

# TRENT OLLERENSHAW

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## Education

**Doctor of Philosophy, Political Science | Aug 2019 – June 2024 | Duke University**

Primary Fields: Political Behaviors and Identities, Political Methodology

Dissertation Committee: Christopher D. Johnston (chair), Ashley E. Jardina, Sunshine Hillygus, and Jon Green

**Master of Arts, Political Science | Aug 2019 - May 2022 | Duke University**

**Bachelor of Arts, Political Science | Sep 2015 - June 2018 | University of California – San Diego**

## Peer-Reviewed Publications

7. Ollerenshaw, Trent, and Ashley E. Jardina. 2023. “[The Asymmetric Polarization of Immigration Opinion in the United States.](#)” *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 87(4): 1038-53.
6. Ollerenshaw, Trent. 2023. “[Affective polarization and the destabilization of core political values.](#)” *Political Science Research and Methods*.
5. Ollerenshaw, Trent. 2023. “[Authoritarianism and support for Trump and Clinton in the 2016 primaries.](#)” *Research & Politics*, 10(3).
4. Ollerenshaw, Trent. 2022. “[The Conditional Effects of Authoritarianism on COVID-19 Pandemic Health Behaviors and Policy Preferences.](#)” *Political Behavior*. (See also: [Post-Publication Replication](#))
3. Jardina, Ashley E., and Trent Ollerenshaw. 2022. “[The Polls—Trends: The Polarization of White Racial Attitudes and Support for Racial Equality in The U.S.](#)” *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 86(S1): 576–87.
2. Ollerenshaw, Trent, and Christopher D. Johnston. 2022. “[The Conditional Relationship of Psychological Needs to Ideology: A Large-Scale Replication.](#)” *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 86(2): 369–80.
1. Johnston, Christopher D., and Trent Ollerenshaw. 2020. “[How Different Are Cultural and Economic Ideology?](#)” *Current Opinion in Behavioral Sciences*, 34: 94–101.

## Book Chapters

1. Jardina, Ashley E., and Trent Ollerenshaw. Forthcoming. “[White Racial Attitude Polarization Before and After the Election of Donald Trump.](#)”

## Working Papers

Kenealy, Andrew, Trent Ollerenshaw, and So Jin Lee. “[Observable Bounds of Rationality and Credibility in International Relations.](#)” (Accepted Registered Report at *Journal of Politics*).

Ollerenshaw, Trent. “[The Heterogeneous Associations of Rural Consciousness and Political Preferences.](#)”

Ollerenshaw, Trent. “[A Difference-in-Differences Approach for Estimating Mode Effects.](#)”

## Research In-Progress

“Anti-Racists for Conservative Causes? Race and Public Opinion Beyond Party Lines.” (w/John Konicki).

“Change and More of the Same: Racial Attitudes and Racial Policy Preferences.” (w/Ashley E. Jardina).

“Diversity Ideology and its Implications for Whites’ Affirmative Action Views.” (w/Candis Watts Smith).

“Do Anti-Racist Attitudes Cause Pro-Black Behaviors? Experimental Evidence from Economic Games.”

“Partisanship, COVID-19, and General Self-Rated Health.”

“Polarization in the UMC: A Sermon Analysis.” (w/Chris Johnston, Erin Johnston, and David Eagle).

“Repeated Measure Designs in Survey Experiments.” (w/Andrew Trexler and Diana Jordan).

## Public Scholarship

1. Jardina, E. Ashley, and Trent Ollerenshaw. 2024. “[Democrats Aren’t Driving Radicalization on Immigration.](#)” *Good Authority*, February 15.

## Teaching

### *Teaching Assistant*

1. Duke University. “Political Science Graduate Summer Math Camp.” (2023).
2. Duke University. “POLSCI 201: Public Opinion.” (2022).
3. Duke University. “POLSCI 238: Racial Attitudes and Racial Prejudice.” (2021).

### *Other Teaching/ Advising*

1. Duke University, Bass Connections. Project Manager: “Politics and Polarization in Mainline Protestant Congregations.” (FA22/SP23).
2. Duke University. Graduate Advisor: “Political Science Honors Thesis Seminar.” (2020–2021).
3. University of California, San Diego. “Diversity, Equity, Inclusion (DEI) Peer Educator.” (2017–2018).

## External Grants

1. Rapoport Family Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Survey Research Grant. “Repeated Measure Designs in Survey Experiments.” (02/24). \$14,595.
2. Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS) Special Competition on Replications. “Repeated Measure Designs in Survey Experiments.” (11/23).
3. Polarization Research Lab. “Mapping Rural-Urban Polarization to Place-Based Resentments.” (10/23).
4. SSRC Religion, Spirituality, and Democratic Renewal Program. “Politics and Polarization in the United Methodist Church: A Text Analysis of Sermons.” (06/23). \$14,116.
5. Institute for Humane Studies. “Politics and Polarization in the United Methodist Church: A Text Analysis of Sermons.” (05/23). \$4,846.
6. Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS). “Partisanship, COVID-19, and Survey Health Measures.” (04/23).
7. Bass Connections Student Research Award. “Politics and Polarization in the United Methodist Church: A Text Analysis of Sermons.” (03/23). \$3,000.
8. IFREE Pilot Research Grant. “Do Anti-Racist Attitudes Cause Pro-Black Behavior?” (03/23). \$1,000.
9. Institute for Humane Studies, Publication Accelerator Grant. “Anti-Racists for Conservative Causes? Race and Public Opinion Beyond Party Lines.” (12/22). \$5,000.
10. Center for Global and International Studies Graduate Award for Research and Training. “American Guilt, Structural Global Inequality, and Preferences for Foreign Aid.” (04/21, 04/22). \$2,250.

## Fellowships

1. Institute for Humane Studies. Graduate Sabbatical Fellowship. (01/24). Junior Fellowship. (06/23). Summer Research Fellowship. (06/22).
2. Duke University Summer Research Fellowship for Students in Third Year and Beyond. (2022).
3. John Hope Franklin Institute Digital Knowledge Fellow. (2020-2021).

## Conference Presentations

American Association for Public Opinion Research (AAPOR): 2023.  
 American Political Science Association (APSA): 2023, 2022.  
 Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior (EPOVB) Conference: 2024, 2023.  
 Midwestern Political Science Association (MPSA): 2024, 2023, 2022.  
 Society for Political Methodology (PolMeth): 2024.  
 Southern Political Science Association (SPSA): 2022.

## Reviewer

*American Political Science Review* (1), *British Journal of Political Science* (2), *Journal of Politics* (1), *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics* (1), *Political Behavior* (2), *Politics, Groups, and Identities* (2), *Public Opinion Quarterly* (1)