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- ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT** Assistant Professor
Lewis-Clark State College 2018-present
- EDUCATION** *Ph.D. Political Science* 2018
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- M.A. Political Science* 2016
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- B.A. Political Science and English* 2012
University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Honors: Phi Beta Kappa, Magna Cum Laude, Honors Program High Distinction
- Interests/Areas of Specialization*
Political behavior, political psychology, gender and politics, political communication, environmental politics, cognitive psychology, public opinion, elections/campaigns
- PUBLICATIONS** “Do Ideological Attacks Change How Voters Evaluate Primary Election Candidates?”
with Benjamin Kantack. 2022. *American Politics Research*
- “PS Symposium on Strategies for How Men Can Advance Gender Equity in Political Science”
with Paul Testa, Tarah Williams, and Matthew Hibbing. 2021. *PS: Political Science & Politics*
- “Getting the Message? Choice, Self-Selection, and the Efficacy of Social Movement Arguments.”
with Paul Testa, Tarah Williams, and Matthew Hibbing. 2021. *Journal of Experimental Political Science*
- “Digital Segregation: Gender, Occupation and Access to Politics” with Amanda Friesen and Ryan Burge. 2019. *Social Science Computer Review*
- “Politics as Usual? Perceptions of Political Incivility in the United States and the United Kingdom”
with Benjamin Kantack. 2019. *Journal of Political Science*
- “Researching the Issued Content of American Newsreels” with Scott Althaus. In *Researching Newsreels: Local, National, and Transnational Case Studies*, edited by Ciara Chambers. Palgrave Macmillan. 2018.
- WORKS IN PROGRESS** “Understanding Electability: Implicit Bias and Effects on Gendered Candidate Perceptions”
with Joel Mehic-Parker. Revise and resubmit at *The Journal of Women, Politics, and Policy*

“Does the Messenger Shape the Message’s Effect? Race, Black Lives Matter, and the Efficacy of Social Movement Messages” with Paul Testa, Tarah Williams, and Matthew Hibbing.

The Politics of Early Birds and Night Owls: An Analysis of Congressional Twitter Accounts with Aleksander Ksiazkiewicz and Jaeseok Cho.

CONFERENCES “Understanding Electability: Implicit Bias and Effects on Gendered Candidate Perceptions” with Joel Mehic-Parker. 2022 Midwest Political Science Association Conference. Chicago, IL

“Does the Messenger Shape the Message’s Effect? Race, Black Lives Matter, and the Efficacy of Social Movement Messages” with Paul Testa, Tarah Williams, and Matthew Hibbing. 2021 Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference. Portland, OR.

“Does the Messenger Shape the Message’s Effect? Race, Black Lives Matter, and the Efficacy of Social Movement Messages” with Paul Testa, Tarah Williams, and Matthew Hibbing. 2021 Midwest Political Science Association Conference. Virtual.

“Understanding Electability: Implicit Bias and Effects on Gendered Candidate Perceptions.” 2020 Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference. Virtual.

“Understanding Electability: Implicit Bias and Effects on Gendered Candidate Perceptions.” 2020 Gender and Political Psychology virtual conference.

“Ideological Attacks and Information Search in Primary Elections.” with Benjamin Kantack. 2020 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL. (Note cancelled due to COVID-19)

“The Role of Electability: How Implicit and Explicit Gender Attitudes Influence Perceived Candidate Viability” with Joel Mehic-Parker. Scheduled for the 2020 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL. (Note cancelled due to COVID-19)

“Ideological Attacks and Information Search in Primary Elections.” with Benjamin Kantack. 2019 Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Boise, ID.

“Ideological Attacks and Information Search in Primary Elections” with Benjamin Kantack. 2019 Western Political Science Association, San Diego CA.

“Self Selection and the Persuasive Appeal of Social Movements” with Paul Testa and Tarah Williams. 2019 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL.

“Ideological Attacks and Information Search in Primary Elections” with Benjamin Kantack. 2019 Southern Political Science Association, Austin TX.

“Sophistication without Introspection: Voters May Know More Than They Know” with Aleks Ksiazkiewicz and Alex Theodoridis. 2018 Midwest Political science Association, Chicago IL.

