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EDUCATION

Pennsylvania State University

Ph.D., Political Science, 2024 (expected) M.A., Political Science, 2021 Master of International Affairs, 2018

Smith College, Northampton, MA

BA, Economics & Psychology (2015)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Methodology, Immigration, Institutions, Corruption, Land Redistribution, Xenophobia

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 5. Teaching Assistant, Empirical Methods & Research Design, Fall 2017
- 4. Teaching Assistant, Multi-Sector and Quantitative Analysis, Spring 2018
- 3. Teaching Assistant, PLSC 14: International Relations, Spring 2021
- 2. Teaching Assistant, PLSC 3: Comparing Politics around the Globe, Fall 2021 & Spring 2022
- 1. Teaching Assistant, PLSC 447: Analysis of Public Opinion and Political Attitudes, Fall 2022

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Penn State, Department of Political Science

Research Assistant for Dr. Joseph Wright, Aug. 2022-Dec. 2022

Penn State, Department of Political Science

Research Assistant for Dr. Vineeta Yadav, Aug. 2018-Aug. 2019

Penn State School of International Affairs

Research Assistant for Dr. Johannes Fedderke, Jan. 2017-May 2018

ACTIVITIES

Student Ambassador, Penn State School of International Affairs

Jan. 2017-May 2018

Philanthropy Chair, SGA, Penn State School of International Affairs

Aug. 2016-May 2017

SKILLS

Computer: Familiarity with R, ArcGIS Pro, Latex, and Python

Languages: Fluent in Ndebele, Shona, and English.

HONORS & AWARDS

Paterno Graduate Fellow, Penn State Political Science	2019-2020
Penn State Student Leader Scholarship	Dec. 2017
Dean's List	2014-2015
Wallace H. Coulter Scholar	2011-2015