Anna Weissman

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Website

EDUCATION University of California, Berkeley

Ph.D. Political Science (Fall 2020 - Present)

Fields: American Politics, Political Methodology, Political Behavior

Committee: Sarah Anzia (chair), David Broockman, Paul Pierson, Eric Schickler

M.A. Political Science (2022)

Tufts University

B.A. Political Science, Philosophy, & German, Cum Laude (2017)

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES [1] "Descriptive Representation in an Era of Polarization", forthcoming at the *Journal of Politics*. https://doi.org/10.1086/732961

[2] Michael Hankinson, Asya Magazinnik and Anna Weissman (2024), "When Do Local Interest Groups Participate in the Housing Entitlement Process?", Journal of Political Institutions and Political Economy: Vol. 5: No. 1, pp 47-69.

http://dx.doi.org/10.1561/113.00000093

WORKS IN PROGRESS "As Racial Attitudes Go, So Goes Approval: Why White Democrats Favor Representatives of Color," under review (with Anna Mikkelborg)

"When Does Partisanship Shape Local Politics?"

"Local Roots in Local Politics"

"Place-based Attachment and Attitudes Towards Land Use"

PRESENTATIONS

APSA (2022, 2023*, 2024)

APSA Local Political Economy pre-Conference (2024)

MPSA (2022, 2023, 2024)

SPSA (2022, 2024)

Winter American Politics Research Meeting, UC Berkeley (2024)

Berkeley-Stanford American Politics Conference (2022)

University of Michigan Emerging Scholars Conference (2019)

Harvard Engaged Scholarship and Social Justice Research Conference (2017)

Stanford Undergraduate Research Conference (2017)

(*Indicates accepted paper but unable to attend due to extenuating circumstances)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE UC Berkeley, Graduate Student Instructor

Decision Analysis, Modeling, & Quant Methods, Jake Grumbach (graduate, Spring 2024)

Politics of Public Policy, David Broockman (Summer 2023)

Intro to American Politics, Paul Pierson (Fall 2021, Spring 2023)

Intro to Empirical Analysis & Quantitative Methods, David Broockman (Spring 2022)

Parties and Polarization in the US, Thomas Kent (Fall 2022)

Tufts University, Teaching Assistant

Intro to American Politics, Brian Schaffner (Fall 2019)

Quantitative Research Methods, Richard Eichenberg (Spring 2017)

SERVICE Reviewer: Journal of Politics

Social Sciences Research Pathways, Mentor, Berkeley (2024-2025 academic year)

Undergraduate Research Apprentice Program, Mentor, Berkeley (Fall 2023 - Present)

Politics Workshop of Grad Students, Co-Founder/Organizer, Berkeley (Spring 2023 - Present)

Tutor in Statistical Methods, Graduate and Undergraduate, Berkeley (Spring 2022 - Present)

Political Science Union Steward, Berkeley (2022 - Present)

Women in Political Science, Co-Coordinator, Berkeley (2022 - 2023)

Political Science Graduate Student Association, Co-President, Berkeley (2021 - 2022)

Research Workshop in American Politics, $Student\ Co\text{-}coordinator$, Berkeley (2021 - 2022)

Pi Sigma Alpha Undergraduate National Student Research Conference, Discussant (2022)

AWARDS 2024. Department Graduate Student Mentorship Award, UC Berkeley, \$2,500

2024. Synar Graduate Research Fellowship, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, \$3,000

2023. Peter H. Odegard Departmental Award, UC Berkeley Political Science, \$1,500

2023. Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, UC Berkeley

2020. Pi Sigma Alpha Howard Penniman Scholarship for Graduate Study

2017. William Howell Reed Prize in German, Tufts

2013-2017. Rotary International Scholarship

2015. Henry J. Leir International Scholars Program Scholarship

2013. Elks Scholarship

OTHER EXPERIENCE Research Assistant, Stanford University

Assisting Hakeem Jefferson (Fall 2024)

Graduate Student Researcher, UC Berkeley

Institute of Governmental Studies Poll (2022 - 2023)

Assisting Sarah Anzia (June - August 2022)

Assisting Eric Schickler (March - September 2021)

Senior Research Support Associate (full-time), Massachusetts Institute of Technology

American Politics (June 2019 - July 2020)

Comparative Politics (July 2017 - June 2019)

Research Assistant, Tufts University

YouthBEAT Research and Evaluation Study (Summer 2017)

Assisting Richard Eichenberg (Fall 2016)

SKILLS

English (Native), German (Professional Proficiency)

LATEX, R, Stata, Qualtrics, GIS