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Academic Appointments

The London School of Economics and Political Science   2024–present
Associate Professor, Department of Methodology

University of California, Davis   2016–2024
Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science

Stanford University Graduate School of Business   2020
Visiting Scholar (*Note: canceled at the start of the COVID-19 pandemic*)

Education

Ph.D. in Political Science, University of California, Berkeley   2016

M.A. in Economics, University of California, Berkeley   2016

M.A. in Political Science, University of California, Berkeley   2011

Master of Public Administration, Columbia University   2010

B.A. in Politics and Economics, Brandeis University   2005

Research

For more information about other ongoing research, including access to publicly available working papers, please visit https://ryanhubert.com/research/.

Forthcoming

Trading Diversity? Judicial Diversity and Case Outcomes in Federal Courts
Coauthored with Ryan Copus and Paige Pellaton.
Forthcoming in *American Political Science Review*. https://osf.io/h4ytz/.

The Public Meeting Paradox: How NIMBY-Dominated Public Meetings Can Enable New Housing
Coauthored with Allison K. Cuttner and B. Pablo Montagnes.
Forthcoming in *Journal of Political Institutions and Political Economy*. https://osf.io/gfbva/.

Publications

A Behavioural Theory of Discrimination in Policing
Coauthored with Andrew T. Little.
2023. *Economic Journal* 133(655): 2828–2843. https://doi.org/10.1093/ej/uead043

Going Into Government: How Hiring from Special Interests Reduces Their Influence
Coauthored with Janna King Rezaee and Jonathan Colner.
2023. *American Journal of Political Science* 67(2): 485–498. https://doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12701.

Kompromat Can Align Incentives But Ruin Reputations
Coauthored with Andrew T. Little.
2022. *American Journal of Political Science* 66(4): 871–884. https://doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12620.

Political Appointments and Outcomes in Federal District Courts
Coauthored with Ryan Copus.
2022. *Journal of Politics* 84(2): 908–922. https://doi.org/10.1086/716947.

Biased Judgments without Biased Judges: How Legal Institutions Cause Errors
2021. *Journal of Politics* 83(2): 753–766. https://doi.org/10.1086/710323.

Getting Their Way: Bias and Deference to Trial Courts
2019. *American Journal of Political Science* 63(3): 706–718. https://doi.org/10.1111/ajps.12434.

Big Data, Machine Learning, and the Credibility Revolution in Empirical Legal Studies
Coauthored with Ryan Copus and Hannah Laqueur.
2019. In *Law as Data: Computation and the Future of Legal Analysis*. Edited by Michael A. Livermore and Daniel N. Rockmore. Santa Fe, NM: SFI Press. https://doi.org/10.37911/9781947864085.02.

Awards, Fellowships & Honors

Hellman Fellow ($34,000), UC Davis	2020–2021
Academic Senate Faculty Research Grant ($18,433), UC Davis	2017
Best Graduate Student Poster, APSA Law and Courts Section	2015
IGS Award, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley	2015
Berkeley Empirical Legal Studies Fellowship, UC Berkeley School of Law	2013–2014
Political Science Formal Theory Fellowship, UC Berkeley	2012–2013
Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, UC Berkeley	2012

Institute of European Studies Entering Graduates Fellowship, UC Berkeley   2010–2011

Finalist for Presidential Teaching Award, Columbia University   2010

Alice Stetten Fellowship, Columbia University, School of International and Public Affairs   2009

Highest Honors, Department of Politics, Brandeis University   2005

Induction to Phi Beta Kappa, Brandeis University   2005

Invited Seminars and Talks

London School of Economics, Methodology Department   2023

University of Oxford, Nuffield College Political Science Seminar   2023

London School of Economics, PSPE Seminar Series   2023

UC Berkeley, Research Workshop in American Politics   2022

University of Rochester, The Riker Seminar   2020

University of Southern California, Political Institutions and Political   2020
Economy Workshop Series

