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**EDUCATION**

**University of Illinois** Urbana–Champaign

* *Ph.D*. *Candidate Political Science* Present

**University of Chicago** Chicago, Illinois

* *M.A. Social Science* August,2013

**Arizona State University** Tempe, Arizona

* *M.Ed*. *Curriculum and Instruction* August,1999

**Arizona State University** Tempe, Arizona

* *B.A Secondary Education* May,1996

**HIGHER EDUCATION EXPERIENCE**

**University of Illinois, Political Science** Champaign, Illinois

*Research Assistant May-2020 August-2020*

* Worked for Assistant Professor Aleks Ksiazkiewicz

**University of Illinois, Political Science** Champaign, Illinois

*Teaching Assistant* Jan. 2020- May-2020

* Rated as an Excellent Instructor for PS 280: Intro to International

Relations

* Responsible for all student discussions, and assessments

*Online Instructor*

* Taught PS 100: Intro to Political Science
* Responsible for all student instruction, and assessments

**University of Illinois, Political Science** Champaign, Illinois

*Instructor* Aug. 2019-Dec-2019

* Rated as an Excellent Instructor for PS 100: Intro to Political Science
* Responsible for all student instruction, and assessments

*Online Instructor*

* Taught PS 241: Comp Politics in Developing Nations
* Responsible for all student instruction, and assessments

**University of Illinois, Political Science** Champaign, Illinois

*Instructor* Jan. 2019-May-2019

* Rated as an Excellent Instructor for PS 101 Intro to US

Government & Politics Spring 2019

* Responsible for all student instruction, and assessments
* Implemented multiple, on-line course sessions

**University of Illinois, Political Science** Champaign, Illinois

*Academic Adviser* May 2018- Dec. 2018

* Advise political science undergrads with course selection
* Responsible for all first-time freshman and transfer students
* Counseled students on career path and research opportunities

**University of Illinois, Political Science** Champaign, Illinois

*Teaching Assistant* Aug. 2017-May 2018

* Rated as an Outstanding Instructor for PS 101: Intro to US

Government & Politics

* Instructed courses, evaluated student exams, created assessments

**University of Illinois, Political Science** Champaign, Illinois

*Teaching Assistant* Aug. 2016-May 2017

* Rated as an Outstanding Instructor for PS 101: Intro to US

Government & Politics Fall 2016

* Rated as an Excellent Instructor for PS 100 PS Intro to Political Science
* Instructed courses, evaluated student exams, created assessments

**Northwestern University, Center for Talent Development** Evanston, Illinois

*Instructor-Political Science* Summer 2017,2018

* Instructed courses on Law and Government and the Supreme Court
* Instructed courses on Social Movements and International Relations
* Responsible for all student assessments, curriculum planning, and instruction

**Arizona State University, Education** Tempe, Arizona

*Clinical Faculty*  May 2013–Sept. 2014

* Assessed and evaluated 18 teaching candidates in Science,

Math, English and Social Studies

* Coordinated a $650,000 initiative to train and retain high quality

student teachers at urban Phoenix high schools.

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

**NORC at the University of Chicago** Chicago, Illinois

*Survey Specialist**II* Sept. 2014 – Oct. 2015

* Collaborated with contractors in the development and deployment

of study training materials and field guidance as part of the National Children’s Study

* Conducted Qualitative and Cognitive interviews over the phone and in person
* Assisted with Survey instrument development
* Assisted with proposal writing; drafting participant consent forms and IRB submissions