

MATTHEW TOKESHI

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EDUCATION

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

Ph.D., Politics and Social Policy, expected May 2016

Dissertation: “How Candidates Overcome Negative Racial Campaigns in American Politics”

Committee: Tali Mendelberg (chair), Martin Gilens, Christopher Achen, and Omar Wasow

M.A., Politics, 2012

Fields: American Politics, Comparative Politics, and Formal and Quantitative Methods

University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA

B.A., Political Science and Psychology, 2006

PUBLICATIONS

Tokeshi, Matthew, and Tali Mendelberg. 2015. “Countering Implicit Appeals: Which Strategies Work?” *Political Communication* (Forthcoming). Published online on April 16, 2015.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Public opinion and political behavior; racial and ethnic politics; political psychology; experimental and survey methods; campaigns; inequality and social policy; media and politics

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Rebuttals as Deracializing Strategies for African American and White Candidates,” under review

“African American Candidates for High-Profile Statewide Office: an Analysis of Their Performance among White Voters”

“Racial Framing and Counterframing in the 2013 New Jersey U.S. Senate Election”

AWARDS

Winner of the 2014 Timothy Cook Award for best paper on political communication presented by a graduate student at the 2014 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting

Honorable Mention for the 2014 award for best paper on race, ethnicity, and politics presented at the 2014 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting

PRESENTATIONS

Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, July 2015, San Diego, CA

Bobst Center for Peace and Justice Workshop on Race, Ethnicity, and Identity, April 2015, Princeton, NJ

Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, August 2014, Washington, DC

NYU Center for Experiments in the Social Sciences Conference, March 2014, New York, NY

Lecture, Undergraduate Course in *Public Opinion*, November 2013, Princeton, NJ

NYU Center for Experiments in the Social Sciences Conference (poster presentation), March 2013, New York, NY

Workshop in Social Policy, Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University, February 2013, Princeton, NJ

Center for the Study of Democratic Politics-Bobst Center for Peace and Justice Workshop on Experimental Design, Princeton University, January 2013, Princeton, NJ

GRANTS

American Studies Summer Research Prize, Princeton University, May 2015

Industrial Relations Section, Princeton University, October 2014

Center for the Study of Democratic Politics political behavior seed grant, Princeton University, May 2014 and October 2014

Fund for Experimental Social Sciences, Princeton University, January 2014

Center for the Study of Democratic Politics graduate student research grant, Princeton University, December 2013

Princeton Research in Experimental Social Science, October 2013 and October 2014

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Instructor, Public Opinion (undergraduate course with Professor Tali Mendelberg), Fall 2013

Assistant Instructor, Mass Media and American Politics (undergraduate course with Professor Martin Gilens), Spring 2013

RESEARCH POSITIONS

Research Assistant for Professor Amy Lerman, June 2011-August 2012