

Curriculum Vitae
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POSITIONS

- 2023- Associate Professor of Sociology and Public Affairs, Princeton University
- 2016-23 Assistant Professor of Sociology and Public Affairs, Princeton University
Ralph O. Glendinning University Preceptor (2019-2022)
- 2014-16 Post-doctoral Fellow, Robert Wood Johnson Scholars in Health Policy Research Program, Harvard University

EDUCATION

- 2014 PhD University of California Berkeley, Sociology
- 2010 M.A. University of California Berkeley, Sociology
- 2006 B.A. Reed College, Sociology

ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS

Goldstein, Adam, Charlie Eaton, Amber Villalobos, Parijat Chakrabarti, Jeremy Cohen, and Katie Donnelly. Forthcoming. 2023. “Administrative Burden in Federal Student Loan Repayment and Socially Stratified Access to Income-Driven Repayment Plans” *RSF: The Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences* 9(4): 86-111. <https://doi.org/10.7758/RSF.2023.9.4.04>

Goldstein, Adam and Carly Knight. 2023. “Boom, Bust, Repeat: Market Repertoires and Cycles of Speculation.” *American Journal of Sociology* 128(5): 1430-1471. <https://doi.org/10.1086/723953>

Schneiberg, Marc, **Adam Goldstein** and Matt Kraatz. 2023. “Embracing Market Liberalism? Community Embeddedness, Associationalism and Mutual Conversions to Stock Company Form.” *American Sociological Review* 88(1):53-85. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00031224221138079>

- Goldstein, Adam** and James F. Wharam. 2022. "Choose the Plan That's Right for You: Devolved Choice as Class-Biased Institutional Change in Employer-Sponsored Health Insurance." *Sociological Science* 9. <https://doi.org/10.15195/v9.a10>
- Goldstein, Adam** and Tod Hamilton. 2022. "Dog Whistles and Work Hours: The Political Activation of Labor Market Discrimination" *Sociological Science* 9. <https://doi.org/10.15195/v9.a3>
- Fligstein, Neil and **Adam Goldstein**. 2022. "The Legacy of Shareholder Value Capitalism." *Annual Review of Sociology* 48. <https://doi.org/10.1146/annurev-soc-030420-120827>
- Goldstein, Adam** and Charlie Eaton. 2021. "Asymmetry by Design: Identity Obfuscation, Reputational Pressure, and Consumer Predation in U.S. For-Profit Higher Education." *American Sociological Review* 86(5). <https://doi.org/10.1177/00031224211043223>
- American Sociological Association Mark Granovetter Award for Best Article in Economic Sociology (honorable mention)
- Liu, Larry and **Adam Goldstein**. 2021. "Labor Shareholders and Worker Power: Do Pension Funds Benefit Labor Interests?" *Social Forces*. <https://doi.org/10.1093/sf/soab025>
- Vertesi, Janet A., **Adam Goldstein**, Diana Enriquez, Larry Liu, and Katherine T. Miller. 2021. "Pre-Automation: Insourcing and Automating the Gig Economy." *Sociologica* 14(3): 167-93. <https://doi.org/10.6092/issn.1971-8853/11657>.
- Goldstein, Adam** and Ziyao Tian. 2020. "Financialization and Income Generation in the 21st Century: Rise of the Petit Rentier Class?" *Socio-Economic Review*. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ser/mwaa038>
- Shortlisted for 2023 SER Best Article Award
- Enriquez, Diana and **Adam Goldstein**. 2020. "COVID-19's Socioeconomic Impact on Low-Income Benefit Recipients: Early Evidence from Tracking Surveys. *Socius*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/2378023120970794>
- Goldstein, Adam** and Orestes Hastings. 2019 "Buying In: Positional Competition, Schools, and Housing Consumption." *Sociological Science* 6:416-45. <https://doi.org/10.15195/v6.a16>
- Goldstein, Adam**. 2018. The Social Ecology of Speculation: Community Organization and Non-occupancy Investment in the US Housing Bubble. *American Sociological Review* 83(6): 1108-1143. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0003122418808212>
- Beck, Brenden and **Adam Goldstein**. 2018. Governing Through Police? Housing Market Reliance, Welfare Retrenchment, and Police Budgeting in an Era of Declining Crime, *Social Forces* 96(3):1183-1210. <https://doi.org/10.1093/sf/sox076>

- Joan Petersilia Outstanding Article Award for Best Article Published in the Field of Criminology

Goldstein, Adam. 2017. The Banker's Payday: A Review Essay on Oliver Godechot, "Wages, Bonuses and Appropriation in the Financial Industry." *European Journal of Sociology* 58(3). <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0003975617000340>

