



# Meeting on Political Geography Harvard University

Center for Government and International Studies, 1730 Cambridge Street, Cambridge, MA

**Friday, May 8th, Tsai Auditorium, CGIS-South 010**

**9:00 - 10:15 am**

## Speakers

- Thad Dunning and Guadalupe Tuñón, “*Positive vs. Negative Incentives for Compliance: Evaluating a Randomized Tax Holiday in Uruguay*”, with Felipe Monestier, Rafael Piñero, and Fernando Rosenblatt
- Melissa Sands, “*The natural limits of segregation and re-integration: Race, space, and voting in the new South Africa*”, with Daniel De Kadt
- Matthew Blackwell, *Discussant*

**10:15 - 10:45 am**

## Break with Showcase

- Center for Geographic Analysis

*Coffee will be provided.*

**10:45 - 12:00 pm**

## Speakers

- Jonathan Rodden, “*The Loser’s Bonus: Political Geography and Minority Party Representation*” with Jowei Chen
- Jowei Chen, “*Black Electoral Geography and Legislative Districting: The Effect of Racial Redistricting on Partisan Gerrymandering*”
- Bart Bonikowski, *Discussant*

**12:15 - 1:15 pm**

## Showcase

- Kirk Goldsberry, “*The Second Word in Political Geography*”

*Lunch will be provided.*

**1:15 - 2:00 pm**

**Break**

**2:00 - 3:15 pm**

**Speakers**

- Karen Long Jusko, “*Who Speaks for the Poor? Electoral Geography and the Political Representation of Low-Income Citizens*”
- Clayton Nall, “*Building Inequality: The Permanence of Infrastructure and the Limits of Democratic Representation*”, with Simon Ejdemyr and Zach O’Keeffe
- Torben Iversen, *Discussant*

**3:15 - 3:45 pm**

**Break with Showcase**

- Center for Geographic Analysis

*Coffee will be provided.*

**3:45 - 5:00 pm**

**Speakers**

- Elisabeth R. Gerber, “*Political Geography, Campaign Contributions, and Representation*”, with Jenna Bednar
- Yair Ghitza, “*Voter Registration Databases and MRP: Toward the Use of Large Scale Databases in Public Opinion Research*” with Andrew Gelman
- Chris Tausanovitch, *Discussant*

**5:00 - 7:00 pm**

**Reception**

- Fisher Family Commons, *CGIS-Knafel 121*

*Refreshments provided.*

**Saturday, May 9th, Tsai Auditorium, CGIS-South 010**

**9:00 - 10:15 am**

**Speakers**

- Daniel J. Hopkins, “*Past Threat, Present Prejudices: The Impact of Early-Life Racial Context on Whites’ Racial Attitudes*” with Seth K. Goldman
- Michael Hankinson, “*The Landscape Political or: Are liberals to blame for high rent in unaffordable cities?*”
- Andrew Gelman, *Discussant*

**10:15 - 10:45 am**

**Break**

*Coffee will be provided.*

**10:45 - 12:00 pm**

**Speakers**

- Rocío Titiunik, “*A Framework for Understanding Interference Between units in Geographic Natural Experiments with an Application to All-Mail Voting in Colorado*” with Luke Keele
- Guy Grossman, “*Government Fragmentation and Public Goods Provision*”, with Jan H. Pier-skalla and Emma Boswell Dean
- Jeff Lewis, *Discussant*

**End of Conference**

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