Michelangelo Landgrave

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Primary Appointments

University of Colorado, Boulder. Department of Political Science.
Assistant Professor of Political Science. 2024 -
Fellow of the Institute of Behavioral Science. 2025 -

University of Missouri, Columbia. Truman School of Government & Public Affairs.
Assistant Professor of Political Science & Public Affairs. 2023 - 2024.
Cambio Center Faculty Fellow. 2023.
PFFFD Postdoctoral Fellow. 2022 - 2023.

United States Federal Government. General Services Administration's Office of Evaluation Sciences.
Associate Fellow. 2021 - 2022.

Princeton University. Department of Politics and the Center for the Study of Democratic Politics.
Postdoctoral Research Associate. 2021 - 2022.

Education

University of California, Riverside. Political Science PhD. June 2021. Advisor: Nicholas Weller.
University of California, Riverside. Political Science MA. December 2018.
California State University, Long Beach. Economics MA. December 2015.
California State University, Northridge. Economics BA. December 2012.

Research

Peer Reviewed Publications

19. Abdelaziz Alsharawy, Robert Anstett, and Michelangelo Landgrave. "What is the effect of Political Influencers on TikTok? Early results from a field experiment with young adults." Forthcoming in *Political Studies Review*.

18. Alexander Kustov and Michelangelo Landgrave. "Immigration is Difficult?! Informing Voters About Immigration Policy Fosters Pro-immigration Views." Forthcoming in *Journal of Experimental Political Science*.

17. Michelangelo Landgrave. "How are minority staffers utilized? Evidence from the California State Assembly." *California Journal of Politics & Policy* 17, no. 1 (2025).

16. Michelangelo Landgrave. "Do state legislative staffer networks influence roll-call voting? Evidence from shared personal staffers in Arizona, Indiana, and New Mexico." *State Politics & Policy Quarterly* 24, no. 3 (2024): 287-299.

15. Stephanie Chan and Michelangelo Landgrave. "A Nation of Immigrants? The Case for a Politically Influential and Intersectional Immigrant Identity in the United States." *Politics, Groups, and Identities* 12, no. 5 (2024): 986–1011.

14. Mark Benton and Michelangelo Landgrave. "How can the police avoid earning distrust? Exploring the associations of police distrust among African Americans." *Journal of Social Equity and Public Administration* 2, no. 1 (2024): 71–90.

13. Mia Costa, Charles Crabtree, John B. Holbein, and Michelangelo Landgrave. "Is that Ethical? An Exploration of Political Scientists' Views on Research Ethics." *Research & Politics* October - December (2023): 1-8.

12. Jacob Authement, Michelangelo Landgrave, and Nicholas Weller. "Do Public Housing Agencies Discriminate Against Latinos? A Large-Scale Replication Study to Assess Discrimination." *Journal of Behavioral Public Administration* 6 (2023).

11. Nathan Lee, Michelangelo Landgrave and Kirk Bansak. "Are Subnational Policymakers' Policy Preferences Nationalized? Evidence from Surveys of Township, Municipal, County, and State Officials." *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 48, no. 2 (2023): 441-454.

10. Michelangelo Landgrave. "Why do migrant parents give their children distinctively ethnic names? Evidence from a pre-registered analysis." *Journal of Economics, Race, and Policy* 6 (2023): 19-33.

9. Michelangelo Landgrave. "Do citizens demand transparency from co-partisans? Evidence from a pre-registered experiment in Mexico." *Electoral Studies* 80 (2022).

8. John Burnett, Stephanie L. DeMora, Michelangelo Landgrave, Christian Lindke and Adriana Ninci. "How Can We Address Professional Isolation Among Traditionally Underrepresented Students? The Importance of Peer Mentorship." *Journal of Political Science Education* 18, no. 3 (2022): 425-429.

7. Michelangelo Landgrave and Nicholas Weller. "Do Name-based Treatments Violate Information Equivalence? Evidence from a Correspondence Audit Experiment." *Political Analysis* 30, no. 1 (2022): 142 - 148.

6. Michelangelo Landgrave. "Do Politicians Ethnically Discriminate Against Hispanics? Evidence from a Field Experiment with State Legislative Offices." *Legislative Studies Quarterly* 46, no. 3 (2021): 621 - 636.

