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**AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Political Theory (modern and contemporary), Punishment Theory, Race and Politics, American Political Development

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**AREAS OF COMPETENCY**

Ancient and Medieval Political Theory, American Political Thought, Queer Theory, Critical Race Theory, Feminist Theory, Democratic Theory, Philosophy of Law, Public Law & Judicial Politics, Social Movements, American Political Behavior

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**ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

**Loyola Marymount University**  
*Department of Political Science*  
*Bellarmino College of Liberal Arts*

Assistant Professor, 2011-Present.

**University of Chicago**  
*Social Sciences Collegiate Division &*  
*Society of Fellows in the Liberal Arts*

Collegiate Assistant Professor & Harper-Schmidt Fellow, 2008-2011.

**University of Chicago**  
*Department of Political Science*  
*& The College*

Lecturer, 2006-2008.

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**EDUCATION**

**University of Chicago**  
*Division of the Social Sciences,*  
*Department of Political Science*

**Doctor of Philosophy, 2008**

Dissertation: "Excess Punishment: State, Citizens, & Felon Disenfranchisement"  
*Committee: Patchen Markell (Chair), Robert Gooding-Williams, & Bernard Harcourt.*

Qualifying exams passed in **Political Theory** (2004) and **American Politics** (2005).

**Master of Arts, 2004**

Masters Thesis: "Being/Becoming Felon: Identity and Felon Disenfranchisement," *Readers: Cathy Cohen & Patchen Markell.*

**Indiana University, Bloomington**  
*College of Arts and Sciences*

**Bachelor of Arts with High Distinction, 2002** – Wells Scholar Class of 1998,  
Major in Economics with Departmental Honors; minor in Computer Science.

**London School of Economics and Political Science**  
*The General Course*

Visiting Student, 2000-2001.

## PUBLICATIONS

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- Articles (Double-Blind Peer Reviewed)**
- “To Kill A Thief: Punishment, Proportionality, and Criminal Subjectivity in Locke's Second Treatise,” in *Political Theory* 40:1, February 2012, pp. 58-83.
  - “From ‘Entrepreneur of the Self’ to ‘Care of the Self’: Neoliberal Governmentality and Foucault's Ethics,” in *Foucault Studies* 12, October 2011, pp. 130-146.
  - “How I learned to keep worrying and love teaching the canon” in *Symposium: Reflections on Continental and Feminist Pedagogy*, in *PhiloSOPHIA: A Journal of Continental Feminism* (forthcoming, 2012).
- Articles (Invited)**
- “Incurable Blackness: Collateral Consequences to Incarceration and Mental Disability” in *Social Text* (forthcoming, Spring 2012).
  - “Michel Foucault Meets Gary Becker: Criminality Beyond *Discipline and Punish*” in *Carceral Notebooks*, Vol.4, 2008.
  - “Discipline, Security and Beyond: a Brief Introduction” (with Bernard Harcourt), in *Carceral Notebooks*, Vol. 4, 2008.
  - “African American Youth Political Participation.” *Black Youth Project*, Principle Investigator: Cathy Cohen, 2006. Available online at <http://blackyouthproject.com>.
- Book Chapters**
- “African American Women: Intersectionality in Politics,” (with Jamila Celestine and Cathy J. Cohen), in the *Oxford Handbook of African American Citizenship*, Henry Louis Gates Jr. (ed.), (Oxford University Press, forthcoming in 2012)
- Reference Entries**
- “Law” in *The Foucault Lexicon*, Leonard Lawlor and John Nale (eds.), (Cambridge University Press, forthcoming in 2012).
- Reviews**
- Ajume Wingo. *Veil Politics in Liberal Democratic States*, in *Foundations of Political Theory Book Review*. Available online at <http://political-theory.org/books/reviews/wingo.html>

## RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

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- Book Length Projects**
- *Punishment and Inclusion: Race, Membership, and the Limits of American Liberalism*, Book Manuscript.
  - *Michel Foucault and the Chicago School: Neoliberal Human Capital Theory and the Care of the Self*, Book Length Project, in development.
- Articles & Working Papers**
- “Sovereignty and Membership: The Power to Pardon in Rousseau, Hegel, and Derrida, and the Inevitable Limits of Civil Rights Restoration,” article, in revision.
  - “Locking up *Homo Oeconomicus*: Neoliberal Human Capital Theory and the Carceral State,” article, in revision.

