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Experience

Ph.D. Candidate in Government

Harvard University

Sept 2020 -
Cambridge, MA

- Conducted research on democratic representation using econometric and machine learning methods, resulting in conference and invited presentations at peer universities.
- Taught and assisted in the development of undergraduate courses in political science and data science, while receiving positive student evaluations.
- Collected and published novel datasets on Congressional budgets, candidates in American general elections, and local politics.

Pre-Doctoral Fellow

Election Law Clinic at Harvard Law School

Jan 2025 -
Cambridge, MA

- Executed analyses of data aiding in legal challenges to state and local government violations of election law.
- Collaborated with a multi-university research team in the collection of new local election results and data.
- Aided staff lawyers in reviewing depositions and statements for methodological solidity.

Graduate Research Assistant

Cooperative Election Study at Harvard University

May 2021 - Aug 2022
Cambridge, MA

- Collaborated with cross-university team to design annual nationally representative surveys of approximately 60,000 respondents
- Drafted and edited white papers and blog posts on Asian American political behavior and attitudes
- Evaluated the representativeness of the Cooperative Election Study using voter files, contributing to projects on polling accuracy

Education

Harvard University

Ph.D., Government
A.M., Government

Expected 2026
2022

University of California, San Diego

B.A., Political Science (High Honors), *magna cum laude*

2019

Grants and Awards

CAPS Seed Grant (with Angelo Dagonel and Kiara Hernandez)
GSC Conference Grant, Harvard University
V.O. Key Fellowship, Harvard University
Phi Beta Kappa

2022
2022
2020 - 2024
2019

Teaching

Harvard College, Department of Government

GOV 30, American Government: A New Perspective (Head TF)
GOV 51, Data Analysis and Politics, (TF)
GOV 30, American Government: A New Perspective, (TF)

Fall 2023
Spring 2023
Fall 2022

Skills

Technical: R, Python, Stata, SPSS, \LaTeX , HTML
Language: Korean (Limited Working)

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