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### Education

**PhD in Public Policy**, Oregon State University, School of Public Policy (2018)  
**Master of Public Affairs**, Princeton University, School of Public and International Affairs (2000)  
**Bachelor of Arts, cum laude**, Franklin and Marshall College, Economics and French (1993)

### Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Training

**Social Justice Education Initiative, Tier Two**, Oregon State University (May 2021)  
**Inclusive Teaching Online**, Oregon State University (Summer 2020)  
**Disability Services Accommodation Training**, Oregon State University (June 2020)  
**Social Justice Education Initiative, Tier One**, Oregon State University (June 2020)

### Fellowship and Awards

**Policy Studies Journal** Reviewer of the Year Award (April 2022)  
**Natural Hazards Center** Rapid Response Small Grant (2021)  
**National Science Foundation** Graduate Research Fellowship Program (2015-2018)

### Employment

#### **California Polytechnic State University at San Luis Obispo**

*Assistant Professor*: September 2022 – Current

Tenure-track position, conducting research and delivering instruction in core graduate and undergraduate courses, including Intro to Public Policy and Administration and Policy Analysis.

#### **Oregon State University, School of Public Policy**

*Courtesy Appointment*: September 2021 - Current

#### **University of Oregon, School of Planning, Public Policy and Management**

*Visiting Professor*: September 2021 – June 2022

Visiting faculty member (1-year position), conducting research and delivering instruction in core graduate and undergraduate courses, including Policy Analysis, Public Sector Economics, Financial Management and Inequality Policy Solutions.

#### **Oregon State University, College of Public Health, School of Social and Behavioral Sciences**

*Postdoctoral Scholar*: 2018 – 2021

Conducted applied and scholarly research for grant-funded social and environmental projects, with Dr. David Rothwell (Oregon Poverty Measure Project), Dr. Mark Edwards (Older Adults SNAP Participation Project) and Dr. Hilary Boudet (Secure and Connected Communities Project). Worked with project teams to collect, consolidate and analyze complex survey and

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administrative data, prepare manuscripts and reports, and present findings to clients and policymakers.

**Oregon State University**, College of Liberal Arts and College of Public Health and Human Sciences

*Instructor and Course Developer: 2016 –2021*

Delivered instruction and course refinements for selected graduate and undergraduate courses, including Public Policy Problems, Public Administration, Research Methods, Welfare and Social Services; Family Policy. Developed syllabi for two required courses associated with new Bachelor of Science in Public Policy program, including Research Methods and Policy Analysis.

### **Program and Policy Insight, LLC**

*Founder/Principal, 2005 - 2014*

Founded women-owned company to provide applied research, program evaluation and technical assistance services to government agencies and non-profit organizations. Conducted project management, survey instrument and interview guide development, data collection and analysis, proposal management, as well as overall organization and client management.

### **Abt Associates, Inc**

*Associate, 2004; Senior Analyst, 2000 to 2004*

Conducted program evaluation and applied research for government agency and non-profit clients, primarily related to workforce development, community and national service, and organizational capacity building. Conducted project management, survey instrument and interview guide development, data collection and analysis, and proposal management.

### **Peace Corps, Mali, West Africa, 1995-97**

### **AmeriCorps\*National Civilian Community Corps, San Diego, CA, 1994-95**

## **Peer-reviewed Publications**

**2022:**

**Giordono, L.,** Flora, J., Zanocco, C., and Boudet, H. (2022) Food Practice Lifestyles and Implications for Energy Sustainability. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 19(9), 5638. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph19095638>

**Giordono, L.,** Rothwell, D. W., Grutzmacher, S., & Edwards, M. (2022). Understanding SNAP Use Patterns Among Older Adults. *Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy*, n/a(n/a). <https://doi.org/10.1002/aep.13228>

**Giordono, L.,** Zanocco, C., Peterson, H., & Boudet, H. (2022). Shelter from the storm: How perceived extreme event experience and government trust shape public support for climate change mitigation policy in the United States. *Risk, Hazards & Crisis in Public Policy*, rhc3.12250. <https://doi.org/10.1002/rhc3.12250>

