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INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Harvard University, Cambridge, MA

Ph.D. Government, 2026 (Anticipated)

Stanford University, Stanford, CA

B.A.H. Political Science, Departmental Honors and University Distinction, 2021

Minor in History and Law

Pine Crest School, High School Diploma, Fort Lauderdale, FL, 2017

University of Chicago, Biotechnology Certificate, Chicago, IL, 2013

BOOKS
IN PROGRESS

[1] *Contingent Valuation: Modern Assessments* (with Jon A. Krosnick and colleagues)

ARTICLES
IN PROGRESS

[2] "Personality, Survey Response, and Sample Representativeness"

[3] "Internet Expansion and Patterns of Campaign Finance" (with Shun Yamaya)

[4] "Improving Uncertainty Quantification in American Election Prediction via Conformal Inference" (with Matthew Blackwell)

[5] "Understanding and Optimizing the Measurement of Modern Racism in Political Surveys" (with Ryan D. Enos and colleagues)

[6] "Experimental Evidence from the 2008 ANES on Improving Survey Data Quality" (with Matthew K. Berent and Jon A. Krosnick)

[7] "Do Issue Stances Derive from Belief Systems? Comparing the Roles of Left-Right Ideology and Values" (with Arjun Vishwanath)

AWARDS &
RECOGNITION

1. Audience Choice Award, Harvard Government 13th Annual Poster Session (2024)

2. Harvard Undergraduate Association Teaching Award (2023)

3. Award for Distinguished Honors Thesis, Stanford Department of Political Science (2021)

4. Presidential Scholar, Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences (2021)

5. William Yandell Elliot Fellow, Harvard Department of Government (2021)

6. Pi Sigma Alpha Honor Society (2020)

7. Regeneron (Formerly Intel/Westinghouse) Science Talent Search (STS) Semifinalist (2017)

8. Siemens Competition Regional Finalist (2017)

9. Miami Herald Silver Knight Award, Science Category (2017)

10. National Merit Finalist & National Hispanic Scholar (2017)

11. Sigma Xi Research Competition, First Place in Cellular and Molecular Biology (2016)

12. Yale Book Award (2016)

TALKS

1. "Do Issue Stances Derive from Belief Systems? Comparing the Roles of Left-Right Ideology and Values," 81st Annual Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Conference, Chicago, IL, April 5, 2024 (Paper with Arjun Vishwanath)

2. "Broadband Internet and Campaign Donations," Society for Political Methodology (PolMeth) Conference XL, Stanford University, July 10, 2023 (Poster with Shun Yamaya)

3. "Celebrating Robert Mitchell: The Legacy of Contingent Valuation Survey Methodology," AAPOR Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA, May 11, 2023 (Panel with Stanley Presser, Richard T. Carson, W. Michael Hanemann, and Jon A. Krosnick)

4. "Internet Expansion and Patterns of Campaign Finance," American Politics Research Workshop, Harvard University, February 21, 2023

5. "Measuring the American Voter: Experimental Evidence from the 2008 ANES on Improving Survey Data Quality," Political Psychology Research Group Spring Colloquium, Stanford University, May 24, 2021

TEACHING

Survey Research Methods (GOV 1010), Spring 2024.
Overall Rating: 5.0 out of 5.0

American Government: A New Perspective (GOV 30), Fall 2023.
Overall Rating: 4.8 out of 5.0 | Received Harvard Undergraduate Association Teaching Award.

MEDIA

Interview with *Yahoo News* for Mather (2024): "Do 1 in 5 adults under 30 really believe the Holocaust didn't happen? Not so fast. How some online polling practices are fueling misinformation."

WORK EXPERIENCE

Harvard Digital Lab for the Social Sciences (DLABSS), Cambridge, MA

Lab Manager & Survey Methodologist   **Winter 2022 to Present**

Political Psychology Research Group, Stanford, CA

Research Assistant   **Fall 2019 to Summer 2021**

Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, CA

Research Assistant   **Winter 2017 to Summer 2019**

Max Planck Florida Institute for Neuroscience, Jupiter, FL

Data Scientist, Intern   **Summer 2017**

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Coordinator, Harvard Working Group in Political Psychology (WOGPOP), 2024–Present

Webmaster, Harvard Government Graduate Students Association, 2021–Present

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Association for Public Opinion Research (AAPOR), Member, 2020–Present

American Political Science Association (APSA), Member, 2021–Present

American Economic Association (AEA), Member, 2021–Present

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Member, 2024-Present

Society for Political Methodology (SPM), Member, 2021–Present

LANGUAGES, TECHNOLOGIES, AND STATISTICAL MODELS	• Python, Java, C, C++, MATLAB, LaTeX, R, Stata, SPSS, Qualtrics • TensorFlow, Keras, Git • Survey Statistics and Methodology, Contingent Valuation, Causal Inference, Regression Models, Instrumental Variables, RDDs, Bootstrapping, Machine Learning, Deep Learning (CNN, GAN), Text-as-Data