

# Benjamin Carter

## Curriculum Vitae

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### ACADEMIC POSITIONS

#### **Dartmouth College**, Hanover, NH

- Postdoctoral Research Associate Starting July 2024  
[The Nelson A. Rockefeller Center for Public Policy and the Social Sciences](#)
- Provost's Postdoctoral Research Fellow July 2022 – Present  
[The Dartmouth Institute for Health Policy and Clinical Practice](#)

### EDUCATION

#### **Stony Brook University**, Stony Brook, NY

- PhD, Political Science 2022
- MA, Public Policy 2017
- BA, Political Science 2016

### PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

4. Green, L., **Carter, B.**, and Loehrer, A. (2024). Examining Medicaid Waivers: An Opportunity to Promote Equity in Cancer Care. (Viewpoint Article). *JAMA: Oncology*
3. Loehrer, A., Weiss, J., Chatoorgoon, K., Bello, O., Hasson, R., Diaz, A., **Carter, B.**, Delmont, M., Akre, E., Carlos, H. (2023). Residential Redlining, Neighborhood Trajectory, and Equity of Breast and Colorectal Cancer Care. *Annals of Surgery*, 10-1097.
2. **Carter, B.** and Del Ponte, A. (2022). Integrating web applications into popular survey platforms for online experiments. *Behavior Research Methods*.
1. Barabas, J., **Carter, B.**, and Shan, K. (2020). Analogical Framing: How Policy Comparisons Alter Political Support for Health Care Reform. *American Politics Research*, 48, 596-611.

### ONGOING RESEARCH

*Preprints available upon request.*

- **Carter, B.** Does misunderstanding taxes inflate people's support for Medicare spending? (*Revise & Resubmit at Journal of Behavioral Public Administration*)
- Carlos, H., Weiss, J., **Carter, B.**, Akre, E., Diaz, A., Loehrer, A. Neighborhood Trajectories from Historic Redlining to the Area Deprivation Index (*Revise & Resubmit at Journal of Urban Health*) [[Link](#)]
- **Carter, B.**, Del Ponte, A., and DeScioli, P. Do voters understand who benefits from taxes? (*Under Review*)

- MacMartin, M., Zhang, E., **Carter, B.**, Nano, J., Yen, R., Waspp, G., Elwyn, G., Kirkland, K., Saunders, C. Does palliative care improve considerATE scores among cancer patients and their care partners? (*Under Review*)
- **Carter, B.**, Kaur-Gill, S., Murphy, M., O'Malley, J., Barnato, A. Disparities in care among patients with serious illnesses: Examining the effects of race and concordance on Advance Care Planning (*Manuscript in Prep*)
- **Carter, B.** and DeScioli, P. Fairness and Redistribution: Do people's perceptions of merit and luck depend on their success? (*Manuscript in Prep*)
- **Carter, B.**, Denny, J., Loehrer, A. Examining the Differential Effects of New Hampshire's 2014 Medicaid Expansion on Stage Diagnosis of Lung Cancer for Rural and Urban Patients (*Manuscript in Prep*)

AWARDS &  
FELLOWSHIPS

- **Health Policy Research Scholars Fellowship** (\$120,000)  
*The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation* Fall 2018 – Summer 2022
- **Small Grants Program** (\$9,600)  
*International Foundation for Research in Experimental Economics* Spring 2021  
With Peter DeScioli
- **Professional Development Award** (\$516)  
*Graduate Student Employee Union, Stony Brook University* Spring 2018
- **Undergraduate Researcher of the Month**  
*Stony Brook University* August 2016
- **Undergraduate Research Summer Fellowship** (\$4,000)  
*Stony Brook University* Summer 2016  
With Peter DeScioli

TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

**Dartmouth College**

Public Opinion on Health and Social Spending (PH145)  
Spring 2024 - Residential MPH Program  
*Instructor of Record*

Survey Methods for Public Health and Healthcare (PH214)  
Winter 2024 - Residential MPH Program  
*Teaching Assistant* to Christine Gunn, PhD

**Stony Brook University**

Introduction to Comparative Politics  
*Teaching Assistant* to Alessandro Del Ponte, PhD

CONFERENCE  
PRESENTATIONS  
& INVITED TALKS

**2023**

- Social Sciences Division of the Harvard Extension School at Harvard University.  
Invited Talk: "The need for hierarchy and order: A source of opposition to redistributive taxes."
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL

**2022**

- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL

## 2021

- Nudge.It North Behavioral Science Conference, Virtual
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Virtual

## 2019

- NYU CESS Experimental Political Science Conference, New York, NY
- HPRS Federal Opioid Policy Panel, George Washington University, Washington DC
- Center for Behavioral Political Economy Meeting, Stony Brook University, NY
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL

## EXPERIENCE

- Healthy Democracy Research Counsel - Researcher** March 2023 – Present  
Vot-ER ( [vot-er.org](http://vot-er.org))
- Health Policy Research Scholar** Sept 2018 – July 2022  
The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation ( [Bio](#))
- Graduate Researcher** Sept 2017 – July 2022  
Center for Behavioral Political Economy  
Department of Political Science  
Stony Brook University
- Senator Representing the Dept. of Political Science** Sept 2018 – August 2019  
Graduate Student Organization  
Stony Brook University
- United States Senate Intern** Fall 2014  
New York Senator Kirsten Gillibrand  
Melville, New York  
Supervisors: Melanie Sinesi; Deborah Tinnirello

## SOFTWARE SKILLS

- **Web Programming:**  
JavaScript, HTML5, CSS, R-Shiny
- **Computational Modeling:**  
Python
- **Statistics & Analysis:**  
R, Stata, Tableau
- **Writing:**  
 $\LaTeX$ , R-Markdown, MS Office
- **Survey Design:**  
Qualtrics

## REFERENCES

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