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## Current Positions

- 2021– **Predoctoral Research Fellow**  
Johns Hopkins University
- 2023– **Ph.D. Student**  
Department of Sociology and Jeb E. Brooks School of Public Policy, Cornell University (Starting July)

## Education

- 2023– **Cornell University**  
Ph.D., Sociology (Policy Analysis and Management Track)  
Graduate Minor: Demography
- 2018–21 **University of Washington**  
B.A., Sociology (Honors), *cum laude*, Phi Beta Kappa  
Minor, Data Science

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## Experience

- 2021– **Predoctoral Research Fellow**, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD
- 2020–21 **Honors Thesis Researcher**, Department of Sociology, University of Washington, Seattle, WA
- 2020–20 **Research Assistant**, Department of Public Health, University of Washington, Seattle, WA

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## Research Interests

📖 Social Demography, Urban Sociology, Health, Stratification  
📊 Spatial Data Analysis, Causal Inference

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## Presentations

- 2022 📄 “Race, Class, and Light Rail Transit: Examining the Role of High-Income Mobility in Demographic Change”, Population Association of America 2022 Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

- 2021 [P] “How Qualitative Data Can Inform Economic Questions: A Mixed-Methods Approach to Post-secondary Educational Trajectories”, [with Matthew Gonzalez and Claire Smith], Economic Policy Issues Colloquium, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD.
- 2021 [P] “Race, Class, and Light Rail Transit: Examining Income and Demographic Change in Neighborhoods with Transit Development”, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting Honors Program Session [Virtual].
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## Honors & Awards

- 2021 Howard B. Woolston Award for Academic Excellence, UW Department of Sociology
- 2021 University of Washington Honors Program
- 2021 American Sociological Association Honors Program
- 2021 Mary Gates Undergraduate Research Award, University of Washington (\$5,000)
- 2020 Population Health Research Award, UW Population Health Initiative
- 2018-21 University of Washington Dean’s List
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## Skills

Software: R, Stata, SQL, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, ArcGIS, MAXQDA, Git, GitHub, Bash

Languages: English [native]; Spanish [intermediate]

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## Affiliations

Population Association of America