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ACADEMIC POSITIONS	Associate Professor Toronto Metropolitan University Department of Politics and Public Administration	2021-present
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RESEARCH INTERESTS	Canadian politics, municipal politics, political behaviour, research methodology, comparative politics, political psychology	
EDUCATION	Ph.D., Political Science The University of Western Ontario Dissertation title: <i>When Voters Decide: Causes, Correlates and Effects of the Time-of-Voting-Decision</i> Supervisors: Cameron Anderson and Laura Stephenson Defence committee: Fred Cutler, Robert Young, James Olson, Paul Nesbitt-Larking	2007-2012
	M.A., Political Science The University of Waterloo	2005-2006
	B.Sc. (Eng.), Biological Engineering The University of Guelph	1999-2004
BOOKS	Goodman, N., Hayes, H., M^cGregor, R.M. , Pruyzers, S. & Spicer, Z. (Forthcoming). <i>Voting Online: Technology and Democracy in Municipal Elections</i> . McGill-Queen's University Press.	
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BOOK CHAPTERS

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McGregor, R.M., and Stephenson, L.B. (Forthcoming) "Conclusion" In R.M. McGregor and L.B. Stephenson Eds., *Political Engagement in Canadian City*

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Tessier, C., & **McGregor, R.M.** (2022) “Setting the Record Straight: Identifying the Correlates of Split-Ticket Voting in Montreal and Quebec”, in *Voting in Quebec Municipal Elections: A Tale of Two Cities* (Éric Bélanger, Cameron Anderson and R. Michael McGregor eds.). Toronto: University of Toronto Press.

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Stephenson L., **McGregor, R.M.** & Moore, A. (2018) “Sins of the Brother: Partisanship and Accountability in Toronto 2014”, in *Accountability and Responsiveness at the local level: Views from Canada* (Sandra Breux and Jérôme Couture, eds.). McGill-Queens University Press, Kingston.

NON-REFEREED
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Raney, T., **McGregor, R.M.**, and Anderson, C. (Submitted). “When Councillors Sexually Harass: Public Opinion Towards Accountability in Canada’s Municipalities.”

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Andrews-Lee, C., **McGregor, R.M.**, Lucas, J., & Anderson, C. (Submitted). “Uncle Doug or Doug the dictator? Candidate charisma in Ontario politics”

Anderson, C., Romualdi, T., Lucas, J., & **McGregor, R.M.** (Submitted). “Don’t worry, be happy (and vote out the incumbent): Economic anxiety and incumbent support in Ontario”

EXTERNAL
FUNDING

2023: **\$8,000** – SSHRC Awards to Scholarly Publishing Program. *Citizen Engagement in Canadian City Elections*. (Co-applicant: Laura Stephenson)

2022-2026: **\$226,000** – SSHRC Insight Grant (co-applicant). *The Multilevel Democracy Project*. Award #: 435-2021-0603. (PI: Cameron Anderson).

2021: **\$8,000** – SSHRC Awards to Scholarly Publishing Program. *Voting in Quebec Municipal Elections: A Tale of Two Cities*. (Co-applicants: Éric Bélanger and Cameron Anderson).

2021: **\$18,200** - Partnership Engage Grant (co-applicant). *Informing the Electorate: Public Opinion and Local Media for the Calgary Municipal Election* Award #: 892-2020-2003 (PI: Jack Lucas).

2021: **\$8,000** – SSHRC Awards to Scholarly Publishing Program. *Big City Elections in Canada*. (Co-applicant: Jack Lucas).

2020-2021: **\$10,206** – Google Cloud Academic Research Grant (Principal investigator). *Canadian Municipal Election Study: Calgary 2021*. (Co-applicants: Aengus Bridgman and Jack Lucas).

2020-2021: **\$49,165 (+\$52,500 in matching funds from external sources)** – SSHRC Connection Grant (Principal investigator). *Canada Vote Summit*. (Co-

applicants: John Beebe and David Lasby). Award #: 611-2019-1045.

2018-2023: **\$150,000** – Ontario Ministry of Research and Innovation and Science Early Researcher Award. Award #: ER17-13-035.

2018-2021: **\$140,394** – SSHRC Insight Grant (Co-applicant). *Electronic Elections: The Effects of Voting Modernization in Local Elections*. Award #: 435-2018-1281. (PI: Nicole Goodman).

2018-2019: **\$119,900** – Grant from the Ontario Education Services Corporation (Co-principal investigator with Myer Siemiatycki). *Ontario School Trustee Candidates Research Project*.

