

LUCAS G. DROUHOT

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CONTACT INFORMATION

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CURRENT POSITION

Utrecht University
Assistant Professor of Sociology, 2021-present.

PREVIOUS POSITION

Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity
Postdoctoral Research Fellow, 2018-2021.

EDUCATION

Cornell University
Ph.D. in Sociology, August 2018 (Chair: Victor Nee)

Area examinations: Ethnicity & immigration, Social networks

McGill University
B.A. (First Class Honors), Sociology, 2012

University of Lyon
Licence (Mention Bien), Political Science, 2009

RESEARCH INTERESTS

international migration; assimilation; religious & ethnic diversity; social demography; social stratification; social networks

STATEMENT OF SCIENTIFIC INTENT

My work primarily focuses on understanding the processes and mechanisms shaping integration/assimilation trajectories among immigrant-origin populations in Western societies. I am currently investigating three analytical dimensions of assimilation and their interrelation: socioeconomic attainment and intergenerational mobility (structural integration); intergroup ties and diversification in social networks (relational integration); cultural difference, belonging and the assignment of worth to minority others (symbolic/cultural integration). I have a secondary research agenda more broadly focused on inequality, ethnoracial diversity and intergroup relations. Empirically, I primarily rely on statistical modeling of observational data, and more rarely in-depth interviews, survey experiments and geographic information systems. I also have an active interest in machine learning applications for survey data, especially for analyses of population heterogeneity among both immigrant- and native-origin groups in migration societies.

Linda Zhao and **Lucas Drouhot**. Forthcoming. "The Grandchildren of Immigrants in Western Europe: Patterns of Assimilation among the Emerging Third Generation" *Demography*. [Preprint](#)

Drouhot, Lucas. 2023. "Fitting in at the Top? Stigma and the Negotiation of Belonging Among the New Immigrant Elite in France" *International Migration Review*. Online first. [PDF \(open access\)](#)

Drouhot, Lucas, Patrick Simon and Vincent Tiberj (alphabetical order). 2023. "Religious diversity in France: intergenerational dynamics and practices by origins" *INSEE Références* [bulletin from the French national statistics bureau]. [Main webpage](#) | [PDF \(in French\)](#) | [PDF \(in English\)](#)

Press coverage (selected): *Le Monde*, *Libération*, *Le Figaro*, *France Inter*, *Marianne*, *La Croix*, *Ouest France*, *20 Minutes*, *Saphir News*

Drouhot, Lucas, Karen Schönwälder, Sören Petermann, and Steven Vertovec. 2023. "Who supports refugees? Diversity assent and pro-refugee engagement in Germany" *Comparative Migration Studies* 11(4) 1-21. [PDF \(open access\)](#)

Drouhot, Lucas, Emanuel Deutschmann, Carolina Zuccotti and Emilio Zagheni. 2023. "Computational Approaches to Migration and Integration Research: Promises and Challenges" *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 49(2) 389-407. [PDF \(open access\)](#)

Czymara, Christian, Stephan Dochow, **Lucas Drouhot**, Müge Simsek and Christoph Spörlein (alphabetical order). 2023. "Catalyst of Hate? Ethnic insulting on YouTube in the Aftermath of Terror Attacks in France, Germany and the United Kingdom, 2014-2017" *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 49(2) 535-553. [PDF \(open access\)](#)

Drouhot, Lucas. 2021. "Cracks in the Melting Pot? Religiosity & Assimilation Among the Diverse Muslim Population in France" *American Journal of Sociology* 126(4) 795-851. [PDF](#) || [Preprint](#)

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

Drouhot, Lucas and Filiz Garip. 2021. "What's Behind a Racial Category? Uncovering Heterogeneity Among Asian Americans Through A Data-Driven Typology" *RSF: The Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences* 7(2): 22–45. [PDF \(open access\)](#)

Drouhot, Lucas, Sören Petermann, Karen Schönwälder and Steven Vertovec. 2021. "Has the Covid-19 pandemic undermined public support for a diverse society? Evidence from a natural experiment in Germany" *Ethnic & Racial Studies* 44(5): 877-892. [PDF \(open access\)](#)

