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*Curriculum Vitae*

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## EDUCATION

- 2016      **PhD in Sociology**, New York University
- 2014      **MA in Sociology**, New York University
- 2013      **Visiting Scholar**, Centro de Estudos da Metropole, São Paulo (September to December)
- 2008- 2009      **PhD Student in History (Latin America)**, New York University
- 2005      **Bachelor of Arts**, First Class Honours, McGill University  
 Joint Honours in Intellectual History and Development Studies
- 2003      **International Diploma**, L'Institut d'études politiques de Paris (Sciences-Po)

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2017-present      Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
- 2017-present      Member, Graduate Group in Demography, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
- 2018-2019      Member, Institute for Advanced Study, School of Social Science, Princeton, NJ
- 2016-2017      Lecturer, Tenure-Track, Department of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

## BOOKS

Aronoff, Kate, Alyssa Battistoni, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Thea Riofrancos. 2019. *A Planet to Win: Why We Need a Green New Deal*. Forward by Naomi Klein. New York: Verso. (Note: all authors contributed equally, listed in alphabetical order.)

—Reviews in magazines, including *Foreign Policy*; *New York Review of Books*; *Los Angeles Review of Books*; *Sydney Review of Books*; *Science for the People*; *OneZero (Medium)*; *The Trouble*; *Briarpatch*.

- Reviews in the scholarly journals *Environmental Politics*; *Antipode*; *NACLA Report on the Americas*; *Radical Philosophy Review*; *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*.
- Forthcoming translation to Italian (Momo Edizioni).
- Excerpts in *The Nation*, *Jacobin*, *Piseagrama* (Brazil).
- Feature interviews in *Jewish Currents*, *European Green Journal*; *The Dig* (podcast); *New Books Network* (podcast); *Equal Time* (WDEV Vermont); *This Is Hell* (WNUR-FM Evanston, Illinois and podcast), *Mídia Ninja* (Brazil, independent video channel).

Translation:

Aronoff, Kate, Alyssa Battistoni, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Thea Riofrancos. 2020. *Um planeta a conquistar: a urgência de um Green New Deal*. Preface by Raquel Rolnik. Forward by Naomi Klein. Translation by Aline Scátola. São Paulo: Autonomia Literária.

In preparation:

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. *Street Fight: Climate Change and Inequality in the 21st Century City*. Under contract with Princeton University Press. Forthcoming 2022.

### JOURNAL ARTICLES (\*peer reviewed)

**\*Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2020. “New York City as ‘Fortress of Solitude’ After Hurricane Sandy: A Relational Sociology of Extreme Weather’s Impact on Climate Politics.” *Environmental Politics*. Online first. DOI: 10.1080/09644016.2020.1816380.

—Research featuring in *The Huffington Post*.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and Thea Riofrancos. 2020. Latin America’s Green New Deal. *NACLA Report on the Americas*. (52)2: 117-121. DOI: 10.1080/10714839.2020.1768726

**\*Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2020. Confronting the Urban Climate Emergency: Critical Urban Studies in the Age of a Green New Deal. *City: Analysis of Urban Change, Theory, Action*. (24)1-2, 52-64. DOI: 10.1080/13604813.2020.1739435.

**\*Rice, Jennifer, Daniel Aldana Cohen, Joshua Long, Jason Jurjevich**. 2020. Contradictions of the Climate-Friendly City: New Perspectives on Eco-Gentrification and Housing Justice. *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*. (44)1, 145-165. DOI: 10.1111/1468-2427.12740. Online first published in 2019.

—Article covered in *Fast Company*, *Fortune*, *Forbes*, *Science Times*, *Science Daily*, *Sierra Magazine*, and elsewhere.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2018. Water Crisis and Eco-Apartheid in São Paulo: Beyond Naive Optimism About Climate-Linked Disasters. *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*. “Spotlight on Parched Cities, Parched People” series. November.

Wachsmuth, David, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, and Hillary Angelo. 2016. Expand the Frontiers of Urban Sustainability. *Nature*. 536:7618, 391-393. DOI: 10.1038/536391a

**\*Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2016. The Rationed City: The politics of Water, Housing, and Land Use in Drought-Parched São Paulo. *Public Culture*. (28)2, 261-289. DOI: 10.1215/08992363-3427451

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and Max Liboiron. 2016. New York's Two Sandys. *Metropolitics*. 20 October 2014.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2013. A Most People's Climate Movement? *NACLA Report on the Americas*, 46:1, 50-54. DOI: 10.1080/10714839.2013.11722012

—Reprinted in Fred Rosen and Alejandro Reuss eds. 2013. *Real World Latin America*, 2nd ed. Boston, MA: Economic Affairs Bureau and Dollars and Sense.

Under Review:

\*Graetz, Nick, Kevin Ummel, and **Daniel Aldana Cohen**. Small-Area Analyses Using Public American Community Survey Data: A Tree-Based Spatial Microsimulation Technique.

—Revise and Resubmit: *Sociological Methodology*. Our revision is under review.

—Available as working paper: *Social Science Research Network* (see below)

In Preparation:

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Nick Graetz, Seth Prins, Kevil Ummel. A Place-Based Eco-Apartheid Framework for Understanding Shortened Lives of Black Americans.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Nicholas Pevzner, and Samantha Love. Gramsci Landscapes: Delimiting the Trenches of the United States' Clean Energy Transition.

**JOURNAL SPECIAL ISSUES**

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and Thea Riofrancos eds. 2020. A Green New Deal for the Americas. *NACLA Report on the Americas*. (52)2.

**BOOKS: EDITED AND CHAPTERS (\*peer-reviewed)**

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2019. Working-Class Environmentalism. In Klinenberg, Eric, Caitlin Zaloom, and Sharon Marcus eds. *Antidemocracy in America: Truth, Power, and the Republic at Risk*, New York: Columbia University Press, 217-224.

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2017. The Other Low-Carbon Protagonists: Poor People's Movements and Climate Politics in São Paulo. Pp 140-157. In Miriam Greenberg and Penny Luce eds. *The City is the Factory: New Solidarities and Spatial Strategies in an Urban Age*. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 140-157.

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2017. Urban Policy and Planning for Climate Change. In Alison Bain and Linda Peake eds. *Urbanization In A Global Context*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 155-169.

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2016. Petro-Gotham, People's Gotham. In Rebecca Solnit and Joshua Jelly-Shapiro eds. *Nonstop Metropolis: A New York City Atlas*. Berkeley: University of California Press, 47-54.