2018-2019: **\$9,395** (+**\$8,000** in matching funds from external sources) – SSHRC Connection Grant (Co-applicant). *The Canadian Municipal Election Study Conference: Montreal and Quebec in Focus*. Award #: 611-2017-0539. (PI: Éric Bélanger)

2017-2021: **\$281,536** – SSHRC Insight Grant (Principal investigator). *The Canadian Municipal Election Study*. Award #: 435-2017-0993. (Co-applicants: Cameron Anderson, Éric Bélanger, Sandra Breux, Jack Lucas, Scott Matthews, Anne Mévellec, Aaron Moore, Laura Stephenson, and Erin Tolley). *Award ranked 1st of 84 in competition*.

2014-2016: **\$69,649** – SSHRC Insight Development Grant (principal investigator). Award # 430-2014-00700. *Political Behaviour and Attitudes in a Non-Partisan Environment: A Toronto Municipal Election Study*. (Co-applicants: Laura Stephenson and Aaron Moore).

2010 – 2011: **\$20,000** - SSHRC Doctoral Fellowship. Award # 752-2010-1797.

INSTITUTIONAL FUNDING

2019: **\$1,200** – Faculty of Arts Winter 2019 Travel Grant.

2018-2019: **\$10,000** – Ryerson Work Study Research Assistant Program (Co-Principal investigator with Myer Siemiatycki). *Ontario School Trustee Candidates Research Project*.

2016-2017: **\$9,996.70** – Western University Social Science General Research Grant (Co-applicant). *Calgary Municipal Election Study* (PI: Cameron Anderson).

2015-2016: **\$9,310.10** – Western University Social Science Research Fund (co-applicant). *Representation and Accountability Between Elections: The Case of Toronto* (PI: Laura Stephenson).

2015-2016: **\$3,269** – Bishop's University Senate Research Committee Research Grant (principal investigator). *The Political Causes and Consequences of National Identity: An Experimental Study* (Co-applicant: Cameron Anderson)

2015 – 2016: **\$5,000** – Samuel Clark Research Fund in Social Science (co-applicant). *The Political Causes and Consequences of National Identity: An Experimental Study* (PI: Cameron Anderson).

2007 – 2011: **\$10,000** – Faculty of Social Science Dean’s Scholarship, The University of Western Ontario.

2007 – 2009: **\$8,000** – Graduate Research Grant, from Prof. Robert Young, Canadian Research Chair in Multilevel Governance.

PRESENTATIONS

“Internet voting and public opinion in a multi-level setting: The case of Canada”. Keynote address, presented at the Eighth International Joint Conference on Electronic Voting, Luxembourg, October 2023.

“Personality and support for electoral modernization in Canada” (with Helen Hayes and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Montreal, July 2023.

“Resentment and admiration: Public opinion towards teachers and public sector employees in Ontario” (with Chris Erl, Jack Lucas, and Cameron Anderson). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Montreal, July 2023.

“When Councillors Harass; Public Perceptions of Accountability in Ontario Municipal Politics” (with Tracey Raney and Cameron Anderson). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Association of Programs in Public Administration. Toronto, June 2023.

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“Understanding support for municipal political parties: Evidence from Canada” (with Cameron Anderson and Jack Lucas). Presented at the European Consortium for Political Research Joint Sessions. Toulouse, April 2023.

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Awarded “Best paper award” in the track on Governance of E-Voting.

“Online Voting and Attitudes towards Democracy: An Experimental Study” (with Nicole Goodman, Helen Hayes, Scott Pruyzers, and Zachary Spicer). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. Montreal, September 2022.

“Beyond the Ballot Box: Public Opinion on Legislative Responses to Sexual Harassment in Canadian Politics” (with Tracey Raney). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. 1 June, 2022.

Winner of the Jill Vickers Prize for best paper on the subject of gender at the CPSA conference.

“Spatial voting in non-partisan cities: A Case Study” (with Jack Lucas and Aengus Bridgeman). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. 1 June, 2022.

“Understanding Attitudes and Behaviour Towards the 2021 Alberta Senate Elections” (with Aengus Bridgeman and Jack Lucas). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. 30 May, 2022.

“Going Electric, Candidate Support for Electronic Voting” (with Nicole Goodman, Helen Hayes, Zachary Spicer, and Scott Pruyzers). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. 31 May, 2022.

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“Political Parties and Local Elections: Consequences for Voters” (with Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. Washington, DC., August 2019.

