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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor of Political Science, *Murray State University* 2020-present

EDUCATION

PhD, Political Science May 2019
Washington State University | Pullman, WA

MA, Political Science May 2016
Washington State University | Pullman, WA

MA, International Relations June 2014
Dokuz Eylul University | Izmir, Turkey

BA, History December 2010
University of Louisville | Louisville, KY
Minor: Anthropology

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Craig, Christopher, Siyao Ma, Song Feng, and **Brittany Wood**. 2024. "Uncoupling Electricity Generating Organizations from Climate Change: A Policy Perspective," *Journal of Business Administration Online*. [forthcoming]

McCormick, Ben, Susan Gilbertz, **Brittany Wood**, & Ismail Karabas. 2024. "Assessing the influence of traditional in-seat, online, and emergency remote teaching (ERT) modalities on sustainability learning in Human Geography," *Journal of Geography in Higher Education*. [forthcoming]

Henson, Akayla & **Brittany Wood**. 2023. "The Mobilizing Effect of Descriptive Representation? The Impact of Representatives' Race and Gender on Participation," *Commonwealth Review of Political Science*: Vol. 6: No. 1, Article 5.

Gilbertz, Susan, **Brittany Wood**, Christopher Craig, Ismail Karabas, Elizabeth Petrun Sayers & Benjamin McCormick (2022) Integrating and Evaluating Interdisciplinary Sustainability and STEM Curriculum in Geographical Education: A Case of Three Teaching Modalities, *Journal of Geography*, DOI: 10.1080/00221341.2022.2059099

Karabas, Ismail, Nik Nikolov, & **Brittany Wood**. 2021. "The Effect of eWOM from Identity and Non-Identity Social Media on Movie Sales." *Journal of Managerial Issues* 33:289-304.

Published Government Reports

Hoard, Season, Christine Sanders, Brian Anderson, **Brittany Wood**. "2018 MHP Traffic Stop Data--Decision to Stop Analysis," Division of Governmental Studies and Services, Final Report to Montana Highway Patrol.

Hoard, Season, Christine Sanders, Brian Anderson, **Brittany Wood**. "2017 MHP Traffic Stop Data--Decision to Stop Analysis," Division of Governmental Studies and Services, Final Report to Montana Highway Patrol.

Working Papers

Welcome to Class!!! Exploring the Effects of Excessive Punctuation in Communication between Faculty and Students” (with Brian Bourke and Ismail Karabas)

“Using Investors to Pressure Corporate Board Diversification: Impacts of the SEC Diversity Disclosure on Women on Corporate Boards” (with Season Hoard)

“Uncharted Territory: Researching the Effect of Implicit Bias on the Political Attitudes of Black Participants” (with Briona Young)

“The Effect of Travel on Foreign Policy Opinions: A Longitudinal Study”

ACADEMIC CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Welcome to Class!!! Exploring the Effects of Excessive Punctuation in Communication between Faculty and Students,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 2024 (with Brian Bourke and Ismail Karabas).

“Uncharted Territory: Researching the Effect of Implicit Bias on the Political Attitudes of Blacks Participants,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Society of Political Psychology, Athens, Greece, July 2022 (with Briona Young).

“The Mobilizing Effect of Descriptive Representation? The Impact of Representatives’ Race and Gender on Participation,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL April 2022 (with Akayla Henson).

“The Effect of International Travel on Political Attitudes in Asia,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, online, September 2021.

“Using Investors to Pressure Corporate Board Diversification: Impacts of the SEC Diversity Disclosure on Women on Corporate Boards,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, online, November 2020 (with Season Hoard).

“The Effects of Social Rejection on Cooperative and Aggressive Behavior in International Politics,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Studies Association, San Francisco, CA, April 2018 (with Nate Mikami and Fernanda Buriel).

“Social Rejection in International Politics,” poster presented at the Political Psychology APSA Pre-Conference, San Francisco, CA, September 2017 (with Nate Mikami and Fernanda Buriel).

“Social Rejection and Information Avoidance in Political Decision-making,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Seattle, WA, November 2017.

“Exclusion among Political Decision-Makers: How Social Rejection Leads to Information Avoidance and Aggressive Behaviors,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL, April 2017

“Human Resources and Relative Deprivation: How Travel Can Lead to Contentious Politics,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Portland, OR, November 2016.

“The Effect of Traveling Abroad on Political Behavior,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA, March 2016.

“The Effect of Traveling Abroad on Political Behavior.,” paper presented at the annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Boise, ID, November 2015

“Transcending History: The Relevance of Charles A. Beard” paper presented at the 9th International Student Conference: Empirical Studies in the Social Sciences, Izmir, Turkey, April 2013.