—Chapter cited in *Village Voice* and *The Intercept*, excerpted on *The Leap* blog

—Feature interview on *Forecast: A Podcast about Climate Science and Climate Scientists*, hosted by Michael White, *Nature's* climate science editor

—Book: Winner of 2017 Brendan Gill Prize

Cullis-Suzuki, Severn, Kris Frederickson, Ahmed Kayssi, Cynthia McKenzie, and **Daniel Aldana Cohen** eds. 2007. *Notes from Canada's Young Activists: A Generation Stands Up for Change*. Vancouver: Douglas & McIntyre.

—Book: Winner, 2009 Gold Medal for Activism/Charity from Annual Living Now Book Awards

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and David Wachsmuth. 2007. Put Your Money Where Your Carbon Is: The Green Property Tax. *GreenTOpia: Reimagining Green in Toronto*: 54-55. Toronto: Coach House Press.

Under preparation:

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. In Press. Climate Justice and the Right to the City. In Birch, Eugenie L., William Burke-White, and Mark Alan Hughes eds. *Cities for All: Issues in Sustainable Urban Development*, Philadelphia: Penn Press.

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. Under review. A Green New Deal for Housing. In Craig Calhoun and Benjamin Fong eds. *The Green New Deal and the Future of Work in America*.

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and David Bond. Toward a Theory of Climate Praxis: Confronting Climate Change in a World of Struggle. Under review. In Fassin, Didier and Axel Honneth eds. *Crisis and Critique*. Columbia University Press.

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. Under review. Urban Policy and Planning for Climate Change. (Revised.) In Alison Bain and Linda Peake eds. *Urbanization In A Global Context*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. 2nd edition.

#### REPORTS, WHITE PAPERS AND WORKING PAPERS (\*outside review)

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and Mark Paul. 2020. The Case for Social Housing. *The Justice Collaborative, Data for Progress*. November.

—Research profiled in *Bloomberg CityLab*

Rodriguez, Akira Drake, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Billy Flemming, and Xan Lillehei. 2020. Memo: Critical Components of a School District Covid Education Plan. Prepared for the Office of Jamaal Bowman. August.

Graetz, Nick, Kevin Ummel, and **Daniel Aldana Cohen**. 2020. Small-Area Analyses Using Public American Community Survey Data: A Tree-Based Spatial Microsimulation Technique. *Social Science Research Network*. Uploaded April 13.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Thea Riofrancos, Billy Fleming, Jason Ganz. 2020. Memo: Green Industrial Policy for Domestic and Global Climate Justice is Popular. Data for Progress. March 13. <<https://www.dataforprogress.org/memos/green-industrial-policy>>

Highside, Steven, Billy Fleming, Hayley Richardson, Emily Mangan, Scott Goldstein, Ben Fried, Ashley Pryce, Natalee Rivera, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Xan Lillehei, Katie Lample, Nick Graetz, Julian Brave

NoiseCat. 2020. A Green New Deal for City and Suburban Transportation. *Data for Progress*. March. <<http://filesforprogress.org/memos/gnd-for-transit.pdf>>

Ray, John, Billy Fleming, Steven Highside, Emily Mangan, Katie Lample, Xan Lillehei, Julian NoiseCat, Sean McElwee, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**. 2020. Voters Want a Better Transit System for America. *Data for Progress*. March. <<http://filesforprogress.org/memos/gnd-for-transit-polling.pdf>>

Fleming, Billy, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Nick Graetz, Katie Lample, Alexandra Lillehei, Kira McDonald, Julian Brave NoiseCat, Mark Paul. 2019. A Green New Deal for American Public Housing Communities. Research Report. Data for Progress. December 16. <<https://www.dataforprogress.org/memos/public-housing-at-risk>>

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Billy Fleming, Kira McDonald, Julian Brave NoiseCat, Nick Graetz, Katie Lample, Alexandra Lillehei, Mark Paul, Anunya Bahanda. 2019. A Green New Deal for American Public Housing Communities. Research Report. Data for Progress. November 22. <<https://www.dataforprogress.org/green-new-deal-public-housing-national>>

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Billy Fleming, Kira McDonald, Nick Graetz, Mark Paul, Alexandra Lillehei, Katie Lample, Julian Brave NoiseCat. 2019. A Green New Deal for New York City Housing Authority (NYCHA) Communities. Research Report. Data for Progress. November 14. <<https://www.dataforprogress.org/green-new-deal-public-housing-nycha>>

—Research report covered in *Washington Post*, *Vox*, *Huffington Post*, *Atlantic CityLab*, *Architect*, *Jacobin*, *Gizmodo*, *Curbed*, *Iowa Starting Line*, *Penn Today*, *Daily Pennsylvanian*, *Next City*

—Web TV interviews on *Rising* (Hill TV), *The Real News*

McElwee, Sean, John Ray, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Julian Brave NoiseCat. 2019. The Green New Deal for Public Housing Act Can Stand Up to Scrutiny. Polling Memo. Data for Progress. November 14. <<https://www.dataforprogress.org/memos/green-new-deal-public-housing-polling>>

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Tara Raghuvver, Sean McElwee, Jack Nicol, John Ray. 2019. The Green Homes Guarantee is Popular. Polling Memo. Data for Progress. October 19. <<https://www.dataforprogress.org/memos/green-homes-guarantee>>

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2019. Mitigate Housing and Climate Risk through a Green New Deal for Housing. Wharton Risk Management and Decision Processes Center. September 10. <<https://riskcenter.wharton.upenn.edu/climate-risk-solutions-2/mitigate-housing-and-climate-risk-through-a-green-new-deal-for-housing/>>

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Kate Aronoff, Alyssa Battistoni, Thea Riofrancos. 2019. For a Global Green New Deal. In *Road Map to a Green New Deal: 3.N Internationalism*. Common Wealth. London, July, pp 4-11. <<https://common-wealth.co.uk/css/pdfs/Common-Wealth-Internationalism.pdf>>

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and Kevin Ummel. 2019. Follow the Carbon: The Case for Neighborhood-Level Carbon Footprints. Policy Digest. Kleinman Center for Energy Policy. July 2. <<https://kleinmanenergy.upenn.edu/policy-digests/follow-carbon>>

\***Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2018. Climate Justice and the Right to the City. White Paper. Kleinman Center for Energy Policy, Penn Institute for Urban Research, and Perry World House, at the University of Pennsylvania. <[pennur.upenn.edu/uploads/media/Cohen.pdf](https://pennur.upenn.edu/uploads/media/Cohen.pdf)>

—Cited by Senate Democrats’ Special Committee on the Climate Crisis. 2020. “The Case for Climate Action: Building a Clean Economy for the American People.”

