# Alex Adams Curriculum Vitae Fall 2016

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### **Academic Background**

Ph.D., Political Science, Expected May 2017 University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM Concentrations: American Politics and Quantitative Methodology

M.A., Political Science, December 2011 *University of New Mexico*, Albuquerque, NM

B.A., Political Science & Economics, May 2007 *University of New Mexico*, Albuquerque, NM *Honors*: Summa Cum Laude (Political Science and Economics)

Senior Thesis Topic: "Elections and Happiness: The Effect of Electoral Institutions on Life Satisfaction"

### **Additional Training**

2011 University of Michigan, Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research Structural Equation Modeling and Methods of Casual Inference

2010 Stanford University, Summer Institute in Political Psychology

### **Teaching Experience**

Spring 2015-Present University of New Mexico Introduction to Political Analysis - Online

### **Professional Background:**

Aug. 2009 – Present	UNM Political Science	Assistantship with Lonna Atkeson
Aug. 2009 – Present	Institute for Social Research	Graduate Research Assistant
May 2008 – Aug. 2009	Institute for Social Research	Staff Research Assistant
Jan. 2003 – Dec. 2003	Sandia National Labs	Student Intern

#### **Publications:**

Peer-Reviewed Journals:

Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Alex N. Adams, and R. Michael Alvarez. 2014. "Nonresponse and Mode Effects in Self and Interviewer Administered Surveys." *Political Analysis*, 22(3): 304-320.

Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Alex N. Adams, Lisa A. Bryant, Luciana Zilberman, and Kyle L. Saunders. 2011. "Considering Mixed Mode Surveys for Questions in Political Behavior: Using the Internet and Mail to Get Quality Data at Reasonable Costs." *Political Behavior*, 33 (1): 161-178.

### **Book Chapters:**

Atkeson, Lonna Rae and Alex N. Adams. Forthcoming. "Mixing Survey Modes and Its Implications."

### Public Policy Reports:

#### Elections:

- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Alex N. Adams, and Lisa A. Bryant. 2013. "Assessing Electoral Performance in the Bernalillo 2012 General Election," Center for Study of Voting, Elections, and Democracy, University of New Mexico.
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, R. Michael Alvarez, Alex N. Adams, and Lisa A. Bryant. 2011. "Assessing Electoral Performance in the New Mexico 2010 General Election," Center for Study of Voting, Elections, and Democracy, University of New Mexico: http://tinyurl.com/2010NMGEReport
- Atkeson, Lonna Rae, Alex N. Adams, Lisa Bryant, Angelina Gonzalez-Aller, Willard Hunter, Yann Kerevel, Kimberly Proctor, Lisa Sanchez and Lori Tafoya. 2010. "The City of Albuquerque 2009 Mayoral Election Administration Report," University of New Mexico.

#### Criminal Justice:

- Freeman, Linda, Alex N. Adams, and Amir Chapel. 2013. Effect of Mental Health Diagnoses on Length of Stay in Two New Mexico Detention Facilities, New Mexico Sentencing Commission, University of New Mexico: http://nmsc.unm.edu/nmsc\_reports/.
- Adams, Alex N. 2012. Estimated Number of Offenders in New Mexico Corrections Department Eligible for Controlled Release, New Mexico Sentencing Commission, University of New Mexico: http://nmsc.unm.edu/nmsc reports/.
- Guerin, Paul, Alex N. Adams, Ben Edwards, and Elizabeth Watkins. 2009. Bernalillo County Metropolitan Court DWI Drug Court Stage One Outcome Study, New Mexico Sentencing Commission, University of New Mexico: http://nmsc.unm.edu/nmsc reports/.
- Freeman, Linda, Elizabeth Watkins, and Alex N. Adams. January 2009. DWI De Novo Appeals, New Mexico Sentencing Commission, University of New Mexico: http://nmsc.unm.edu/nmsc reports/.
- Guerin, Paul, and Alex N. Adams. September 2008. Estimated Number of Offenders in New Mexico Corrections Department Facilities in September 2008 Eligible for Controlled Release, New Mexico Sentencing Commission, University of New Mexico: http://nmsc.unm.edu/nmsc reports/.
- Cathey, Dan, Alex N. Adams, and Christopher Miller. July 2008. Bias Based Policing: *Phase 1* Driving Behaviors, New Mexico Sentencing Commission, University of New Mexico: http://nmsc.unm.edu/nmsc reports/.