“Partisanship, Motivated Reasoning and the Notwithstanding Clause” (with Cameron Anderson and Scott Pruyers). Presented at the annual meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology. Lisbon, July 2019.

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“Immigrants and Participation in Local Elections: A Mixed-Methods Examination of Turnout in the 2018 Ontario Municipal Elections” (with Rebecca Wallace, Erin Tolley and Olivia Chow). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Vancouver, June 2019.

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“The Institutional sources of Negative Partisanship: A comparative study” (with Laura Stephenson and Cameron Anderson). Presented at the special section “Voters in Context: Evidence from the Comparative Study of Electoral Systems (CSES) project” at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Vancouver, June 2019.

“Blurred Lines: Cross Level Influences on Municipal Vote Choice in Montreal” (with Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. Boston, September 2018.

“Who Relies on Party Labels in Municipal Elections in Montreal and Quebec City?” (with Cameron Anderson). Presented at the 2018 Canadian Municipal Election Study Conference. Montreal, June 2018.

“Setting the Record Straight: Identifying the Correlates of Straight-Ticket Voting in Montreal and Quebec” (with Charles Tessier). Presented at the 2018 Canadian Municipal Election Study Conference. Montreal, June 2018. Also presented at the annual Meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, Regina, May 2018.

“Who has School Spirit? Explaining Voter Turnout in Canadian School Board Elections” (with Jack Lucas). Presented at annual meeting of the Urban Affairs Association. Toronto, April 2018. Also presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, May 2018.

“Party Cues and Local Elections: Municipal Elections in Montreal and Quebec City” (with Cameron Anderson) Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, April 2018.

“When the Party's over: The Contaminating Effect of Cross-Level Partisan Perceptions in a Non-Partisan Context” (with Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association Chicago, April 2018.

“A Ford by any other name: Rob and Doug Ford and the 2014 Toronto Mayoral Election” (with Aaron Moore and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Toronto, May 2017.

“Who wants to Party? Viewing the Politics of Toronto Through a Partisan Lens” (with Laura Stephenson). Presented at the LABEL colloquium: “Competition and Cooperation among Canadian local governments: Meaning, dynamics and scope.” Montreal, May 2017.

“National Identity and the Two Sides of Partisanship: The Case of the 2015 Canadian Federal Election” (with Cameron Anderson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL, April 2017.

“Policy versus Personality: Correct Voting in the 2014 Toronto Municipal Election” (with Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL, April 2017.

“Priming, Partisanship and Issue Evaluations: An Experimental Study” (with Cameron Anderson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Calgary, June 2016.

“Computer Literacy and Internet Voting: An Examination of four Ontario Municipalities” (with Sandra Breux, Jérôme Couture and Nicole Goodman). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Calgary, June 2016.

“Sins of the Brother: Partisanship, Family Dynasty and Accountability in Toronto 2014” (with Laura Stephenson and Aaron Moore). Presented at the LABEL colloquium: “Do Responsiveness and Accountability Matter at the Municipal Level?” Montreal, May 2016.

“Reconsidering the Homevoter Hypothesis: Toronto 2014” (with Aaron Moore & Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. San Francisco, September, 2015.

“Voting For(d) or Against? Strategic Voting in the 2014 Toronto Municipal Election” (with Carla Caruana, Aaron Moore and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Ottawa, ON, June 2015.

“Political Attitudes in a Non-Partisan Environment: The Case of the 2014 Toronto Municipal Election” (with Aaron Moore and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Ottawa, ON, June 2015.

“Ethnic Voting in the Toronto Municipal Election” (with Karen Bird, Aaron Moore and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Ottawa, ON, June 2015.

“Economics and Elections in Multi-Level Governance: The case of Toronto” (with Cameron Anderson, Aaron Moore and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Ottawa, ON, June 2015.

“The Gender Gap in Local Politics: Assessing the Role of Gender in a Non-Partisan Electoral Context” (with Samantha Jackson, Karen Bird, Aaron Moore

and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. Ottawa, ON, June 2015.

“Institutions, Electoral Context and Negative Partisanship: A Cross-National Analysis” (with Cameron Anderson and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL, April 2015.

“Voting and Accountability in a Non-partisan Election” (with Laura Stephenson and Aaron Moore). Presented at the 43rd European Consortium for Political Research Joint Sessions. Warsaw, Poland, April, 2015.

“Economics and Accountability in Multi-level governance: The Case of Toronto” (with Cameron Anderson, Laura Stephenson and Aaron Moore). Presented at the 43rd European Consortium for Political Research Joint Sessions. Warsaw, Poland, April, 2015.

