Matthew Carson

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Education

Bachelor of Arts

Double Major, Sociology and Political Science (Expected June 2024) University of California, Los Angeles

- Accepted into the Departmental Honors Program in Sociology (March 2023).
- Accepted into the Departmental Honors Program in Political Science (March 2023).

Associate in Arts

Majors:

- Liberal Arts: Behavioral Science & Social Science
- Sociology for Transfer

August 2022, With Honors. Los Medanos College, Pittsburg, CA

Associate in Arts

Major:

• Political Science for Transfer

August 2022, With Honors. Diablo Valley College, Pleasant Hill, CA

Certificate in Plumbing

July 2013

UA Local 342 Plumbing Apprenticeship, Concord, CA

Awards

Honors Scholar

Honors Program Los Medanos College, Pittsburg, CA May 2020

• Received the college's highest distinction: Honors Scholar.

Bay Honors Research Symposium

April 2020

Accepted paper: "Global Warming and the Takings Clause: Can Eminent Domain Be Used to Avert a Climate Crisis?"

• Submission: http://mydo.cx/OGE1NjY4

• Paper: http://mydo.cx/YzViZWFl

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Published Works

Carson, Matt, Keith Brower Brown, and Ella Teevan. "Engines Out and Pickets Up to Stop Health Plan Downgrade by Cummins." *Labor Notes*, June 21, 2021. https://labornotes.org/blogs/2021/06/engines-out-and-pickets-stop-health-plan-downgrade-cummins.

Employment History

Plumber

UA Local 342, Concord, CA August 2007 - January 2017

Experience

East Bay Residents for Responsible Development

June 2016 - October 2016

• I was part of a coalition of craft unions and community groups that pressured the city council to enact project labor agreements in Oakland, CA and ensure the construction of affordable housing.