Goldstein, Adam and Neil Fligstein. 2017. Financial Markets as Production Markets: The Industrial Roots of the Mortgage Meltdown. *Socio-Economic Review* 15(3):483-510. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ser/mww041>

Fligstein, Neil, Orestes P. Hastings, and **Adam Goldstein.** 2017. Keeping up with the Joneses: How Households Fared in the Era of High Income Inequality and the Housing Price Bubble, 1999–2007. *Socius* 3 <https://doi.org/10.1177/2378023117722330>

Eaton, Charlie, Jacob Habinek, **Adam Goldstein,** Cyrus Dioun, Daniela García Santibáñez Godoy, and Robert Osley-Thomas. 2016. The Financialization of Higher Education in the United States, 2001-2012. *Socio-Economic Review* 14(3):507-545. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ser/mwv030>

Fligstein, Neil and **Adam Goldstein.** 2015. "The Emergence of a Finance Culture in American Households: Some Preliminary Evidence." *Socio-Economic Review* 13(3): 575-601. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ser/mwu035>

Goldstein, Adam and Heather Haveman. 2013. "Pulpit and Press: Denominational Dynamics and the Growth of Religious Magazines in Antebellum America." *American Sociological Review* 78: 797-827. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0003122413500274>

Goldstein, Adam. 2012. "Revenge of the Managers: Labor Cost-Cutting and the Paradoxical Resurgence of Managerialism in the Shareholder Value Era, 1984-2001." *American Sociological Review* 77: 268-94. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0003122412440093>

Fligstein, Neil and **Adam Goldstein.** 2012. "A Long Strange Trip: The State and Mortgage Securitization," in *The Oxford Handbook of the Sociology of Finance*. K. Knorr Cetina and A. Preda (eds.). Oxford. <https://doi.org/10.1093/oxfordhb/9780199590162.013.0018>

Fligstein, Neil and **Adam Goldstein.** 2011. "Catalyst of Disaster: Subprime Mortgage Securitization and the Roots of the Great Recession," in *The Great Recession*. D. Grusky, B. Western, and C. Wimer (eds.). Russell Sage Foundation.

Fligstein, Neil and **Adam Goldstein.** 2010. "The Anatomy of the Mortgage Securitization Crisis." in *Research in the Sociology of Organizations*. M. Lounsbury and P. Hirsch (eds.) Emerald.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW & WORKING PAPERS

Waight, Hannah and **Adam Goldstein**. “The Polarization of Inequality Perceptions in the New Gilded Age, 1966-2009.” [Revise and Resubmit at *American Journal of Sociology*.]

Nix, Paul, **Adam Goldstein**, and Michael Oppenheimer. "Governance Models of Subnational U.S. Quasi-Governmental Organizations: Implications for Climate Adaptation and Mitigation" [Revise and Resubmit at *Climatic Change*]

Goldstein, Adam and Max Fineman. “Bad Timing: Asset Bubbles as Mechanisms of Predatory Inclusion.” [Under Review].

Goldstein, Adam and Joe Sageman. “The Zillow Effect? Public School Ratings, Residential Place Discrimination, and the Limits of Algorithmic Reactivity.” [Under Review].

Goldstein, Adam and A. Jason Windawi. “Patient Capital? Passive Funds and the Social Consequences of Shareholder Value Management in U.S. Firms, 2009-2019. Working Paper.

Goldstein, Adam and Matthias Thiemann. “The Politics and Pragmatics of Popular Finance a Decade after the 2008 Crisis: Taking Stock of Attitudinal and Behavioral Changes in Comparative Perspective” Unpublished Working Paper.

POLICY REPORTS

Student Debt Cancellation IS Progressive: Correcting Empirical and Conceptual Errors. Roosevelt Institute Policy Brief. June, 8, 2021. Charlie Eaton, Adam Goldstein, Laura Hamilton, and Frederick Wherry.

GRANTS, AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS

2023 Arnold Ventures Foundation Research Grant. “Employment and Earnings Outcomes of Online Colleges and Graduate Debt Accountability” (Co-PI with Charlie Eaton, Laura Hamilton, and Fred Wherry, awarded for 2023-2025 term)

2023 Shortlisted for 2023 SER Best Article Award for “Financialization and Income Generation in the 21st Century: Rise of the Petit Rentier Class?”