#### Education:

- Adams, Alex, and Paul Guerin. 2012. Graduate Resource Center and Graduate Student Funding Initiative 2011/2012 Assessment, Institute for Social Research, University of New Mexico.
- Cathey, Dan, Paul Guerin, and Alex N. Adams. August 2008. GK-12 E-MRGE Project 2007-2008 School Year, Institute for Social Research, University of New Mexico: http://isr.unm.edu/centers/cara/reports/.

### **Conference Participation**

- 2014 "Habitual Voters in Local Elections: Random Turnout or Returning Coalitions," presented at the Midwest Political Science Association, April 3-6, 2014, Chicago, IL. "Panel Conditioning in Online Survey Panels: Problems of Increased Sophistication and Decreased Engagement," presented the Midwest Political Science Association, April 3-6, 2014, Chicago, IL, with Lonna Atkeson and Jeffrey Karp. Also presented at the 2013 SPSA, PAPOR, and TAPS conferences.
- 2013 "Intragender Elections: Stereotypes and Vote Choice," presented at the Midwest Political Science Association, April 11-14, 2013, Chicago, IL, with Lonna Atkeson and Shannon Sanchez-Youngman.
- 2012 "Voting Behavior and Descriptive Representation Among Latinos," presented at the Midwest Political Science Association, April 12-15, 2012, Chicago, IL, with Lonna Atkeson and Shannon Sanchez-Youngman. Voted Best Paper, Lucias Barker Award for American Race and Ethnicity.
- Invited participant. Workshop on Questionnaire Design Issues in Longitudinal and 2011 Repeated Cross-Sectional Surveys: Balancing Continuity and Innovation. February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2011. Duke University.
- "Assessing Data Quality across Probability Samples: An Examination of a Post General 2010 Election Mixed-Mode (Internet and Mail) and Telephone Survey," presented at the American Association for Public Opinion Research, May 13-16, 2010, Chicago, IL, with Lonna Atkeson and R. Michael Alvarez.
  - "Elections and Happiness: The Effect of Electoral Institutions on Life Satisfaction." presented at the Western Political Science Association, April 1 – April 4, 2010, San Francisco, CA, with Lonna Atkeson.
  - "Mixed Mode (Internet and Mail) Probability Samples and Survey Representativeness: The Case of New Mexico 2008," presented at the Western Political Science Association, April 1 – April 4, 2010, San Francisco, CA, with Lonna Atkeson.

### **Working Papers:**

- "Panel Conditioning in Online Survey Panels: Problems of Increased Sophistication and Decreased Engagement," with Lonna Atkeson and Jeffrey Karp.
- "Scandal and Representation: Will We Vote Our Rascals Out of Office"
- "Intragender Elections: Stereotypes and Vote Choice," with Lonna Atkeson and Shannon Sanchez-Youngman.
- "Voting Behavior and Descriptive Representation Among Latinos," with Lonna Atkeson and Shannon Sanchez-Youngman.

### **Awards and Grants**

- 2014 New Mexico Research Grant, University of New Mexico Student Research Grant, University of New Mexico Student Conference Participation Award, Department of Political Science, University of New Mexico.
- Student Conference Award Program, University of New Mexico 2013 Best Paper, Lucias Barker Award for American Race and Ethnicity With Lonna Rae Atkeson and Shannon Sanchez-Youngman.

- 2012 Student Conference Award Program, University of New Mexico Graduate and Professional Student Association Allocation, University of New Mexico
- Graduate Research Development Grant, University of New Mexico 2011 Clifford C. Clogg Scholarship Award, the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), The University of Michigan Graduate Student Travel Grant, NSF/Duke University.
- 2010 Office of Graduate Studies Research Projects and Travel Grant, University of New Mexico

Student Conference Participation Award, Department of Political Science, University of New Mexico.

## **Research and Teaching Interests:**

**American Politics** Campaigns and Elections Survey Methodology Political Methodology Political Psychology Media and Politics Political Behavior **Public Opinion** Representation

### **University Service:**

Vice-President, Political Science Graduate Student Association, UNM Department of Political Science 2010 – 2013

Requested appropriation grant to bring in Dr. Christopher B. Mann for an invited talk. Requested appropriation grant to bring in Dr. John Alford for an invited talk.

## **Professional Memberships:**

American Political Science Association Midwest Political Science Association American Association for Public Opinion Research American Statistical Association

#### **References:**

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