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APPOINTMENTS

2022- present New York University Abu Dhabi, Visiting Associate Professor in Social Research and Public Policy
2021- present Institute for Analytical Sociology, Director of PhD Studies
2016- present Institute for Analytical Sociology, Associate Professor
Fall 2017 Harvard University, SCANCOR Fellow at Weatherhead Center for International Affairs
2015-2018 Associate Director, Institute for Analytical Sociology
2014-2016 Postdoctoral Researcher, Institute for Analytical Sociology
2011-2014 Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Juan March Institute, Center for Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences (CEACS)

EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Washington, Sociology, 2012
M.A. University of Washington, Sociology, 2005
B.A. University of Colorado at Boulder, Sociology with a minor in Population Biology

PUBLICATIONS

Valdez, Sarah. (forthcoming). "Immigrant Integration and Vaccine Hesitancy Among Somali Immigrants in Stockholm." *Migration and Integration Challenges in a Post Pandemic World.* Lin Lerpold, Örjan Sjöberg, and Karl Wennberg (eds.). Palgrave Macmillan.

Eger, Maureen A. and Sarah Valdez. 2019. "From Radical Right to Neo-Nationalist: Political Party Dynamics in Western Europe, 1970-2013." *European Political Science*. 18(3): 379-399.

Eger, Maureen A. and Sarah Valdez. 2019. "The rise of neo-nationalism." *Europe at the Crossroads: Confronting Populist, Nationalist, and Global challenges*. Peter Bevelander and Ruth Wodaks (eds.) Nordic Academic Press: 113-134.

Valdez, Sarah and Maureen A. Eger. 2018. "From Radical Right to Neo-Nationalist: Danish Party Politics, 1970-2013." *Centre for the Analysis of the Radical Right (CARR)*.
<https://www.radicalrightanalysis.com/2018/11/15/from-radical-right-to-neo-nationalist-danish-party-politics-1973-2011/>

Jarvis, Benjamin, Jutta Kawalerowicz, and Sarah Valdez. 2017. "The Impact of Ethnic Group Categorizations on Residential Segregation Measures Using Swedish Register Data." *Scandinavian Journal of Public Health*. vol. 45, 17, suppl: pp. 62-65. [link](#)

Eger, Maureen A. and Sarah Valdez. 2015. "Neo-Nationalism in Western Europe." *European Sociological Review*. 31(1):115-130.[link](#)

Müller, Tim, Peter Hedström, Sarah Valdez, and Karl Wennberg. 2014. "Right-wing Populism and Social Distance towards Muslims in Sweden." Linköping University. [link](#)

Valdez, Sarah. 2014. "Visibility and Votes: A Spatial Analysis of Anti-Immigrant Voting in Sweden." *Migration Studies*. 2(2):162-188. [link](#)

Valdez, Sarah. 2013. "Network Effects of Multi-Ethnic Neighborhoods on Human Capital Acquisition among Immigrant Groups in Europe." *Working Papers Series, Juan March Institute of Studies and Research*. 2013/279. [link](#)

Valdez, Sarah. 2011. "Subsidizing the Costs of Collective Action: International Organizations and Protest among Polish Farmers during Democratic Transition." *Social Forces*. 90(2):475-495. [link](#)

Pfaff, Steve and Sarah Valdez. 2010. "Collective Action." in Helmut Anheier & Stefan Toepler, eds., *International Encyclopedia of Civil Society*. Springer: New York, NY.

Valdez, Sarah. 2009. "Radical Right Political Parties in Denmark and Sweden." *European Studies Forum (now Perspectives on Europe)*. 39(1).

WORKING PAPERS

Korver-Glenn, Elizabeth, Alisa Rogers, Sarah Valdez, Elizabeth Roberto, and Aydan Çakir. (under review), "Structure Encounters and Immigrant Experiences of Integration in Sweden." *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*.

Valdez, Sarah. "Wasted Human Capital Among Immigrants in Sweden."

Valdez, Sarah and Laura Fürsich. "Social Infrastructure and Inter-Ethnic Friendships."