“Facebook for News: The Influence of Social Media Use on Objective and Subjective Policy Knowledge” 2018 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL.

“Objective and Subjective Political Knowledge in the Social Media Environment” 2017 University of Illinois-University of Iowa Graduate Student Exchange, Iowa City IA.

“Factual Political Knowledge and Perceptions of Knowledge in the New Media System” 2017 American Political Science Association, San Francisco CA.

“Politics as Usual? Perceptions of Political Incivility in the United States and the United Kingdom” with Benjamin Kantack. 2017 American Political Science Association Political Communication Pre-conference, San Francisco CA.

“Objective and Subjective Knowledge in the New Media System” 2017 Chicago Area Behavior Workshop, Evanston IL.

“Incivility in Context: The Effects of Disagreement on Political Participation in the US and UK” 2017 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL.

“Political Knowledge in the New Media Environment” 2017 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL.

“Social Media for News: The Influence of Facebook on Political Knowledge” 2017 Western Political Science Association, Vancouver BC.

“Factual Knowledge and Perceptions of Knowledge in the New Media Environment” 2016 University of Illinois-Notre Dame Graduate Student Exchange, South Bend IN.

“Objective and Subjective Political Knowledge in the New Media Environment” 2016 American Political Science Association, Philadelphia PA.

“Political Knowledge in the Digital Age” 2016 Chicago Area Behavior Workshop, Evanston IL.

“Political Knowledge and Media Choice in the Digital Age” 2016 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL.

“The Effects of Personality on Political Science Subject Pool Participation” with Benjamin Kantack, 2016 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL.

“Gender, Influence, and Political Persuasion” with Paul Testa and Tarah Williams, 2015 American Political Science Association, San Francisco CA.

“The Potential to Persuade: The Gendered Effects of Informal Political Discussions” with Paul Testa and Tarah Williams, 2015 Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL.

Discussant

Pacific Northwest Political Science Association

Panel: Gender and Politics	2020
Panel: Media and Public Opinion	2019, 2021
Panel: Student Poster Session	2019

Midwest Political Science Association

Panel: Gender, Race, and Stereotypes	2022
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Panel: Women’s Descriptive and Substantive Representation	2022
Panel: Barrier to Female Representation	2021
Undergraduate panel: Voting Behavior	2021

Invited Talks

- “Forms of Government” Invited talk for Government & Infrastructure Day at the Leadership LC Valley class, spring 2022.
- “Election Integrity” Invited talk for the Moscow, ID League of Women Voters, fall 2021.
- “Structures & Characteristics of Mayor-Council and Council-Manager Forms of Government” Invited talk at the Your City Government, Your Vote event, summer 2021.
- “Ready to Run?: The Gender Gap in Pursuing Political Office” Invited talk for the Moscow, ID League of Women Voters, spring 2021.
- “Political (Mis)information and Motivated Reasoning” Invited lecture at College of Western Idaho, spring 2020. (Note cancelled due to COVID-19)
- “Sophistication without Introspection: Voters May Know More Than They Know.” Washington State University Political Science Research Colloquium, spring 2019.
- “Motivated Reasoning and Political Values” Invited lecture for the Democratic Divas in Lewiston, fall 2018.

TEACHING

Lewis-Clark State College

Classes

- POLS 101: American National Government
- POLS 392: Campaigns and Elections
- POLS 492: Political Psychology
- POLS 463: Women and Politics
- ID 300: Wilderness
- SS 385: Research Methods
- SS 499: Senior Research
- ID 301A: Hells Canyon Institute 2020, 2021, 2022

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Instructor:

- Politics of the National Parks (Online) Winter 2016-2017
- Introduction to U.S. Government and Politics Fall 2016
- (Class restricted to students in LAS Access and Achievement Program)
- Environmental Politics and Policy (Online) Fall 2014

TEACHING AWARDS

Lewis-Clark State College

- President’s Award for Outstanding Teaching 2022

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

- LAS Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching 2018
- List of Teachers Ranked Excellent Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016

Outstanding TA Award, Department of Gender and Women's Studies 2015-2016

TRAINING

Lewis-Clark State College

The Belonging Project 2019-2020
Inclusive Classroom Practices 2018-2019

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Writing Across the Curriculum 2017
Teacher-Scholar Certificate, Center for Innovation in Teaching and Learning 2016
Mentoring Certificate, Graduate College and Office of Undergraduate Research 2016
Facilitator, Graduate Student TA Orientation 2015, 2016, 2017
Graduate Teaching Certificate, Center for Innovation in Teaching and Learning 2015

