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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of Pennsylvania, Department of Political Science

2020- Associate Professor (with tenure)  
2017-2020 Janice and Julian Bers Assistant Professor  
2015-2017 Assistant Professor

Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas (CIDE), Mexico City

2018 Visiting Scholar

London School of Economics and Political Science, Department of Government

2013-2015 LSE Research Fellow

## EDUCATION

Yale University, M.A., M.Phil., Ph.D., 2009-2015,  
with Departmental and University Distinction.

Dissertation: *The Logic of Women's Suffrage: A Comparative Study of the United States, France, and the United Kingdom.*

Advisors: Frances Rosenbluth, Susan Stokes, Alexandre Debs, Thad Dunning.

**Awards:** APSA Women and Politics Best Dissertation Prize; APSA European Politics and Society Best Dissertation Prize; APSA Gabriel Almond Award for the Best Dissertation in Comparative Politics.

Reed College, B.A., Economics, 2006

with Departmental Distinction and College Commendation (highest honors).

## BOOKS

2018. **Teele, Dawn.** *Forging the Franchise: The Political Origins of the Women's Vote.* Princeton University Press.

**Winner:** Gregory Luebbert Prize for the best book in Comparative Politics, *American Political Science Association*, 2020.

Reviews: *Perspectives on Politics* 2020; *Democratization* 2019; *Women's History Review* 2019, *Comparative Politics* 2019,

Op-eds: *La Vanguardia*, *Spanish Quarterly*, *The Monkey Cage*, *The Democratic Audit Blog*,

OMNIA 2018, *The Boston Review* (2020).

Media coverage: *Voice of America*, 3-June-19. *The Atlantic*, 4-June-19.

2014. **Teele, Dawn** (ed.). *Field Experiments and Their Critics: Essays on the Uses and Abuses of Experiments in the Social Sciences*. Yale University Press.

Review Symposium: "A discussion of Dawn Langan Teele's Field Experiments and Their Critics" *Perspectives on Politics* 14(4), 2016.

2020. Shames, Shauna, Rachel Bernhard, Mirya Holman, and **Dawn Teele** (eds.). *Good Reasons to Run: Women and Political Candidacy*. Temple University Press.

Teele, Dawn. *The Gender Gap and the Welfare State*. In progress.

#### ARTICLES (refereed \*)

\* 202x. Bernhard, Rachel, Shauna Shames, and **Dawn Teele**. "To Emerge? Breadwinning, Motherhood, and Women's Decisions to Run for Office." Forthcoming: *American Political Science Review*. [Link to Draft](#).

*Honorable mention*: Elsie Hillman Prize for research on gender and politics.

Media Coverage: Featured in Want to Get More Women Elected? According to a New Study, This Is How You Can Help. *Glamour Magazine*. November 9, 2017

\* 2020. Samuels, David and **Dawn Teele**. "New Medium, Same Story? The Gender Gap in Book Publishing." *PS: Political Science and Politics*. **In press**. [Link to Draft](#).

2020. **Teele, Dawn** "Women and The Vote." *Daedalus* 149(1): 25-39.

2019. Bateman, David and **Dawn Teele**. "A Developmental Approach to Historical Causal Inference" *Public Choice*. Online first, 3 September 2019.

\* 2018. **Teele, Dawn**, Joshua Kalla, and Frances Rosenbluth. "The Ties that Double Bind: Social Roles and Women's Under Representation in Politics." *American Political Science Review*, 112(3): 525-541.

Media Coverage: *Pacific Standard* 15-Jan-19.

\* 2018. **Teele, Dawn**. "How the West Was Won: Competition, Mobilization, and Women's Enfranchisement in the United States." *Journal of Politics*: 80(2): 442-461.

\* 2018. Kalla, Joshua, Frances Rosenbluth, and **Dawn Teele**. "Are You My Mentor? A Field Experiment on Gender, Ethnicity, and Political Self Starters." *Journal of Politics*: 80(1): 337-341.

\* 2017. **Teele, Dawn** and Kathleen Thelen. “Gender in the Journals: Methodology, Coauthorship, and Publication Patterns in Political Science’s Flagship Journals.” *PS: Political Science & Politics*: 50(2): 433-447.

Media Coverage: *Inside Higher Ed* 12-June-18. *Monkey Cage* 30-May-17. *Monkey Cage* 29-Aug-19.

Symposium: Gender in the Journals, Continued. *PS: Political Science and Politics*: 51(4). H-diplo ISSF Policy Forum, No. 17, 2017.

