

# SHAYLA F. OLSON

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Michigan State University</b> Ph.D. Student, Department of Political Science Fields: American Politics, Methods, Religion & Politics	8/2018 - Present
<b>Indiana State University</b> Concentration: Political Science, Honors, magna cum laude.	B.A., 2017

## WORKING PAPERS

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1. **Shayla F. Olson**. "A Common Ground Approach to Competing Social Identities." Working paper.
2. Jamil Scott, Kesicia Dickinson, and **Shayla F. Olson**. "Exploring the emergence and political consequence of mayors of color." Working paper.
3. Nazita Lajevardi and **Shayla F. Olson**. "Supply and Demand of Female Candidates of Color in the 2018 Election." Working paper.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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Research Assistant, Professor Eric Juenke.	2018, 2019
Research Assistant, Dr. Carly Schmitt (Indiana State University).	2017
Research Assistant, Dr. David Kilroy (Study Abroad, Dublin, Ireland).	2017

## SKILLS

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## GRANTS AND AWARDS

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<i>Michigan State University</i> Summer Research Assistantship, Institute for Public Policy and Social Research.	2019, 2020
Summer Research Award. \$2,250.	Summer 2019
Research Scholars Award, College of Social Science. \$2,214.	Summer 2019
<i>Indiana State University</i> President's Scholar	2014-2017

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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MPSA Annual Conference.	2018, 2019
University of Michigan/Michigan State Mini-Conference on Race and Ethnicity	2019

## SERVICE

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<i>Conference Discussant</i> Annual Meeting of the Michigan Political Science Association.	2018
<i>Departmental Service</i> First-Year Representative, Graduate Student Association.	2018, 2019