HONORS & AWARDS

Discipline

APSA Centennial Center Award, \$1,309 (with Karra McCray, Paul Testa, and Tarah Williams) 2022-2023
Center for American Women and Politics Research Grant, \$29,605.50 (with Paul Testa and Tarah Williams) 2021-2022
American Political Science Association Research Grant, \$2500 (with Benjamin Kantack) 2019-2020

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Faculty Development Grant, \$1,000 2021
Institutional Development Grant for PNWPSA, \$2796 2021
Institutional Development Grant for MPSA, \$275 2021
Institutional Development Grant for PNWPSA, \$100 2020
Faculty Development Grant, \$1,000 2020
Faculty Development Grant, \$1,000 2019
HERC Faculty-Student Collaboration Grant, \$4,000 2019
ASLCSC Grant for Send Hunger Packing/Art under the Elms, \$240 2019
Institutional Development Grant for Boise Field Exploration, \$2000 2019-2020
Institutional Development Grant for PNWPSA, \$2190 2019
Institutional Development Grant for Guest Speaker, \$500 2019-2020
HERC Research Grant, \$570 2018-2019
Faculty Development Grant for WPSA 2019, \$500 2018-2019

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Charles E. Merriam Travel Award 2018
APSA Political Communication Section Travel Award 2017
APSA Travel Grant 2017
Constantine W. Curris Travel Award (UIUC) 2017
Kathleen L. Burkholder Travel Award (UIUC) 2017
Harrell Rodgers Graduate Student MPSA Travel Award 2017
APSA Political Communication Section Travel Award 2016
George T. Yu Travel Award (UIUC) 2016
Loren H. Plunkett Travel Award (UIUC) 2015
Carrie Chapman Catt Prize for Research on Women and Politics
Iowa State University, with Paul Testa and Tarah Williams 2015
Outstanding Volunteer Award, UIUC Women's Resources Center 2014-2015

Departmental Fellowship, University of Illinois
Phi Beta Kappa Member

Summer 2013

SERVICE

Lewis-Clark State College

University Service

Co-organize of Student Democracy Day	2022
Member of promotion committee for Amanda VanLanen	2021
Member of tenure committee for Seth Bradshaw	2021
Search committee member, psychology position	2021
Faculty Senator	2019-2022
Leading CTL scholarly writing group	2019-2020
Send Hunger Packing committee	2019
Member of tenure committee for Rachelle Genthos	2018
Co-organizer of Constitution Day	2018-present

Student Advising and Mentoring

Brought 4 students to the PNWPSA Conference	2021
Brought 4 students to the virtual MPSA Conference	2021
Coordinated student internships with county clerk's office	2020
Brought 3 students to the virtual PNWPSA Conference	2020
Brought 6 students to the PNWPSA Conference	2019
Brought 5 students to the PNWPSA Conference	2018
Political Science Club Co-Advisor	2018-present

Discipline Service

Executive Council, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association
Political Psychology Section Chair, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association

Reviewer for *American Politics Research*, *International Journal of Communication*,
Journal of Politics, *Political Behavior*

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

University Service

Illinois Promise Mentor	2017-2018
Executive Board of Political Science Graduate Student Association	2017-2018
Department of Political Science GEO Representative	2017-2018
Department of Political Science Grievance Committee	2016-2017
Graduate Mentor, Undergraduate Research Apprenticeship Program	2015-2016
Women's Resources Center Advisory Council Member	2015-2016
Students Advising on Graduate Education Board Member	2014-2015
Graduate College Women's Resources Committee Member	2014-2015
Women's Resources Center Volunteer	2013-2015
Provost and Graduate College Student Advisory Board Member	2013-2014
University of Illinois Graduate Student Senator	2013-2014

SKILLS

Dynamic Processing Tracing Software (DPTE), GeoDa, HLM, QGIS, R, Stata

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS American Political Science Association
Midwest Political Science Association

Pacific Northwest Political Science Association
Western Political Science Association