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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** “Getting the Message? Choice, Self-Selection, and the Efficacy of Social Movement Arguments.” with Paul Testa, Tarah Williams, and Matthew Hibbing. *Journal of Experimental Political Science*

“Digital Segregation: Gender, Occupation and Access to Politics” with Amanda Friesen and Ryan Burge. *Social Science Computer Review*

“Politics as Usual? Perceptions of Political Incivility in the United States and the United Kingdom” with Benjamin Kantack. *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.

**WORKS IN PROGRESS** “PS Symposium on Strategies for How Men Can Advance Gender Equity in Political Science” with Paul Testa, Tarah Williams, and Matthew Hibbing. *Revise and resubmit*

“Ideological Attacks and Information Search in Primary Elections” with Benjamin Kantack.

“Understanding Electability: Implicit Bias and Effects on Gendered Candidate Perceptions” with Joel Mehic-Parker

“Implicit Political Knowledge” with Aleks Ksiazkiewicz and Alex Theodoridis.

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

Panels: Media and Public Opinion; Student Poster Session 2019

**Midwest Political Science Association** Panel: Electoral Campaigns

2020

(Note cancelled due to COVID-19)

**Invited Talks**

“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  
ID 301A: Hells Canyon Institute 2020

**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**

**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**

American Political Science Association Research Grant, \$2500 2019-2020

**Lewis-Clark State College**

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, \$2100 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	Summer 2013
Phi Beta Kappa Member	

**SERVICE**

**Lewis-Clark State College**

*University Service*

Faculty Senator	2019-present
Leading CTL scholarly writing group	2019-present
Send Hunger Packing committee	2019
Member of tenure committee for Rachelle Genthos	2018
Co-organizer of Constitution Day	2018-present

*Student Advising and Mentoring*

Coordinated student internships with county clerk's office	2020
Brought 3 students to the 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