

Jennifer St Sume

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Government and Politics, University of Maryland, College Park. (Expected 2025)
Committee: Antoine Banks, Janelle Wong, Chryl Laird, and Lilliana Mason

M.A. Government and Politics, University of Maryland, College Park. (Expected 2022)

M.A. Communication, Wake Forest University (2017)

B.A. Communication Studies, Florida Atlantic University (2015)
University Scholar. Upper Division Honors Program.

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKING PAPERS

Journal Articles

St Sume, Jennifer, Wong, Janelle. *The Role of Race in Political Attitudes among the Non-Religious*. (Invited to revise and resubmit for a *Political Psychology* special issue)

St Sume, Jennifer. *African or American?: Linked Fate, Collective Nativism, and Black American National Identity*. (Working Paper)

St Sume, Jennifer. *The Psychology of Grievances*. (Working Paper)

Book Chapters

St Sume, Jennifer., *Shameless Apparel*, in *Critical Media Studies: Student Essays on Contemporary Sitcoms*. Mary M. Dalton, Ed., (Wake Forest University Press.).

St Sume, Jennifer., *The Architect*, in *Sharing Gratitude: Daily Reflections*. Mary M. Dalton, Ed., (Wake Forest University Press.).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2021-2022 **University of Maryland, College Park, Dept. of Government and Politics**
Faculty-Student Research Award, Research Assistant, Janelle Wong, Ph.D.,
College Park, MD

- 2019-2020 **University of Maryland, College Park, Dept. of Government and Politics**
Graduate Research Assistant, Liliana Mason, Ph.D.,
College Park, MD
- 2019-2020 **University of Maryland, College Park, Dept. of Government and Politics**
Graduate Research Assistant, Janelle Wong, Ph.D.,
College Park, MD
- 2018-2022 **University of Maryland, College Park, Dept. of Government and Politics**
Graduate Teaching Assistant,
Courses: Introduction to American Politics, Politics, Constitutional Policy, and
the Institution of the U.S. Supreme Court, Scope and Methods for Political
Science Research
College Park, MD
- 2016-17 **Department of State, Benjamin Franklin Transatlantic Fellowship,**
Dorm Director/Mentor
Winston-Salem, NC
- 2016-18 **Wake Forest University, Athletic Department,**
Communication Studies Tutor
Winston-Salem, NC
- 2016-17 **Wake Forest University, Department of Communication,**
Graduate Teaching Assistant,
Courses: Public Speaking, Relational Communication
Winston-Salem, NC

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, and AWARDS

Faculty-Student Research Award, The Graduate School, University of Maryland, College Park
- \$10,000 (2021-2022)

Dean's Research Initiative, College of Behavioral and Social Sciences, University of
Maryland, College Park - \$1,500 (2019-2020)

Dissertation Research Award, University of Maryland, College Park - \$5,000 (2022)

Dean's Fellowship, College of Behavioral and Social Sciences, University of Maryland, College
Park - \$10,000 (2018, 2021)

Support of Diversity and Inclusion (FISDI) Fellowship, College of Behavioral and Social Sciences, University of Maryland, College Park - \$10,000 (2019-2021)

University Scholar, College of Arts and Sciences, Florida Atlantic University - \$1,000 (2015)

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Co-chair of **Graduate Student Association**, Department of Government and Politics, University of Maryland, College Park (2019-2020)

Member of **WIND Graduate Student Advisory Committee** (2018-2019)

Member of **SisterMentors** (2018-2019)

Member of the **American Political Science Association** (2018-)

Social Activities Chair of the **Graduate Student Association, Wake Forest University** (2016-2017)

Member of **Lambda Pi Eta** (2015-2017)

PRESENTATIONS

Pabst, Kevin (Director), & Smith, Emily (Director of Photography), & **St Sume, Jennifer** (Producer). (2016). *To Speak on Canvas [Documentary]*. Presentation at Golden Door International Film Festival (October 2016).

Jennifer St Sume, “L” is for Licentious: A Literature Review on Identity, Rhetoric, and the LGBTQ Counterpublic, presentation at Southern States Communication Association. (April 11, 2015)

Jennifer St Sume, “L” is for Licentious: A Literature Review on Identity, Rhetoric, and the LGBTQ Counterpublic, presentation at Florida Atlantic University’s Research Symposium. (April 3, 2015)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political psychology, racial and ethnic politics, identity, political behavior, religion, public opinion, critical race theory, political communication.

SKILLS

Programming Languages: R, LaTeX, STATA, SQL, MySQL, GCP, ACS, Twitter API, Reddit API, New York Times API

Methods: Survey Methodology, Ordinary Least Squares, Generalized Linear Models, Machine Learning