2024
- J.D. Power Center Research Associates Program
  - Amy Inestroza (International Studies and Sociology), *Faculty Advisor* Fall 2024, Spring 2025
  - Ezekiel Lu (Political Science), *Faculty Advisor* Spring 2025
  - Diana Chavez Cruz (Economics), *Faculty Advisor* Fall 2023
- Weiss Summer Research Program Summer 2024
  - Daniel Sabados (Political Science), *Faculty Advisor*
- Honors Thesis Advising
  - Michael Piwko (Political Science), *Primary Advisor* 2024-2025
  - Adam Cooper (History, Best Honors Thesis Prize), *Second Reader* 2023-2024

### University of California, Los Angeles

- Mark Q. Sawyer Summer Institute Summer 2022  
 Introduction to Data Analysis Instructor

### Political Science Discipline

- Western Political Science Association - Don T. Nakanishi Award committee 2024-2025
- Politics, Groups, and Identities Journal Reviewer

## AFFILIATIONS

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American Political Science Association  
 Northeastern Political Science Association  
 Southern Political Science Association  
 Western Political Science Association  
 New England Council of Latin American Studies

## LANGUAGE AND SKILLS

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English (native), Korean (native)  
 R, STATA, SPSS,  $\LaTeX$  & GIS, Web Scraping, Excel, Qualtrics

Last updated: August 2025