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EDUCATION	Massachusetts Institute of Technology , Cambridge, MA Ph.D., Political Science • Fields: American Politics, Models & Methods University of Rochester , Rochester, NY B.A., Political Science and Statistics (<i>magna cum laude</i>) • Minor in Legal Studies	September 2021 – <i>present</i> August 2016–December 2019
RESEARCH INTERESTS	Election Administration, Voting Rights, Legislative Politics, Local Politics	
PUBLICATIONS	Working Papers “Where We Vote: The Changing Landscape of Where Americans Cast Votes” (<i>with Alejandro Flores</i>) “The Cost of Electoral Confidence” (<i>with Alejandro Flores and Charles H. Stewart III</i>) “The Party of Law and Order: Issue Ownership in Local Sheriff and Prosecutor Elections” (<i>with Gabrielle Péloquin-Skulski</i>) “Legislating Democracy: Determinants of State Legislator Support and Legislative Activity for Voting Rights Bills” “Locating the Voting Booth: The Distance and Search Costs of Moving Polling Places in Georgia”	
RESEARCH ASSISTANCE	Professor Charles H. Stewart III, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Professor Asya Magazinnik, Massachusetts Institute of Technology	2022 2022
TEACHING	<i>University of Rochester</i> Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Categorical Data Analysis (STT 218) (Professor: Joseph Ciminelli) Teaching Assistant, Argument in Political Science (PSC 202W) (Professor: Gerald Gamm)	Fall 2019 Fall 2018
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	Civis Analytics , Washington, DC Client Support Analyst New York State Assembly , Rochester, NY District Aide	February 2020–August 2021 February 2019–May 2019
AWARDS	<i>James D. McGill Memorial Prize</i> , University of Rochester, 2020	

CONFERENCES Southern Political Science Association, 2023

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SOFTWARE Proficient in: R, Python, Tableau, L^AT_EX

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