Codebook for Landgrave (2020)

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Landgrave_2020_LSQ0.dta

Stata 16 version dataset. For analysis of resume click rate.

Race

Variable description: Denotes whether the subject was contacted by a purportedly white or Hispanic college students.

0 – White Condition [frequency: 800]

1 – Hispanic Condition [frequency: 800]

Click

Variable description: Signifies whether subject clicked on the resume link.

0 – Did not click [frequency: 971].

1 – Clicked [frequency: 629].

Landgrave_2020_LSQ1.dta

Stata 16 version dataset. For analysis of reply rate and reply content.

DV_Reply

Variable description: Denotes whether the respondent replied to the email.

0 – Did not respond. [frequency: 1,370]

1 – Responded [frequency: 230]

Sentiment

Variable description: Reply content measure. Continuous variable from 0 to 2 which indicates how friendly a given response was. A higher number indicates a more friendly responses as coded by Amazon mTurk workers.

Name

Variable description: Reply content measure. Denotes whether respondent mentions the purported constituent's name in their response. Coded by researcher.

0 – Constituent's name NOT mentioned in response [frequency: 1,466]

1 – Constituent's name mentioned in response [frequency: 134]

Help

Variable description: Reply content measure. Denotes whether respondent attempts to help the purported constituents in their response. Coded by researcher.

0 – Does NOT attempt to help constituent [frequency: 1,520]

1 – Attempts to help constituent [frequency: 80]

GPA

Variable description: Reply content measure. Denotes whether respondent mentions the purported constituent's GPA in their response. Coded by researcher.

0 – Constituent's GPA NOT mentioned in response [frequency: 1,599]

1 – Constituent's GPA mentioned in response [frequency: 1]

Job

Variable description: Reply content measure. Denotes whether respondent mentions the purported constituent's dream job in their response. Coded by researcher.

0 – Constituent's dream job NOT mentioned in response [frequency: 1,587]

1 – Constituent's dream job mentioned in response [frequency: 13]

Volunteer

Variable description: Reply content measure. Denotes whether respondent mentions the purported constituent's volunteer experience in their response. Coded by researcher.

0 – Constituent's volunteer experience NOT mentioned in response [frequency: 1,595]

1 – Constituent's volunteer experience mentioned in response [frequency: 5]

Race

Variable description: Reply content measure. Denotes whether respondent mentions the purported constituent's race or ethnicity in their response. Coded by researcher.

0 – Constituent's race/ethnicity NOT mentioned in response [frequency: 1,597]

1 – Constituent's race/ethnicity mentioned in response [frequency: 3]

Migrant

Variable description: Reply content measure. Denotes whether respondent mentions the purported constituent's migrant status in their response. Coded by researcher.

0 – Constituent's migrant status NOT mentioned in response [frequency: 1,597]

1 – Constituent's migrant status mentioned in response [frequency: 3]

LegWhite

Variable description: Denotes whether the responding legislator is white or not.

0 – Non-white Legislator [frequency: 369]

1 – White Legislator [frequency: 1,231]

LegHispanic

Variable description: Denotes whether the responding legislator is Hispanic or not.

0 – Non-Hispanic Legislator [frequency: 1,562]

1 – Hispanic Legislator [frequency: 38]

LegFemale

Variable description: Denotes whether the responding legislator is Female or not.

0 – Non-Female Legislator [frequency: 426]

1 – Male Legislator [frequency: 1,174]

Republican

Variable description: Denotes whether the responding legislator is a Republican or not.

0 – Non-Republican Legislator [frequency: 732]

1 – Republican Legislator [frequency: 868]

Squire_index

Variable description: Continuous variable from 0 to 1 which measures a state legislature's professionalism. Source: Squire (2017).

Professional

Variable description: Binary variable denoting whether a respondent's legislature is among the lower or top half of state legislatures as measured by professionalism. Modified form of Squire_index.

0 – Lower half [frequency: 925]

1 – Upper half [frequency: 675]

FriendlyState

Variable description: Variable denoting whether a respondent's state has an ban against undocumented students attending state universities ("Hostile"), is neutral ("Neutral"), or provides in-state tuition to undocumented students ("Friendly").

0 – Hostile [frequency: 104]

1 – Neutral [frequency: 901]

2 – Friendly [frequency: 595]

FriendlyPolicy

Variable description: Variable denoting whether a respondent's state provides in-state tuition to undocumented students (=1) or not (=0). Modified form of FriendlyState.

