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## EDUCATION

American University, School of Public Affairs, Washington, DC

Doctor of Philosophy, 2017

Fields: Public Administration and Public Policy

Dissertation: Policies Affecting Educational Attainment in Primary, Secondary, and Postsecondary Education

University of Missouri, Truman School of Public Affairs, Columbia, Missouri

Master of Public Affairs, 2013

Concentration: Public Policy

Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA

Bachelor of Arts, 2011

Major: Political Science

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

**2017:** Assistant Professor, Center for Public Administration and Policy (CPAP), School of Public and International Affairs (SPIA), Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

## RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Immigration Enforcement Policy and Management, Higher Education Policy and Bureaucrats, Representative Bureaucracy, Latinos in US, Quantitative Methods

## ARTICLES ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION

Birdsall, C., Gershenson, S., & **Zuniga, R.** (2018). Stereotype Threat, Role Models and Demographic Mismatch in an Elite Professional School Setting. *Education Finance and Policy*.

## MAJOR RESEARCH REPORTS AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Dunkenberger, MB (PI) & **Zuniga, R.** (Co-PI). SwiftStart Program Evaluation. Funded by U.S. Department of Labor. October, 2019 – February, 2020.

## **OTHER RESEARCH IN PROGRESS**

**Zuniga, R.** "The Chilling Effect of ICE: The Effect of a Large Worksite Enforcement Operation on Academic Performance for Young Children in a Targeted Community."

**Zuniga, R.** "A Comparison of Effects from Immigration Enforcement Strategies on Schooling Progression Outcomes for Children in Texas."

**Zuniga, R., & Holt, S.** "Paying for College: The effect of access to state financial aid for foreign-born noncitizens on college enrollments."

**Zuniga, R., & Holt, S.** "Immigration Enforcement Intensity and Its Effect on the Transition to Adulthood for Young Immigrants"

**Zuniga, R., & McKeague, L.** "Immigration Policy Flux: Changing Enforcement Strategies and Their Impacts on Public Sector Bureaucratic Perceptions and Perspectives."

**Zuniga, R., & Ellis, J.** "An Academic Advisor Like Me: The Effect of Gender Mismatch between Academic Advisor and Undergraduate Students on First Year Outcomes."

Tekin, E., Gershenson, S., & **Zuniga, R.** "The Relative Efficacy of Adjunct Faculty in Law School Classrooms."

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND PARTICIPATION**

**2019:** Association for Education Finance and Policy

**2018:** Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management  
Association for Education Finance and Policy

**2017:** AccessLex Legal Education Research Symposium  
Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management  
Association for Budgeting and Financial Management  
Public Management Research Conference  
Association for Education Finance and Policy

**2016:** Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management  
Association for Education Finance and Policy

**2015:** American Political Science Association  
Health, Education, Labor, and Development Day – American University  
Association for Education Finance and Policy

**2014:** Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2019:** PAPA6214 – Policy Process (PhD)  
PAPA6214 – Policy Process (MPA)  
PAPA6514 – Policy Inquiry (MPA)  
PAPA6254 – Advanced Topics: Immigration Policy (PhD/MPA)
- 2018:** PAPA6224 – Public Policy Design (PhD)  
PAPA6214 – Public Policy Process (MPA)  
PAPA6214 – Public Policy Process (PhD)  
PAPA6514 – Policy Inquiry (MPA)
- 2017:** PAPA6214 – Public Policy Process (MPA)
- 2016:** PUAD343 – Introduction to Public Administration and Governance  
Economics and Statistics Boot Camp for MPA/MPP Students

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES

**Reviewer:** *Policy & Society, Journal of Education Finance and Policy, Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*

**Member:** Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (2014-Present), Association for Education Finance and Policy (2015-Present), Public Management Research Association (2017), American Society for Public Administration (2017), American Political Science Association (2015)

**Panel Review Co-Chair:** Migration and Population Panel at Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management National Conference (2019)

**Chair/Discussant:** Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management National Conference: Denver, CO (2019), Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Student Regional Conference: Washington, DC (2017), Public Management Research Conference (2017)

- Invited Panelist,** ASPA Student Webinar Series Fall 2017
- Invited Lecture,** Truman School of Public Affairs Fall 2018
- Invited Lecture,** Washington Summer Semester Program Summer 2018
- Invited Lecture,** Virginia Public Sector Leader III Summer 2018
- Invited Lecture,** College Advising Council Winter 2017
- Invited Judge,** APPAM 2019 Poster Judge Fall 2019
- Invited Judge,** Charles Levine PhD Paper Award (American University) Spring 2019

## **UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL, AND DEPARTMENT SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES**

**Co-Chair**, CPAP PhD Committee Fall 2018 – Spring 2019

**Co-Chair**, CPAP PhD Admissions Fall 2018 – Spring 2019

**Member**, Virginia Tech Latinx Faculty Caucus Spring 2018 – Present

**Invited Judge**, Community Based Research Scholars Research Symposium Fall 2016

**Invited Panelist**, Graduate Student Council Policy Conference Spring 2016

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES**

**Mentor**, The RISE Grad Prep Academy Spring 2018 – Present

**Mentor**, The Boys Institute at Stanton Elementary School Fall 2016 – Spring 2017