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APPOINTMENTS

National University of Singapore, Singapore.

Assistant Professor of Political Science, August 2021 -

University of Konstanz, Baden-Württemberg, Germany.

Postdoctoral Research Fellow. The Politics of Inequality Project, June 2020 – present.

University of Notre Dame, Indiana, USA.

Research Affiliate. Center for the Study of Religion and Society, July 2020 – July 2021.

Postdoctoral Research Fellow. Center for the Study of Religion and Society, August 2018 – July 2020.

EDUCATION

University of Notre Dame, Indiana, USA.

Ph.D., Political Science, 2013-2018.

Dissertation: Essays on Social Relationships and the Making of Religious Tolerance.

M.S., Applied and Computational Mathematics and Statistics, 2013-2016.

M.A., Political Science, 2013-2015.

Loyola University Chicago, Illinois, USA.

M.A., Applied Social Psychology, 2011-2013 (Fulbright scholarship).

Bina Nusantara University, Jakarta, Indonesia.

S.Kom (B.S. in Computer Science), 2004-2009.

S.Si (B.S. in Applied Statistics), 2004-2009.

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Articles

(12) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G. Forthcoming. "Religious and Ethnic Sentiments in Indonesian Politics: The Case of the 2017 Jakarta Gubernatorial Election." *Journal of East Asian Studies*.

(11) Layman, Geoffrey, David E. Campbell, John C. Green, and Nathanael G. Sumaktoyo. Forthcoming. "Active Secularism and

the Politics of Irreligion in the United States." *Public Opinion Quarterly*.

- (10) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G. Forthcoming. "Faith and Friendship: Religious Bonding and Interfaith Relations in Muslim Countries." *Politics and Religion*. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1755048320000589>.
- (9) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G. Forthcoming. "Friends from Across the Aisle: The Effects of Partisan Bonding, Partisan Bridging, and Network Disagreement on Outparty Attitudes and Political Engagement." *Political Behavior*. <http://doi.org/10.1007/s11109-019-09552-x>.
- (8) Kilavuz, M. Tahir and Nathanael G. Sumaktoyo. 2020. "Hopes and Disappointments: Regime Change and Support for Democracy after the Arab Uprisings." *Democratization* 27(5): 854-873.
- (7) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G. 2020. "A Price for Democracy? Religious Legislation and Religious Discrimination in Post-Soeharto Indonesia." *Bulletin of Indonesian Economic Studies* 56(1): 23-42.
- (6) Campbell, David E., Geoffrey Layman, John C. Green, and Nathanael G. Sumaktoyo. 2018. "Putting Politics First: The Impact of Politics on American Religious and Secular Orientations." *American Journal of Political Science* 62(3): 551-565.
- (5) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G., David Nickerson, and Michael J. Keane. 2016. "Discussion Group Composition and Deliberation Experience." *Journal of Experimental Political Science* 3: 164-173.
- (4) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G., Victor Ottati, and Vinaya Untoro. 2016. "The Paradoxical Religiosity Effect: Religion and Politics in Indonesia and the United States." *Politics and Religion* 9(3): 481-507.
- (3) Ottati, Victor, Erika Price, Chase Wilson, and Nathanael Sumaktoyo. 2015. "When Self-Perceptions of Expertise Increase Close-Minded Cognition: The Earned Dogmatism Effect." *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology* 61: 131-138.
- (2) Muluk, Hamdi, Nathanael G. Sumaktoyo, and Dyah M. Ruth. 2013. "Jihad as Justification: National-survey Evidence of Belief in Violent Jihad as a Mediating Factor for Sacred Violence among Muslims in Indonesia." *Asian Journal of Social Psychology* 16:101-

111.

- (1) Muluk, Hamdi, and Nathanael G. Sumaktoyo. 2010. "Intratextual Fundamentalism and the Desire for Simple Cognitive Structure: The Moderating Effect of the Ability to Achieve Cognitive Structure." *Archive for the Psychology of Religion* 32:217-238.

Book

- (1) Ali-Fauzi, Ihsan, Samsu Rizal Panggabean, Nathanael G. Sumaktoyo, Anick Tohari, Husni Mubarak, Testriono, and Siti Nurhayati. 2012. *Kontroversi Gereja di Jakarta*. Center for Religious and Cross-Cultural Studies, Universitas Gadjah Mada. (English version: *Disputed Churches in Jakarta*, published by University of Melbourne's Asian Law Center)