0 – Does not provide in-state tuition to undocumented students [frequency: 1,005]

1 – Provides in-state tuition to undocumented students [frequency: 595]

NeutralPolicy

Variable description: Variable denoting whether a respondent's state is neutral towards undocumented students (=1) or not (=0). Modified form of FriendlyState.

0 – Non-neutral state for undocumented students [frequency: 699]

1 – Neutral state for undocumented students [frequency: 901]

Citizen2

Variable description: Binary variable denoting that the purported constituent claims to be a permanent resident.

0 – Non-Permanent Resident [frequency: 1,200]

1 – Permanent Resident [frequency: 400]

Citizen3

Variable description: Binary variable denoting that the purported constituent claims to be a DACA recipient ("DACAmented").

0 – Non-DACA recipient [frequency: 1,200]

1 – DACAmented [frequency: 400]

Citizen3

Variable description: Binary variable denoting that the purported constituent claims to be an undocumented migrant without DACA.

0 – Non- Undocumented migrant without DACA [frequency: 1,200]

1 – Undocumented migrant without DACA [frequency: 400]

CitizenVUndoc

Variable description: Binary variable denoting that the purported constituent claims to be a Citizen or undocumented migrant without DACA. Recode of Citizen variables. Used for t-tests only.

0 – Citizen [frequency: 400]

1 – Undocumented migrant without DACA [frequency: 400]

DACAStatus

Variable description: Binary variable denoting that the purported constituent claims to be an undocumented with (=0) or without (=1) DACA. Recode of Citizen variables. Used for t-tests only.

0 – Undocumented migrant with DACA [frequency: 400]

1 – Undocumented migrant without DACA [frequency: 400]

Hispanic

Variable description: Denotes whether the subject was contacted by a purportedly white or Hispanic college students.

0 – White Condition [frequency: 800]

1 – Hispanic Condition [frequency: 800]

Violence

Variable description: Denotes whether the purported constituent claims that their family migrated to poor economic conditions (=0) or high violence (=1) in their country of origin.

0 – Poor Economy [frequency: 786]

1 – High Violence [frequency: 814]

Bernie

Variable description: Denotes whether the purported constituent to have experience volunteering for the Catholic Church (=0) or Bernie Sanders campaign (=1).

0 – Catholic Church [frequency: 810]

1 – Bernie Sanders Campaign [frequency: 790]

randomHoliday

Variable description: Denotes whether the respondent was wished a happy “Holiday” or “Christmas”.

0 – Holiday [frequency: 812]

1 – Christmas [frequency: 788]

randomJob

Variable description: Denotes the dream job of the purported constituent.

0 – Doctor [frequency: 505]

1 – Lawyer [frequency: 517]

2 – Teacher [frequency: 578]

TrumpShare

Variable description: Continuous variable from 0 to 1 which measures Donald Trump's vote share in the respondent's state for the 2016 Presidential election.

HispanicShare

Variable description: Continuous variable from 0 to 1 which measures the share of Hispanics in the respondent's state.

CoEthnic

Variable description: Interaction term. Hispanic Constituent x Hispanic Legislator.

CoEthnic

Variable description: Interaction term. Hispanic Constituent x Republican Legislator.

UndocuNeutralPolicy

Variable description: Interaction term. Undocumented migrant without DACA x Neutral Policy State.

UndocuFriendlyPolicy

Variable description: Interaction term. Undocumented migrant without DACA x Friendly Policy State.

Landgrave_2020_LSQ2.dta

Stata 16 version dataset. For analysis of name perceptions. See Online Appendix C for variable frequency and explanation of dataset. Reformatted to Landgrave_2020_LSQ3.dta for the analysis reported in Online Appendix C.

Landgrave_2020_LSQ3.dta

Stata 16 version dataset. For analysis of name perceptions. Reformatted version of Landgrave_2020_LSQ2.dta.

Name

Variable description: Denotes 21 different purportedly white names.

White

Variable description: Continuous variable from 0 to 1 which measures the share of survey respondents who perceive the name as “White”.

Citizen

Variable description: Continuous variable from 0 to 1 which measures the share of survey respondents who perceive the name as belonging to a US citizen.

WorkingClass

Variable description: Continuous variable from 0 to 1 which measures the share of survey respondents who perceive the name as being “Working-class”.