<[https://www.schatz.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/SCCC\\_Climate\\_Crisis\\_Report.pdf](https://www.schatz.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/SCCC_Climate_Crisis_Report.pdf)>

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Emma Shaw Crane, Edward Crowley, Sara Duvisac, Michael Gould-Wartofsky, Alex Manevitz, and Michelle O’Brien. 2018. *Under One Roof: Global Lessons in the Struggle for Democratic Housing*. Background report. Urban Democracy Lab, New York University.

Bergren, Erin, Jessica Coffey, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Ned Crowley, Liz Koslow, Max Liboiron, Alexis Merdjanoff, Adam Murphree, and David Wachsmuth. 2013. *A Tale of Two Sandys*. White paper. Superstorm Research Lab. New York. <<http://superstormresearchlab.org/white-paper>>

## PUBLIC SCHOLARSHIP

### Podcast:

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and Kate Aronoff. 2015-2020. Co-hosts. *Hot & Bothered*. Podcast about climate politics hosted by *Dissent* magazine. 13 episodes. <<https://www.dissentmagazine.org/author/daniel-aldana-cohen-and-kate-aronoff/>>

—Interviewed on podcasts “Culture of Energy,” “Forecast,” “OMNIA”

—Cited on *New York Times* “Dot Earth” blog on climate change

—Two collaborative episodes with *Cited*, Canadian public scholarship podcast funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada

### Selected Public Writing:

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2020. With Joe Biden, There’s Still a Case for Climate Optimism. Novara Media. October 28.

Paul, Mark and **Daniel Aldana Cohen**. 2020. The Green New Deal’s Public Infrastructure Should Be Funded by the Public. *Dissent*. September 21.

Aronoff, Kate, Alyssa Battistoni, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, and Thea Riofrancos. 2020. Green New Deal: liberdade para viver. Piscograma (Brazil). August.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2020. How a Green Stimulus Would Lift Up Workers and Communities and Rebuild Our Infrastructure. *The Century Foundation*. May 29

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and Daniel Kammen. 2020. Climate crisis will deepen the pandemic. A green stimulus plan can tackle both. *The Guardian*. April 20.

—Reprints, *National Catholic Reporter*, *Oklahoma Observer*

—Translation: Portuguese, *EcoDebate*

Cha, J. Mijin, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Mark Paul, Julian Brave NoiseCat. 2020. Voters Want a Green Stimulus. *Data for Progress*. March 24.

Bozua, Johanna, J. Mijin Cha, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Billy Fleming, Jim Goodman, Ayana Elizabeth Johnson, Daniel M. Kammen, Julian Brave NoiseCat, Mark Paul, Raj Patel, Thea Riofrancos. 2000. A Green Stimulus to Rebuild our Economy: An Open Letter and Call to Action to Members of Congress. *Medium*. March 22. <[https://medium.com/@green\\_stimulus\\_now/a-green-stimulus-to-rebuild-our-economy-1e7030a1d9ee](https://medium.com/@green_stimulus_now/a-green-stimulus-to-rebuild-our-economy-1e7030a1d9ee)>

—Over 3000 signatories, including directors of some of the country’s largest environmental and social justice organizations

—Our letter was inspired by, and cited in, a congressional letter urging green stimulus that was signed by 60 representatives in the House of Congress

<<https://barragan.house.gov/barragan-leads-letter-calling-for-transformational-green-stimulus/>>

Aronoff, Kate, Alyssa Battistoni, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Thea Riofrancos. 2020. We Can Waste Another Crisis, or We Can Transform the Economy. *Jacobin*. Edited excerpt from *A Planet to Win: Why We Need a Green New Deal*. March 14.

Aronoff, Kate, Alyssa Battistoni, **Daniel Aldana Cohen** and Thea Riofrancos. 2019. Strike for Sunshine. *The Nation*. Edited excerpt from *A Planet to Win: Why We Need a Green New Deal*. November 20.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana** and Julian Brave NoiseCat. 2019. Bernie and AOC’s Green New Deal for Public Housing Act Would Transform America. *The Nation*. November 14.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2019. A Successful Climate Plan Must Also Tackle the Housing Crisis. *The Guardian*. October 1.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**, Julian Brave NoiseCat, Sean McElwee. 2019. Americans Want to Live in a Just Society. Blog. *Data for Progress*. September 25.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2019. A Green Homes Guarantee Is Popular. Blog. *Data for Progress*. September 18.

Aronoff, Kate, Alyssa Battistoni, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Thea Riofrancos. We Need a Global Green New Deal. *Tribune*. London, UK. July 22.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2019. Eco-Apartheid is Real. *The Nation*. New York, July 26.

—Feature interview on *Beneath the Surface* radio program (KPFK Los Angeles)

Paprocki, Kasia, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Rebecca Elliott and Liz Koslov. 2019. The Useful Discomfort of Critical Climate Social Science. *SSRC Items*. May 7.

—Cited in *VICE*

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana**. 2019. A Green New Deal for Housing. *Jacobin*. February 8.

—Reprint in *Jacobin* Summer 2019 print issue, Columbia University Buell Center’s POWER: Infrastructure in America (online series); *Portside*

—Translated into Italian for *Jacobin Italia*, Portuguese for *Jacobin Brasil*

—Feature interviews on *Behind the News* (KPFA, Berkeley), *Worldview* (WBEZ, Chicago), *This is the Economy* (KGNU, Colorado), *Taking Action* (WPFW, Washington DC) and *The Real News* (online news)

—Author quoted in stories in *The Atlantic*, *Pacific Standard*, *Next City*, *VICE*, *Deutschlandfunk* (German Public Radio)

**Battistoni, Alyssa and Daniel Aldana Cohen.** 2019. AOC's Green New Deal Starts Strong. *Jacobin*. February 7.

**Aronoff, Kate, Alyssa Battistoni, Daniel Aldana Cohen, and Thea Riofrancos.** 2019. A Green New Deal can give us the freedoms to allow humanity to flourish. *The Guardian*, Opinion section. February 7.

—Reprint of Kate Aronoff, Alyssa Battistoni, Daniel Aldana Cohen, and Thea Riofrancos. 2019. The Green New Deal's Five Freedoms. *Jacobin*. February 6.

**Aronoff, Kate, Alyssa Battistoni, Daniel Aldana Cohen, and Thea Riofrancos.** 2019. A Green New Deal to Win Back Our Future. *Jacobin*. February 5.

—Reprinted in *Jewish Currents*

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2019. Stop Eco-Apartheid: The Left's Challenge in Bolsonaro's Brazil. *Dissent*, 66:1: 23-31. DOI: 10.1353/dss.2019.0004

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2018. Apocalyptic Climate Reporting Completely Misses the Point: Recent news commentary ignored the UN climate report's cautiously optimistic findings. *The Nation*. November 2.

