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Academic Appointments

Assistant Professor in Political Science
VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY, 2015 -

Research Fellow, Women and Public Policy Program
JOHN F. KENNEDY SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT, HARVARD UNIVERSITY, 2014 - 2015

Postdoctoral Fellow, Otto Suhr Institute of Political Science
FREIE UNIVERSITÄT BERLIN, 2014 - 2015

Education

Ph.D. Political Science, University of Washington, 2014

B.A. Economics, University of Redlands, 2007

Publications

Peer-Reviewed Articles

Clayton, Amanda, Cecilia Josefsson and Vibeke Wang. Forthcoming. "Quotas and Women's Substantive Representation: Evidence from a Content Analysis of Ugandan Plenary Debates." *Politics & Gender*.

Clayton, Amanda. 2015. "Female Leadership, Electoral Gender Quotas and Women's Political Engagement: Evidence from a Randomized Policy Experiment." *Comparative Political Studies*. 48(3), pp 333 - 369.

Clayton, Amanda. 2014. "Electoral Gender Quotas and Attitudes toward Traditional Leaders: A Policy Experiment in Lesotho" *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management*. 33(1), pp 1007 - 1026.

Clayton, Amanda, Cecilia Josefsson and Vibeke Wang. 2014. "Present without Presence? Gender, Quotas, and Debate Recognition in the Ugandan Parliament." *Representation*. 50(3), pp 379 - 392.

- Reprinted in *Gender Quotas and Women's Representation: New Directions in Research*. 2015. ed. Mona Lena Krook and Pär Zetterberg. New York, NY: Routledge.

Ahlquist, John S., Amanda B. Clayton and Margaret Levi. 2014. "Provoking Preferences: Unionization, Trade Policy, and the ILWU Puzzle." *International Organization*, 68 (1), pp 33 - 75.

Book Chapters and Other Entries

Ahlquist, John S., Margaret Levi and Amanda B. Clayton. 2013. "Political Attitudes and Behavior among ILWU Members." Chapter 7 in Ahlquist and Levi, *In the Interest of Others: Organizations and Social Activism*. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.

- Best Book Award, American Political Science Association Labor Project

Levi, Margaret, Jon Agnone and Amanda Clayton. 2012. "Trade Unions." in *The Oxford Companion to American Politics*. ed. David Coates. New York, NY: Oxford University Press.

Peer-Reviewed Working Papers

Clayton, Amanda. 2016. "Comparative Regional Patterns in Electoral Gender Quota Adoption: A Social Network Approach." KFG Working Paper Series, No. 71, Kolleg-Forschergruppe (KFG) "The Transformative Power of Europe," Freie Universität Berlin.

Clayton, Amanda, Jennifer Noveck, and Margaret Levi. 2015. "When Elites Meet: Decentralization, Power-Sharing, and Public Goods Provision in Post-Conflict Sierra Leone." Policy Research Working Paper; no. WPS 7335. Washington, D.C.: World Bank Group.

Manuscripts in Submission

"How Quotas Affect Future Elections: A Policy Experiment on Gender Bias and Women's Electoral Success" (with Belinda Tang)

"Quota Shocks: The Budgetary Implications of Electoral Gender Quotas Worldwide." (with Pär Zetterberg)

Manuscripts in Preparation

"Representation in a Semi-Authoritarian Chamber: Evidence from a Decade of Ugandan Parliamentary Debates." (with Daniel Berliner)

"In Whose Interest? Connecting Gender Gaps in Elite and Mass Policy Preferences in Sub-Saharan Africa." (with Cecilia Josefsson)

"Introducing the QAROT Dataset: Global Gender Quota Adoption and Reform Using a Longitudinal Design." (with Melanie Hughes, Pamela Paxton, and Pär Zetterberg)

Popular Press

Clayton, Amanda. 11 September 2014. "Corporate Boardrooms: Where are the Women?" invited post on the Harvard Kennedy School Women and Public Policy Program blog, *The WAPPP Wire*.

Ahlquist, John S., Amanda B. Clayton, & Margaret Levi. 28 October 2013. "What are the implications of the AFL-CIO's expanding membership criteria?" invited post on *The Washington Post* blog, *The Monkey Cage*.