“Explaining Stability and Change of Geographic Identities” (with Cameron Anderson). Presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association. Washington D.C., August, 2014.

“Timing is Everything? The Correlates and Effects of Time-of-Voting-Decisions” (with Laura Stephenson). Presented at the Making Electoral Democracy Work Project pre-APSA Workshop. Washington D.C., August, 2014.

“Correct Voting and Campaign Effects”. Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association. St. Catherine’s, ON, May, 2014

“Cause and Affect: The Institutional Sources of Negative Affective Orientations Toward Parties” (with Laura Stephenson and Cameron Anderson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, Edmonton, AB, June, 2012.

“Cognitive Dissonance and Political Attitudes: The Case of Canada”. Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, Waterloo, ON, May, 2011.

“Negative Partisanship in Canada” (with Carla Caruana and Laura Stephenson). Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, Waterloo, ON, May, 2011.

“Correct Voting in Canada”. Presented at the Political Science Graduate Student Conference on Canadian Democracy, Ottawa, ON, Feb., 2011.

“Exploring Negative Partisanship in Canada” (with Carla Caruana). Presented at the Midwest Association for Canadian Studies Biennial Conference, Windsor, ON, Oct., 2010.

“Ambivalence and the Time-of-Voting-Decision”. Presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association, Montreal, QC, June, 2010.

“Understanding the Time-of-Vote-Decision using Zaller’s Receive-Accept-Sample Model of Political Decision Making”. Presented at the Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship Graduate Student Conference, Quebec, QC, March 2010.

“Exploring Riding-Level Volatility in Canadian Federal Elections” (with Jeffrey Parker.) Presented at the Annual Conference of the Canadian Political Science Association, Ottawa, ON, May 2009.

PEER REVIEWING

2023: American Political Science Review, European Journal of Political Research, Canadian Journal of Political Science (x3), Urban Studies, Public Choice, Political Behavior, Urban Affairs Review

2022: Canadian Journal of Political Science (x2), Politics and Governance, Canadian Journal of Urban Research, Journal of Urban Affairs, Political Geography, Electoral studies, French Politics

2021: Electoral Studies, Frontiers, Academia Letters, Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties, Political Behavior, Canadian Journal of Political Science X 2, Urban Affairs Review

2020: Representation, Political Behavior, Canadian Journal of Political Science (x3), Political Geography, Electoral Studies

2019: Internet and Policy, Social Science Quarterly, Journal of Urban Affairs (x2), Canadian Journal of Political Science (x2), Representation, Journal of Experimental Political Science, Party Politics, McGill-Queens University Press (book manuscript), Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies

2018: Canadian Journal of Political Science (x2), Representation, American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Urban Affairs

2017: Representation, Cities, Electoral Studies, International Journal of Communication

2016: Electoral Studies, Research and Politics, Urban Affairs Review, Canadian Journal of Political Science, International Journal of Communication, Social Science Journal, Social Science Quarterly

2015: Public Opinion Quarterly, Quebec Studies, Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties, Canadian Journal of Political Science (x2)

2014: Electoral Studies, Canadian Journal of Political Science, American Journal of Political Science

2013: American Review of Canadian Studies, Political Research Quarterly

2012: Political Behavior, Public Opinion Quarterly, Political Research Quarterly

SERVICE

2023-Present: Undergraduate Program Advisor, Politics and Governance

2023-2024: Department Evaluation Committee

2023-2024: Faculty Promotion Committee
2021-2022: Faculty co-op advisor, Department of Politics and Public Administration
2021-2022: Chair, Canadian Area Group, Department of Politics and Public Administration
2021-2022: Canadian Politics Representative, School of Social Work Council
2021-2022: Departmental Hiring Committee
2021: Social Venture Prize Adjudication Committee
2021: Fall/Winter Work Study RA Program Faculty Review Committee
2020-2021: Faculty of Arts Scholarly Research and Creative Activity Committee
2020-2022: Urban Affairs Association International Committee
2020: Faculty of Arts Teaching Awards Committee
2019-2021: Advisory Committee on Academic Computing
2019-2022: Masters of Public Policy and Administration Admissions, Scholarships, and Awards Committee
2019-2022: Masters of Public Policy and Administration Executive Committee
2019-2020: Departmental Hiring Committee
2017-2019: Faculty of Arts Gold Medal Adjudication Committee
2017-2022: Scholarly Research and Creative Activity Committee – Department of Politics and Public administration
2016-2019: Ryerson Faculty Association departmental representative