—Quoted in *Investors Chronicle* and National Resources Defense Council's *Drawing Out the Science* feature (<https://www.nrdc.org/story/drawing-out-science>)

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2017. Working Class Environmentalism. *Public Books*, The Big Picture series. November 16.

—Reprinted: *The Big Picture: America's Leading Scholars Explain What's at Stake in Trump's Presidency*. Columbia University Press. Forthcoming, 2019.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2017. The Last Stimulus. *Jacobin* magazine. New York: Fall, 86-98.

—Reprinted, *UTNE Reader*. Topeka, KS: Winter 2018, 46-53.

—Cited in *The Guardian*, *The Nation*

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2017. It Gets Wetter. *Dissent*. 64:3, 7-11. DOI:10.1353/dss.2017.0064

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2017. New York Mag's Climate Disaster Porn Gets It Painfully Wrong. *Jacobin* online. 10 July.

—Interviews on "Press Play" (KCRW), "UpFront" (KPFA), *DeSmogBlog*.

—Article cited in *The New Yorker*, *The New Republic*, *Vox*, *Grist*, *In These Times*, *El Asombrario*

—Reposted by *E-Flux*

—Translated into Spanish on *Contra el diluvio* (blog)

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2016. Time to Pull the Plug on Urban Fossil Consumption. Verso blog. May 17.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2016. Consumo Consciente. *Dissent*. 66:2, 152-152. DOI:10.1353/dss.2016.0039

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2015. Forget Fertility, Get Feral. *Public Books*. 1 February.



**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2015. How Shorter Work Hours Can Help the Climate and Women's Equality. Interview with Tom Malleson. *Labor Notes*. March, 10-11. Republished online by *In These Times* and *Truth-Out*.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2015. The Urban Green Wars. *Jacobin* online. Part of review symposium on Naomi Klein's (2015) *This Changes Everything*. December 11.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2014. Is Climate Change Big or Small? *Dissent* online. New York: 13 November.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2014. Seize the Hamptons: We should all get the chance to escape the city and enjoy leisure—without the hefty ecological footprint. *Jacobin*. October, 151-159.

Bergren, Erin, Jessica Coffey, **Daniel Aldana Cohen**, Ned Crowley, Liz Koslow, Max Liboiron, Alexis Merdjanoff, Adam Murphree, and David Wachsmuth. 2013. "A Tale of Two Sandys." White paper. Superstorm Research Lab. New York. <<http://superstormresearchlab.org/white-paper>>

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2013. Counterpower's Long Game. *Public Books*. March 18.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2013. Democracy or Eco-Apartheid. Center for Humans and Nature. 6 February.

Editor and contributor to online fora:

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** Co-editor. 2011-2012. Co-editor, *Possible Futures* symposium on Occupy Wall Street, Social Science Research Council. <[www.possiblefutures.org](http://www.possiblefutures.org)>

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2012. Were March 1st Demonstrators Occupy's Comeback Kids? *Possible Futures*. 9 March.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2012. Amorous Analogies: How #OWS Connects the Dots. *Possible Futures*. 23 December.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2011. A Mouse Eye View of Eviction Night. 23 November.

### SCHOLARLY BOOK REVIEWS

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2019. Review: *Fractivism: Corporate Bodies and Chemical Bonds*, by Sara Ann Wylie. In *American Journal of Sociology*, (124)6, 1862-1864.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2018. Review: *Marxist Thought and the City*, by Henri Lefebvre. In *City & Community* (17)2: 525-527.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2018. Review: *Cool Cities: Urban Sovereignty and the Fix for Global Warming*, by Benjamin R. Barber. In *Journal of World-Systems Research* (24)1: 227-229.

**Cohen, Daniel Aldana.** 2013. Review: Brian J. Gareau. 2013. *From Precaution to Profit: Contemporary Challenges to Environmental Protection in the Montreal Protocol* by Brian J. Gareau. In *Journal of World-Systems Research* (19)2, 312-314.

#### SELECTED AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2020 Research Recovery Grant, Office of the Vice Provost for Research, for “(How) Can Green Investment Attack the Climate Emergency and Racial Inequalities at Once?” University of Pennsylvania. \$15,000.
- 2020 Research grant, Socio-Spatial Climate Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>. Ramanan Raghavendran, Trustee, University of Pennsylvania. \$20,000.
- 2020 Research grant, New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA), for “Conceptualizing Climate Justice in New York State.” \$50,000.
- 2020 Seed grant for policy research, Summit Foundation, for the climate + community project, co-directed with Billy Fleming. \$75,000.
- 2020 Research Award, Kleinman Center for Energy Policy, for “Wartime Speed During Peacetime? How New York State Built an Unprecedented Coalition for Breakneck Renewables Deployment.” University of Pennsylvania. \$15,000.
- 2019 Pilot grant, Socio-Spatial Climate Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>. Ramanan Raghavendran, Trustee, University of Pennsylvania. \$15,000.
- 2019 Conference and Research Grant, for “Democratizing the Infrastructures of a Global Green New Deal” workshop, hosted Socio-Spatial Climate Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>. Perry World House, University of Pennsylvania. \$20,000.
- 2019 Conference Support Grant, awarded to “Designing a Green New Deal”, co-hosted by Socio-Spatial Climate Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>, and McHarg Center for Urbanism + Ecology). The Temple Hoyne Buell Center for the Study of American Architecture. \$10,000.
- 2018-2019 Member, Institute for Advanced Studies, School of Social Science. Princeton, New Jersey. Theme: “Crisis and Critique.” \$50,000.
- 2019 Quartet Pilot Research Project, for “Whole Community Climate Mapping.” University of Pennsylvania, \$20,000.
- 2018 School of Arts and Sciences Research Opportunity Grant for “Follow the Carbon: Social and Spatial Drivers of Greenhouse Gas Emissions in the United States.” University of Pennsylvania, \$5000.
- 2018 Research and Teaching Seed Fund award. “Street Fight: Undergraduate Research Support and Community-Building.” Penn Program in Environmental Humanities, University of Pennsylvania. \$3000.

