

PHD STUDENT

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Education

Stanford University Palo Alto, CA

PhD: Communication

2020-Present

• Knight-Hennessy Scholar

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Madison, WI

BA, COMPREHENSIVE HONORS (HONORS IN THE LIBERAL ARTS AND IN THE MAJOR): JOURNALISM AND POLITICAL SCIENCE

2014-2018

· Senior Thesis: Identifying the Motivations of Political Donors in Wisconsin Using Computational Methods

Selected Presentations

- 1. **Dahlke,** (Apr. 2019). The Polarization of Wisconsin's Judiciary: A Network Analysis of Donors to Wisconsin Judicial Candidates. In: Midwestern Political Science Association Annual Conference (Chicago, IL, USA).
- 2. **Dahlke,** (Aug. 2018). Identifying the Motivations of Political Donors in Wisconsin Using Computational Methods. In: Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Conference (Washington, DC, USA).
- 3. **Dahlke,** and W Hoverman (Apr. 2018). Issue Saliency in Political Television Advertising in Wisconsin During the 2016 Election. In: Midwestern Political Science Association Annual Conference (Chicago, IL, USA).
- 4. **Dahlke**, (Aug. 2017). Network Analysis of Political Donor Polarization in Wisconsin Gubernatorial and Legislative Races. In: Midwestern Political Science Association Annual Conference (Chicago, IL, USA).

Professional Experience _____

Data Scientist Minneapolis, MN

OVATIVE/ GROUP

Political Data Consultant

Madison, WI

Melissa Mulliken Consulting 2015-2020

Teaching Experience

Inter-LS 250: Undergraduate Research Experience

University of Wisconsin-Madison

CO-LED SEMINAR OF 16 UNDERCLASSMEN IN WEEKLY RESEARCH SEMINAR, DEVELOPING AND EXECUTING SYLLABUS AIMED AT TEACHING STUDENTS ABOUT RESEARCH AND THE PUBLIC GOOD, CURRENT EVENTS IN RESEARCH, AND PRESENTATION SKILLS

09/2016 - 05/2018

2018-2020

Awards and Honors _____

KNIGHT-HENNESSY SCHOLARSHIP: STANFORD UNIVERSITY	2020
THEODORE HERFURTH AWARD FOR INITIATIVE AND EFFICIENCY: UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON	2018
MILES McMillin Memorial Scholarship: University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Journalism	2018
JAMES BAUGHMAN ACHIEVEMENT AWARD: UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM	2018
Rhodes Scholarship Finalist: Rhodes Trust	2017
MARSHALL SCHOLARSHIP FINALIST: MARSHALL AID COMMEMORATION COMMISSION	2017
Rose Family Undergraduate Research Grant: University of Wisconsin-Madison Elections Research Center	2017
HONORS SENIOR THESIS SUMMER RESEARCH GRANT: UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON HONORS COLLEGE	2017
ELAINE C. DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP: UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON POLITICAL SCIENCE DEPARTMENT	2017
CEDRIC & ETHEL PARKER SCHOLARSHIP: UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM	2017
Welton Honors Research Fellowship: University of Wisconsin-Madison Honors College	2016

U.S. Senate Youth Program: U.S. Senate and William Randolph Hearst Foundation