2022 Honorable Mention for American Sociological Association Mark Granovetter Award for Best Article in Economic Sociology (for “Asymmetry by Design”)

2021 Arnold Ventures Foundation Research Grant. “Online Predation, Racial Equity, and Student Debt” (Co-PI with Charlie Eaton, Laura Hamilton, and Fred Wherry, awarded for 2021-2023 term)

2021 Spencer Foundation Research Grant. “Public School Ratings And Residential Place Discrimination” (PI, awarded for 2021-2022 term)

- 2020 Overdeck Fund Research Grant. “The Zillow Effect: Public School Ratings And Residential Place Discrimination” (PI, internal)
- 2020 Joan Petersilia Outstanding Article Award for Best Article Published in the Field of Criminology. “Governing Through Police? Housing Market Reliance, Welfare Retrenchment, and Police Budgeting in an Era of Declining Crime”
- 2020 Student Loan Law Initiative Data Facilitation Research Grant. “Student Debt as a System of Social Stratification” (Co-PI with Charlie Eaton)
- 2019 Sloan Foundation Research Grant. “Outsourcing and Automation: Staging for Takeover?” (Co-PI with Janet Vertesi)
- 2019 Princeton University Ralph O. Glendinning University Preceptorship Award
- 2019 Princeton University Center for Human Values Research Grant. “The Impact of Donald Trump’s Election on the Educational Outcomes of K-12 Students” (with Tod Hamilton)
- 2018 Princeton Sociology Department Undergraduate Mentoring Award
- 2018 Overdeck Fund Research Grant. “Asymmetry by Design: Identity Obfuscation and Consumer Predation in U.S. For-Profit Higher Education” (PI, internal)
- 2018 Princeton -- Sciences Po Partnership Research Grant (with Matthias Thiemann)
- 2016 Tobin Project Small Grant on Inequality and Decision-Making, “Buying In: Positional Competition, Schools, and Housing Consumption.” (P.I.).
- 2014 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Scholars in Health Policy Research Fellowship
- 2013 James Thompson Outstanding Graduate Paper Award from the ASA Organizations, Occupations and Work Section for “Revenge of the Managers”
- 2012 Institute for New Economic Thinking Research Grant: “The Emergence of a Finance Culture in American Households, 1983-2010” (with Neil Fligstein, P.I.)
- 2012 International Sociological Association RC02 / European Sociological Association Graduate Paper Award for “The Growth of Household Debt in the U.S. 1989-2007”
- 2012 Ronald S. Burt Outstanding Graduate Paper Award from the ASA Economic Sociology Section for “Revenge of the Managers”
- 2011 UC Berkeley Departmental Research Grant: “The Growth of U.S. Household Debt, 1989-2009”
- 2011 Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE) graduate paper award for “The

Social Ecology of Speculation”

- 2009 National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship (2009-2012)
- 2008 UC Berkeley Bellah Research Grant: “Business Structure and Community Engagement in the United States.”
- 2007 Austrian Fulbright Commission, English Teaching Fellowship
- 2006 *Phi Beta Kappa*, Reed College
- 2005 Corbett-Goldhammer Collaborative Research Fellowship, Reed College

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS, PANELS, LECTURES (SINCE 2016)

- Goldstein, Adam and Marie-Lou Laprise. “Divestment Without Decarbonization: Private Equity Firms, Opacity, and the Limits of Private Regulation” (with Marie-Lou Laprise). Presented at the 2023 Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Meetings. July 2023. Rio de Janeiro.
- Goldstein, Adam. “Risk Devolution as a Mechanism of Social Stratification”. Risk Reconsidered Workshop at Calleva Research Centre for Evolution and Human Sciences, Magdalen College, Oxford, June 6, 2023.
- Goldstein, Adam and Joe Sageman. “The Zillow Effect: Public School Ratings, Racial Discrimination, and the Limits of Algorithmic Reactivity.”
- Paper presented at the 2022 American Sociological Association Meetings. Economic Sociology Section Panel on Discrimination Processes in Economic Life. August 2022. Los Angeles.
 - Presented at MIT/Harvard Economic Sociology Seminar. April 2023.
- Goldstein, Adam. Invited panelist presentation on “The Visible Hand: The State, Finance, and Displacement.” 2022 American Sociological Association Meetings. August 2022. Los Angeles.
- Goldstein, Adam and Max Fineman. “Asset Bubbles as Mechanism of Predatory Inclusion”
- Presented at the 2022 Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Meetings, Mini-Conference on Economic Racism, Chauvinism, and Racial Capitalism. University of Amsterdam. The Netherlands. July 2022.
 - Presented at the *Review of Social Economy* Workshop on the Consequences of Financialization. Boston. April 2022.
- Goldstein, Adam. “Administrative Burden in Federal Student Loan Repayment and Socially Stratified Access to Income-Driven Repayment Plans.”
- Presented at Russell Sage Foundation Conference in Administrative Burdens as a Mechanism of Inequality in Policy Implementation. New York. February 2022.
 - Presented at the 2022 American Sociological Association Meetings. Section on

Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility session on Inequality and Education. August 2022. Los Angeles.

