

# EUNJI KIM

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## EDUCATION

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### University of Pennsylvania

Joint Ph.D. Political Science and Communication

Aug 2013 - May 2019

Department of Political Science & Annenberg School for Communication

M.A. Statistics, The Wharton School

May 2017

### Harvard University

May 2011

B.A. Government (Foreign Language Certificate in French)

## RESEARCH INTEREST

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Political Communication, Public Opinion, Economic Mobility, Income Inequality, Redistribution

## DISSERTATION PROJECT

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*Entertaining Belief in Economic Mobility*

Committee: Diana C. Mutz and Daniel J. Hopkins (Co-Chairs),

Matthew Levendusky, Marc Meredith, Michael X. Delli Carpini, Yphtach Lelkes.

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Peer-Reviewed

Hopkins, Daniel J., Eunji Kim and Soo Jong Kim. 2017. "Does Newspaper Coverage Influence or Reflect Public Perceptions of the Economy?" *Research & Politics* 5(1):78–93.

Mutz, Diana C. and Eunji Kim. 2017. "The Role of In-Group Favoritism in Trade Preferences" *International Organization* 71(4): 827-850.

— Featured in *Washington Post* and *Harvard Business Review*

### Others

Jamieson, Kathleen H., and Eunji Kim. "Political Advertising and Media." In *The Oxford Handbook of Political and Policy History*. forthcoming.

Mutz, Diana C., and Eunji Kim. 2017. "Media Effects on Retrospective Economic Perceptions: Partisan Media and Its Implications for Economic Voting." In Kai Arzheimer, Jocelyn Evans, Michael S. Lewis-Beck (Eds) *The SAGE Handbook of Electoral Behaviour* 733-758. London: Sage Publications Ltd.

Jamieson, Kathleen H., and Eunji Kim. 2016. "History and Criticism of Presidential Campaign Advertising." In William L. Benoit (Ed) *The Praeger Handbook of Political Campaigning in the United States* 19-30. Santa Barbara, California: Praeger.

## WORKING PAPERS

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"Identifying Media Effects in the New Information Environment: Evidence from a Viral Circulation of the Obama-is-a-Muslim Myth on the Internet" with Jin Woo Kim (*Revise & Resubmit at QJPS*)

"The Implications of Partisan Media for Economic Perceptions" with Diana C. Mutz (*Under Review*)

"Proven Failure: Identifying the Downstream Effect of First Time Presidential Voting on Trust in Government" with Jin Woo Kim

"Race, Trade, and Public Opinion" with Diana C. Mutz and Edward Mansfield

— Featured in *Chicago Council on Global Affairs*

“Why Concerns About Economic Inequality Do Not Translate into Support for Redistributive Policies?” with Rasmus T. Petersen and Diana C. Mutz

“Switching On and Off: Rational Avoidance and Selective Exposure” with Jin Woo Kim

“Entertaining Belief in Economic Mobility” (Dissertation)

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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American Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 (scheduled)

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

International Communication Association Annual Meeting: 2018 (scheduled)

American Association of Public Opinion Research Annual Meeting: 2017

Annual Meeting of the Society of Political Methodology: 2017

Visions in Methodology Annual Meeting (Attendee): 2018 (scheduled)

## AWARDS AND GRANTS

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Travel Grant, Visions in Methodology Conference (2018)

ICA Top Paper Award from the Political Communication Division (2018)

Scholars Program in Culture and Communication Grant (2017)

APSA Political Communication Travel Award (2017)

NSF-Funded Travel Grant, Society for Political Methodology (2017)

CHAS Excellence in Academic & Intellectual Life Award (2017)

Christopher Browne Center for International Politics Research Grant (2017)

School of Arts and Sciences Dean's Travel Subvention (2017)

AAPOR Student Travel Award (2017)

1st Place Winner, Graduate Student Paper Competition, DC-AAPOR (2016)

1st Place Winner, Graduate Student Paper Competition, PA/NJ AAPOR (2016)

## RESEARCH ASSISTANSHIP

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Prof. Diana C. Mutz. August 2014 - May 2018.

Prof. Guy Grossman. February 2015.

Prof. Kathleen Hall Jamieson. August 2013 - May 2014.

## TEACHING

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PSCI 130 Introduction to American Politics. (Prof. Matt Levendusky) 2016.

PSCI 130 Introduction to American Politics. (Prof. Marc Meredith) 2015.

## ADDITIONAL TRAINING AND SKILLS

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**Computing:** R, Stata, SPSS

**Additional Academic Training:**

ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research. 2014.

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

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American Political Science Association

Midwest Political Science Association

American Association for Public Opinion Research

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE

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Graduate Associate in Residence, Rodin College House. 2016 - present.

Graduate Associate in Residence, Hill College House. 2014 - 2016.

Graduate Mentor, Penn College Achievement Program (PENNCAP). 2014.

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

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Referee for *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, *American Politics Research*, *International Journal of Communication*.

Discussant: MPSA 2016, 2017 (Class and Inequality Section)

## ACADEMIC REFERENCES

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