RESEARCH GRANTS

Participating Researcher, (PI. Nina Tahmasebi). 2022-2027. Riksbankens Jubileumsfond. "Change is key! The study of contemporary and historical societies using methods for synchronic semantic variation and diachronic semantic change."
33 500 000 SEK [grant nr. M21-0021]

Principal Investigator. 2019-2021. Swedish Research Council for Sustainable Development (Formas) Research Project Grant, "The Role of the Built Environment on Immigrant Integration [grant nr. 2018-01403]

Participating Researcher (PI Marc Keuschnigg). 2019-2024. Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet) Research Environment Grant, "Mining for Meaning: The Dynamics of Public Discourse on Migration" 17,216,881 SEK (€1,671,295) [grant nr. 2018-05170]

Participating Researcher, (PI Benjamin Jarvis), Swedish Research Council for Sustainable Development (Formas) Research Project Grant in Sustainable Spatial Planning, 2017 Targeted Call, "The Segregating Effects of Market and Non-Market Housing Allocation Mechanisms" [grant nr. 2018-00269]

Principal Investigator. 2019-2021. Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet) Research Project Grant, "The Effects of Public and Private Housing Markets on Ethnic Segregation" 4,384,922 SEK (€425,658) [grant nr. 2018-01562] (declined)

Principal Investigator. 2016-2018. Swedish Research Council for Health, Working Life, and Welfare (FORTE). "Segregation and Educational Outcomes among Second-Generation Immigrants." 3,030,000 SEK (\$365,000/€325,000) [grant nr. 2015-00383].

Principal Investigator. 2016-2018. Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet) Research Project Grant, "Educational Outcomes among Second-Generation Immigrants." [grant nr. 2015-00971_3] (declined).

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

ICPSR Scholarship, Swedish National Data Service (SND), for attendance at ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research at the University of Michigan, 2016

Foreign Language Area Studies Fellowship (FLAS), University of Washington, Center for West European Studies (for dissertation research using Danish language sources), 2009

Mellon Foundation Pre-Dissertation Award, Columbia University, Council for European Studies, 2007

Lars Jonsson Family Fund Grant, University of Washington, Scandinavian Studies, 2009

Scan|Design Fellowship, University of Washington, Scandinavian Studies, 2008

Foreign Language Area Studies Fellowship (FLAS), University of Washington, Center for West European Studies (for Danish language study) 2004, 2005, and 2006

Metzon Fund Scholarship, University of Washington, 2004

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"Testing the Effects of Social Infrastructure on Exogamy and Voting Participation," International Network of Analytical Sociologists (INAS), Florence, 2022

"Immigrant Integration into the Swedish Housing Market," European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR), online, 2021

"The Radical Right and Neoliberalism in Western Europe," VII Conference of Doctores Miembro, Juan March Institute, Madrid 2016

"From Radical Right to Neo-Nationalist," (with Maureen A. Eger), Council for European Studies, Philadelphia, 2016

“Segregation and Inequality: Tertiary Educational Attainment among Immigrants in Sweden,” Future of Welfare State Studies Postdoctoral Conference, Umeå, Sweden, 2013

“The Effects of Immigration on the Social Democratic Welfare State,” Council for European Studies, Amsterdam, 2013

“Microsegregation in Denmark and Sweden,” Council for European Studies, Montreal, 2010

“Islamism in Western Democracies,” (with Steve Pfaff), Challenges to Democracy in Transatlantic Perspective, University of Oregon, 2009

“Integrating Muslims in Western Democracies: Islamism, Mosque-State Relations, and the Crisis of Multiculturalism,” (co-author Steve Pfaff), American Political Science Association, Boston, 2008

“The Unintended Consequences of Democratization: The Role of Cooperatives in Fueling Protests among Farmers in the 1990s,” American Sociological Association, New York, 2007

INVITED TALKS AND PUBLIC LECTURES

“Investigating Housing Hierarchies and Inequalities in Sweden” International Lecture Series on Social Inequality, Tohoku University, 2023

“Ethnic Enclaves and Human Capital Utilization among Immigrants in Sweden,” University of Copenhagen, Department of Sociology, 2022

“Social Inequality in the Swedish Housing Market?” International Lecture Series on Social Inequality, Tohoku University, 2022

“Residential Trajectories and Segregation: Umeå and Uppsala,” Research presentation for Swedish municipal housing agencies, Uppsala, 2019