- Presented at 2023 Georgetown/RSF Policy Conference on Reducing Administrative Burdens in Federal Policymaking. July 2023. Washington, D.C.

Goldstein, Adam and Carly Knight. “How to Build a Bubble: Market Repertoires and Cycles of Speculation.” Paper presented at the 2020 American Sociological Association Meetings. August 2020 [virtual]

Goldstein, Adam and Charlie Eaton. “Asymmetry by Design: Identity Obfuscation, Reputational Pressure, and Consumer Predation in U.S. For-Profit Higher Education” Paper presented at the 2020 American Sociological Association Meetings. August 2020 [virtual]

Goldstein, Adam and Matthias Thiemann. “The Politics and Pragmatics of Popular Finance 10 Years after the Crisis: Taking Stock of Attitudinal and Behavioral Changes in Comparative Perspective” Paper Presented at the Princeton-University of Sao Paulo Workshop on Economic Circuits in Times of Crisis. October 2019. Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Waight, Hannah and Adam Goldstein. “Decline of the Sociological Imagination? Social Change and Perceptions of Economic Polarization in the United States, 1966-2009.” Paper presented at the 2019 American Sociological Association Meetings. August 2019. New York.

Goldstein, Adam and Ziyao Tian. “Financialization and Income Generation in the 21st Century: Rise of the Petit Rentier Class?” Paper presented at the 2019 Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Meetings. June 2019. New School Univ., New York.

Goldstein, Adam and Charlie Eaton. “Asymmetry by Design: Identity Obfuscation, Reputational Pressure, and Consumer Predation in U.S. For-Profit Higher Education” Paper presented at the 2019 Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Meetings. June 2019. New School Univ., New York.

Goldstein, Adam. “Individuation and Stratification” Max Plank – Sciences Po Center on Coping with Instability in Market Societies. Paris, France. January 2018.

Goldstein, Adam. “Dog Whistles and Work Hours: Did Trump’s Electoral Victory Heighten Racial Discrimination in the Labor Market?” Jensen Lecture Series, Duke University Dept. of Sociology. October 2017.

Goldstein, Adam. “Sociological Perspectives on Private Equity” Yale Law School, Center for Study of Private Law. November 2017.

Goldstein, Adam and Jason Windawi. “Bringing the Financiers Back In: Passive Investors and the Social Consequences of Shareholder Value Capitalism in the U.S., 2001-2015”

- Presented at the 2017 Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Meetings, July 2017. Lyon, France.
- Presented at the 2017 American Sociological Association Economic Sociology Section

Mini-Conference, August 2017. Montreal, Canada.

Goldstein, Adam, and Orestes Hastings. "Buying In: Positional Competition, Schools, and Housing Consumption." Presented at the Tobin Project Conference on Inequality and Decision-Making, August 2016. Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Goldstein, Adam. "Choose the Plan That's Right for You: Individuation, Risk, and Social Stratification in Employer-Sponsored Health Insurance." Presented at the 2016 Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Meetings, Mini-Conference on Organizational Approaches to Inequality. June 2016. Berkeley, California.

Goldstein, Adam and Carly Knight. "Who Speculates? Financialization and Household Participation in Asset Bubbles". Presented at 2016 Society for Advancement of Socio-Economics Meeting [Finance and Society network], June 2016. Berkeley, California.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE (DISCIPLINARY)

Ad Hoc Referee for *Princeton University Press*; *Oxford University Press*; *American Sociological Review*; *American Journal of Sociology*; *Socio-Economic Review*; *Social Forces*; *Sociological Forum*; *Theory & Society*; *Social Problems*; *International Journal of Comparative Sociology*; *Sociology Compass*

2019-2022 Elected Council Member. ASA Section on Economic Sociology

- Chair, Granovetter Article Award Selection Committee
- Nominations Committee

2019- Editorial Board Member of *Socio-Economic Review*

2015-2016 ASA Economic Sociology Section Conference Organizing Committee

2013-2014 Graduate Member, ASA Organizations, Occupations, and Work Section Council.

2012-2013 Elected Graduate Member, ASA Economic Sociology Section Council.

- Member, Burt Award Selection Committee
- Member, Committee to Explore an Economic Sociology Section Journal