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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science, University of Oklahoma, *in progress*.

Graduate Fellow, Carl Albert Congressional Research and Studies Center

M.A. Political Science, University of Southern Mississippi, 2020.

B.S. Political Science, *Magna Cum Laude*, University of Southern Mississippi, 2018.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Legislative politics, esp. cooperation in the U.S. Congress; **political methodology**, esp. experimental methods and computational text-as-data methods; **religion and politics**, esp. policy attitudes and narrative construction; **public policy**, esp. applications of the Narrative Policy Framework

WORKING PAPERS

1. “Credible Claims: How Legislative Committee Membership Impacts Credit Claiming.” *with Peter McLaughlin*.
2. “Domain Manipulation in Congressional Lawmaking.” *with Alex Smith*.
3. “A Machine Learning Approach to Uncovering Multidimensionality in Congressional Bills.”
4. “The Partisan Pork Barrel: Partisan Issue Cues and the Effectiveness of Credit-Claiming.” *with Peter McLaughlin*.

SERVICE & HONORS

Provost’s Certificate of Distinction in Teaching, Univ. of Oklahoma, 2021.

Political Science Graduate Student of the Year, Univ. of Southern Mississippi, 2020.

Graduate Senate Representative, Univ. of Southern Mississippi, 2019-2020.

Academic Coach, USM New Student and Retention Programs, 2019.

Board Member, USM Center for Human Rights and Civil Liberties, 2018-2020.

Conference Coordinator, USM Center for Human Rights and Civil Liberties, 2018-2019.

Member, USM Honors College Curriculum Development Committee, 2016.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2022 APSA Annual Meeting (Montreal, Politics and Religion paper, Legislative studies poster)
MPSA Annual Meeting (Chicago, Legislative Studies paper)

2021 APSA Annual Meeting (Seattle, Politics and Religion poster *with Abby Bitterman*)
Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting (Portland, paper *with Abby Bitterman*)

2019 Mississippi Political Science Association (Hattiesburg, Electoral Politics paper, Public Policy paper
with Troy Gibson)

TEACHING

University of Oklahoma

Political Analysis: Summer 2022, *instructor of record*.

American Federal Government: Summer 2021, *instructor of record*.

U.S. Congress: 2021, teaching assistant for Charles Finocchiaro.

American Federal Government: 2020-2021, teaching assistant for Michael Crespín, Charles Finocchiaro.

University of Southern Mississippi

American Government: Fall 2019, *instructor of record*.

Proseminar in Political Science: Spring 2020, teaching assistant for Marek Steedman.

Political Philosophy: Fall 2018, teaching assistant for Marek Steedman.

Basic Economics: 2018-2020, teaching assistant for Edward Sayre, Mehdi Barati, Mian Raza.

Introduction to Microeconomics: 2018-2020, teaching assistant for Elif Filiz.

Introduction to Macroeconomics: 2018-2020, teaching assistant for Hadise Tavana.