Book Chapters

- (4) Ottati, Victor, Chase Wilson, Erika Price, and Nathanael Sumaktoyo. 2018. "Political Expertise and Open-Minded Cognition." In *The Feeling, Thinking Citizen: Essays in Honor of Milton Lodge*, eds. Howard Lavine and Charles S. Taber. New York: Routledge, 81-97.
- (3) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G. 2017. "Penelitian Empiris Mengenai Toleransi di Indonesia: Menuju Praktik Terbaik (Empirical Research on Tolerance in Indonesia: Toward Best Practices)." In *Kebebasan, Toleransi, dan Terorisme: Riset dan Kebijakan Agama di Indonesia (Freedom, Tolerance, and Terrorism: Research and Policies on Religion in Indonesia)*, eds. Ihsan Ali Fauzi, Zainal Abidin Bagir, and Irsyad Rafsadi. Jakarta: Center for the Study of Religion and Democracy, Paramadina Foundation, 159-192.
- (2) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G. 2015. "Pertemanan dan Keterbukaan Beragama: Pengalaman Amerika Serikat (Friendship and Religious Openness: The United States' Experience)." In *Agama, Keterbukaan, dan Demokrasi: Harapan dan Tantangan (Religion, Openness, and Democracy: Hopes and Challenges)*, eds. Ayu Melissa and Husni Mubarak. Jakarta: Center for the Study of Religion and Democracy, Paramadina University, 21-32.
- (1) Sumaktoyo, Nathanael G., and Yuyun Rindiastuti. 2011. "Religious Fundamentalisms and Student Life: A View from Indonesia." In *Key Learnings from Feminists on the Frontline*, eds. S. Gokal, R. Barbero, and C. Balchin. Toronto: Association of Women's Rights in Development, 79-81.

**WORK UNDER
REVIEW**

Journal Articles

- (1) Klocek, Jason, Hyun Jeong Ha, and Nathanael G. Sumaktoyo. "Regime Change and Religious Discrimination after the Arab Uprisings." (equal coauthorship).

**MANUSCRIPT IN
PREPARATION**

Book Manuscript

"Faith and Friendship: How Social Networks Shape Muslim Political Behavior around the World"

The manuscript highlights how social networks shape Muslims' interfaith attitudes, group identification, issue attitudes, and political preferences around the world. As such, it complements the literature on Muslim political behavior that has emphasized the importance of theological, historical, economic, and institutional factors. The manuscript analyzes various secondary and original survey data, such as a survey of more than 17,000 Muslims in 17 Muslim countries, surveys of Muslims in the United States, and an original survey in Indonesia.

Journal Articles

- (4) "Taking the Bait: Citizen Responses to Democracy Rhetoric in the Middle East and North Africa." (with Michael Hoffman and M. Tahir Kilavuz).
- (3) "Intergroup Consequences of Foreign Policy Attitudes: The Case of Chinese Indonesians" (with Burhanuddin Muhtadi)
- (2) "Between Ideology and Grievances: How Voters Evaluate a Corrupt Islamist Politician" (with Burhanuddin Muhtadi)
- (1) "Disentangling the Reciprocal Effects of State and Societal Discrimination of Religious Minorities."

**TEACHING
EXPERIENCE**

January - May 2020. Introduction to Causal Inference. Undergraduate Class. Department of Sociology. University of Notre Dame.

August - December 2018. Data and Politics. Undergraduate class. Department of Political Science, University of Notre Dame.

February - July 2018. Political Behavior. Undergraduate class. Department of Political Science, Islamic State University of Jakarta (UIN Jakarta).

February – July 2018. Quantitative Methodology. Undergraduate class. Department of Political Science, Islamic State University of Jakarta (UIN Jakarta).

August – December 2017. Religion and Politics in the U.S. and around the World with Prof. Geoffrey Layman (team-teaching). Graduate class. Department of Political Science, University of Notre Dame.

**AWARDS,
GRANTS, &
FELLOWSHIPS**

External Awards or Fellowships

October 2020 – September 2021. Small Research Grants. “Causes, Consequences, and Correlates of Active Secularism in Muslim Societies.” The Religion and Politics Section of the American Political Science Association. USD 2,600.

October 2020 – September 2021. Survey Research Grant. “Indonesian Muslims Political Behavior.” S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS). Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. SGD 50,000.

June 2020 – present. MADANI and USAID Indonesia (collaboration with team from PUSAD Paramadina, Jakarta). Scoping Study on the Rise of Intolerance and Access to Basic Public Services in Indonesia. IDR 500,000,000.

June - July 2019. The Indonesia Project Fellowship. The Australian National University (ANU).

February – July 2018. SMRC Fellow. Saiful Mujani Research and Consulting, Jakarta, IDR 90,000,000.

August 2017. Political Psychology Pre-Conference. American Political Science Association Political Psychology Section, USD 200.

May 2017. PhD Scholarship. The Institute for Humane Studies, USD 1,500.

May – August 2016. Dissertation Research Fellowship. The Religious Freedom Project, Georgetown University, USD 5,000.

January 2015. Prestage-Cook Travel Award. Southern Political Science Association, USD 300 (offer declined).

May – July 2014. Warren E. Miller Fellowship. Inter-University

Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), USD 5,000.

May 2014. Political Networks Fellowship. The Political Networks section of the American Political Science Association, USD 1,100.

August 2011 – May 2013. Fulbright Master’s Degree Scholarship. The U.S. Department of State, USD 30,500 per annum.

Internal Awards or Fellowships

June 2020. Kellogg Research Grant (collaboration with Michael Hoffman and M. Tahir Kilavuz). “Tradeoffs Between Religion and Democracy.” Kellogg Institute for International Studies. University of Notre Dame, USD 9,700.

