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Research Assistant

School of Public and International Affairs, University of Georgia August 2017-May 2018, for Dr. Shane Singh and Dr. Chad Clay

Areas of specialization

Comparative Politics • Political Behavior • Latin American Politics • Quantitative Methodology

Education

B.A. in International Affairs & Spanish, University of Georgia (2015)

Teaching

POLS 1101: FALL 2018, Spring 2017, Fall 2016, Teaching Assistant

Bayesian Modeling for the Social Sciences I: Introduction and Application: ICPSR Summer Program 2018, Teaching Assistant

Working Papers

- “Gender Quotas and Perceptions of Governmental Legitimacy”. With Alex Snipes.
- “Missed connection? Testing the effect of descriptive representation on political participation”
- “Electoral Competition, Poverty, and the Prevalence of Clientelism”. With Tomas Okal.
- “Issues of Vertical Clarity: The Effect of Regional Authority on Economic Voting”

Conference Presentations

- “Gender Quotas and Perceptions of Governmental Legitimacy”. With Alex Snipes. Presented at the Southeast Latin American Behavior Mini-conference, September 2018, Nashville.
- “Gender Quotas and Perceptions of Governmental Legitimacy”. With Alex Snipes. Presented at the Annual Midwest Political Science Association Conference, April 2018, Chicago.

- Electoral Competition, Poverty, and the Prevalence of Clientelism. With Tomas Okal. Presented at the First Annual Southeast Latin American Behavior Mini-conference, October 2017, Atlanta.

Awards

- Graduate Student Award, Southeast Latin American Behavior Mini-conference, September 2018, Nashville.
- Department Travel Award, Spring 2017.

Languages

English (native), Spanish (advanced), Portuguese (intermediate)

Computing Skills

R, Stata, BUGS, JAGS, Stan, Qualtrics, Excel

References

Available upon request.