**Giordono, L.,** Zanocco, C., and Peterson, H. (2022). Shelter from the Storm: How Event Experience and Government Trust Shape Citizen Support for Climate Change Policy. *Risks, Hazards and Crisis in Public Policy*. <https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1002/rhc3.12250>

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Rothwell, D., **Giordono, L.**, and Stawski, R. (2022). Can Financial Capability Explain State Variation in Emergency Savings? Disentangling the Individual and Contextual Contribution. *Journal of Family and Economic Issues*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10834-022-09823-6>

Zanocco, C., Stelmach, G., **Giordono, L.**, Flora, J., & Boudet, H. (2022). Poor Air Quality during Wildfires Related to Support for Public Safety Power Shutoffs. *Society & Natural Resources*, 0(0), 1–15. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08941920.2022.2041138>

### 2021:

**Giordono, L.** (2021). Taking a Policy Process Approach to Illuminate the Political Nature of Disability Policymaking. *Evidence & Policy*. <https://doi.org/10.1332/174426421X16145933430109>

**Giordono, L.**, Gard-Murray, A., and Boudet, H. (2021). From Peril to Promise? Local Mitigation and Adaptation Decisions after Extreme Weather. *Current Opinion in Environmental Sustainability*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cosust.2021.10.002>

**Giordono, L.**, Boudet, H., & Gard-Murray, A. (2021). Using fuzzy set Qualitative Comparative Analysis (fsQCA) to Explain Local Adaptation Policy Responses to Extreme Weather. In P. A. Mello, *Qualitative Comparative Analysis: An Introduction to Research Design and Application*. Georgetown University Press.

**Giordono, L.**, Steel, B. and McMorris, C. (2021). State Economic Inequality and Incivility. In Lovrich N., Benjamin F., Pierce J. and Schreckhise W. (Eds) *Outside Looking In: Lobbyists' Views on Civil Discourse in U.S. State Legislatures*. WSU Press.

McMorris, C., Steel, B. & **Giordono, L.** (2021). The Urban/Rural Divide and Political Incivility in State Legislatures. In Lovrich N., Benjamin F., Pierce J. and Schreckhise W. (Eds) *Outside Looking In: Lobbyists' Views on Civil Discourse in U.S. State Legislatures*. WSU Press.

### 2020:

**Giordono, L.** (2020) From Employment Optional to “Employment First”: Explaining Two Cases of State-level Disability Policy Change. *Public Policy and Administration*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0952076720942822>.

**Giordono, L.**, Boudet H., and Gard-Murray, A. (2020). Local Adaptation Policy Responses to Extreme Weather Events. *Policy Sciences*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11077-020-09401-3>

Pierce, J., **Giordono, L.**, Peterson H., & Hicks, K. (2020). Common Approaches for Studying the Advocacy Coalition Framework: Review of Methods and Exemplary Practices. *Social Science Journal*, 59(1). <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socij.2019.06.005>

Rothwell, D., **Giordono, L.** and Robson, J. (2020). Public income transfers and wealth accumulation at the bottom: Within and between country differences in Canada and the United States. *Social Policy and Administration*. <http://www.lisdatacenter.org/wps/lwswps/31.pdf>

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### 2019:

Boudet, H., **Giordono, L.**, Zanocco, C., Satein, H., & Whitley, H. (2019). Event Attribution and Partisanship Shape Local Discussion of Climate Change after Extreme Weather. *Nature Climate Change*, 1-8. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41558-019-0641-3>

**Giordono, L.** (2019). Advocacy Coalitions in a Low Salience Policy Subsystem: Struggles under a Smooth Surface. *Policy Studies Journal*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/psj.12330>

**Giordono, L.**, Jones, M., and Rothwell, D. (2019) Social Policy Perspectives on Economic Inequality in Wealthy Countries. *Policy Studies Journal Yearbook*. <http://www.psjyearbook.com/content/article37-2019>

### 2018:

**Giordono, L.**, Boudet, H., Karmazina, A., and Steel, B. (2018). Opposition “Overblown”? Renewable Energy Siting in the Western United States. *Energy Research and Social Sciences, DOI* <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.erss.2018.05.016>.

