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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)

### Fellowships/Awards

**University of Colorado Natural Hazards Center** Quick Response Research Grant (2021)  
**Oregon State University Postdoctoral Association** Spring Professional Development Award (2019)  
**National Science Foundation** Graduate Research Fellowship Program (2015-2018)  
**International Public Policy Association** Spring Policy School Travel Award (2018)  
**Oregon State University** Graduate Travel Award (2016)

### Professional and Teaching Experience

**Oregon State University**, College of Public Health, School of Social and Behavioral Sciences  
*Postdoctoral Scholar*: December 2018 - Current

Conducting applied and scholarly research for multiple grant-funded social and environmental projects with Dr. David Rothwell, Dr. Hilary Boudet and Dr. Mark Edwards. Working with project teams to collect, consolidate and analyze complex survey and administrative data, prepare reports and publications, and present findings to clients and policymakers.

**Oregon State University**, College of Liberal Arts and College of Public Health and Human Sciences  
*Instructor*: June 2016 – June 2021

Delivered instruction and course refinements for graduate and undergraduate courses, including:

- Welfare and Social Services (on-line): March 2021 – June 2021
- Family Policy (on-line with synchronous sessions): March 2020 – June 2020
- Public Administration (on-campus): September 2019 – December 2019
- Public Policy Problems (on-campus, co-taught): April 2018 – June 2018
- Research Methods (on-line): June 2017 – August 2017

*Course Developer*: June 2016 – December 2016

Developed syllabi for two required courses associated with new Bachelor of Science in Public Policy program, including:

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- Research Methods
- 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

### **2021:**

**Giordono, L.** (2021). Taking a Policy Process Approach to Illuminate the Political Nature of Disability Policymaking. *Evidence & Policy*. <https://www.ingentaconnect.com/content/tpp/ep/pre-prints/content-evidpold2100015>

**Giordono, L., Boudet, H., & Gard-Murray, A.** (in press). 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>.

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**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>

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>

### 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>

Pierce, J., **Giordono, L.**, Peterson H., & Hicks, K. (2019). Common Approaches for Studying the Advocacy Coalition Framework: Review of Methods and Exemplary Practices. *Social Science Journal, Early View*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.soscij.2019.06.005>

### 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

## Leanne Giordono, PhD, MPA

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.**, Rothwell, D., Grutzmacher, S. and Edwards, M (under review). Understanding SNAP Use Patterns among Older Adults. (Current status: abstract accepted for special issue of *Applied Economic Policy and Perspectives*; manuscript under review)

**Giordono, L.**, Gard-Murray, A., and Boudet, H. (under review). From Peril to Promise? Local Mitigation and Adaptation Decisions after Extreme Weather. (Current status: abstract accepted for special issue of *Current Opinion in Environmental Sustainability*; manuscript under review)

**Giordono, L.**, Siddiqi, U., Zanoocco, C., and Boudet, H. (in progress). Trial by Fire: Support for Mitigation and Adaptation Policy after the 2020 Oregon Wildfires. (Current status: manuscript in preparation)

**Giordono, L.**, Rothwell, D. and Weber, B. (in progress). Impact of the Oregon Earned Income Credit. (Current status: manuscript in preparation)

**Giordono, L.**, Zanoocco, C., and Peterson, H. (under review). Shelter from the Storm: How Event Experience and Government Trust Shape Citizen Support for Climate Change Policy (Current status: manuscript under review)

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

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

Rothwell, D., **Giordono, L.**, and Stawski, R. (under review). Can Financial Capability Explain State Variation in Emergency Savings? Disentangling the Individual and Contextual Contributions. (Current status: abstract accepted for special issue in *Journal of Family and Economic Issues*; manuscript under review)

Zanoocco, C., Stelmach, G., **Giordono, L.**, and Boudet, H. (under review). Support for public safety power shutoffs related to poor air quality during wildfires. (Current status: manuscript under review)

## 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>

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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.

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.

### Conference Presentations and Posters

**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.

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**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.

**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.

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**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.

**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.

### 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.**, & Zanocco, 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/>

### 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

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM)

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### **Service**

Peer reviewer for Journal of Society of Natural Resources, Spring 2021  
Peer reviewer for Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory, Spring 2021  
Postdoctoral representative to OSU Health Insurance Advisory Committee, Academic year 2020-21  
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 journal, 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