January 2018. Excellence in Teaching Award. Department of Political Science, University of Notre Dame. USD 200.

May 2017. Arts and Letters Summer Research Grants. University of Notre Dame, USD 750.

May – August 2017. American Dream Summer Grants. “One Nation under God: Superordinate Identity and Tolerance toward Muslims.” Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts (ISLA). University of Notre Dame, USD 4,000.

May 2016 – July 2017. Graduate Research Grant. “Religious Tolerance and the Reciprocity Norm: Evidence from Indonesia.” Kellogg Institute for International Studies. University of Notre Dame, USD 7,000.

January 2016. Notebaert Professional Development Award. University of Notre Dame, USD 1,700.

October 2015 – July 2016. Graduate Student Research Award. “Network Diversity and Religious Tolerance in the Muslim World”. Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts (ISLA). University of Notre Dame, USD 3,000.

August 2013 – May 2018. Notebaert Premier Fellowship. University of Notre Dame, USD 30,000 annual stipend.

August 2013 – May 2018. Andrew E. Mellon Fellowship in Religion. University of Notre Dame.

October 2012. Graduate Student Research Scholarship. Department

of Psychology, Loyola University Chicago, USD 500.

INVITED TALKS

October 2019. "Double Minority Candidates and Muslim Voting Behavior: Evidence from Indonesia." Center for Southeast Asian Studies, Northern Illinois University.

August 2019. "Faith and Friendship: Religiously Homogeneous Friendships and Interfaith Relations in Muslim Countries." The SMERU Research Institute, Jakarta.

February 2019. "Minority Candidate and Muslim Voting Behavior: Evidence from Indonesia." Center for Southeast Asian Studies, the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

July 2018. "Data and Problem Solving." Bukalapak (an Indonesian e-commerce start-up valued at over USD 1 billion), Jakarta, Indonesia.

April 2018. "When Politics Shapes Religion: Religion and Politics in the U.S. and Its Lessons for Indonesia." American Studies Center, Universitas Indonesia, Jakarta, Indonesia.

March 2018. "Building a Positive Narration on Indonesia." Indonesian Institute of Science. Jakarta, Indonesia

February 2018. "Introduction to the Experimental Methods." Atma Jaya Catholic University, Jakarta, Indonesia.

December 2016. "What Went Wrong with U.S. Presidential Election Surveys and Lessons for Jakarta." Center for Strategic and International Studies, Jakarta.

October 2016. "The Race to the White House: The Outlook Three Weeks Out." Open forum co-hosted at @America by the USINDO Jakarta, the U.S. embassy, and the Habibie Center.

August 2016. "Faith and Friendship: Religious Bridging and Religious Tolerance in the Muslim world." Workshop hosted by the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), Singapore.

June 2015. "Islamic Conservatism and Support for Religious Freedom across the World." Hosted by The Center for the Study of Religion and Democracy (Pusat Studi Agama dan Demokrasi), Jakarta, Indonesia. www.paramadina-pusad.or.id.

**CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS**

Association for Analytical Learning about Islam and Muslim Societies (AALIMS): 2018.
American Political Science Association (APSA): 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019.
Asian Association of Social Psychology (AASP): 2009, 2011.
EuroSEAS: 2019.
International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP): 2012.
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA): 2014, 2015, 2016.
Society for the Scientific Study of Religion (SSSR): 2012.
Southeast Asia Research Group (SEAREG): 2019, 2020.
Southern Political Science Association (SPSA): 2016.

**PROFESSIONAL
SERVICE**

Reviewer (alphabetical)
American Politics Research; Government and Opposition; Indonesian Academy of Science Press (LIPI Press); Journal of North African Studies; Journal of Politics; Political Behavior; Political Psychology; Politics and Religion; Politics, Groups, and Identities; Social Forces; Southeast Asian Studies.

INTEREST

Research Interest

Substantive: political psychology; religion and politics; voting behavior; political campaign; Islam and democracy; social and political tolerance; social networks; social capital;
Methodology: causal inference; bootstrap; Bayesian item-response models.

Teaching Interest

Substantive: comparative political behavior; political psychology; religion and politics; Islam and democracy; campaign and election; Southeast Asian politics
Methodology: linear models; experiments and causal inference; survey methods; computational statistics, particularly bootstrap and Monte Carlo methods.

**OTHER
EXPERIENCE**

Research and Work

May 2020 – Present. Consultant for the Centre for Strategic and International Studies, Jakarta in a survey project on trust toward the national armed forces.

August 2019 – October 2020. Statistics and methodology consultant for Remotivi (an Indonesian NGO concerned with media monitoring)

in a project on measuring inclusivity in the Indonesian news media.

May – August 2012. Political Data Analyst intern, Obama for America's Headquarters, Chicago, IL, USA.

August 2010 – August 2011. Statistics and methodology consultant for the Indonesian Forum for Budget Transparency's and The Asia Foundation's project on government transparency, Jakarta, Indonesia.

Media Contribution

Hidup, Kompas, The Jakarta Post, Satu Harapan, Tirto.