

curriculum vitae of
Clay Davis

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EDUCATION

- Sept. 2019 – present **Ph.D.** in sociology (expected: June 2025) NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, EVANSTON, IL
Second-year paper (master's thesis) title: "Biomedical innovation 'outside of' IP law and regulation: lay expertise, 'knowledge commons,' and the open-source artificial pancreas"
Committee: Steven Epstein (*chair*), Laura Pedraza-Fariña
- Aug. 2014 – May 2018 **B.Sc.** in biology and society (*cum laude* with distinction in research) CORNELL UNIVERSITY, ITHACA, NY
Honors thesis title: "The biopolitics of PrEP: HIV clinical research and activism in the 21st century"
Committee: Michael Lynch (*chair*), Christopher Roebuck, Suman Seth

PUBLICATIONS

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- **Clay Davis.** (2020). *Homo adhaerens*: Risk and adherence in biomedical HIV prevention research. In *Social Studies of Science* (Impact factor: 4.038), 50, 6, 860-880.

ESSAYS

- **Clay Davis.** (2020). Beyond investment in research: What COVID-19 policymakers can learn from the HIV/AIDS epidemic. In *NULR Of Note* (online).

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

- Analyzing interview data for my second-year paper (master's thesis) on IP law, regulation, and open-source biomedical innovation.
Target journals: *Law & Society Review*, *Law & Social Inquiry*
- Co-authoring a quantitative paper with Christine Percheski on the effect of county-level health policy on access to HIV PrEP.
Target journal: *Social Science & Medicine - Population Health*

CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- Submitted*, May 2020 LAW AND SOCIETY ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING CHICAGO, IL
"Lay expertise in 'knowledge commons': how the open-source artificial pancreas community innovates 'outside of' IP law and regulation"
- Forthcoming*, March 2020 PROBLEM-SOLVING SOCIOLOGY WORKSHOP EVANSTON, IL
"Case study: the open-source artificial pancreas 'knowledge commons' as a model for filling gaps in biotechnology innovation"
- 4-7 Sept 2019 SOCIETY FOR SOCIAL STUDIES OF SCIENCE ANNUAL MEETING NEW ORLEANS, LA
"Participant subjectivity, adherence, and risk in biomedical HIV prevention research"

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

- Aug. 2020 Graduate Fellow in Legal Studies, Northwestern University, Center for Legal Studies —
- May 2020 MacArthur Summer Research Grant, Northwestern University, Department of Sociology \$1,000
- May 2020 Second-year Paper Alumni Fund Grant, Northwestern University, Department of Sociology \$400
- Sept. 2019 Mellon Cluster Fellowship, Northwestern University, Science in Human Culture Cluster \$2,500

July 2017 Emily Murray Student Fellowship Award, The Hastings Center \$375

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

May 2017 – Aug. 2017 STRONG HEARTS NEW YORK ITHACA, NEW YORK
Research assistant
 Analyzed data from a community health intervention study using Stata and ArcGIS.

Aug. 2016 – May 2017 LABORATORY OF BRAIN AND COGNITION ITHACA, NEW YORK
Research assistant
 Transcribed and coded over 200 participant interviews.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Sept. 2020 – present DOCTORAL COLLOQUIUM, SCIENCE IN HUMAN CULTURE PROGRAM NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
Coordinator
 Coordinated triweekly colloquia for doctoral students in the field of science and technology studies (STS) to workshop papers and receive professional support.

Sept. 2020 – present GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
Fellowships and grants volunteer
 Indexed successful grant, fellowship, and other award applications into a database to benefit sociology graduate students.

TEACHING

Winter quarter 2020 SEXUALITY, TECHNOSCIENCE, & THE LAW NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
Teaching assistant for instructor Renee Shelby

Fall quarter 2020 NUMBERS, IDENTITY & MODERNITY NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
Co-teacher with Wendy Espeland
 Nominated for Robert F. Winch Award for Outstanding Graduate Student Teaching

Aug. 2017 – May 2018 JOHN S. KNIGHT INSTITUTE FOR WRITING IN THE DISCIPLINES CORNELL UNIVERSITY
Writing tutor

RESEARCH SKILLS

Qualitative methods: Institutional analysis & development framework case study design, semi-structured interviews, ethnomethodology

Quantitative methods: R, Stata, L^AT_EX

REFERENCES

STEVEN EPSTEIN (*academic advisor*) NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
 John C. Shaffer Professor in the Humanities
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KEN ALDER NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY
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