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EDUCATION

Harvard University
Ph.D., Sociology

Expected June 2012
Cambridge, MA

Harvard University
M.A., Sociology

March 2008
Cambridge, MA

University of California, San Diego
B.A., Sociology and Philosophy (Summa Cum Laude)
Minor, Mathematics

June 2005
La Jolla, CA

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Culture, Social Networks, Social Psychology, Theory

PUBLICATIONS

Lewis, Kevin, Jason Kaufman, and Nicholas Christakis. 2008. "The Taste for Privacy: An Analysis of College Student Privacy Settings in an Online Social Network." *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication* 14:79-100.

Lewis, Kevin, Jason Kaufman, Marco Gonzalez, Andreas Wimmer, and Nicholas Christakis. 2008. "Tastes, Ties, and Time: A New Social Network Dataset Using Facebook.com." *Social Networks* 30:330-342.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"Beyond and Below Racial Homophily: ERG Models of a College Friendship Network Documented on Facebook," with Andreas Wimmer.

"Explaining Hetero-phily and -phobia," with Andreas Wimmer.

"How Cultural Tastes Shape Personal Networks II: An Ecological Approach to Social Network Evolution," with Jason Kaufman and Marco Gonzalez.

"Meaning and Time: Prospection in Contemporary Tattooing."

“Narcissism and Social Networks: An Empirical Study of Loops.”

“Rules of the Game: Triadic Structures in a Gang Murder Network,” with Andrew Papachristos.

“The Structure of Activism: Facebook and the ‘Save Darfur’ Campaign,” with Jens Meierhenrich.

EXTERNAL GRANTS

“Social Networks and Online Spaces: A Cohort Study of American College Students,” with Jason Kaufman, Andreas Wimmer, Nicholas Christakis, and Marco Gonzalez. National Science Foundation (\$170,129). 2008

Travel Grant. Institute for Quantitative Social Science, Harvard University (\$2,000). 2007

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“How Cultural Tastes Shape Personal Networks II: An Ecological Approach to Social Network Evolution,” with Jason Kaufman. Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA. 2009

“Explaining Hetero-phily and -phobia: ERG Models of a Friendship Network Based on Facebook.com,” with Andreas Wimmer. Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA. 2009

“Narcissism and Social Networks: An Empirical Study of Loops.” International Sunbelt Social Network Conference, San Diego, CA. 2009

“Heterophily in Network Dynamics,” with Andreas Wimmer. International Sunbelt Social Network Conference, San Diego, CA. 2009

“Beyond Racial Homophily: An Analysis of Social Network Formation Among College Students,” with Andreas Wimmer. International Sunbelt Social Network Conference, St. Pete Beach, FL. 2008

“Tastes, Ties, and Time: New Data Using Social Network Internet Sites,” with Jason Kaufman. Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY. 2007

HONORS AND AWARDS

Harvard University

- *Undergraduate Teaching Award (Soc 97)* 2008, 2009
- *Undergraduate Teaching Award (Soc 153)* 2008
- *Nominee for Joseph R. Levenson Memorial Teaching Prize* 2008

University of California, San Diego

- *Top Graduating Sociology Major* 2005
- *Sociology Honors Graduate with Highest Distinction* 2005

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Sociology 97: Tutorial in Sociological Theory 2009- 2010
 Head Teaching Fellow, *Harvard University*
- Sociology 97: Tutorial in Sociological Theory 2007- 2009
 Teaching Fellow/Course Instructor, *Harvard University*
- Sociology 153: Media and the American Mind 2008
 Teaching Fellow, *Harvard University*
- Sociology 67: Visualizing Social Problems 2007
 Teaching Fellow, *Harvard University*

DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Department of Sociology, *Harvard University*

- Junior Faculty Search Committee Student Representative 2009- 2010
- Concentration Advisor 2009- 2010
- Departmental Writing Fellow 2008- 2009
- Graduate Admissions Committee Student Representative 2008
- Senior Thesis Advisor
 - Ami Nash 2009- 2010
 - Stephanie Miller 2009- 2010
- Senior Thesis First Reader
 - Kindra Mason, "Facebook Stalkers and their Friends: The Impact of Online Social Network Sites on Face-to-Face Interaction (*Albert M. Fulton Prize for best thesis in the field of sociology*)" 2008- 2009
 - Blake Johnson, "Gauging the Gay Gaze: Gaydar as a Sociological Dramaturgy of Sexual Orientation" 2008- 2009

Currier House, *Harvard University*

- Resident Tutor 2009- 2010

Student Activities Office, *Harvard University*

- Beverage Authorization Team Member 2005- 2009

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND SERVICE

American Sociological Association (ASA)

- Culture Section
- Social Psychology Section
- Communication and Information Technologies Section

International Network for Social Network Analysis (INSNA)

Reviewer for: *Social Networks; Sociological Methods and Research; Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication; Information, Communication and Society*

DATA ANALYSIS SKILLS

ATLAS.ti, Stata, Pajek, UCINET, statnet, SIENA, BLOCKS, PNet