5. Michelangelo Landgrave. "How Can We Improve Graduate Training for Undocumented Students? Ethnic and Nativity-based Inequities in Political Science Graduate Education." *PS: Political Science & Politics* 54, no. 1 (2021): 147 - 151.

4. Michelangelo Landgrave. "Can We Reduce Deception in Elite Field Experiments? Evidence from a Field Experiment with State Legislative Offices." *State Politics & Policy Quarterly* 20, no. 4 (2020): 489-507.

3. Michelangelo Landgrave and Nicholas Weller. "Do More Professionalized Legislatures Discriminate Less? The Role of Staffers in Constituency Service." *American Politics Research* 48, no. 5 (2020): 571–78.

2. Nicholas R. Jenkins, Michelangelo Landgrave, and Gabriel E. Martinez. "Do Political Donors Have Greater Access to Government Officials? Evidence from a FOIA Field Experiment with US Municipalities." *Journal of Behavioral Public Administration* 3, no. 2 (2020): 1-17.

1. Andrew C. Forrester, Benjamin Powell, Alex Nowrasteh and Michelangelo Landgrave. "Do Immigrants Import Terrorism?" *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization* 166 (2019): 529-543.

Book Chapters & Other Academic Publications

3. Alex Nowrasteh, Andrew C. Forrester and Michelangelo Landgrave. "Truth and Freedom: The Debate over Unauthorized Immigrants and Crime." in "On Inequality and Freedom." Edited by Lawrence M. Eppard and Henry A. Giroux. *Oxford University Press* (2022).

2. Michelangelo Landgrave. "Cooling Publication Fever in Underrepresented Grad Students." *Nature: Human Behavior* (2019).

1. Michelangelo Landgrave. "Do Charitable Donations Incentivize Elites to Participate in Experiments?" *The Experimental Political Scientist: Newsletter of the APSA Experimental Research Section* (2019). Volume 5 Issue 1.

Teaching Experience

University of Colorado (Boulder, CO)
- Instructor for PSCI 7075 (Scope and Methods of Political Science, Graduate). Fall 2024.
- Instructor for PSCI 4131 (Latinos and the U.S. Political System, Undergraduate). Summer 2024. Fall 2024.
- Instructor for PSCI 3101 (Black Politics, Undergraduate). Spring 2025.

University of Missouri (Columbia, MO)
- Instructor for POL 9140 (American Political Institutions, Graduate). Fall 2023.
- Instructor for POL 9040 (Experimental Political Science, Graduate). Fall 2022.
- Instructor for POL 4131 (Race & Politics, Undergraduate). Fall 2023.
- Instructor for POL 4132 (Race, Immigration & Urban Politics, Undergraduate). Spring 2024.

University of California, Riverside (Riverside, CA)
- Instructor for POSC 010 (Intro to American Politics, Undergraduate). Summer 2019.
- Teaching Assistant for POSC 005 (Political Ideologies, Undergraduate). Summer 2018.
- Reader for PBPL 210 (Quantitative Methods for Public Policy Analysis, Graduate). Fall 2018, Fall 2019.

California State University, Long Beach (Long Beach, CA)
- Teaching Associate for ECON 380 (Economic Statistics, Undergraduate). Fall 2015

Fellowships, Grants, and Other Competitive Awards

University of Colorado (Boulder, CO)
- Benson Center, Faculty Research Grant, 2024 ($1,500)
- A&S JEDI, Small Grant for RACE Lab, 2024 ($500)

University of Missouri (Columbia, MO)
- Division of Inclusion, Diversity & Equity Grant, 2024 ($500)
- Arts & Science Writing Fellowship, 2023-2024 (course buyout)
- Departmental Mini-Conference Grant for 2023-2024

University of California, Riverside (Riverside, CA)
- Political Science Department Research Grant, 2020 ($600)
- Political Science Department IQMR Grant, 2018
- Political Science Department Internal Travel Grant, 2018 ($800); 2019 ($800)
- Graduate Student Association Travel Grant, 2018 ($400); 2019 ($1,500); 2020 ($500)

California State University, Long Beach (Long Beach, CA)
- College of Liberal Arts Distinguished Graduate Honors, 2015-2016
- 1st place in the 4th Annual Economics Poster Competition, 2015
- Ray & Marge Lancaster Scholarship, 2015 ($1,750)
- Student Life & Development Grant, 2015 ($400)

