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EDUCATION

Arizona State University 2021–2026

PhD Student, School of Politics and Global Studies

- ❖ Fields: American Politics (major), Comparative Politics (minor)
- ❖ Committee: Dr. Kim Fridkin (chair), Dr. Steve Smith, Dr. Kenicia Wright

Lake Forest College 2019–2021

B.A. in Philosophy, *Cum Laude*

- ❖ Minors: Women's Studies & Global Politics, Global Politics
- ❖ Thesis: “Disney’s Changing Villainy: Comparing Maleficents”
- ❖ Chair: Dr. Janet McCracken

College of Lake County 2017–2019

A.A. in Liberal Arts

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Fridkin, Kim, Trudy Horsting, Anastasia Brown and Alexandra M. Williams. 2024. Explaining COVID-19 How College Students React to COVID Vaccine PSAs: An Experimental Investigation. *American Politics Research*, 52 (3), 203–24.

WORKING PAPERS

Fridkin, Kim, Patrick Kenney, Trudy Horsting, and Anastasia Brown. Emotional Reactions to Negative Messages: How People’s Political and Psychological Characteristics alter Views of Attack Advertising. (*Presented at APSA, 2023*).

Brown, Anastasia. Multi-Member Districts and Women’s Representation in American State Legislatures. (*Presented at WPSA, MPSA, and SPP, 2024*).

Brown, Anastasia. Attitudes about Multi-Member Districts: An Experiment of College Students (*to be presented at MPSA 2025*).

PRESENTATIONS

Politics & Gender Conference. Rutgers University. New Brunswick, NJ. ❖ Family Structure and Political Ambition	<i>May 2025</i>
Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL ❖ Attitudes about Multi-Member Districts: An Experiment.	<i>Apr. 2025</i>
State Politics and Policy Conference. Charlottesville, VA. ❖ (Poster). Multi-Member Districts and Women's Representation in American State Legislatures.	June 2024
Visions in Methodology. Washington University in St. Louis. ❖ (Poster). Institutional Change and Women's Representation	May 2024
Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL. ❖ Multi-Member Districts and Women's Representation in American State Legislatures.	Apr. 2024
Western Political Science Association. Vancouver, Canada. ❖ Professionalized Multi-Member Districts and Women's Representation in American State Legislatures.	Mar. 2024

GRANTS & AWARDS

Internal

Arizona State University

School of Politics and Global Studies Methods Training Grant ICPSR Summer Program, 2025 (\$1750)	Jan 2025
School of Politics and Global Studies Conference Travel Award Politics & Gender Conference, 2025 (\$750)	Jan 2025
State Politics and Policy Conference, 2024 (\$500)	May 2024
Western Political Science Association Conference, 2024 (\$1483)	March 2024
Graduate Excellence Award Arizona State University (\$100)	Mar. 2024
Graduate College Travel Award Western Political Science Association Conference, 2024 (\$247)	Jan. 2024

Lake Forest College

Roger A. White Prize in Philosophy May 2021
Lake Forest College Philosophy Departmental Award

External

Tom Carsey Graduate Student Fellowship May 2024
State Politics and Policy Conference Travel Stipend (\$300)

Visions in Methodology Travel Award May 2024
Society for Political Methodology (\$550)

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Arizona State University Aug 2021-present
School of Politics and Global Studies
❖ Experimental Lab Coordinator, *1 yr 7 mo.*
❖ Experimental Lab Assistant, *2 yrs*
❖ Teaching Associate, *1.5 yrs*

Lake Forest College
❖ Research Assistant, Dr. Ajar Chekirova, *1 yr* Jan 2020 - Jan 2021

College of Lake County
❖ Writing Tutor, *4 yrs* Aug 2017 - Jul 2021

TEACHING

Arizona State University. Teaching Associate. Aug 2021 - Jan 2023
Masters in Political Psychology
❖ PPS 501: Introduction to Political Psychology, Dr. Mark Ramiez
❖ PPS 515: Advances in Media Effects, Dr. Fabian Neuner
❖ PPS 511: Public Opinion Analysis, Dr. Lasala-Blanco
❖ PPS 501: Introduction to Political Psychology, Dr. Matthew Dempsey
❖ PPS 502: Cognition and Emotions in Political Thinking, Dr. Fabian Neuner

School of Politics and Global Studies
❖ POS 210: Political Ideology, Dr. Jennet Kirkpatrick
❖ POS 442: American Political Thought, Dr. Jennet Kirkpatrick

SERVICE

Conference Volunteer: Building a Political Psychology Four Corners Network

Feb. 2023

Reviewer: *American Politics Review*

Aug. 2023

Jan. 2024