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CURRENT POSITION	<b>Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity</b> Postdoctoral Research Fellow
RESEARCH INTERESTS	International migration; social networks; social stratification; culture & cultural difference; community & urban sociology
EDUCATION	<b>Cornell University</b> Ph.D. in Sociology, August 2018 (Chair: Victor Nee)  <i>Area examinations:</i> Ethnicity & immigration, Social networks  <b>McGill University</b> B.A. (First Class Honors), Sociology, 2012  <b>University of Lyon</b> Licence (Mention Bien), Political Science, 2009
DISSERTATION	<b>Essays on Immigration, Religion, &amp; Assimilation in Western Europe</b>  Societal debates surrounding the presence of large Muslim populations have established religion as a principal axis of social differentiation in Western Europe. Are Muslim immigrants and their children progressively reaching social parity with natives? In my dissertation, I use existing survey data as well as ethnographic fieldwork to examine the key structural and cultural aspects of Muslim immigrants' incorporation - with a special focus on France. I document the emergence of a middle-class subgroup, yet I find religiosity to be resilient to the normative influence of the secular context of reception. I instead describe a circular dynamic of cultural retention from immigrants and discrimination from natives, which in turn prompts reactive religiosity from immigrants. The results of this research question the self-evident links between socioeconomic and cultural incorporation often assumed in immigration research.

PUBLICATIONS      **Drouhot, Lucas** and Victor Nee. Forthcoming. "Assimilation and the Second Generation in Europe and America: Blending and Segregating Social Dynamics Between Immigrants and Natives" *Annual Review of Sociology*

**Drouhot, Lucas.** 2017. "Reconsidering "community liberated": How class and the national context shape personal support networks" *Social Networks* 48: 57-77.

WORKING PAPERS      **Drouhot, Lucas.** "Cracks in the Melting Pot? Religiosity & Assimilation Among the Diverse Muslim Population in France"

- Aristide Zolbert Student Scholar Award for best paper in the study of international migration by a graduate student. American Sociological Association, June 2018.
- Sidney Tarrow Prize for best student paper on European politics. Institute for European Studies, Cornell University. March 2017.
- Robin M. Williams, Jr. Award for best student paper. Department of Sociology, Cornell University. May 2016.

**Drouhot, Lucas.** "Race, Religion and Belonging Among the New Immigrant Elite in France"

**Drouhot, Lucas.** "Who is Muslim in France? A Typology of Religious Cultures"

Nee, Victor and **Lucas Drouhot.** "Immigrant and Second Generation Entrepreneurs: Assimilation in the Knowledge Economy"

WORK IN PROGRESS      **Drouhot, Lucas,** Mario Molina and Filiz Garip. "Immigration, cultural diversity and relational integration in European secondary schools"

**Drouhot, Lucas** and Mauricio Bucca. "Assimilation or Racialization? Intergenerational Mobility among Natives and Immigrants in Europe"

**Drouhot, Lucas.** "The Urban Ecologies of Islam in France"

AWARDS,  
GRANTS  
AND  
FELLOWSHIPS      Aristide Zolbert Student Scholar Award for best paper in the study

of international migration by a graduate student for "Cracks in the Melting Pot?..." American Sociological Association, June 2018.

Finalist. Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Fellowship, Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation. February 2018

Sidney Tarrow Prize for best student paper in European politics for "Cracks in the Melting Pot? ...". Institute for European Studies, Cornell University. March 2017.

Robin M. Williams, Jr. Award for best student paper for "Cracks in the Melting Pot? ...". Department of Sociology, Cornell University. May 2016.

Research Travel Grant Award. Graduate School, Cornell University. October 2016.

Manon Sicca Grant. Institute for European Studies, Cornell University. May 2015.

Seed Grant. Center for the Study of Economy and Society, Cornell University. April 2014.

Sage Fellowship. Graduate School, Cornell University. September 2012, 2016.

Mathias Bielski Prize for best undergraduate paper in Canadian Ethnic Studies. McGill University. May 2011.

SELECTED  
PRESENTATIONS

Drouhot, Lucas, Mario Molina and Filiz Garip. "Immigration, cultural diversity and relational integration in European secondary schools"

- Berlin Institute for Integration and Migration Research, Humboldt University. Berlin, Germany. April 2019
- CILS4EU Users International Conference. Mannheim, Germany. February 2019

"Who is Muslim in France? A Typology of Religious Culture"

- European Consortium for Sociological Research. Paris, France. October 2018

- American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA, USA. August 2018
- Berkeley Interdisciplinary Migration Initiative Summer Institute. Berkeley, CA, USA. June 2018
- Population Association of America. Denver, CO, USA. April 2018

"Stigma & Belonging Among the Rising Immigrant Elite in France"

- American Sociological Association. Montreal, QC, Canada. August 2017.
- Council for European Studies. Philadelphia, PA, USA. April 2016.

"Cracks in the Melting Pot? Religiosity & Assimilation Among the Diverse Muslim Population in France"

- American Sociological Association. Montreal, QC, Canada. August 2017.
- IMISCOE/Princeton Ph.D. Summer school for immigration research. Princeton, NJ, USA. August 2016.
- Cornell Sociology Seminar Series. Ithaca, NY, USA. May 2016

RESEARCH  
EXPERIENCE

**Cornell University**

- Research assistant to Prof. Victor Nee 2016-2018
- Research assistant to Prof. Filiz Garip Spring 2017, Summer 2018

**McGill University**

- Research assistant to Prof. Zoua Vang Fall 2011

TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

**Cornell University**

- Introduction to Sociology* - Course instructor Summer 2016
- Controversies about Inequality* - Teaching assistant Fall 2015
- Economic Sociology* - Teaching assistant Spring 2015
- Introduction to Sociology* - Teaching assistant Fall 2014
- Race & Ethnicity in the U.S.* - Teaching assistant Fall 2013

PROFESSIONAL  
MEMBERSHIPS &  
AFFILIATIONS

- At Cornell: Research Fellow, Center for the Study of Economy & Society
- American Sociological Association sections: International Migration; Theory; Sociology of Population; Community and Urban Sociology; Inequality, Poverty and Mobility
- Population Association of America
- European Consortium for Social Research
- International Migration, Integration and Social Cohesion (IMISCOE) network
- Eastern Sociological Society
- New York Academy of Sciences

SERVICE

- Peer review: *American Sociological Review*, *American Journal of Sociology*, *International Migration Review*, *Urban Studies*, *Social Psychology Quarterly*
- Program Committee, Eastern Sociological Society, 2017-2018.
- Co-chair, Seminar Series, Sociology Graduate Student Association, Cornell University, 2013-2014.
- Mentoring Committee, Sociology Graduate Student Association, Cornell University. 2015-2016

RESEARCH  
SKILLS

- Software & programming: Stata, ArcGIS, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, MaxQDA
- Languages: French (native), Spanish (fair)

REFERENCES

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