Nee, Victor and **Lucas Drouhot**. 2020. "Immigration, Opportunity and Assimilation in a Technology Economy" *Theory & Society* 49(5): 965-990. [PDF](#) || [Preprint](#)

Drouhot, Lucas. 2020. "Income Segregation and the Incomplete Integration of Islam in the Paris Metropolitan Area" *Socius: Sociological Research for a Dynamic World* 6: 1-3. [PDF \(open access\)](#)

Drouhot, Lucas and Victor Nee. 2019. "Assimilation and the Second Generation in Europe and America: Blending and Segregating Social Dynamics Between Immigrants and Natives" *Annual Review of Sociology* 45: 177-199. [PDF](#) || [Preprint](#)

Drouhot, Lucas. 2017. "Reconsidering "community liberated": How class and the national context shape personal support networks" *Social Networks* 48: 57-77. [PDF](#) || [Preprint](#)

WORKING PAPERS

Drouhot, Lucas, Mario Molina and Filiz Garip. "Divided in diversity? Majority-minority ties and cultural difference in friendship networks among European adolescents"

Drouhot, Lucas, Mathieu Ferry, Mathieu Ichou, and Louise Caron. "Assimilation or third-generation disadvantage? Socioeconomic attainment among the grandchildren of immigrants in France"

Lucas Drouhot, Patrick Simon et Vincent Tiberj. "Religions in France: affiliations and heterogeneity of practices in a secular context"

Mauricio Bucca and **Lucas Drouhot** (alphabetical order). "Intergenerational Social Mobility Among the Second Generation in Western Europe: Between Socioeconomic Assimilation and Disadvantage"

Mathieu Ferry, Milan Bouchet-Vallat, **Lucas Drouhot**, Mathieu Ichou and Ognjen Obucina. "Converging destinies? Educational mobility and re-

production among immigrant and native families over three generations in France"

Flores, René, S. Michael Gaddis and **Lucas Drouhot**. "How does the intersection of class and gender shape racial stereotypes?"

IN PROGRESS
(SELECTED)

"Assimilation theories in the 21st century: appraising accomplishments and future challenges"

"Once in a blue moon: ethnoreligious boundaries to marriage between second-generation Muslims and natives in France" (with Mauricio Bucca)

"Anti-intolerance norms and ethnocultural hierarchies in Germany - evidence from a survey experiment" (with Amalia Álvarez-Benjumea)

OTHER
PUBLICATIONS

Suzanne Hoogeveen and 100+ authors including **Lucas Drouhot**. 2022. "A many-analysts approach to the relation between religiosity and well-being" *Religion, Brain & Behavior* 13(3): 237-283. [PDF \(open access\)](#)

Drouhot, Lucas, Sören Petermann, Karen Schönwälder and Steven Verbovec. 2021. "The "Diversity Assent" (DivA) Survey – Technical Report" Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, Göttingen. [PDF](#)

Drouhot, Lucas. 2021. Book review for *Migration and Inequality*, by Mirna Safi. *La Vie des Idées*. [Link](#)

Drouhot, Lucas. 2019. "MAPISLAM: A Spatial Dataset of Muslim Institutions in Urban France." Version 1.0. Cologne, Germany: GESIS Datenaarchiv. [Link to dataset](#)

Drouhot, Lucas. 2018. "Essays on immigration, religion & assimilation in western Europe" Ph.D. Dissertation, Department of Sociology, Cornell University.

MAJOR FUNDING
OBTAINED (TOTAL
TO DATE:
APPROXIMATELY
1.3M €)

"Islamic socialisation: Transmission and incorporation of religious knowledge in a minority context" (ISLAMSOC). Agence Nationale de la Recherche. Team member, PI: Margot Dazey. Amount: ca. 371k€

"New Assimilation Survey (NAS)" Center for the Study of Race, Politics, and Society at the University of Chicago and UC-Irvine. Team member, PI: René Flores and Edward Telles. Amount: ca. 100k\$

"A two-sided approach to the integration paradox" Faculty of Social and

Behavioural Sciences, Utrecht University. Co-PI with Meta van der Linden and Frank van Tubergen. Amount: ca. 253k€.

