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Research and Teaching Interests

American Politics, Political Psychology, Public Opinion, Political Behavior, Constitutional Law, Partisanship, Ideology, Research Design, Survey & Experimental Methodologies

Employment

Research Assistant. Department of Political Science, University of Georgia. August 2025-present. (Dr. Jonathan King)

Graduate Assistant. Department of Teacher Education, University of Mississippi. August 2023-May 2025. (Dr. Sarah Quong)

Education

Ph.D. Political Science & International Affairs. University of Georgia. 2030 (Expected).

M.A. Political Science. University of Mississippi. 2025.

B.A. Political Science. University of Mississippi. 2023.

Awards & Honors

University of Georgia. Eugene Miller Memorial Fund, 2025-2026. (\$2,500)

Conference Participation

“The Path to the Dark Side: Investigating Determinants of Political Violence and Negative Partisanship Through Open-Ended Responses.” with Sangdo Lee, 2026. Presenting at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, April 23-26, 2026, Chicago, IL.

Languages

English (Fluent, Native)

Spanish (Intermediate - Speaking, Reading)

Technical Skills

Stata (Advanced)

R (Advanced)

Microsoft Excel (Advanced)

LaTeX (Novice)

CPython (Novice)

Memberships

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)

References

Available upon request.