Courses Taught

Undergraduate Level

Introduction to Comparative Politics
Sex, Power, and Markets: The Political Economy of Gender
Political Science as a Social Science
Introduction to Labor Studies

Graduate Level

African Politics

Grants, Fellowships & Awards

Grants & Fellowships

Reference Group Member, “Money Talks: Gendered Electoral Financing in Democratic and Democratizing States.” Project funded by the Norwegian Research Council.
Graduate School Presidential Dissertation Fellowship, University of Washington (UW), 2014 (\$6,000)
Richard B. Wesley Graduate Fellowship in Political Economy, UW, 2014 (\$1,000)
The Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues, Applied Social Issues Internship, 2013 - 2014 (\$2,500)
American Association of University Women, Presidential Dissertation Fellowship, 2013 - 2104 (\$20,000)
Chester A. Fritz International Fellowship, University of Washington, 2012 - 2013 (\$6,000)
David J. Olson Graduate Research Grant in Labor and Sub-national Politics, UW Department of Political Science, 2011 (\$2,000)
Foreign Language and Area Studies Award, US Department of Education, Summer 2011 (\$6,500)
Foreign Language and Area Studies Award, US Department of Education, 2010 - 2012 (declined) (\$30,000)
Harry Bridges Center for Labor Studies, UW, Research Fellowship, 2009 (\$5,500)

Research Experience

Hosted researcher, University of Bergen (Norway), Department of Comparative Politics, autumn 2013
Dissertation fieldwork, Namibia, Lesotho and Uganda (multiple trips), 2012 - 2014
Research Assistant (for Margaret Levi), United States Studies Centre, University of Sydney, (both in Sydney and remotely) & NSF-funded research, 2009 - 2012

Consulting Positions

Country Expert, Namibia, Varieties of Democracy Project, University of Gothenburg, 2015

Research Consultant, Think Tank Initiative, funded by the International Research and Development Centre (with research trips to Zimbabwe, Rwanda, and Vietnam), 2013 - 2014

Research Consultant, The World Bank, Poverty Reduction and Economic Management Network, Africa Region, 2013

Research Consultant, The Legal Assistance Centre, Gender Research and Advocacy Project, Windhoek, Namibia, 2012

- Consulting report: “Namibia at a Crossroads: 50/50 and the Way Forward.” IPPR Democracy Report and Legal Assistance Centre Monograph Series. Windhoek, Namibia.

Fundraising and Marketing, Grameen Foundation and Kiva.org, (both in Seattle and the Dominican Republic), 2007 - 2008

Invited Talks and Conference Presentations

Invited Talks

Conference on Women’s Political Representation and Leadership, NYU Abu Dhabi, (Abu Dhabi, UAE), 2016

Politics of Gender and Sexuality in African Symposium, Yale University, 2016

Symbolic Representation Workshop, Arizona State University, 2016

Working Group on African Political Economy (WGAPE) Annual Meeting, NYU Abu Dhabi (Abu Dhabi, UAE), 2016

“Small Changes, Big Impact: Creating Conditions for Women and Girls to Thrive,” Center for Global Development (Washington, D.C.), 2015

Gender & Politics Seminar Series, Department of Government, Uppsala University, (Uppsala, Sweden), 2015

WGAPE Regional Meeting, University of Washington, 2015

Governance in Areas of Limited Statehood Research Group, Freie Universität Berlin, 2014

WGAPE Annual Meeting, UCLA, 2014

Working Group on Democracy and Development, University of Bergen, (Bergen, Norway), 2013

Conference Presentations

American Political Science Association annual meeting, 2011, 2012, 2014 & 2015

European Political Science Association annual meeting, 2015

Midwestern Political Science Association annual meeting, 2014
Western Political Science Association annual meeting, 2013 & 2014
European Conference on Politics and Gender, 2013 & 2015
International Studies Association annual meeting, 2011 - 2014
European Consortium of Political Research - Joint Sessions of Workshops, 2013
International Political Economy Society annual meeting, 2011
UW Center for Statistics & the Social Sciences 10th Anniversary Conference, 2009
Cambridge University Press/Comparative Historical Analysis of Organizations & States
Seattle Seminar Series, 2009 - 2014

Service to the Profession

Organizer

Midwestern Working Group on African Political Economy (MGAPE) Annual Meeting,
Vanderbilt University, 2015

Reviewer

American Political Science Review; American Journal of Political Science; British Journal of Political Science; Journal of Politics; Comparative Political Studies; Political Behavior; International Studies Quarterly; The Journal of Women, Politics, and Policy

External Committees

Selection Committee, "From Harvard Square to the Oval Office," provides female Harvard students with training and support to run for political office

Mentoring

Supervisor of undergraduate researchers, NSF-funded project, 2010 - 2012

References

Upon Request