OTHER CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Roundtable Participant, “Teaching Professional Development,” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2022.

Roundtable Participant, “Students: How to Survive Graduate School,” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2022.

Panel Discussant, “Teaching in the Political Science Department,” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2022.

Roundtable Chair, “Preparing your Job Talk,” Midwest Political Science Association, April 2022.

Panel Chair, “Comparative Politics,” Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, November 2017.

Panel Chair, “Comparative Politics,” Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, November 2016.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

<i>Research Assistant</i>	2017-2019
Division of Governmental Studies and Services	
Washington State University	

COURSES TAUGHT

Murray State University, Department of Political Science and Sociology (Undergraduate)

Introduction to Comparative Politics

Writing and Inquiry in the Social Sciences

Government and Politics of Asia

Honors Introduction to Comparative Politics

Model United Nations

American National Government

Mexican Politics (with Kentucky Institute of International Studies, Winter 2022)

EDUCATION ABROAD

Kentucky Institute for International Studies (KIIS)

Program Coordinator, Turkey Program. Expected launch Summer 2025.

Faculty, Netherlands Program. May 28 - June 12, 2024. *Course(s) Taught: International Organization and Law*

Faculty, Maya Mexico Winter Program. December 26, 2022-January 6, 2023. *Course(s) Taught: Mexican Politics*

GRANTS & AWARDS

<i>Fellowship for Intensive Advanced Turkish Language</i>	2022
American Research Institute in Turkey	

<i>Teaching Circle Grant “Methodologies in Practice: Interdisciplinary Collaboration to Enhance Teaching Activities” (\$250)</i>	2022
Murray State University	

<i>Faculty Innovation Grant (\$1000)</i>	2021
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Murray State University

Teaching Circle Grant “Culturally Responsive Curriculum and Pedagogy” (\$250) 2021
Murray State University

Presidential LEAD Award 2017
Washington State University

H. Paul Castleberry Graduate Fellowship in International Studies 2018, 2017, 2015
School of Politics, Philosophy, & Public Affairs, WSU

Travel and Registration Grant 2017, 2016, 2015
Graduate & Professional Student Association, WSU

Charles H. Sheldon Graduate Fellowship 2016
School of Politics, Philosophy, & Public Affairs, WSU

Burgess Brothers Memorial Scholarship 2016
College of Arts & Sciences, WSU

Travel Grant 2015
Pacific Northwest Political Science Association

SERVICE

Student Committee Service

Advisor, McNair Scholars Program: Piper McClain, Fall 2023-present

Advisor, Presidential Fellow: Paige Weising, Spring 2022-present

Advisor, Presidential Fellow: Briona Young, Fall 2021-present

Advisor, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee: Addalynn Taylor, Spring 2024

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee, Lainie Krumenacker, Spring 2024

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee, Hannah Reynolds, Spring 2023

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee, Payton Taylor, Spring 2023

Advisor, McNair Scholars Program: Akayla Henson, Fall 2021-Spring 2023

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee: Keeley Butler, Fall 2022

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee: Sydney Harper, Fall 2022

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee: Lilli Hanik, Spring 2022

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee: Haley Penrod, Fall 2021

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee: Elizabeth Erwin, Spring 2021

Member, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee: Amy Doctor, Fall 2020

Department and College Service

Faculty Advisor, Women of Law Association

2023-present

Faculty Advisor, Murray State Model United Nations

2020-present

Member, Teacher Education

Member, Social Media 2022-present

Coordinator, Political Science and Sociology Colloquium 2022-present

Member, Recruitment and Retention Committee 2021-2023

Member, CHFA Technology Advisory Committee 2021-2023

University Service
Cinema International 2021-2022

2023-present

Professional Service
Treasurer, Kentucky Political Science Association

2022-present
Reviewer, Current Psychology

2022-present

Reviewer, Commonwealth Political Science Review

2023-present

Community Service

Coordinator, High School Model United Nations

2023-present

ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

<i>Turkish Language and Culture Program</i> Bogazici University University Istanbul, Turkey	2022
<i>Virtual Course Design Challenge</i> Murray State University	2020
<i>Excellence in Teaching Online Certification</i> Washington State University	2019
<i>Turkish and Foreign Languages Research and Application Center</i> Ankara University Izmir, Turkey	2015
<i>Ally Training</i> GEISORC, Washington State University	2015
<i>Teaching Workshop</i> The Graduate School, Washington State University	2015
<i>Kentucky Institute for International Studies</i> Murray State University Morelia, Mexico	2009

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Software: R, STATA, SAS, Mplus, SPSS

LANGUAGES

Turkish: Proficient, Spanish: Basic Proficiency

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

International Society of Political Psychology, American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, Kentucky Political Science Association

REFERENCES

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