**Giordono, L.** and Edwards, M. (2018). Social Policy. In E. Weber, R. Clucas, P. Southwell and M. Henkels (Eds), *Oregon State and Local Politics: Change and Continuity*. OSU Press.

Taylor-Winney, J., **Giordono, L.**, Lesmeister, M., Fenn, M., & Krahn, G. (2018). Disability Inclusion in 4-H: Aligned with the Mission, Stopped Short by Methods. *Journal of Youth Development*, 13(3), 191-211. <https://doi.org/10.5195/jyd.2018.604>

### 2017:

**Giordono, L.**, & Pugatch, T. (2017). Non-tuition Costs, School Access and Student Performance: Evidence from the Gambia. *Journal of African Economies*, 26(2), 140-168. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jae/ejw033>.

## Works in Progress

Gard-Murray, A., **Giordono, L.**, and Boudet, H. (in progress). Do Focusing Events Focus Attention? Text Analysis of Climate Discourse after Extreme Weather Events (Current status: manuscript under preparation)

**Giordono, L.**, (in progress). States as Laboratories: Disability Policy Change in a Nested Subsystem. (Current status: manuscript under preparation for upcoming book on the Advocacy Coalition Framework)

**Giordono, L.**, Siddiqi, U., Zanocco, C., and Boudet, H. (under review). Trial by Fire: Support for Mitigation and Adaptation Policy after the 2020 Oregon Wildfires. (Current status: manuscript under review at Weather, Climate and Society)

Peterson, H., Zanocco, C., and **Giordono, L.** (under review). Minors can have major effects: Insights about Alabamian household climate adaptation behaviors following the 2020

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hurricane season. (Current status: manuscript under review at Society and Natural Resources)

Rothwell, D., Weber, B., and **Giordono, L.** (under review). The Oregon Earned Income Credit's Impact on Child Poverty. <https://osf.io/hbt28/> (Current status: manuscript under review at Journal of Poverty)

### Selected Applied Research Reports

Rothwell, D., **Giordono, L.** & Weber, B. (2020). *Findings from the Oregon Poverty Measure Project: 2014-2018*. Corvallis, OR: The Ford Family Foundation and Providence Health Foundation.  
<https://health.oregonstate.edu/sites/health.oregonstate.edu/files/research/groups/poverty/pdf/r02-oprm-5yearfindings-report-20201012-final.pdf>

Rothwell, D., **Giordono, L.** & Weber, B. (2020). *Initial Findings from the Oregon Poverty Measure Project: 2017*. Corvallis, OR: The Ford Family Foundation and Providence Health Foundation.  
<https://health.oregonstate.edu/sites/health.oregonstate.edu/files/research/groups/poverty/pdf/oprm-early-findings-draft-report.pdf>

**Giordono, L.**, Lodewick, K. & Michon, S. (2013). *The National Fund for Workforce Solutions: Data Brief 2013*. Boston, MA: National Fund for Workforce Solutions.

Lodewick, K. & **Giordono, L.** (2009) *Human Services Plan for Lane County*. Eugene, OR: Program and Policy Insight.

**Giordono, L.** & Lodewick, K. (2007). *Comprehensive Needs Assessment for the Oregon Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Services: Final Report*. Eugene, OR: Program and Policy Insight, December 2007.

McNeal, N., **Giordono, L.**, & Lodewick, K. (2006) *Denver TANF Evaluation Project: Final Report*. Salem, OR: Public Knowledge.

Schimmenti, J., Gamse, B., **Giordono, L.**, Kupfer, A., & Smith, W.C., and Weiland, C. (2003). *Evaluation of the Equipped for the Future Reading Project Pilot: Final Report*. Cambridge, MA: Abt Associates, Inc.

**Giordono, L.**, Checkoway, A., Koepnick, R., & Jastrzab, J. (2002) *Evaluation of the Hanley Career and Technical Program*. Cambridge, MA: Abt Associates, Inc.