- 2017 Research award for Socio-Spatial Carbon Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>. Kleinman Center for Energy Policy, University of Pennsylvania. \$10,000.
- 2017 Workshop and research support grant for Socio-Spatial Carbon Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>. Fels Policy Research Initiative, University of Pennsylvania. \$15,000.
- 2017 Grant to host workshop for Socio-Spatial Carbon Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>. Perry World House, University of Pennsylvania. \$5,000.
- 2016 Mentorship award for Socio-Spatial Carbon Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>. Population Studies Center, University of Pennsylvania. \$15,000.
- 2016 Two-year postdoctoral fellowship, Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada. Declined.
- 2015 Research award to conduct fieldwork on São Paulo's water crisis. New York University, Institute for Public Knowledge. \$3000.
- 2014 Research award, New York University, Institute for Public Knowledge, for project “Fortress of Solitude” nested in the Superstorm Research Lab. \$1500.
- 2013 Fellowship, Hertog Global Strategy Initiative’s summer seminar, “The History and Future of Climate Change and Global Governance,” Columbia University, May-August, \$4000.
- 2013 Green Grant, New York University, Office of Sustainability, for Superstorm Research Lab. \$13,056. (Co-principal investigator).
- 2012-2013 Research award, New York University, Institute for Public Knowledge, for project “The Urban Politics of Climate Change” nested in the Superstorm Research Lab, \$2500. (Co-principal investigator).
- 2010 Summer research grant, Sociology Department, New York University. \$2,000.
- 2009 Gold Medal for Activism/Charity from Annual Living Now Book Awards, for *Notes from Canada’s Young Activists: A Generation Stands Up for Change* (Cohen co-editor)
- 2008-2012 Doctoral fellowship, Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada, \$80,000 over four years.
- 2008-2013 MacCracken Fellowship, New York University, full tuition, health benefits, and annual stipend of approximately ~\$24,000 per annum.
- 2008 Canadian International Development Agency: Journalism Development Initiative, \$6,500.
- 2007 Toronto Arts Council: Project Grant for Emerging Writer, \$2000.
- 2000-2004 McConnell tuition scholarship, McGill University, \$20,000 over four years

2002-2003 Canada-EU Studies grant to study at Sciences-Po in Paris, \$2,400

### COLLECTIVE RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2020-present Co-Director, community + climate project  
 —Public launch November 2020  
 —Research grant from the Summit Foundation (\$75,000)
- 2016-present Director, Socio-Spatial Climate Collaborative, or (SC)<sup>2</sup>  
 —<https://web.sas.upenn.edu/sociospatialclimate/>  
 —Principal Investigator, “Whole Community Climate Mapping”  
 —Conference organizer, “Designing for a Green New Deal.” University of Pennsylvania. September 13, 2019. <https://bit.ly/2OtPuA4>  
 —Workshop organizer, “Unsettled Spaces: New Scholarship on the Social and Spatial Dynamics of Climate Change.” University of Pennsylvania. April 20, 2018. [www.aldanacohen.com/sc2](http://www.aldanacohen.com/sc2)  
 —Research grants at the University of Pennsylvania from Population Studies Center, Fels Policy Research Initiative, Perry World House, Kleinman Center for Energy Policy, Office of the Vice Provost for Research, Ramanan Raghavendran (total: \$150,000)  
 —Research grant from the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (\$50,000)
- 2015-present Democratizing the Green City, Project of Urban Democracy Lab, New York University  
 —Member, Advisory Board, Urban Democracy Lab  
 —Co-convener, Democratizing the Green City: Symposium with focus on housing and climate change. February 17-20, 2017. University of California at Santa Cruz  
 —Co-convener, Democratizing the Green City. Symposium on urban greening and social displacement. January 22-24, 2016. Urban Democracy Lab at NYU  
 —Co-organizer, Democratizing the Green City 2014 speaker series, co-hosted by Institute for Public Knowledge and Urban Democracy Lab at NYU
- 2012-present Co-principal investigator, Superstorm Research Lab  
 —Collective research project on the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy. Hosted by the Institute for Public Knowledge, New York University.  
 —Research grants from NYU Institute for Public Knowledge, NYU Office of Sustainability  
 —Cohen’s work profiled in *NextCity*; feature television interview on *New York 1* evening news
- 2014-2015 Co-organizer, Institute for Public Knowledge's Cities, Cultures, and Climate Change Working Group. <<https://ipk.nyu.edu/working-groups/cities>>

### TEACHING

- 2020 “Sociology of the Climate Emergency,” University of Pennsylvania, Department of Sociology, combined undergraduate and graduate seminar, fall.
- 2020 “Designing the Green New Deal: From Concept to Program,” co-taught with Billy Fleming, University of Pennsylvania, Departments of Sociology and Landscape Architecture
- 2019 “Environmental Sociology,” University of Pennsylvania, Department of Sociology, graduate seminar, fall.
- 2019 “Environment and Society,” University of Pennsylvania, Department of Sociology, freshman seminar, fall.
- 2018 “Environment and Society,” University of Pennsylvania, Department of Sociology, freshman seminar, spring.
- 2017 “Environment and Society,” University of Pennsylvania, Department of Sociology, freshman seminar, fall.
- 2016 “Environment and Society,” University of Pennsylvania, Department of Sociology, freshman seminar, fall.
- 2015 “Research Methods,” New York University, College of Arts and Sciences, summer.
- 2015 “Tutorial: Global Fellowship in Urban Practice,” New York University, Gallatin School of Individualized Study, spring.
- 2012 “Sociology of Gender,” New York University, College of Arts and Sciences, summer.

#### **SELECTED INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS**

- 2021 Teaching in the Anthropocene. École Anthropocène. L'École Urbaine de Lyons. January 25. (Virtual.)
- 2020 Panelist. Urban climate policy. Núcleo acompanhamento políticas públicas, cidades. Fundação Perseu Abramo. São Paulo. September 28. (Virtual.)
- 2020 Organizer and panelist. Urban Sociology and the Promise of a Green New Deal. Special Session. American Sociological Association. San Francisco. August. (Canceled due to coronavirus.)
- 2020 Panelist. Special Session on Labor and Climate Change. American Sociological Association. San Francisco. August 10. (Virtual.)
- 2019 Ecologia na casa própria: Definir e financiar a moradia de baixo carbono nas cidades globais. II Seminário Internacional Propriedades em Transformação e Conferência Financiamento do desenvolvimento sustentável no Brasil. Centro Brasileiro de Análise e Planejamento (CEBRAP). University of São Paulo. December 18.