Arizona State University (Tempe, AZ)
- Center for Latina/os and American Politics Research (CLAPR), Research Award, 2024 ($2,000)

Utah State University (Logan, UT)
- Center for Growth and Opportunity Research Grant, 2021 ($2,000)
- Center for Growth and Opportunity Research Grant, 2020 ($6,000)

American Political Science Association (Washington DC)
- Paul Volcker Junior Scholar Research Grant, 2023 ($2,000); w/ Juhyun Bae
- Tom Carsey Scholar Award, 2020 ($300)
- APSA Fund for Latino Scholarship, 2019 ($500)
- APSA Minority Fellowship, Spring 2018 ($2,000)
- APSA First Generation Scholar Travel Grant, 2017 ($250)

Institute for Humane Studies (Arlington, VA)
- Humane Studies Fellowship, 2024 ($5,000); w/ Hang Qi
- Event Grant No. IHS017852 for MARGIE Mini-Conference, 2024 ($1,000); w/ Hannah Paul
- Expense Support for Grant No. IHS017406, 2023 ($5,000); w/ Robert Anstett & Jacob Authement
- Summer Graduate Research Fellow, 2020 ($6,000)
- IHS Fellowship, 2017-2018 ($2,000); 2018-2019 ($4,000); 2019-2020 ($4,000); 2020-2021 ($6,000)
- Hayek Fund, 2017-2018 ($500); 2018-2019 ($300); 2019-2020 ($2,000); 2022 ($4,000)
- ICPSR Grant, Summer 2017 ($3,500)

UC MEXUS / CONACYT (Riverside, CA & Mexico City)
- UC MEXUS Small Grant, 2018 ($1,228)
- UC MEXUS-CONACYT Doctoral Fellowship, 2016 - 2021 (approx. $200,000)

Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium (Riverside, CA)
- Michigan State University PRIEC Travel Grant, 2018 ($300)
- University of New Mexico PRIEC Travel Grant, 2017 (in-kind)

Polarization Research Lab (Dartmouth College, University of Pennsylvania and Stanford University)
- Survey Space on America's Political Pulse Survey, 2023 (in-kind); w/ Alexander Kustov

Conference Presentations, Invited Talks, & Other Presentations

- GradSuccess at the Unversity of California, Riverside. Webinar: Career Pathways, Recently Hired Faculty Panel. November 5th, 2024.
- Center for Growth and Opportunity at Utah State University. Webinar: Immigration Attitudes in America and Canada. April 24th, 2024.
- Junior Americanist Workshop Series (JAWS). November 8, 2023. Immigration is Difficult?! The Effect of Informing Voters about U.S. Immigration Policy. With Alexander Kustov.
- Mercatus Center at George Mason University. Mercatus Center Markets & Society Conference. October 20-23, 2023. Is opposition to immigration driven by the (perceived) ideology of migrants?
- Munk School of Global Affairs & Public Policy at the University of Toronto. Toronto Political Behaviour Workshop. September 29-30, 2023. Immigration is Difficult?! The Effect of Informing Voters about U.S. Immigration Policy. With Alexander Kustov.
- Center for Growth and Opportunity at Utah State University. Center for Growth and Opportunity Immigration Partner Retreat. June 7-9, 2023.
- University of Missouri. Missouri Plan for Shared Instructional Resources Conference. August 11, 2022. "Improved Learning and Outreach for Students of Visible Minorities, First Generation Students, and Other Groups: Reaching and Teaching All Students."
- Claremont Graduate University & University of California, Riverside. Preparing for the Job Market in Political Science Conference. Fall 2022. "Postdocs and Careers Outside of Academia."
- University of Notre Dame. Rooney Center for the Study of American Democracy. March 12, 2021. "Do Staffers Influence Legislative Behavior? Evidence from Arizona, Indiana and New Mexico."

- MPSA: 2022, 2023
- SPSA: 2024
- APSA: 2023, 2024

Additional Training

University Teaching Program. University of California, Riverside. Fall 2019.
Chancellor's Diversity Certification Program. University of California, Riverside. Spring 2019.
IQMR Summer Training. Syracuse University. Summer 2018.
Experimental Economics Workshop. IFREE, Chapman University. January 2018.
ICPSR Summer Training. University of Michigan. Summer 2017.

