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Education

University of California, Los Angeles

Ph.D., Political Science, 2017-

Committee: Chris Tausanovitch (Chair), Jeff Lewis, Dan Thompson, and

Lynn Vavreck

M.S., Statistics, 2017-

Rice University

B.A., Political Science & Philosophy, 2016

Research

University of California, Los Angeles

Research Analyst

UCLA COVID-19 Health and Politics Project, 2021-

Project Coordinator

Democracy Fund Nationscape Election Survey, 2019-2021

American Institutes for Research

Research Assistant

NAEP Reporting and Dissemination Team, 2016-2017

PIAAC Research Team, 2016-2017

Publications

Nationalized Elections, Localized Campaigns: Evidence from Televised

U.S. Debates (Working Paper)

A Streetlight Left Desired: Inequalities in City Service Delivery

(Working Paper, with Brian T. Hamel)

Income, Education, and Policy Priorities (Working Paper, with Chris

Tausanovitch)

DC On My Mind: National Considerations in State Political Decisions

(Working Paper, with Aaron Rudkin)

Teaching

University of California, Los Angeles

Instructor, Representation in State and Local Politics, Summer 2020

Teaching Assistant, Methodologies in Communication Research, Spring 2021

Teaching Assistant, Collective Choice and Majority Rule, Spring 2019

Teaching Assistant, Introduction to American Politics, Winter 2019

Teaching Assistant, Congress, Fall 2018

University of California, Riverside Extension

Teaching Assistant, Data Science with R (Professional Certificate), Summer 2019

Presentations

DC On My Mind: National Considerations in State Political Decisions

(Paper, with Aaron Rudkin) APSA Annual Meeting, 2021

Income and Representation in American Cities (Paper, with Brian T. Hamel)

MPSA Conference, 2019

Terrorism, Political Participation, and Lethality (Paper)

MPSA Conference, 2017

U.S. Young Adult Numeracy Skills Lagging Behind: Results from the Newest

PIAAC Release 2012/2014 (Paper)

Adult Education Research Conference, 2017

Awards and Fellowships

Graduate Research Mentorship Fellowship

University of California, Los Angeles, 2019-2020 (\$20,000)

Political Psychology Fellowship

University of California, Los Angeles, 2020 (\$1,000)

Graduate Summer Research Mentorship Fellowship

University of California, Los Angeles, Summers 2018, 2019 (\$12,000)

Marvin Hoffenberg Fellowship

University of California, Los Angeles, under Dr. Lynn Vavreck, 2018-

Affiliations

American Political Science Association (Urban and Local Politics)

Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society Pi Sigma Alpha Honor Society

Service

Political Science Graduate Student Association President, AY 2019/20

Political Science Graduate Student Association Admissions Committee

Representative, AY 2018/19

American Politics Lab Chair, AY 2018/19-19/20

R Maven, AY 2020/21-21/22