- 2019 Green New Deal de Norte a Sul? Instituto de Arquitetos do Brasil—Departamento de São Paulo. São Paulo. December 13.
- 2019 Nowhere to Go but Forward: Social Housing and the Good Life from Red Vienna to the Green New Deal. New School for Social Research. New York. December 5.
- 2019 The Case for a Green New Deal for Public Housing. Briefing to Congressional Staffers. U.S. House of Representatives. Washington, DC. December 5.
- 2019 A Green New Deal for New York City Housing Authority (NYCHA) Communities. Public Meeting. Pelham Parkway Houses Community Center. The Bronx. November 23.
- 2019 Follow the Carbon. Department of Sociology, University of Chicago. Chicago. November 21.
- 2019 A Planet to Win and the Green New Deal for Housing. Rutgers Climate Symposium. Rutgers Climate Institute. Piscataway, NJ. November 20.
- 2019 Panelist. A Planet to Win: Why We Need a Green New Deal. Verso Loft. Brooklyn. November 16.
- 2019 Follow the Carbon. London School of Economics. London. November 11.
- 2019 Public Housing. Conference: Public Works for a Green New Deal. Columbia Graduate School of Architecture, Planning, and Preservation. New York. September 27.
- 2019 Community Solutions: A Green New Deal for NYCHA? Movement School. New Settlement Community Center. The Bronx. June 21.
- 2019 Panelist. Housing is a Human Right. Issue Launch. Jacobin. Verso Loft. Brooklyn. June 20
- 2019 Panelist. New Housing Solutions. NewCities. New York. June 6.
- 2019 Panelist. Discussion: The Green New Deal. Institute for Public Knowledge, New York University. New York. April 15.
- 2019 Follow the Carbon: Climate Change and Inequality in the 21st Century. Institute for Advanced Study. Princeton, New Jersey. April 8.
- 2019 Panelist. Greenwashing. Democracy in Retreat? Master Planning in a Warming World. Tulane River and Coastal Center. New Orleans. March 29.
- 2019 A Green New Deal for Housing (and Energy). Green New Deal Dialogue. John Hopkins University School of School of Advanced International Studies. Washington, DC. March 14.

- 2019 A Green New Deal from the Left. Red Emma's bookstore. Baltimore. February 27.
- 2019 Follow the Carbon. Department of Sociology, John Hopkins University. Baltimore. February 27.
- 2019 Respondent. Book Workshop: "Superlative City: Experimental Urbanity in São Paulo." Princeton University. Princeton, New Jersey. February 23.
- 2019 Panelist. The Speed of Thinking. Exhibition Launch. Leonard Pearlstein Gallery, Drexel University. Philadelphia. February 13.
- 2018 Gramsci Landscapes, with Nicholas Pevzner. Climate Futures, Design and the Just Transition. Rhode Island School of Design. Providence, RI. November 9.
- 2018 Moderator. Ground Transportation and Climate Change. Five Thousand Pound Life event series. The Architectural League of New York. New York. November 3.
- 2018 Democracy Against Eco-Apartheid Housing, Race, and the Urban Politics of Climate Change. Citizenship, Migration, and Urban Space Conference. University of Chicago. Chicago. November 2.
- 2018 Follow the Carbon. Center for Migration and Development, Princeton University. Princeton, New Jersey. October 18.
- 2018 Panelist. Resisting Extraction and Climate Change. The Future of the Left in the Americas. *Dissent* magazine. New York. October 6.
- 2018 Panelist. Naturing the City. Miami Dade College Museum of Art and Design. September 13.
- 2018 Follow the Carbon: Climate Change, Housing Struggles, and the Reinvention of the Built Environment. Miami Dade College Museum of Art and Design. September 12.
- 2018 Panelist. Blockadia and Beyond: Left climate politics for the 21st century. Verso Books, New York. August 17.
- 2018 Follow the Carbon: Rethorizing Collective Consumption and the Politics of Climate Change. Special Session: Sociology of the Anthropocene. American Sociological Association annual meeting. Philadelphia August 14.
- 2018 Moderator. Sea Shipping and Climate Change. Five Thousand Pound Life event series. The Architectural League of New York. New York. June 14.
- 2018 Moderator. Aviation and Climate Change. Five Thousand Pound Life event series. The Architectural League of New York. New York. June 13.
- 2018 The Death of Carbon: Or the Reincarnation of the Low-Carbon City. Philadelphia Ethical Society. May 12.

- 2018 Follow the Carbon. Department of Human Ecology Colloquium, Rutgers University. New Brunswick, New Jersey, April 25.
- 2018 Follow the Carbon: Housing Movements and the Politics of Climate Change. Urban Futures conference. Temple University. Philadelphia, February 20.
- 2018 Ashley Dawson and Daniel Aldana Cohen. Urban Life in the Era of Climate Change. Wolf Humanities Center, University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia. January 24.
- 2017 The Politics of Energy and Climate Change. Panelist. The Big Picture: What's At Stake in Trump's America. Public Books and Institute for Public Knowledge. New York, November 7.
- 2017 The Other Low-Carbon Protagonists. Urban Democracy Lab, New York University. New York, November 6.
- 2017 Follow the Carbon: Poor People's Movements and Low-Carbon Politics in the 21st Century City. Brown University and Rhode Island School of Design, joint class on climate futures. Providence, October 18.
- 2017 Follow the Carbon: Poor People's Movements and Low-Carbon Politics in the 21st Century City. New School. The New School, The School of Design Strategies, class on advanced urban research. New York, October 4.
- 2017 Follow the Carbon: Poor People's Movements and Low-Carbon Politics in the 21st Century City. Rice University, Department of Anthropology Colloquium. Houston, September 12.
- 2017 Desigualdade e Mudanças Climáticas na cidade do século XXI: São Paulo e Nova York. University of São Paulo, talk and workshop. São Paulo, August 22.
- 2017 The Steely City. Panelist. Urban Salon. New York, May 24.
- 2017 Follow the Carbon. Conference on Cities, Climate Change and the Problem of Resilience. Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University, April 28.
- 2017 Follow the Carbon. Department of Sociology, New York University. March 23.
- 2016 Carboniferous: Climate and Social Justice in NYC. Institute for Public Knowledge, New York University. November 3.
- 2016 Panelist, Topic of Social Resistance. Universidad Central de Ecuador. Quito. October 19.
- 2016 Climate Justice and the Right to the City. Penn Institute for Urban Research booth at UN Habitat III exhibition space. Quito. October 18.