“From Radical Right to Neonationalist,” Uppsala University, Department of Business Studies, 2016

“Radical Right Populism...or Neonationalism?” IAS Research Symposium, 2016

“Housing Projects and Social Segregation,” Roundtable on Refugee Housing hosted by architecture firm White Arkitekter, Linköping, Sweden. 2016

“The Economic and Political Consequences of Immigration to Modern Europe,” guest lecture at the University of Washington Rome Program, 2016

“The Leftward Shift of the European Far Right,” University of Minnesota, Department of Sociology Workshop Series, 2013

“Neonationalism in Scandinavia: A Tale of Two Cities,” IE University, Spain, 2013

“Scandinavian Social Democracies and the Welfare State,” Lecture series at Creative Retirement Institute, Edmonds Community College, Edmonds, WA, 2011

“Multicultural Scandinavia? Immigration to Scandinavia,” (with Christine Ingebritsen and Maureen Eger), Wallenburg Lecture Series, Nordic Heritage Museum, Seattle, 2009

TEACHING

Teaching Honors

- *Senior Teaching Associate*, Dept. of Sociology, University of Washington (UW), 2010-11, competitive position responsible for training all teaching assistants in the department

Writing Instruction and Curriculum Development

- *Instructor*, Interdisciplinary Writing in the Social Sciences, English Department, UW
 - *Research Assistant*, project to reform the Sociology Undergraduate Writing Program, UW

Department of Sociology, University of Washington

- *Instructor*, Introduction to Sociological Methods
 - *Instructor*, Political Sociology: Development of the Welfare State
 - *Instructor*, Practicum in Organizational Ethnology
 - *Teaching Assistant*, Introduction to Sociological Methods
 - *Teaching Assistant*, Criminology
 - *Teaching Assistant*, Survey of Sociology
 - *Teaching Assistant*, Deviance and Social Control

Inter-disciplinary and International Experience

- *Instructor*, Society and Politics: Institutional and Social Determinants of Political Participation in Western Democracies, Depts. of Sociology and Political Science, UW
 - *Instructor*, Introduction to Sociology, Social Sciences Department and Department of Statistics and Business, Carlos III University, Spain
 - *Instructor*, Immigration to Modern Europe, Humanities Department, IE University, Spain
 - *Teaching Assistant*, Foreign Study in Scandinavia: The History of Church and State in Denmark, study abroad course in Copenhagen, Scandinavian Studies Department, UW
 - *Teaching Assistant*, Europe Today, Jackson School of International Studies, UW

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND AFFILIATIONS

Visiting Researcher, Malmö Institute for Studies of Migration, Diversity, and Welfare, Malmö University, Sweden (Fall 2022, cancelled due to pandemic)

Visiting Researcher, Centre for Demographic Studies (CED), Autonomous University, Barcelona, Spring 2018

ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, University of Michigan, 2016

Advanced Spatial Pattern Analysis Workshop, Center for Spatially Integrated Social Science, University of California, Santa Barbara, 2010

Institute for Research on Migration, Ethnicity, and Society (REMESO), Linköping University, Sweden, visiting researcher, 2009

Graduate Workshop in New Fiscal Sociology, funded by National Science Foundation,
organized by Monica Prasad, 2009

University of Aarhus, Denmark, Department of Political Science, graduate student, 2008

University of Copenhagen, Danish language study, summer 2006

PROFESSIONAL AND DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

Reviewer: *American Sociological Review, European Sociological Review, International
Conference on Computational Social Science, Scandinavian Political Studies*

2019- present	Executive Committee, International Network of Analytical Sociologists (INAS)
2016-2018	Organizer, Annual Research Symposium, IAS
2016-2017	Organizer, Thursday Seminar Series, IAS
2015	Organizer, Sociology Salon, IAS
2013	Symposium Co-Organizer, "Immigrants and Institutions in Multi-Ethnic Societies," Council for European Studies, Amsterdam
2011	Recruitment Weekend Organizer, Sociology, University of Washington (UW)
2010	President, Sociology Graduate Student Association, UW
2009	Organizer, Seminar in Institutional Analysis, UW
2009	Sociology Colloquium Committee, UW
2007	Graduate Student Representative, Sociology, UW
2003	Department Representative to Graduate & Professional Student Senate, UW