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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	University of Oklahoma Assistant Professor, Political Science Lecturer, Dodge Family College of Arts and Sciences	August 2024 –
	University of Nevada, Reno Assistant Professor, Political Science	July 2019 – June 2023
EDUCATION	University of Colorado , Ph.D., Political Science.	2019
	University of New Hampshire , M.P.A.	2011
	Keene State College , B.A., Political Science	2009
JOURNAL ARTICLES	Ladam, Christina , Austin Bussing, Alexander Furnas, Josh McCrain, David R. Miller, and Rachel Porter. 2022. "The Junior Americanist Workshop Series (JAWS)." <i>PS: Political Science and Politics</i> . 55(3): 552–553.	
	Ladam, Christina . 2020. "Does Process Matter? Direct Democracy and Citizens' Perceptions of Laws." <i>Journal of Experimental Political Science</i> . 7(3): 232–237.	
	Ladam, Christina , Jeffrey J. Harden, and Jason H. Windett. 2018. "Prominent Role Models: High-Profile Female Politicians and the Emergence of Women as Candidates for Public Office." <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> . 62(2): 369–381. * Among top twenty most read articles in <i>AJPS</i> in 2018.	
CHAPTERS AND EDITED PIECES	Ladam, Christina , Ian Shapiro, and Anand Edward Sokhey. 2019. "Social Network Influence on Political Behavior in Religious Contexts." In <i>The Oxford Encyclopedia of Religion and Politics</i> . Paul A. Djupe, Mark J. Rozell, and Ted G. Jelen, eds. Oxford University Press.	
	Ladam, Christina , Joe Zamadics, Josh Ryan, and Anand Edward Sokhey. 2015. "Colorado's Sixth District – A Conservative Republican Successfully Adapts to his Changing District." In <i>The Roads to Congress 2014</i> . Sean Foreman and Bob Dewhurst, eds. Lexington Press.	
WORKING PAPERS	"Public Skepticism in the Economic Value of Higher Education." With Alisa Hicklin Fryar, Allyson Shortle, and Andrew Koricich.	
	"Partisanship and Recruitment for Deliberative Events." <i>Conditionally accepted at the Journal of Experimental Political Science</i> .	

- “The Influence of Anger in Political Discussion Networks.”
With Carey Stapleton.
- “Beyond Turnout: Political Efficacy and Styles of Civic Engagement.”
With Brett Bessen.
- “Re-examining Disagreement within Small Group Deliberations.”
With Anand Edward Sokhey and Andrew Therriault.
- “Recruiting for Diversity in Formal Deliberation Initiatives.”
- “Gender, Deliberation, and Small-Group Dynamics.”
With Anand Edward Sokhey and Andrew Therriault.
- “Turnout and Ballot Initiative Success.”
With Joe Zamadics.
- “Dosage Treatment in Activist Recruitment: A Field Experiment on Information Acquisition, Persuasion and Multiplier Effects.”
With Anand Edward Sokhey and Ryan Kennedy.

EXTERNAL
GRANTS AND
AWARDS

- Summer Centennial Center Research Grant (\$9943)** 2022
Junior Americanist Workshop Series (JAWS) CwC.
American Political Science Association (APSA).
- Summer Centennial Center Research Grant (\$2500)** 2021
“Recruiting for Diversity in Formal Deliberation Initiatives.”
American Political Science Association (APSA).
- Faculty Fellowship** 2020
Educational Network for Active Civic Transformation (ENACT)
Brandeis University
- State Politics and Policy Quarterly Best Paper Award** 2017
“Prominent Role Models: High-Profile Female Politicians and the Emergence of Women as Candidates for Public Office.”
State Politics and Policy Section of the American Political Science Association.
With Jeffrey J. Harden and Jason H. Windett
- Carrie Chapman Catt Prize, Research on Women and Politics (\$2000)** 2015
“Does the Election of Female Governors Influence Women’s Political Ambition?”
Iowa State University, Carrie Chapman Catt Center for Women and Politics.
With Jeffrey J. Harden and Jason H. Windett.
- Clifford C. Clogg Scholarship (\$2300)** 2015
Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research, Summer Program.

INTERNAL GRANTS AND AWARDS	Dimensions Grant (\$4000) 2022 "Nevada Election Survey Project" Research & Innovations, University of Nevada Reno. <i>With Jeremy Gelman.</i>
	Scholarly and Creative Activities Grant (\$5500) 2022 "Nevada Election Survey Project" College of Liberal Arts, University of Nevada Reno. <i>With Jeremy Gelman.</i>
	Dissertation Research Grant (\$2400) 2017 American Politics Research Lab, University of Colorado.
	Small Research Grant (\$629) 2017 University of Colorado, Political Science Department.
	Small Research Grant (\$750) 2016 University of Colorado, Political Science Department.
	Qualifying Paper Prize, Second Place (\$500) 2015 University of Colorado, Political Science Department.
	Small Research Grant (\$620) 2015 University of Colorado, Political Science Department.
	Poster Prize, First Place (\$100) 2014 University of Colorado, Political Science Department.
TRAVEL GRANTS	MPA Student of the Year 2011 University of New Hampshire, Political Science Department.
	Artinian Travel Award (\$500) 2020 Grant to attend and present at the annual Southern Political Science Association. Southern Political Science Association.
	Travel Stipend (\$300) 2019 Grant to attend and present at the annual Midwest Political Science Association. United Government of Graduate Students, University of Colorado.
	Travel Stipend (\$900) 2016 Grant to attend and present at the annual Political Networks Conference. National Science Foundation.
	Travel Stipend (\$300) 2016 Grant to attend and present at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. University of Colorado Graduate School.