- 2016 Exploring New Coalitions for a Low-Carbon Future. Co-presenter with Kate Aronoff. Workshop at the New System Project's New York City convening. March 11.
- 2016 The Rationed City: The Urban Politics of Water, Land Use, and Housing in a Warming World. Guest lecture for class taught by Matthjis Bouw on "Designing with Risk" at PennDesign, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia. February 2.
- 2015 Follow the Carbon: Collective Consumption and the Politics of Climate Change in Global Cities. University of Pennsylvania, Department of Sociology, Colloquium series. Philadelphia. December 2.
- 2015 The global urban street fight and the politics of climate change. NYU-School of Professional Studies Center for Global Affairs, New York. October 30.
- 2014 A Tale of Two Sandys. With Erin Bergren. Federal Emergency Management Agency field office in Forest Hills, Queens. New York. January 17.
- 2013 Class, Carbon and the City: The rise, stagnation, and re-incarnation of low-carbon urbanism. Seminar on historical and political sociology at the University of São Paulo, Department of Sociology, São Paulo. May 15.
- 2010 Contradictions of São Paulo's urban climate politics. Seminar discussion. Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas Espaciais, São José dos Campos (Brazil). August 5.

#### **SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES**

- 2019 Cohen, Daniel Aldana. Follow the Carbon: Collective Consumption, Urban Greenhouse Gas Emissions, and the Right to the City. Urban Affairs Association annual meeting. Los Angeles, April 26.
- 2018 Cohen, Daniel Aldana and Nicholas Pevzner. Gramsci Landscapes: Delimiting the Trenches of the Clean Energy Transition. Energy and the Left workshop, New York University, March 31.
- 2018 Webber, Sophie, Nate Millington, and Daniel Aldana Cohen. Climate Change, New Coalitions, and the Contested Politics of Scarcity: Governing Water Crisis in the Global South. International Urban Conference, African Center for Cities. Cape Town, February 1.
- 2017 Urban Climate Politics Beyond City Limits. Environmental Justice 2017—Looking Back, Looking Forward. Sydney Environment Institute. Virtual presentation, November 6.
- 2017 When Win-Win Loses: Inequality and the Failure of Low-Carbon Policy in Bloomberg's New York. American Sociological Association's Annual Meeting. Montreal: August 14.

- 2017 Eco-Professionals, Gentrification, and the Contradictions of the Climate Friendly City. Second-author. Co-authors: Jennifer Rice, Joshua Long, Jason Jurjevitch. American Sociological Association's Annual Meeting. Montreal: August 14.
- 2017 Planetary Urbanization: Ecology, Politics, and the Anthropocene. Panelist. American Association of Geographers' Annual Meeting. Boston: April 6.
- 2017 The Myth of Municipal Political Will: The Politics of Collective Consumption and the Failure of Michael Bloomberg's Congestion Charge. American Association of Geographers' Annual Meeting. Boston: April 7.
- 2017 When Win-Win Loses: Inequality and the Failure of Low-Carbon Policy in Bloomberg's New York. Democratizing the Green City conference, University of Santa Cruz. Santa Cruz: February 18.
- 2017 Low-Carbon Politics and the Right to the City. Presidential Session: The Social Impacts of Climate Change. Presidential plenary on social impacts of climate change. Eastern Sociological Society. Philadelphia: February 24.
- 2016 How extractivism endures: contradictions in the struggle to improve urban life in São Paulo. Annual conference of the Development Sociology Section of the ASA. Ithaca: October 8.
- 2016 Panelist. Author Meets Critics: "Capitalism in the Web of Life: Ecology and the Accumulation of Capital" by Jason W. Moore. Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting. Seattle: August 21.
- 2016 Urban Social Conflict and the Sustainable City: Carbon, Collective Consumption Struggles, and 21st Century Urbanization. Research Committee 21 conference on urban studies. Mexico City: July 23.
- 2016 Environmentalists and Housing Movements in São Paulo: Potential Allies Caught in Contradictions. Latin American Studies Association international congress. New York: May 27-30.
- 2016 Saving the Sustainable City from Itself: Carbon, Collective Consumption, and 21st Century Urbanization. Association of American Geographers annual conference. San Francisco: March 31.
- 2016 It's the Collective Consumption, Stupid: Urban Climate Politics and Global Carbon. Capitalism's Environment-Making Histories workshop. The New School. New York: February 5.
- 2016 Saving the Sustainable City from Itself: Carbon, Collective Consumption, and 21st Century Urbanization. Democratizing the Green City conference. New York University, Urban Democracy Lab. New York: January 21.
- 2015 Understanding São Paulo's Drought. Land & Water Conference. Brown University. Providence: September 4-5.

- 2015 It's the collective consumption, stupid. Re-theorizing urban ecological politics and the composition of front-line communities. Research Committee 21 conference on urban studies. Urbino, Italy: August 27-29.
- 2015 The Environmentalization of Desirability: Linking ecological upgrading and social displacement in the capitalist city. First author. Co-authors Hillary Angelo and Gianpaolo Baiocchi. ASA annual conference. Chicago: August 22-25.
- 2015 It's the collective consumption, stupid. Re-theorizing urban ecological politics and the composition of front-line communities. Dimensions of Political Ecology conference. Lexington, Kentucky: February 26-28.
- 2014 How Global City Labor Markets Are Undermining Low-Carbon Policymaking. International Sociological Association annual conference: Yokohama, Japan. July 13-19.
- 2014 Beyond Metonymia: A Social Backcast Approach to Urban Climate Politics. Association of American Geographers annual conference, Tampa Bay: April 9.
- 2014 Fortress of Solitude: New York's Climate Parochialism After Sandy. NYLON annual conference, New York: March 28.
- 2014 Fortress of Solitude: New York's Climate Parochialism After Sandy. Krueckeberg Doctoral Conference in Urban Studies, Urban Planning and Public Policy at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ: March 10.
- 2013 How global city labor markets shape urban climate politics. Work in a Warming World interdisciplinary conference, York University, Toronto: November 30.
- 2013 Climate change and the future of the capitalist city: The legacy of post-war futurology in contemporary urban climate politics. Association of American Geographers' annual conference, Los Angeles: April 11.
- 2013 Climate change and the future of the capitalist city: The legacy of post-war futurology in contemporary urban climate politics. Critical Climate Workshop, University of Minnesota, April 5.
- 2012 Urban climate politics and democracy (in search of the missing "win-win"). Association of American Geographers annual conference, New York: February 27.
- 2011 Two ships passing in the night: The urban politics of climate change in São Paulo. NYLON annual conference, London: April 2.
- 2010 "The Creative Resistance of Cocalero Politics: Pragmatist theory and the labour practices of Bolivia's coca growers", New York University Department of Sociology spring conference. New York: April 9.

**OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES (WORKSHOPS, RESEARCH, WRITING, EDITING)**

2020	Member, Platform Advisory Panel, Council on the Environment & Climate Crisis, Democratic National Committee
2020	Member, Faculty Advisory Committee, Environmental Innovation Initiative, University of Pennsylvania
2020-present	Member, Ad Hoc Committee on the Institutional Response to the Climate Emergency (CIRCE), Faculty Senate, University of Pennsylvania
2019-present	Member, Dean's Advisory Committee on Energy, Sustainability, and Environment, School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pennsylvania
2019-present	Member, Global Shifts Steering Committee, Perry World House, University of Pennsylvania
2019-2020	Member, Undergraduate teaching committee, Department of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania.
2019-present	Member, Climate Action Research Group, Perry World House, University of Pennsylvania
2019-present	Member, Curriculum Committee, School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pennsylvania
2019-present	Policy advisor, People's Action, Home Guarantee campaign, Chicago and Washington, DC
2019-2020	Senior Fellow, Data for Progress, New York
2019-present	Faculty representative to the Trustees Committee on Local, National, and Global Engagement, University of Pennsylvania
2018-present	Faculty Affiliate, Latin American and Latino Studies (LALS) Program at the University of Pennsylvania
2017-2018	Member, Van de Walle prize committee, Population Studies Center, University of Pennsylvania
2017-2018	Member, Graduate admissions committee, Sociology Department, University of Pennsylvania
2017-2018	Member, Job search committee, Sociology Department, University of Pennsylvania
2017-present	Research Associate, Population Studies Center, University of Pennsylvania
2016-present	Member, Senate Committee on Publication Policy for Almanac

- 2016-2018 Member, Dean's Advisory Committee on Energy, Sustainability, and Environment, School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pennsylvania
- 2016-present Faculty fellow, Institute for Urban Research, University of Pennsylvania
- 2016-present Member, Faculty Workshop on the Environmental Humanities, University of Pennsylvania
- 2016-2018 Member, Research Cluster of Culture and Ethnography; Media Activism Research Collective (MARC) Department of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania.
- 2016-2017 Member, Undergraduate teaching committee, Department of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania.
- 2015-present Member of Advisory Board, Democratizing the Green City, an initiative of the Urban Democracy Lab, New York University
- 2012-present Reviewer (Journals): *American Journal of Sociology*, *Social Problems*, *Sociological Theory*, *Socio-Economic Review*, *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, *Journal of Urban Affairs*, *Public Culture*, *Geoforum*, *Environmental Sociology*, *American Studies Quarterly*, *Environment and Planning E: Nature and Society*, *Historical Materialism*  
Reviewer (Books): University of California Press
- 2010-present Member: American Sociological Association, Association of American Geographers, International Sociological Association, Latin American Studies Association, Social Science History Association
- 2008-2016 Member, NYLON Research Network. <[www.nyu.edu/projects/nylon](http://www.nyu.edu/projects/nylon)>
- 2013 Fellow, Hertog Global Strategy Initiative's summer seminar, "The History and Future of Climate Change and Global Governance," Columbia University, New York. May-August
- 2012 Participant, Johannesburg Workshop in Theory and Criticism: Futures of Nature. University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg. July 1-10.
- 2012 Participant, Berlin Summer School in Social Sciences. Social Science Research Center Berlin (WZB) and Berlin Graduate School of Social Science (BGSS). Berlin. 15-30 July.
- 2012 Editorial assistant, Jeff Manza ed. *The Sociology Project: Introducing the Sociological Imagination*. New York: Pearson.
- 2009-2012 Editorial assistant, *Public Culture*
- 2010-2011 Department of Sociology, Graduate Student Association representative, liaison with GSOC-UAW graduate employee union campaign.

## Languages

*English:* First language

*French:* Fluent speaking and reading, advanced writing

*Portuguese:* Fluent speaking and reading, advanced writing

*Spanish:* Fluent speaking and reading, intermediate writing

## **Media appearances and citations**

*Audio:*

[US election special #3 – the housing crisis \(part 2\)](#). *openDemocracy*. 2020.

[A Disputa Por Saidas](#). *Podcast Coronavirus: Barbárie e Crise Civilizatoria*. 2020.

[This is a Big Moment](#). *ChangeMakers* podcast. 2020.

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[Green Stimulus](#). *Media Sanctuary*. 2020.

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[Housing and the Green New Deal](#). WPFW, Washington DC. 2019.

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[Data Poverty and Data Love](#). *Data Remediations* podcast. 2019.

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[Amerikas Wirtschaft umkrempeln: Was bietet der Green New Deal den US-Wählern?](#) *Deutschlandfunk* (German Public Radio). 2019.

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[What the Climate Doomsayers Get Wrong](#). Hot & Bothered podcast, *Dissent* magazine. 2018.

[Eco-Socialism and the Climate Crisis](#). *The Dig*. 2018.

[Hot & Bothered](#) podcast, with Kate Aronoff, published by *Dissent magazine*. 2016-2019.

[What Does Climate Migration Really Look Like?](#) *Hot & Bothered* special collaboration with *Cited* podcast. 2017.

[“It’s worse than you think:’ PR strategies around climate change”, on “Press Play”, KCRW Santa Monica](#). 2017.

Segment in [“The Fate of the Planet and Healthcare”](#), KPFA Berkeley. 2017.

[Ep. #63 – TheGreatClimatePodSummit2017 \(feat. Kate Aronoff and Daniel Aldana Cohen\)](#) on *Cultures of Energy* podcast. 2017.

[Ep. #90 – Low Carbon Leisure & Pleasure \(Live at Nerd Nite Austin!\)](#) on *Cultures of Energy* podcast. 2017.

[The Politics of Climate Change](#) on *OMNIA Podcast*, University of Pennsylvania. 2017.

[Daniel Aldana Cohen on urban climate mitigation: Interview on \*Forecast: A Podcast about Climate Science and Climate Scientists\*.](#)

—Hosted by Michael White, *Nature's* climate science editor. 2016.

*Written Press:*

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[The climate blueprint that Europe's social democrats didn't write.](#) *International Politics and Society Journal*. 2020.

[Penn professor co-hosts event discussing Latin American Green New Deal.](#) *Daily Pennsylvanian*. 2020.

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[8 Years After Sandy, New York City Lags On Climate. Will The 2021 Election Change That?](#) *The Huffington Post*. 2020.

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- [Making Homes Energy Efficient Is Expensive. Stimulus Could Help](#). *Bloomberg*. 2020.
- [The climate movement is struggling to influence Biden](#). (Klimatrörelsen kämpar för att påverka Biden). *ETC*. 2020.
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- [Climate Advocates Are Gearing Up for the Next Stimulus Package](#). *In These Times*. 2020.
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- [Giant Concrete Umbrellas Could Protect the Lucky Ones From Storm Surge](#). *Gizmodo*. 2020.
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