Hebert, S., **Giordono, L.**, & Dun Rappaport, C. (2002) *Initiative to Strengthen Organizational Effectiveness in Workforce Development: Year End Report of the Assessment Team*. Cambridge, MA: Abt Associates, Inc.

Jastrzab, J., Bernstein, L., Litin, L., Braat-Campbell, S., Stickney, E., Artis, E., & **Giordono, L.** (2001) *A Profile of AmeriCorps Members at Baseline*. Cambridge, MA: Abt Associates, Inc.

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McGahey, R., Levin, M., Heald, A., & **Giordono, L.** (2001) *Evaluating the Workforce Innovation Networks (WINs): A Report to the Ford Foundation*. Cambridge, MA: Abt Associates, Inc.

### Social Media Contributions

Cairney, P., & **Giordono, L.** (2019, August 11). Policy Concepts in 1000 Words: how do policy theories describe policy change? Retrieved August 12, 2019, from Paul Cairney: Politics & Public Policy website: <https://paulcairney.wordpress.com/2019/08/11/policy-concepts-in-1000-words-how-do-policy-theories-describe-policy-change/>

Boudet, H., **Giordono, L.**, & Zanooco, C. (2019, March 15). Do Extreme Weather Events Spur Action on Climate Change? Evidence of Muted Mobilization in 15 U.S. Communities. Retrieved August 12, 2019, from Mobilizing Ideas website: <https://mobilizingideas.wordpress.com/2019/03/15/do-extreme-weather-events-spur-action-on-climate-change-evidence-of-muted-mobilization-in-15-u-s-communities/>

**Giordono, L.**, Boudet, H., & Zanooco, C. (2021, August 19). This Year's Extreme Fires and Floods May Change What Americans Think About Climate Change, Our Research Finds. Retrieved August 19, 2021, from Washington Post's Monkey Cage blog: <https://www.washingtonpost.com/politics/2021/08/19/this-years-extreme-fires-floods-may-change-what-americans-think-about-climate-change-our-research-finds/>

### Conference Presentations and Posters

**Presentation:** Trial by Fire: Support for Mitigation and Adaptation Policy after the 2020 Oregon Wildfires. Natural Hazards Center Researchers' Meeting. July 2022.

**Presentation:** Trial by Fire: Support for Mitigation and Adaptation Policy after the 2020 Oregon Wildfires. Western Political Science Association. Online Conference. March 2022.

**Presentation:** Waiver Behavior: Explaining State-level Differences in ABAWD Waiver Adoption. Midwest Political Science Association. Online Conference. April 2021.

**Presentation:** Double Disasters: Responses to COVID and Wildfire Events. Midwest Political Science Association. Online Conference. April 2021.

**Presentation:** Government Trust, Community Harm and Support for Climate Change Mitigation Following Extreme Weather. Association of Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM). Online Conference. November 2020.

**Presentation:** Face Validity of the Supplemental Poverty Measure in Rural America: The Role of Redistributive Institutions. Association of Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM). Denver, Colorado. November 2019.

**Presentation:** The Slow Road to Big Change: Extending the Advocacy Coalition Framework with the Theory of Gradual, Institutional Change. International Public Policy Association Meeting. Montreal, Canada. June 2019.

**Presentation:** Community Responses to Extreme Weather Events. International Public Policy Association Meeting. Montreal, Canada. June 2019.

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**Presentation:** The Oregon Earned Income Credit's Impact on Child Poverty. Pacific Northwest Regional Economic Conference. Seaside, Oregon. May 2019.

**Presentation:** The Slow Road to Big Change: Extending the Advocacy Coalition Framework with the Theory of Gradual, Institutional Change. Midwest Political Science Association Meeting. Chicago, IL. April 2019.

**Presentation:** Community Responses to Extreme Weather Events. Midwest Political Science Association Meeting. Chicago, IL. April 2019.

**Presentation:** Renewable Energy Siting in the West: A fuzzy set Qualitative Comparative Analysis. Rural Sociological Society annual meeting. Portland, OR. July 2018.