Travel Stipend (\$300)

May 2015

Grant to attend and present at the annual State Politics and Policy Conference.

**CONFERENCE
PRESENTATIONS**

“Tenure in Higher Education: How Party Identification, Elite Rhetoric, and Policy Knowledge in Shaping Citizen Attitudes.”

2024 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

With Alisa Hicklin Fryar. Allyson Shortle, and Andrew Koricich.

“Recruiting for Diversity in Formal Deliberation Initiatives.”

2023 Four Corners Political Psychology Network Conference.

2022 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.

2020 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

(Canceled due to COVID-19.)

“The Influence of Anger in Political Discussion Networks.”

Spring 2022 Meeting of the Junior Americanist Workshop Series.

2022 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

2022 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.

With Carey Stapleton.

“Workshop: Organizing & Supporting Junior Scholar Virtual Workshops.”

2021 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

“Reason-giving and Information Processing in Deliberative Settings.”

Poster at the 2020 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

“Re-examining Disagreement within Small Group Deliberations.”

2020 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.

2016 Political Networks Conference.

2016 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

With Anand Edward Sokhey and Andrew Therriault

“Beyond Turnout: Distinct Effects of Internal and External Efficacy on Political Participation.”

2020 Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association.

2019 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

With Brett Bessen

“Making Deliberation Work: Network Spillover Effects from Deliberative Sessions.”

Junior Scholar Symposium at the 2019 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

2018 Political Networks Conference.

“Making Deliberation Work: Recruitment Design and Partisanship.”

2018 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

Poster at the 2017 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association.

“Gender, Deliberation, and Small-Group Dynamics.”

2017 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

With Anand Edward Sokhey and Andrew Therriault

“Does the Election of Female Governors Influence Women’s Political Ambition?”

2016 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.

2015 Annual State Politics and Policy Conference.

With Jeffrey J. Harden and Jason H. Windett

“Does Process Affect Evaluations of Outcomes in Lawmaking? Direct Democracy and Citizens’ Perceptions of Legitimacy.”

2015 Annual State Politics and Policy Conference.

TEACHING

Instructor of Record

University of Oklahoma

- American Federal Government (2025)
- Civil Rights and Liberties (2024)
- Gateway to the Social Sciences (2024, 2025)
- Public Opinion (2025)

University of Nevada, Reno

- American Politics: Process and Behavior (2019, 2020, 2021)
- Constitutional Law: Separation of Powers and Federalism (2021)
- Political Campaigns and Elections (2019, 2020, 2022)
- Public Opinion and Political Behavior (2020, 2021, 2022, 2023)
- Research Methods in Political Science (graduate) (2022)
- Survey of State and Local Governments (2021, 2023)
- Urban Politics (2022)

University of Colorado

- American Political System (2016)
- US Campaigns and Elections (2017)
- Urban Politics (2018)

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Political Science Department, University of Colorado

- Introduction to Political Science Data Analysis (graduate) (2018)
- Maximum Likelihood Estimation (graduate) (2015)
- American Political System (undergraduate) (2013, 2014, 2015, 2016)
- Quantitative Research Methods (undergraduate) (2015, 2016, 2017, 2019)

Social Network Analysis Workshop Instructor

Spring 2018

Center for Research Data and Digital Scholarship, University of Colorado

ACADEMIC WORK EXPERIENCE	Lab Fellow	2016 – 2019
	American Politics Research Lab, University of Colorado <i>Lead Lab Fellow, Fall 2016 & Fall 2018</i>	
	Research Assistant	2014 – 2016
	Research assistance for Jeffrey J. Harden	
	Trained Discussion Facilitator	2011
UNIVERSITY AND DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE	New Hampshire Listens Carsey School of Public Policy, University of New Hampshire <i>Trained by Everyday Democracy</i>	
	Local Government Fellowship	Summer 2010
	Municipal Management Association of New Hampshire Local Government Center, University of New Hampshire	
	Graduate Assistant	2010 – 2011
	Political Science Department, University of New Hampshire Courses: American Government, Comparative Politics of the Middle East	
	Advising	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angie Knoll (Committee Member, UNR History MA) • Amelia Lane (Advisor, UNR MPA) • Benjamin Payne (Committee Member, UNR Journalism MA) • Bridget Peterson (Advisor, UNR MPA) • Amber Reid (Committee Member, UNR PhD) • Madeliene Stuart (Advisor, UNR MPA) • Grace Whited (Advisor, UNR MPA) 	
	Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee	2020 – 2023
	Department of Political Science, University of Nevada, Reno	
	Department Representative	May 2016 – May 2017
	United Government of Graduate Students, University of Colorado	
	Undergraduate Committee Representative	May 2015 – April 2016
	Graduate Students in Political Science, University of Colorado	
	Vice President	May 2014 – April 2015
	Graduate Students in Political Science, University of Colorado	
	New Student Liaison	Spring 2014
	Graduate Students in Political Science, University of Colorado	

PROFESSIONAL
SERVICE

Reviewer

American Political Science Review, Electoral Studies, European Journal of Political Research, Government and Opposition, Public Opinion Quarterly, Political Research Quarterly, State Politics and Policy Quarterly, W. W. Norton & Company.

Emeritus Organizer

2020 – 2023

Junior Americanist Workshop Series (JAWS)

SKILLS AND
TRAINING

Statistical Training: Linear Regression, Maximum Likelihood Estimation, Generalized Linear Modeling, Time Series Analysis, Bayesian Analysis, Experimental Methods and Causal Inference, Survey Analysis, Network Analysis.

ICPSR Summer Program (2015): Advanced Networks, Complex Systems Modeling.

REFERENCES

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