## TEACHING & RESEARCH

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- Loyola Marymount University**  
*Bellarmino College of Liberal Arts,*  
*Assistant Professor*
- Foundations of Political Thought (POLS 220)
  - Contemporary Political Theory (POLS 327)
  - The Politics of “The Wire”: America at War With Itself (POLS 392)
  - Society and its Discontents (HRNS 130)

## TEACHING & RESEARCH

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### University of Chicago

*The College, Collegiate Assistant Professor*

Classics of Social and Political Thought I, II, & III (2007-2011).

*“Classics” is a part of the University of Chicago’s “Common Core” curriculum, emphasizing Socratic pedagogy in yearlong small seminar format, focusing on the skills of interpretation and argument through the close reading of primary texts and extensive writing assignments.*

*Department of Political Science, Lecturer*

Politics of Punishment, Autumn 2006.

*Department of Political Science, Teaching Assistant*

- Political Nature of the American Judiciary, Prof. Gerald Rosenberg, Winter 2007.
- Intro. to Data Analysis (Graduate Course), Prof. Eric Oliver, Autumn 2005.
- African-American Politics, Prof. Cathy Cohen, Winter 2005.
- Intro. to American Government, Prof. Melissa Harris-Lacewell, Spring 2004, 2006.

*Research Assistant*

- Research Support for Prof. Patchen Markell, 2006-2008.
- Graduate Researcher for the *Black Youth Project* (<http://blackyouthproject.com/>), Center for the Study of Race Politics and Culture, Prof. Cathy J. Cohen, 2003-2006.
- Research Support for Prof. Melissa Harris-Lacewell, 2004-2006.
- Research Support for Prof. J. Eric Oliver, 2003-2005.

### Indiana University, Bloomington

*Department of Economics, Teaching Intern*

Introductory Microeconomics, Prof. Elyce Rotella, Fall Semester 2000, 2002; Prof. James Walker, Fall Semester 2001.

### Courses Prepared to Teach

Ancient, Medieval, Modern and Contemporary Political Theory; Democratic Theory; Feminist Political Theory; Biopolitics & Biopower; American Political Institutions; Executive & Presidential Politics; Social Science Research Methods; Voting Rights History; Social Movements; History of American Political Economy.

## INVITED LECTURES & TALKS

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- “How Liberalism Succeeds by Failing the Felon” at Luther College Philosophy Colloquium, February 25, 2011.
- Participating Faculty & Text Seminar Leader, *Collegium Phaenomenologicum*, Città di Castello, Italy, July 2009 & 2012.
- “From Slavery to Prison” at *Modern Day Slavery and Slave-Like Conditions*, Breaking Grounds, University of Chicago, April 15, 2008

## CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

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“Locking up *Homo Oeconomicus*: Neoliberal Human Capital Theory and the Carceral State”

- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, Sept. 1-4, 2011.
- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, March 2012.

“Feminist and Continental Pedagogy,”

- Roundtable participant, PhiloSOPHIA Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN, May 5-8, 2011.

“Criminality as Seriality,”

- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX, April 21-23, 2011.

“Force, War, and Slavery in Locke’s *Second Treatise*: The Problem of “Highwaymen” in 17th Century England,”

- Radical Philosophy Association Annual Meeting, Eugene, OR, Nov. 13, 2010.
- Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, Mar. 11-12, 2011.

## CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

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“Citizens *Sans Frontières*?”

- *Peculiar Institutions*: The Society of Fellows Annual Weissbourd Conference and Lecture, Chicago IL, April 22-24, 2010.

“From ‘Entrepreneur of the Self’ to ‘Care of the Self’: Neoliberal Governmentality and Foucault’s Ethics,”

- Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, Oct. 19-22, 2011.
- American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, Dec. 28, 2010.
- Political Theory Workshop, University of Chicago, Apr. 19, 2010.
- Foucault Circle Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, Apr. 9-10, 2010.
- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, Apr. 3, 2010.

