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EDUCATION

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Madison, WI

Ph.D., Political Science

Expected May 2024

- Dissertation: *Constitutive Voices: Constituent Service and Representation in the United States Congress*
- Committee: Barry Burden (chair), Eleanor Powell, David Canon, Katherine Cramer, Michael Wagner

Westminster College

New Wilmington, PA

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science

May 2016

- Summa Cum Laude

RESEARCH

Research Interests

U.S. Congress, Representation, Political Behavior, Public Opinion, Elections

Publications

Peer-Reviewed

- “Explaining Uncontested Seats in Congress and State Legislatures.” With Barry C. Burden. *American Politics Research*, 2021.

Publications

Non Peer-Reviewed

- “In the 2018 midterms, many more people are running—and far more seats are contested—than we’ve seen for a generation.” With Barry C. Burden. *The Monkey Cage*, October 17, 2018.
- “It Takes (At Least) Two to Do Democracy.” With Barry C. Burden and Julia Nestel. *Mischiefs of Faction*, May 3, 2021.

Working Papers

Available upon Request

- “Who Gets Constituent Service?” With Devin Judge-Lord, Eleanor Neff Powell, and Justin Grimmer.
- “Claiming Credit for Constituent Service in the U.S. House of Representatives”
- “The Partisan Vote: Shared Partisanship and Constituent Service in the U.S. Congress”

TEACHING

Instructor of Record

University of Wisconsin-Madison

- PS 401: Representation in American Politics (Spring 2023)
- PS 270: Understanding Political Numbers (Spring 2021)

Teaching Assistant

University of Wisconsin-Madison

- PS 373: Introduction to Survey Research (Spring 2022)
- PS 170: Research Methods in Political Science (Summer 2021, Fall 2021)
- PS 305: Elections and Voting Behavior (Fall 2018, Fall 2020)
- PS 311: U.S. Congress (Spring 2018, Fall 2022)
- PS 104: Introduction to American Politics and Government (Fall 2016, Summer 2017, Fall 2017)

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

- Women in Legislative Studies conference** | *Houston, TX* October 2022
- “Claiming Credit for Constituent Service in the U.S. House of Representatives.” Panel/Paper Session.
- American Political Science Association conference** | *Virtual* September 2020
- “Who Gets Constituent Service?” With Devin Judge-Lord, Eleanor Neff Powell, and Justin Grimmer. Panel/Paper Session (non-presenting co-author).
- Congress and History conference** | *Virtual* June 2020
- “Expressive Participation and Constituent-Legislator Contact: Evidence from Congressional Papers.” Panel/Paper Session.
- Midwest Political Science Association conference** | *Chicago, IL* April 2019
- “The Dynamics of Constituents’ Views of Congressional Leaders.” Junior Scholar Symposium.
- Midwest Political Science Association conference** | *Chicago, IL* April 2018
- “Explaining the Prevalence of Uncontested Seats in Congress and State Legislatures.” With Barry C. Burden. Paper/Panel Session.
- Midwest Political Science Association conference** | *Chicago, IL* April 2016
- “The Digital Silent Majority: Citizens’ Perceptions of Government Use of Social Media.” Undergraduate Poster.

GRANTS AND AWARDS

UW-Madison Elections Research Center Summer Research Grant, 2022
Leon Epstein Prize in American and British Politics (UW-Madison), 2021
UW-Madison Department of Political Science Summer Initiative Award, 2020
Carl Albert Center Visiting Scholars Grant, 2020
Moakley Research Travel Grant, 2019
UW-Madison Graduate School Student Research Travel Grant, 2019
UW-Madison Elections Research Center Travel Grant, 2018
Honored Instructor, UW-Madison University Housing, Fall 2016

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Discussant, UW-Madison American Politics Workshop (February 8, 2018, November 18, 2019, October 5, 2020, January 25, 2021, December 6, 2021, October 31, 2022, and February 20, 2023)
Graduate Student Representative, Graduate Program Committee, Department of Political Science, UW-Madison (2020 - 2022)