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Employment

University of Pennsylvania

Assistant Professor of Political Science, July 2009 –
Assistant Professor (by courtesy) of Business and Public Policy, July 2009 -

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Visiting Lecturer of Political Science, July 2008 – June 2009

Stanford University

Lecturer of Economics, April 2006 – June 2006

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

Research Associate, June 2002 – August 2003

Education

Ph.D. in Political Economics, Stanford Graduate School of Business, June 2008
Reading Committee: Daniel Kessler, B. Douglas Bernheim, Keith Krehbiel

M.A. in Political Science, Stanford University, June 2006

M.A. in Economics, Northwestern University, June 2002

B.A. in Economics and Mathematical Methods in Social Science (w/ honors),
Northwestern University, June 2002

Peer Reviewed Articles

Meredith, Marc and Yuval Salant. “On The Causes and Consequence of Ballot Order-
Effects.” *Political Behavior*, forthcoming.

Previous version published as SIEPR Discussion Paper No. 06-29

Meredith, Marc and Neil Malhotra. 2011. “Convenience Voting Can Affect Election
Outcomes.” *Election Law Journal* 10(3): 227-253.

Previous version published as Stanford GSB Research Paper No. 2002

Gerber, Alan S., Daniel P. Kessler, and **Marc Meredith**. 2011. "The Persuasive Effects of Direct Mail: A Regression Discontinuity Approach." *Journal of Politics* 73(1): 140-155.

Previous version published as NBER Working Paper 14206

Meredith, Marc. 2009. "Persistence in Political Participation." *Quarterly Journal of Political Science* 4(3): 186-208.

Elis, Roy, Neil Malhotra, and **Marc Meredith**. 2009. "Apportionment Cycles as Natural Experiments." *Political Analysis* 17(4): 358-376.

Meredith, Marc. 2009. "The Strategic Timing of Direct Democracy." *Economics and Politics* 21(1): 159-177.

Berger, Jonah, **Marc Meredith**, and S. Christian Wheeler. 2008. "Contextual Priming: Where People Vote Affects How They Vote." *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 105(26): 8846-8849.

Previous version published as Stanford GSB Research Paper No. 1926

Meredith, Marc. 2004. "Why Do Universities Compete in the Rankings Game? An Empirical Analysis of the Effects of the US News and World Report College Rankings." *Research in Higher Education* 45(5): 443-461.

Peer Reviewed Book Chapters

Ansolabehere, Stephen, **Marc Meredith**, and Erik Snowberg. 2011. "Sociotropic Voting and the Media". In John Aldrich and Kathleen McGraw (Ed.), Improving Public Opinion Surveys: Interdisciplinary Innovation and the American National Election Studies. Princeton University Press.

Working Papers

Ansolabehere, Stephen, **Marc Meredith**, and Erik Snowberg. "Macro-Economic Voting: Local Information and Micro-Perceptions of the Macro-Economy" (Submitted)

Ansolabehere, Stephen, **Marc Meredith**, and Erik Snowberg. "Asking About Numbers: Why and How" (Submitted)

Meredith, Marc. "Exploiting Friends and Neighbors Voting: An Instrumental Variables Approach to Estimating Coattail Effects"

Meredith, Marc and Jason Grissom. "The Value of Partisan Cues in Local Elections: Regression Discontinuity Estimates from Unconventional School Board Races."

Selected Works in Progress

"Elections, Representation, and Distribution" (with Jason Grissom)

“Spillover Ballot Order-Effects” (with Yuval Salant)

“The Politics of Ex-Felon Voting” (with Michael Morse)

“Economic Information Experiments” (with Stephen Ansolabehere and Erik Snowberg)

“Identifying the Effects of Partisan Voter Contact with Discontinuous Targeting Formulas”
(with Alan Gerber)

Teaching Experience

Introduction to American Politics (undergraduate), Fall 2011

Government and Legal Environment of Business (MBA), Spring 2011

Quantitative Research Methods (undergraduate), Fall 2010, Fall 2011

Quantitative Research Methods II (graduate), Spring 2010

State and Local Politics (undergraduate), Fall 2009

Quantitative Research Methods III (graduate), Spring 2009

Quantitative Research Methods I (graduate), Fall 2008, Fall 2010

Political Economics (undergraduate), Spring 2007

Invited and Conference Presentations (Political Science Unless Otherwise Noted)

2010 – 2011: Cornell, Harvard/MIT, Chicago (Harris), Temple, Columbia, Analyst Institute, American Political Science Association Conference (APSA), Midwest Political Science Association Conference (MPSA), Society for Political Methodology Conference (Polmeth)

2009 – 2010: Stockholm (IIES), Caltech, APSA, MPSA, State Politics and Policy Conference (SPPC)

2008 – 2009: Berkeley (Haas), Columbia, MIT, Penn (Wharton), Penn, Wisconsin, Yale, MIT American Politics Conference, Yale CSAP Conference, APSA, MPSA

2007 – 2008: Georgetown, Yale, Emory, Harvard, Princeton, Chicago (Harris), APSA, MPSA

2006 – 2007: MPSA

2004 – 2006: MPSA

Reviewer

American Journal of Political Science, American Politics Research, American Political Science Review, B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis & Policy, Economics and Politics, Education Policy, European Journal of Political Research, Journal of Elections, Public Opinion, and Parties, Journal of Politics, National Science Foundation, Quarterly Journal of Political Science, Political Behavior, Political Psychology, Political Research Quarterly, Public Opinion Quarterly, State Politics and Policy Quarterly

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