“Sovereignty and Membership: The Power to Pardon in Rousseau and Hegel, and the Inevitable Limits of Civil Rights Restoration”

- Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities Annual Meeting, Providence, RI, Mar. 19-20, 2010.

“Punishing Blackness at the Ballot Box: A Genealogy of Disenfranchisement in Maryland,”

- *Worldmaking*: The Society of Fellows Annual Weissbourd Conference and Lecture, Chicago IL, Apr. 10-11, 2009.
- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, Apr. 3, 2010.

“Highway Robbers, Tyrants, and Animals: Criminal Subjectivity and Sovereignty in Locke’s *Second Treatise*,”

- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Vancouver, BC, Mar. 20, 2009.

“Michel Foucault meets Gary Becker: Criminality beyond *Discipline and Punish*,”

- Crime and Punishment Workshop, University of Chicago Law School, Feb. 8, 2008;
- Political Theory Workshop, University of Chicago, Feb. 11, 2008;
- *Le Carcéral, Sécurité, and Beyond: Rethinking Michel Foucault’s 1978-1979 Collège de France Lectures*, University of Chicago Paris Center, Paris, Jun 6, 2008;
- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, Aug. 30, 2008.

“Innocent Citizens, Guilty Subjects: Action, Identity, and the Felon,”

- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, Mar. 21, 2008;
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, Apr. 3, 2008.

“To Kill a Thief: Locke and the Excess of Punishment,”

- Crime and Punishment Workshop, University of Chicago Law School, Apr. 6, 2007;
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago IL, Apr. 12 2007;
- Political Theory Workshop, University of Chicago, Jun 6, 2007.

“Foucault and Felon Disenfranchisement,”

- Western Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Albuquerque, NM, Mar. 18, 2006;
- Crime and Punishment Workshop, University of Chicago Law School, Apr. 14, 2006;
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, Apr. 21, 2006;
- *Contextualizing the Continent: European Thought Beyond Europe*, DePaul University Department of Philosophy Graduate Student Conference, Chicago, IL, Mar. 31, 2007.

“An Intersectional Approach to Youth Participation and the Gender Gap,” with Marissa I. Guerrero,

- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, Sept. 1, 2006.

“The ‘So-called Gift in the [im]proper Sense’: Gifts and Alienation in Hegel’s *Philosophy of Right*,”

- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, Apr. 8, 2005;
- Political Theory Workshop, University of Chicago, May 9, 2005.

## CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

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“Being/Becoming Felon: Identity and Felon Disenfranchisement,”

- Political Theory Workshop, University of Chicago, Nov. 1, 2004;
- Science, Technology, Society, and the State Workshop, University of Chicago, Oct. 27, 2004.

## CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP PAPERS DISCUSSED

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| American Political Science Association<br><i>Annual Meeting</i>                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chair for “Roundtable: How can political science help us understand the politics of decarceration?,” Seattle, WA, 2011</li><li>• Discussant for “Structural Violence,” Washington, D.C., 2010.</li><li>• Discussant for “Theorizing the Social Sciences,” Toronto, 2009.</li></ul>  |
| Association for the Study of Law,<br>Culture, and the Humanities<br><i>Annual Meeting</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chair for “Roundtable: Derrida’s <i>The Beast &amp; The Sovereign</i>,” Las Vegas, NV, 2011.</li></ul>  |
| Law and Society Association<br><i>Annual Meeting</i>                                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discussant for “Legal Subjects and Subjectivities,” Chicago, 2010.</li></ul>  |
| Western Political Science Association<br><i>Annual Meeting</i>                            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discussant / Chair for “Penalty and the Limits of American Liberalism,” San Francisco, 2010.</li></ul>  |
| American Society of Criminology<br><i>Annual Meeting</i>                                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discussant for “Author Meets Critic: ‘Against Prediction: Profiling, Policing, and Punishing in an Actuarial Age,’ by Bernard Harcourt,” Atlanta, 2007.</li></ul>   |
| Midwest Political Science Association<br><i>Annual Meeting</i>                            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discussant / Chair for “Responsibility and Responsiveness,” Chicago, 2008.</li><li>• Discussant for “Harry Potter, Michael Moore, and the 9/11 Commission,” Chicago, 2006.</li></ul>  |
| Political Theory Workshop,<br><i>University of Chicago</i>                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Joshua Dienstag, “Letter to M. Cavell on Cinema (A Remake)” April 7, 2008;</li><li>• Clarissa Hayward, “What Can Political Freedom Mean in a Multicultural Democracy?” Oct. 8, 2007.</li><li>• Neil Roberts, “For Freedom Out of Slavery: Rousseau,” Oct. 2, 2006.</li><li>• Neil Roberts, “Disavowing Freedom out of Slavery,” Oct. 31, 2005.</li><li>• Bernard Harcourt, “You are entering a gay and lesbian-free zone’: On the Radical Dissents of Justice Scalia and Other (Post-) Queers.” Mar. 29, 2004.</li><li>• Kirk Greer, “Incorporating Racism: Critical Theory and Social Facts.” Nov. 24, 2004.</li></ul> |
| Politics & Social Change Workshop,<br><i>University of Chicago</i>                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Jeff Manza and Christopher Uggen, “Punishment and Democracy: Disenfranchisement of Nonincarcerated Felons in the United States,” Oct. 28, 2004.</li></ul>   |

## SERVICE & PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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### Departmental Service

*Society of Fellows* &  
*Department of Political Science*  
*University of Chicago*

- Collegiate Faculty Co-Chair (Social Sciences), Society of Fellows, University of Chicago, 2010-2011.
- Interim Core Chair, *Classics of Social and Political Thought*, The College, University of Chicago, Spring 2011.
- Society of Fellows Annual Weissbourd Conference, Co-Organizer, 2009-2010.
- Graduate Student Representative for Political Science Hiring Committee, 2004-2005.
- Social Science Graduate Student Activities Committee, Chair, 2004-2005, Rep. 2003-2004.
- Political Science Graduate Student Association, Treasurer, 2003-2004.

### Reviewer

- Journal of Politics
- American Sociological Review
- American Journal of Sociology
- Foucault Studies
- History of Human Sciences
- Distinktion: Scandinavian Journal of Social Theory
- Contemporary Political Theory
- Law, Culture, and Humanities

### Editorial

- Carceral Notebooks, Co-Editor (Vol. 4, 2008), Editor (Vol. 6, forthcoming)
- Foundations of Political Theory, Online Book Review Editor, 2007-2008.

### Professional Memberships

- American Political Science Association
- Midwest Political Science Association
- Western Political Science Association
- Association for the Study of Law, Culture, and the Humanities
- Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy
- American Philosophical Association

## AWARDS, HONORS, & FELLOWSHIPS

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- Harper-Schmidt Fellow, Society of Fellows in the Liberal Arts, University of Chicago, 2008-2011.
- Dissertation Research and Teaching Fellow, University of Chicago, 2007-2008.
- Grodzins Prize Lectureship, University of Chicago, 2006.
- Doolittle-Harrison Fellowship, University of Chicago, 2006.
- University Fellow, University of Chicago, 2002 – 2006.
- Best Senior Thesis, Indiana University Department of Economics, 2002.
- Phi Beta Kappa, Indiana University, 2002.
- James E. Moffat Book Award, Indiana University Dept. of Economics, 2000 & 2001.
- Herman B Wells Scholar, Indiana University, 1998-2002.
- Eagle Scout, 1995.

## LANGUAGES & RESEARCH SKILLS

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### Languages

- Native Speaker of English
- Reading/Research Knowledge of French

### Analytic Skills

Quantitative & Qualitative Analysis with R, Stata, SPSS, & Atlas.ti.

### Additional Training

Institute on Qualitative Research Methods, Arizona State University, January 2005.

## REFERENCES

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### Patchen Markell

Associate Professor of Political Science  
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### Cathy Cohen

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