University of Pittsburgh, Center for American Politics Seminar Series   2020

University of Rochester, Political Science Department   2015

UC Davis, Political Science Department   2015

Invited Conferences, Institutes and Workshops

Conference on Data Science and Law, Fordham Law School   2023

SCALES Open Justice Research Workshop, Northwestern University,   2023
Pritzker School of Law

American Politics Conference, Harris School of Public Policy   2022

American Politics Conference, UC San Diego   2020
Note: canceled due to COVID-19 pandemic

Conference on Institutions and Law-Making, Emory University   2020

Conference on Political Economy and Public Law, Princeton University   2019

Conference on Institutions and Law-Making, Emory University   2019

Conference on Political Economy and Public Law, UConn Law   2018

Conference on Institutions and Law-Making, Emory University   2018

Conference on Political Economy and Public Law, USC Law   2017

Conference on Institutions and Law-Making, Emory University   2017

Conference on Political Economy and Public Law, Cornell Law   2016

Conference on Political Economy and Public Law, NYU Law   2015

Conference on Institutions and Law-Making, Emory University   2015

Conference on Political Economy and Public Law, University of Rochester   2014

Conference on Institutions and Law-Making, Emory University   2014

EITM Summer Institute, UC Berkeley   2013

Conference on Political Economy and Public Law, Washington University in St. Louis   2013

Association Meetings

American Political Science Association Annual Meeting   2013–2023

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting   2014–2015, 2022

Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting   2017–2020

Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting   2018–2019

PolMeth Annual Meeting   2015

Teaching

Graduate

Research Methods in Political Science (POL 211), UC Davis (Instructor)
Note: introductory graduate quantitative methods

Modeling Politics (POL 215), UC Davis (Instructor)
Note: introductory graduate game theory

Advanced Models of Politics (POL 282), UC Davis (Instructor)

Topics in American Politics Seminar (POL 290A), UC Davis (Instructor)

Essential Tools for Political Science (Math Camp), UC Davis (Instructor)

Formal Models of Political Science (Pol Sci 232A), UC Berkeley (Teaching Assistant)

Quantitative Techniques II (SIPA U6501), Columbia University (Teaching Assistant)

Economic Analysis I (SIPA U6400), Columbia University (Teaching Assistant)

Undergraduate

The Strategy of Politics (POL 110), UC Davis (Instructor)

Policy-Making Processes (POL 140E), UC Davis (Instructor)

Judicial Process and Behavior (POL 155), UC Davis (Instructor)

Game Theory in the Social Sciences (Pol Sci W135), UC Berkeley (Teaching Assistant)

Economics of Public Policy Analysis (PPIA Junior Summer Institute), UC Berkeley (Instructor)

Introduction to Empirical Analysis and Quantitative Methods (Pol Sci 3) UC Berkeley (Teaching Assistant)

Congress (Pol Sci 103), UC Berkeley (Teaching Assistant)

French Politics (Pol Sci 147F), UC Berkeley (Teaching Assistant)

Service

Departmental Service

UC Davis Political Science Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee	2021–2023
UC Davis Political Science Methodology Subfield Committee *Note: committee chair from 2022 to present*	2017–present
UC Davis Political Science Ad Hoc Committee on Qualifying Examinations	2021–2022
UC Davis Political Science Speaker Series Committee	2016–2022

University Service

UC Davis Joint Curriculum Committee for a Master's in Public Policy	2023–present

Discipline Service

Referee, *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Theoretical Politics*, *Journal of Law and Courts*, *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization*, *Congress & the Presidency*, *Games and Economic Behavior*, *Journal of Political Institutions and Political Economy*, *Journal of Experimental Political Science*

Program Chair for Annual Meeting, APSA Formal Theory Section	2020–2022
Vice President, APSA Formal Theory Section	2023–present
Editorial Board Member, *Journal of Law and Courts*	2022–present

Other Skills

Computing, python, R, Mathematica, some web design

Languages, English (native), Norwegian (highly proficient), Spanish (moderately proficient)