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ACADEMIC POSITIONS **New York University Abu Dhabi**, Abu Dhabi, UAE 2010 - Present
Lecturer of Political Science

Duke University, Durham, NC, USA 2009 - 2010
Visiting Assistant Professor & Postdoctoral Fellow

EDUCATION **New York University**, New York, NY, USA 2010
Ph.D. Political Science

University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, USA 1999
B.A. Economics

REFEREED ARTICLES Jensen, Jeffrey and Adam Ramey. "Going Postal: State Capacity and Violent Dispute Resolution," *Journal of Comparative Economics*, In Press.

Chacon, Mario and Jeffrey Jensen. "Direct Democracy, Constitutional Reform, and Political Inequality in Post-Colonial America," *Studies in American Political Development*, First View.

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Jensen, Jeffrey and Sidak Yntiso. "Democratic Reversals and the Size of Government," *European Journal of Political Economy*, 2019, 58(3): 21-49.

Akoz, Kemal, Benjamin Barber, Jeffrey Jensen and Christina Zenker “Revisiting the Democracy-Private Investment Nexus: Does Inequality Matter?” *Journal of Comparative Economics*, 2018, 46(4): 1215-1233.

Adams, James, Eric Chiang and Jeffrey Jensen. “The Influence of Federal Laboratory R&D on Industrial Research,” *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 2003, 84(4): 1003-1020.

**RESEARCH
IN PROGRESS**

Jensen, Jeffrey, Daniel Karell, Cole Tanigawa-Lau, Nizar Habash, Mai Oudah, Dhia Fani. “Measuring Neighborhood-Level Religiosity Using Automated Name Classification,” *Under Review*

Chacon, Mario, Jeffrey Jensen and Sidak Yntiso. “Minority Representation and Democratization: Evidence from Black Politicians During Reconstruction”

Jensen, Jeffrey and Daniel Karell. “Migration, Religiosity and Political Development: Evidence from Indonesia”

Beramendi, Pablo, Jeffrey Jensen and Cole Tanigawa-Lau, “Elite-Driven or ‘Bottom-up’ Constitutional Reform? The Case of the 17th Amendment”

Jensen, Jeffrey, Giulliana Pardelli and Jeffrey Timmons. “State Capacity, Labor Coercion and Political Control: Evidence from Brazil and the US South”

**TEACHING &
SUPERVISION**

Courses:

- *Introduction to Political Thinking*. NYU Abu Dhabi. 2011-2020.
- *Global Economic, Political and Social Development since 1500*. NYU Abu Dhabi. F 2019.
- *Inequality* (Core Colloquia). NYU Abu Dhabi. S 2018, S 2020, F 2020.
- *Statistics for Social Scientists*. NYU Abu Dhabi. F 2011, F 2012, S 2014.
- *Quantitative Methods for Political Scientists*. Duke University. 2010.

Undergraduate Honors Thesis (‘Capstone’) Supervised: 15 students (2014-2020)

**PROFESSIONAL
ACTIVITIES**

JOURNAL REVIEWER: *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Journal of Politics*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Public Choice*, *European Journal of Political Economy*, *Economics & Politics*

FELLOWSHIPS

Postdoctoral Fellow, Program in Political Institutions and Public Choice (PIPC), Duke University, 2009-2010

McCracken Fellowship, Graduate School of Arts & Sciences, New York University, 2003-2009

**OTHER
EXPERIENCE**

Economic Research Analyst, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, 1999-2002