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EDUCATION

2022- **Ph.D. Political Science**, University of California, Davis
Subfields: American Politics, Methodology | 3.9 GPA

2023 **ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods**

2017-2021 **B.A.**, University of Wisconsin – Green Bay
Summa Cum Laude, with distinction in the major | Majors: Political Science, Democracy and Justice Studies (emphases: Legal Studies, U.S. & the World), Public Administration (emphasis: Public & Nonprofit Management) | 3.9 GPA

RESEARCH

Research Interests

American political behavior, methodology, gender & politics, representation, law & politics

Peer-Reviewed Article

Weinschenk, Aaron C., Amanda Baker, Zoe Betancourt, Vanessa Depies, Nathan Erck, Quinne Herolt, Amanda Loehrke, Cameron Makurat, Hannah Malmberg, Clarice Martell, Jared Novitzke, Bradley Riddle, Tara Sellen, Leah Tauferner, & Emily Zilliox. 2020. "Have State Supreme Court Elections Nationalized?" *Justice System Journal*, 41(4): 313-322.

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

University of California, Davis

Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science

Course: Racial Politics | Dr. Brad Jones | Spring 2024

Course: US Foreign Policy | Dr. McCage Griffiths | Winter 2024

Course: Latinx Politics | Dr. Brad Jones | Fall 2023

Course: Local Government and Politics | Dr. Scott MacKenzie | Spring 2023

Course: Judicial Politics | Dr. Mark Verbitsky | Winter 2023

Graduate Student Researcher

CA Legislative Climate Adaptation Project | Dr. Scott MacKenzie | Summer 2023

Huntington Learning Center

Teacher and Subject Tutor

K-12 Teaching in Math, Science, and English, Tutoring in College History | 2021-2022

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Graduate Association of Political Science Students | University of California, Davis

Vice President | 2023-Present

Graduate Student Association Representative | 2022-2023

Political Science Mentorship Program | University of California, Davis

Graduate Student Peer Mentor | 2023-2024

Graduate Methods Tutor | University of California, Davis | 2023

HONORS AND AWARDS

University of California, Davis

Summer Methods Travel Support Program Award | \$2,800 | 2023

University of Wisconsin – Green Bay

Chancellor’s Leadership Medallion | 2021

Academic Dean’s List | 2017-2021

University Leadership Award | 2020

Center for Public Affairs Research Endowed Scholarship | 2020

Denise Scheberle Scholarship for Political Science | 2020

Martin Luther King, Jr. Social Justice Award | 2018

SKILLS

Google Workspace | LaTeX | Microsoft Office | R | Website and Social Media Management