Other Skills

Software: Stata, ArcGIS, LaTeX, R, Gretl, SPSS, SAS and Eviews among others.
Languages: English (native), Spanish (native)

Other Research Experience

LAEDC (Los Angeles, CA). Research Analyst. 2015-2016.
PERC (Bozeman, MT). Environmental Policy, Impact Fellow. 2015.
Reason Foundation (Washington DC). Transportation Policy, Research Intern. 2014.
Cato Institute (Washington DC). Immigration Policy, Research Intern. 2013.

Professional Service

Organizational Positions

American Political Science Association

- Member of the State Politics & Policy section's Mac Jewell Enduring Contribution Book Award Committee; 2023.
- Member of the State Politics & Policy section's Inclusion and Diversity Committee; 2024-2026.

Southern Political Science Association

- Member of the SPSA Executive Council; 2025-Present.

Midwest Political Science Association

- REP Section Head for 2024 MPSA Conference.

Mid-American Conference for Race, Gender, Immigration and Ethnicity Politics (MARGIE)

- Co-Founder & Steering Committee. 2023-Present.

Evidence in Governance and Politics (EGAP)

- Member. 2025-Present.

University of Colorado - University Level

- Founder and Director of the Research on Accountability, Civics, and Equity (RACE) Lab; Fall 2024-Present.

University of Colorado - Department Level

- Member of the PSCI Comprehensive Exams Committee, American Politics Subcommittee; AY 2024-25.
- Member of the PSCI Justice, Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion (JEDI) Committee; Fall 2024-Present.

University of Missouri - University Level

- Faculty Advisor for Latinx Graduate and Professional Network; Fall 2023-Spring 2024.
- Member of the Migration Studies Steering Committee; 2023-2024.
- Member of the PhD Admissions Fellowship Nomination Review Process Committee; 2023.

University of Missouri - Department Level

- Member of the State Internships and Legislative Academy Committee. 2023-2024.
- Member of the Truman School Undergraduate Committee. 2023-2024.
- Member of the Truman School Lectures Committee; 2022-2023.
- Founder and Coordinator of the Truman Interdisciplinary Group for Experimental Research (TIGER); Fall 2022-Fall 2023.
- Founder and Coordinator of the S. Truman Research group on Immigration Political Economy (STRIPE); Fall 2022-Fall 2023.
- Founder and Coordinator of the American Politics Research Group (APoRG); Spring 2023-Spring 2024.

University of California, Riverside

- Member of the Political Science Department Research Committee; 2019 - 2021.
- President of the Political Science Graduate Association; 2019 - 2020.
- Coordinator of the Race, Immigration and Ethnicity Research Group; 2019-2020.
- Lab Manager of the Political Science Gender Lab; Spring 2018, Winter 2019 & Spring 2019.

California State University, Long Beach.

- President of the Economics Graduate Association; 2015.

Reviewer

National Science Foundation

American Political Science Review
Journal of Politics
Political Research Quarterly
PS: Political Science and Politics
Perspectives on Politics
Research & Politics
Legislative Studies Quarterly
State Politics & Policy Quarterly
Politics Groups and Identities
Journal of Race & Ethnic Politics
Hispanic Journal of Behavioral Sciences
European Political Science Review
Electoral Studies

Journal of Experimental Political Science
Journal of Behavioral Public Administration
PlOS One
Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization
Cosmos+Taxis
Contexts
Journal of Anime and Manga Studies

Doctoral Committees (Chair or Co-Chair)

Cayleb Stives . University of Colorado. Co-Chair with Vanessa Baird.
Donald Caviness. University of Colorado. Co-Chair with Andy Phillips.
Katie Sevin. University of Colorado.
Aime Hogue Rovelo. University of Missouri. Co-Chair with Pev Squire. 2024 PhD. Initial job: AP @ Luther College (Decorah, IA)

Doctoral Committees (Committee member)

Political Science
Hang Qi. University of Missouri. 2024 PhD. Initial job: AP @ University of Macau
Aryanna Hyde. University of Missouri.
Robert Anstett. University of Missouri.
Aubree Hardesty. University of Missouri.
Ethan Shumate. University of Missouri.
Borhan Borhan. University of Missouri.

Public Affairs
Youngbin Lee. University of Missouri.

Philosophy
Arcangelo Quintaneiro. University of Missouri. 2024 PhD.