\* 2014. **Teele, Dawn**. “Ordinary Democratization: The Electoral Strategy that Won British Women the Vote”, *Politics & Society*, 42(4): 537-561.

#### BOOK CHAPTERS

2020. **Teele, Dawn**. “Virtual Consent: A Bronze Standard for Experimental Ethics” in Druckman, Jamie and Donald Green (eds.). *Cambridge Handbook of Experimental Methods*. In Press, Cambridge University Press.

2020. **Teele, Dawn**. “What’s Wrong with Replicating the Old Boy’s Network?” in Elman, Colin, John Gerring, and James Mahoney (eds.) *The Production of Knowledge: Enhancing Progress in Social Science*. In press, Cambridge University Press.

2019. Bernhard, Rachel, Mirya Holman, Shauna Shames, and **Dawn Teele** (eds.) “Beyond Ambition” a symposium in *Politics, Groups and Identities*. July 2019: 7(3).

\* 2014. **Teele, Dawn**. “Reflections on the Ethics of Field Experiments”, Chapter 5 in Teele, Dawn (ed.) *Field Experiments and Their Critics*, Yale University Press, pp.115-140.

#### BOOK REVIEWS AND NEWSLETTERS

202x. **Teele, Dawn**. “Review of: *A Century of Votes for Women*.” By Christina Wolbrecht and J. Kevin Corder. *Perspectives on Politics*.

2020. **Teele, Dawn**. “Review of: *Disenfranchising Democracy*.” By David A. Bateman *Political Science Quarterly*.

2020. **Teele, Dawn**. “Review of: *All Roads Lead to Power: The Appointed and Elected Paths to Public Office for US Women*.” By Kaitlin N. Sidorsky. *Perspectives on Politics* 18(1).

2019. Teele, Dawn. “Resisting the Americanization of Comparative Politics.” *Comparative Politics Section Newsletter, APSA*, 29(1).

#### UNDER REVIEW

**Teele, Dawn.** “Gender and the Impact of Proportional Representation: A Comment on the Peripheral Voting Thesis.”

#### WORKING PAPERS

**Teele, Dawn.** “Geography and the Gender Gap: Evidence from Post Suffrage Sweden.” *Presented at Harvard American Politics Workshop 2018; CIDE Political Science and Government Workshop 2019; Yale University Methods Workshop; University of Virginia.*

Morgan-Collins, Mona and **Dawn Teele.** “The Gender Gap in the Past,” *Presented at CES 2015. MPSA 2016. APSA 2016.*

*Winner:* Best Paper presented Women and Politics section APSA 2016 under the title “Understanding the Gender Gap in the Era of Women’s Suffrage”.

Callis, Anna, Mona Morgan Collins, **Dawn Teele,** and Guadalupe Tuñón. “Electoral Reforms and the Gender Gap: Evidence from Post-Suffrage Chile.”

Brie, Evelynne and **Dawn Teele** “Québec Women and the Myth of the “Traditional” Voter”. *Presented at APSA 2019, Toronto Workshop on Political Development 2018.*

#### AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

2020 – Gregory Luebbert Prize for the Best Book in Comparative Politics, APSA.

2017 – Elsie Hillman Prize for Research on Women and Politics, Hon. Mention.

2017 – Women and Politics Section award for the best paper presented, APSA 2016.

2016 – Gabriel Almond Award for the best dissertation in Comparative Politics.

2016 – Ernst B. Haas Award for the best dissertation on European Politics.

2016 – Women and Politics Section best dissertation prize.

2015 – University and Departmental Distinction, Yale University.

2013 – Carrie Chapman Catt Prize for Research on Women and Politics.

2006 – Thomas J. Watson Foundation Fellowship.

2006 – Meier Award for Distinction in Economics, Reed College.

2006 – Phi Beta Kappa, Reed College.

2002-2016 – Commendation for Academic Excellence, Reed College.

2006 – Robert J. Pigman Prize for Leadership and Community Service, Shady Side Academy.

## GRANTS

- University Research Foundation Grant, University of Pennsylvania, 2019. 5k.
- FELS Grant for “Nudging Women to Run” Conference, University of Pennsylvania, 2016. 15k.
- University Research Foundation Grant, University of Pennsylvania, 2016. 50k.
- Collaborative work funded by: World Bank (55k), Sloane Foundation (20k), Institute for Social and Policy Studies at Yale (10k), and *Time-Sharing Experiments in the Social Sciences* (TESS).
- NSF Dissertation Improvement Research Grant, 2013-2014, 18k.
- Georg Leitner Political Economy Research Grant, Yale University 2013-2014, 5k.
- MacMillan Center Dissertation Research Fellowship, Yale 2012-2013, 15k.
- Georg Leitner Political Economy Research Grant, Yale University 2012-2013, 4k.
- Dahl Fellow, 2011-2012, 2012-2013, Yale University, stipendiary support.
- Council on Latin American Studies Grant, 2009-2011, Yale University, 2.5k/year
- Goldhammer Grant for Collaborative Research 2005, Reed College.

