Keith E. Lee Jr.

Academic | Data Analyst

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Skills

Data Analysis — 15 years

R — 7 years

SQL — 2 years

Python — <1 year

Tools

- Git
- RStudio
- VS Code
- JupyterLab

Summary

Dedicated academic and Certified Public Manager (CPM) with a passion for leveraging analytical expertise in a new capacity as a Data Analyst, ideally in the public sector. Proficient in research methodologies, data interpretation, and project management cultivated through extensive academic experience. Skilled in transforming complex datasets into actionable insights and adept at employing statistical tools and programming languages (R and Python) to drive informed decision-making. Seeking to apply diverse skills in a dynamic data-driven environment to deliver impactful solutions.

Experience

Associate Professor of Political Science | 07/2020 - Present
Department of Political Science
Valdosta State University

Assistant Professor | 08/2016 - 06/2020
Department of Government & Sociology
Georgia College

I taught graduate courses on quantitative methods and public budgeting as well as undergraduate courses on American political institutions.

Nuclear Machinist Mate | 06/1998 - 01/2006
United States Navy

I completed nuclear power 'A' school, power school, and prototype in Charleston, S.C. I joined the crew of the USS Kentucky (BLUE) in 2000. I served as the Engineering Department Training Coordinator from 2003 - 2005. I was honorably discharded as an E-6 in January 2006.

Education

Ph.D. in Political Science | 08/2012 - 05/2017
Department of Political Science
University of Florida

Master in Public Administration | 01/2011 - 12/2011
Department of Political Science
Valdosta State University

B.A. in Political Science | 06/2009 - 12/2010
Department of Political Science
Valdosta State University

Projects

My consulting projects and data analysis portfolio can be viewed at keitheleejr.com.

Publications

Book

Kimberly Martin, **Keith E. Lee Jr.**, and John Hall. 2021. *Public Policy: Origins, Practice, and Analysis.* University of North Georgia Press. PDF. Also available at UNG Press

Peer Reviewed Articles

Kristina M. LaPlant, **Keith E. Lee Jr.**, and James T. LaPlant. *Forthcoming.* "Stopping the Steal and Selling the Big Lie: An Analysis of Tweets and Certification Votes Among House Republicans in the Wake of the 2020 Presidential Election" *American Politics Research*

Kristina M. LaPlant, Deryl Mack Seckinger, **Keith E. Lee Jr**, & James T. LaPlant. 2021. "Cocked, Locked, and Loaded: An Analysis of Five Policy Regimes of Concealed Carry on Campuses" *Politics & Policy* 49(1): 61-86.

Kristina M. LaPlant, **Keith E. Lee Jr.**, and James T. LaPlant. 2020. "Christmas Trees, Presidents, and Mass Shootings: Explaining Gun Purchases in the South and Non-South." *Social Science Quarterly* 102(1): 387-406.

Keith E. Lee Jr., Sydny Bryan, and James LaPlant. 2017. "Game Day Meets Election Day: Sports Records, Election Results, and the American South." Social Science Quarterly 98(5): 1422-1434.

Seth C. McKee, Antoine Yoshinaka, **Keith E. Lee Jr.**, and Richard McKenzie. 2016. "Party Switchers and Reelection: A Precinct Level Analysis." American Review of Politics. 35(2): 1-26.

Mandi Bates Bailey, **Keith Lee**, and Lee R. Williams. 2013. "Repealing 'Don't Ask, Don't Tell': The Impact of Stereotypes on Attitudes toward Homosexuals in the Military." American Review of Politics 34 (Summer): 85-102