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Education

University of Missouri, Columbia, MO Ph.D. in Political Science, (expected May 2022)

Southwest Baptist University, Bolivar, MO Political Science and Social Sciences Education
Bachelor of Science, May 2017

Publications

“The Development of Representation in American Political Institutions” (with Jordan Butcher)
Forthcoming *Legislative Studies Quarterly*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/lsq.12322>

“Congressional Nominations and Party Emergence, 1788-1808” (with Jay Dow) Forthcoming
Social Science Quarterly. <http://doi.org/10.1111/ssqu.13064>

Manuscripts Under Review

“Congressional Redistricting and Strategic Copartisans: Partisan Gerrymandering in Pennsylvania, 1800-1824.”

Conference Presentations

- June 2021 “Congressional Redistricting and Strategic Copartisans: Partisan Gerrymandering in Pennsylvania, 1800-1824” Presented at the Congress and History Conference.
- April 2021 “Democratic-Republicans and State Legislatures: Party Emergence from the Bottom-Up, 1796-1824” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association.
- April 2020 “Democratic-Republicans and State Legislatures: Party Emergence from the Bottom-Up, 1796-1824” Scheduled to partake in a Junior Scholar Symposium at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL. Canceled due to Covid-19.
- April 2020 “Congressional Nominations and Party Emergence, 1788-1824” (with Jay Dow). Scheduled to present at the 6th Annual Shawnee Trail Conference. Waco, TX. Canceled due to Covid-19.
- April 2019 “Congressional Nominations and Party Emergence, 1788-1824” (with Jay Dow). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL.

- April 2019 “Democratic-Republicans and State Legislatures: Party Emergence from the Bottom-Up” Presented at the Kinder Graduate Conference. Columbia, MO.
- March 2019 “The Case of Term Limits in The Continental Congress, 1774-1789” with (Jordan Butcher) Presented at the 5th Annual Shawnee Trail Conference. Columbia, MO.

Teaching Interests

American Government Institutions and Politics; Comparative Institutions and Politics; American Political Development; Authoritarian Institutions.

Teaching Experience

Instructor of Record

- American Government: Spring 2022
- Kinder Institute Residential College Seminar: Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Spring 2022
- Comparative Political Systems: Fall 2020, Summer 2021, Fall 2021

Lab Instructor

- Comparative Political Systems: Fall 2018

Teaching Assistant

- The Constitutional Debates: Spring 2021
- Elections and Democracy in the United States: Spring 2021
- Race and the American Story: Spring 2020
- Missouri Politics: Spring 2019
- Power and Money: Spring 2018
- The American Constitution: Fall 2017

Awards, Fellowships, and Grants

- *David M. Wood Excellence in Political Science Research Award* Department of Political Science, University of Missouri (Spring 2021)
- *Jeffrey D. Byrne Award*. Department of Political Science, University of Missouri (Spring 2021)
- *Dean L. Yarwood Award*. Department of Political Science, University of Missouri (Spring 2020)
- *Graduate Fellowship*. Kinder Institute on Constitutional Democracy, University of Missouri (Fall 2019-Present)
- *Conference Travel Grant*. Department of Political Science, University of Missouri (Fall 2019)
- *Bryan L. Forbis Award*. Department of Political Science, University of Missouri (Spring 2019)
- *Conference Travel Grant*. Department of Political Science, University of Missouri (Fall 2018)

- *Graduate Assistantship*. Department of Political Science, University of Missouri (Fall 2017-Spring 2019)

Additional Training

- Online Teaching Certificate. University of Missouri, Columbia, MO, September 2020
- Creating an Online Course Four-Week Workshop, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO, Summer 2020

Professional Memberships and Service

- Midwest Political Science Association
- American Political Science Association
- Graduate Student Mentor (University of Missouri), 2019-2021
- Kinder Institute Residential College Mentor (University of Missouri), 2020-2021
- President, Graduate Association of Political Scientists (University of Missouri), 2020-2021
- Vice President, Graduate Association of Political Scientists (University of Missouri), 2019-2020
- Treasurer, Graduate Association of Political Scientists (University of Missouri), 2018-2019