## DATASETS

Urban Political Machines in the United States, city and state levels, 1890-1950.

State-level membership in the Women’s Christian Temperance Union, 1884-1919.

Database of Women in Parliamentary Parties in 40 countries, 1900-2012.

Global Suffrage Database, 1890-2020.

By-Election Returns in the British Parliament, 1906-1918.

## OTHER WRITING

2020. “Representation Begins at Home” commentary on *The Right to Be Elected: 100 Years Since Women’s Suffrage*. Forthcoming in *Boston Review*. [Link](#).

2019. “Yes, Women in Political Science Submit Fewer Articles than Men. Here’s Why.” *The Monkey Cage*, *Washington Post*. August 2019. [Link](#).

2019. “Un siglo de mujeres en política” *La Vanguardia, Spain*. July/September 73: 23-28. [Link](#).

2018. “Why (Women’s) politics hasn’t changed that much” 1 November. [OMNIA UPenn](#).

2018. “The Rise of Women in Politics” 27 August. [OMNIA podcast](#).

2017. “Some of the top political science journals are biased against women.” with Kathleen Thelen. 30-May-17. *The Monkey Cage, in the Washington Post*. [Link](#).

2017. “How the Women’s March can Bolster Feminism.” with Adom Getachew. *Motto, Time Online*. 20-Jan-17. [Link](#).

2016. Bernhard, Rachel, Shauna Shames, Rachel Silbermann, Frances Rosenbluth, and Dawn Teele. “Which Women Run? An Analysis of the EMERGE Training Program.” *Written for the EMERGE national conference 2016*.

2015. “Militancy shines on the big screen, but democratic tactics actually won British women the vote”. *The Democratic Audit UK*. 23-Nov-15. [Link](#).

2015. “What the movie ‘Suffragette’ doesn’t tell you about how women won the right to vote.” *The Monkey Cage, in the Washington Post*. 1-Nov-15. [Link](#).

2015. Rosenbluth, Frances, Joshua Kalla and Dawn Teele. “The Female Political Career”. Women in Parliaments Global Forum, Washington D.C.: *The World Bank Group*. (Policy Report.)

#### INVITED TALKS

**2020-September:** Bucknell College, Constitution Day Keynote Speaker (virtual)

**2020-August:** Occidental College, “Gender Race and Politics” event (virtual).

**2020-May:** Colorado Historical Society Public Suffrage Event (virtual).

**(2020-April):** League of Women Voters Centennial Suffrage Symposium (postponed).

**2020-April:** UW-Madison, Departmental Workshop (virtual).

**(2020-March):** University of Virginia, Invited Panelist at Suffrage Centennial Conference (cancelled).

**(2020-March):** Christopher Newport University, Invited Speaker at Global Conference on Women and Gender (postponed).

**(2020-March):** UCSD Comparative Politics Workshop (postponed).  
**2020-March:** Cornell University Departmental Workshop  
**2019-December:** University of Virginia  
**2019-November:** Yale University, Methods Workshop.  
**2019-October:** UC Berkeley, American Politics Workshop.  
**2019-October:** University of Delaware, public lecture European Studies Center.  
**2019-May:** UNAM, de Justicia research group workshop.  
**2019-March:** CIDE, Political Economy Workshop.  
**2018-November:** Harvard University, American Politics Workshop.  
**2018-October:** Ohio State, Departmental Workshop.  
**2018-February:** University of Maryland, Comparative Politics Workshop.  
**2017-October:** UC Berkeley, Comparative Politics Workshop.  
**2017-May:** Texas A&M, Workshop on Ethics and Political Science.  
**2017-February:** New York University, Comparative Field Seminar.  
**2016-April:** Princeton University, Comparative Politics Workshop.  
**2016-April:** MIT-Harvard workshop on Capitalism and the State.  
**2016-March:** University of Chicago, Equity and Inclusion Workshop.

#### CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

**2019:** Workshop on Representation (Rice, presenter); *Daedalus* Women and Equality (National Academy, presenter); Conference on Advances in Experimental Methods (Northwestern, presenter); APSA (presenter, discussant, chair).  
**2018:** Council of European Studies (presenter); Empirical Study of Gender Working Group (co-coordinator); NEH Summer Institute Instructor; APSA (presenter); Toronto Political Development Workshop (presenter).  
**2017:** MPSA (presenter, chair, discussant). Feminist Institutionalism Conference (presenter). Visions in Methodology (invited presenter). APSA (presenter, chair, discussant), ECPG (chair, presenter).  
**2016:** Southern Economic Association (presenter); American Historical Association (presenter); Empirical Study of Gender (EGEN) mini-conference. Historical Political Economy Workshop (London School of Economics); MPSA (presenter and

discussant); Council of European Studies (panel chair and presenter); WVU workshop on Ethics and Experiments; APSA (panel chair, presenter, discussant).  
**2015:** APSA (presenter & panel chair); MPSA (presenter in absentia); Penn-Temple Europeanist Conference; Graduate Work in Progress Seminar, Nuffield College, Oxford.  
**2014:** Spaces of Evidence Conference (Goldsmiths College, U.K.); APSA (presenter & panel chair); Politics & History Conference at Yale; Council of European Studies Graduate Workshop.  
**2013:** Political Science & Political Economy Lunch (LSE); MPSA (presenter).  
**2012:** American Politics and Public Policy Workshop (Yale); Comparative Politics Workshop (Yale); APSA (poster).  
**2011:** Workshop on Electoral Reform and Political Representation (Washington St. Louis).

## TEACHING

University of Pennsylvania

“Scope and Methods,” (grad) F-2020, F-2018.  
 “Gender and Elections” F-2020.  
 “Frontiers of Comparative Politics,” (grad) S-2020.  
 “Sex and Power,” S-2018, F-2018.  
 “The Politics of Reproduction,” S-2017, F-2017, S-2020.  
 “Political Economy of Gender,” F-2016, F-2019.  
 “Representation and Identity Politics,” S-2016.

London School of Economics

“Political Science and Public Policy”, Master’s level, 2015.  
 Advisor to MPA dissertations and white papers.

## UNIVERSITY AND DISCIPLINARY SERVICE

University of Pennsylvania:

2019	Graduate Executive Committee
2018-	Diversifying the Departmental Workshop committee
2018-	Awards Committee, Browne Center for International Politics
2016-	Executive Board Member and Member of the Steering



	Committee for Gender Sexuality and Women's Studies
2016-	Faculty advisor for University Research Scholars
2017/2018	PURM undergraduate summer research mentor
2016/2017	Fulbright Committee
2016	Comparative Politics of China search committee.

Other University Service: Panelist for Board of Overseers meeting 2019;  
Penn Professional Women Alumni Association keynote speaker 2019.

#### Disciplinary Service:

2021	Committee Chair, Luebbert Book Prize, APSA.
2021	Section Chair for Politics and History, APSA
2020-	Editorial Board Member for <i>Historical Political Economy</i> .
2019-2022	Committee on the Status of Women in the Profession, APSA.
2019-	Editorial Board Member for <i>PS: Political Science and Politics</i> .
2019-2020	Section Chair for Advanced Industrial Democracies, APSA.
2019	Award Committee Best Dissertation on Women and Politics.
2017	Award Committee Haas award for the Best Dissertation in European Politics & Society.

#### Academic Advising:

##### Dissertation Advisees

Isabel Perera (UPenn 2019, Tenure Track Job at Cornell)  
Carissa Tudor (Princeton Political Science ABD)  
Zach Smith (UPenn ABD)  
Sarah Carson (UPenn Anthropology ABD)  
Shira Pindyk (UPenn Political Science ABD)  
Evelyne Brie (UPenn Political Science)  
Lotem Halavey (UPenn Political Science) co-chair

M.A. Thesis Advisees

Caitlin Adkins (UPenn Organizational Dynamics MS, 2020)

Senior Thesis Advisees:

Eleanor Stalick (UPenn 2021), Cecilia Pan (UPenn 2019), Catherine Monk (UPenn 2019), Eryn Hughes (UPenn 2015), Mary Bready (GSWS 2020).

Reviewer for: *CPS, Perspectives on Politics, AJPS, JOP, APSR, Oxford, Cambridge, PS, Comparative Politics, World Politics, Politics, Groups & Identities, Electoral Studies, Science, Technology and Human Values, Political Science Research and Methods, Proceedings of the National Academy of Science, European Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Development Economics.*

ACADEMIC WORKING GROUPS

Empirical Study of Gender Research Network (EGEN) – co-founder.

Political Economy of Gender (PEG) interdisciplinary group at Penn – co-founder.

Historical Political Economy Group (HPE).