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# ***Mechanisms of Disagreement***

How does political disagreement in social networks actually shape political behavior? While the research demonstrates that interpersonal disagreement relates to a variety of political outcomes, it is much more ambiguous with respect to potential mechanisms of influence. We focus on voter decision-making, and posit two models of effects: social stimuli may shape our vote choices by altering how we search for information, or by serving as "cue-like" shortcuts that quickly remind us of how we should vote.

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**NOON-1:30PM**

**WHERE: SSC 4255**

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