**Presentation:** Explaining Policy Change in a Low-Salience Subsystem: State-level Prioritization of Competitive, Integrated Employment for Working-Age Adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. Midwest Political Science Association Meeting. Chicago, IL. April 2018.

**Presentation:** Applicability of the ACF in a Low-Salience Subsystem: Evidence from Day and Employment Services for Adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disability. Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Meeting. Seattle, WA. October 2017.

**Presentation:** Renewable Energy Siting in the West: A fuzzy set Qualitative Comparative Analysis. Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting. Portland, OR. April 2017.

**Poster:** Employment First: Policy Design by the Rules. Midwest Political Science Association annual meeting. Portland, OR. April 2017.

**Presentation:** Employment First: Policy Design by the Rules. Association of University Centers on Disability (AUCD) annual meeting. Washington, DC. December 2016.

**Presentation:** Employment First: Policy Design by the Rules. Pacific Northwest Political Science Association annual meeting. Portland, OR. November 2016.

**Presentation:** Non-tuition Costs, School Access and Student Performance: Evidence from the Gambia. Northwest Development Workshop. Seattle, WA. April 2016.

**Poster:** Impacts of Employment First Policy on Vocational Rehabilitation Outcomes. *Celebrating 40 Years of Progressive Leadership*. TASH Annual Conference. Portland, OR. December 2015.

**Presentation:** Exploring the Contributions of Site-specific and Cross-site Evaluations in Multi-Site Human Service Initiatives. American Evaluation Association Annual Conference. Denver, Colorado. October 2014.

**Presentation:** What have We Learned from Local Evaluators? National Fund for Workforce Solutions Fourth Annual Meeting. Chicago, Illinois. June 2014.

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**Presentation:** Data Collection, Data Use and Reporting Efforts. National Fund for Workforce Solutions Third Annual Meeting. Atlanta, Georgia. June 2013.

### **Campus Lectures**

Local Adaptation Policy Responses to Extreme Weather Events. Oregon State University People and Nature Series; May 5, 2020.

The Policy Process. Oregon State University, Presidential Student Legislative Advocacy Leadership (PPOL 002); March 4, 2020.

Policy Paradox. Oregon State University, Family Policy (HDFS 460); Oregon State University; May 29, 2019.

The Oregon Poverty Measures: Creation and Preliminary Findings. Oregon State University, College of Public Health and Human Sciences Seminar; February 22, 2019. With Dr. David Rothwell.

### **Computer and Technical Skills**

Statistical analysis and visualization (STATA, R, SPSS, SAS, mPlus); mapping (GIS ARCMAP); qualitative analysis (Dedoose; fsQCA); web-based survey implementation (Qualtrics, Survey Gizmo, Survey Monkey); relational database (Access); spreadsheet (Excel); presentation (Powerpoint; rmarkdown); and word processing (Word; LaTeX)

### **Professional Affiliations**

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM)

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)

### **Service**

Peer reviewer for Journal of Energy Research and Social Science, Fall 2021

Peer reviewer for Policy Studies Journal, Fall 2021

Peer reviewer for Journal of Environmental Planning and Management, Fall 2021

Peer reviewer for Journal of Society of Natural Resources, Spring 2021

Peer reviewer for Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory, Spring 2021

Peer reviewer for Delaware Sea Grant application, Summer 2019

Peer reviewer for Policy Studies Journal, Winter 2020

Peer reviewer for Policy Studies Journal, Spring 2019

Peer reviewer for Energy Research and Social Science, Winter 2018

Selection committee for SPP Executive Assistant, Fall 2018

Coordinator of student input for Michael Jones Promotion and Tenure Committee, Fall 2017

Coordinator of student input for Todd Pugatch Promotion and Tenure Committee, Fall 2016

Peer reviewer for SAGE Open, Winter 2016

Peer reviewer for Journal of Public Policy and Administration, Fall 2016

PhD Cohort Representative, Oregon State University School of Public Policy, 2015-2018