"The transmission of social disadvantage in immigrant and native families across three generations in France" (3GEN). Agence Nationale de la Recherche (grant number [ANR-20-CE41-0001](#)). Team member, PI: Mathieu Ichou. Amount: ca. 330k€

"Diversity Assent in Urban Germany" (DivA). Large-scale survey internally funded by the Max Planck Society ([project website](#)). Co-PI with Karen Schönwälder & Steven Vertovec. Amount: ca. 287k€

FELLOWSHIPS

Postdoctoral Research Fellowship (4 years). Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, October 2018

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

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

Full Ph.D. scholarship (6 years). Graduate School, Cornell University. 2012-2018

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

- Causes and Consequences of Segregation workshop, University of Mannheim, Mannheim, Germany. June 2023 (invited)
- Colloquium at the Instituto de Sociología, UC Chile, Santiago, Chile. May 2023 (invited)
- Immigration Workshop at University of Chicago. Chicago, USA. April 2023 (invited)
- Donald J. Bogue Demography Workshop at University of Chicago. Chicago, USA. April 2023 (invited)
- Population Association of America Meeting. New Orleans, USA. April 2023
- CREST Sociology seminar at ENSAE. Paris, France. January 2023 (invited)
- Annual conference on Migration & Diversity at WZB. Berlin, Germany. September 2022 (invited)
- International Network of Analytical Sociology. Florence, Italy. May 2022
- Russell Sage Foundation. New York, USA. December 2019

- Migration, Integration, and Social Networks Symposium. Cologne, Germany. September 2019 (invited)
- European Consortium for Sociological Research. Lausanne, Switzerland. September 2019
- Berlin Institute for Integration and Migration Research, Humboldt University. Berlin, Germany. April 2019 (invited)
- CILS4EU Users International Conference. Mannheim, Germany. February 2019
- European Consortium for Sociological Research. Paris, France. October 2018

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

Utrecht University & University College Utrecht

Introduction to Sociology [UCU course] - Course coordinator Fall 2022, 2023

Social Networks in Theory and Empirical Research - Course instructor (coordinator: Eva Jaspers) Spring 2022, 2023

Social Research in the Digital Age - Course instructor (coordinator: Rense Corten) Fall 2021, 2022

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

Other teaching training

Basiskwalificatie Onderwijs (BKO) - certification for higher education teaching (Utrecht University, May 2023)

Start to Teach certification (Utrecht University, November 2021)

SUPERVISION
EXPERIENCE

Utrecht University

Sociology Ph.D supervision: Chloé Lavest (role: primary/daily supervisor)

Sociology master's degree: Contemporary Social Problems: (7 theses as primary supervisors)

Economics bachelor's degree: (9 theses as secondary supervisors)

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

DEPARTMENTAL
CITIZENSHIP &
SERVICE TO THE
DISCIPLINE

- Consulting Editor, *American Journal of Sociology* (two-year term, 2023-2025)
- Past journal refereeing (see [Web Of Science](#) profile): *Advances in Life Course Research*, *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *Cultural Diversity & Ethnic Minority Psychology*, *Demography*, *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, European Research Council, *European Sociological Review*, *ILR Review*, *International Migration Review*, *Journal of Ethnic & Migration Studies*, *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology: Personality Processes and Individual Differences*, *New Diversities*, *Quality & Quantity*, *Social Forces*, *Social Inclusion*, *Social Networks*, *Social Psychology Quarterly*, *Socio-Economic Review*, *Sociological Focus*, *Sociological Quarterly*, *Theory & Society*, *Urban Studies*.
- Representative for Department of Sociology, [Open Science Initiative](#) at Utrecht University.
- Designated postdoctoral representative for the Department of Socio-Cultural Diversity at Max Planck Institute (MPI-MMG) during triennial Advisory Board Meeting, December 2020.
- Hiring committee: Assistant professor search, Utrecht University (Sociology); postdoctoral appointments at Max Planck Institute (MPI-MMG), Institut National d'Etudes Démographiques (INED), Utrecht University (Sociology).
- Program Committee: Eastern Sociological Society (2018 meeting), European Consortium for Sociological Research (2022 meeting)

RESEARCH
SKILLS

- Software & programming: Stata, R, ArcGIS, L^AT_EX, MaxQDA
- Languages: French (native), Spanish (fair)

REFERENCES

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