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EDUCATION

SPRING 2020
(Expected) Ph.D. Student, Government, *The University of Texas at Austin*
Fields: American Politics, Public Policy

2016 M.A., Government, *The University of Texas at Austin*

2014 B.A., Political Science; Minor: Statistics, *University of California, Davis*

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

2018 McDaniel, Eric M., Maraam A. Dwidar, and Hadill A. Calderon. "The Faith of Black Politics: The Relationship Between Black Religious and Political Beliefs." *Journal of Black Studies*, Forthcoming.

BOOK CHAPTERS

2016 Russell, Annelise, Maraam A. Dwidar, and Bryan D. Jones. "The Mass Media and the Policy Process." In *The Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press (2016).

WORKING PAPERS

IN PROGRESS Dwidar, Maraam A. "Is It My Turn? Patterns in Representation and Coalition Building by Minority Interest Groups."

IN PROGRESS Dwidar, Maraam A. "(Not So) Strange Bedfellows? Diversity in Lobbying Coalitions and the Achievement of Policy Goals."

IN PROGRESS Dwidar, Maraam A. and Eric L. McDaniel. "Hearing Our Voices: The Presence of Minority Interest Groups in Congressional Hearings."

IN PROGRESS Bird, Christine and Maraam A. Dwidar. "Saving Sovereignty: Native American Lobbying."

IN PROGRESS Lewallen, Jonathan, JoBeth S. Shafran, and Maraam A. Dwidar. "When the Lines Go Down: Agency Priorities Under Stopgap Budgeting."

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- MPSA 2018 Lewallen, Jonathan, JoBeth S. Shafran, and Maraam A. Dwidar. "When the Lines Go Down: Agency Priorities Under Stopgap Budgeting."
- APSA 2017,
CAP 2017,
MPSA 2017 Dwidar, Maraam A. "Interest Group Coalition Building in the Regulatory State."
- MPSA 2017 Dwidar, Maraam A. and Eric L. McDaniel. "Hearing Our Voices: The Presence of Minority Interest Groups in Congressional Hearings."
- CAP 2016,
MPSA 2016 Dwidar, Maraam A. "Is It My Turn? Patterns in Representation and Coalition Building by Minority Interest Groups."
- CAP 2016 Evans, Rhonda and Maraam A. Dwidar. "Converging Agendas: Issue Attention in the High Court of Australia and the Sydney Morning Herald."
- ANZSANA 2016 Evans, Rhonda and Maraam A. Dwidar. "The High Court of Australia's Policy Agenda, 1970-2014."

WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 Dwidar, Maraam A. "Identifying and Tracking Interest Group Coalitions." *PoliInformatics Interdisciplinary Workshop*, Bainbridge Island, WA
- 2017 Dwidar, Maraam A. "Is It My Turn? Patterns in Representation and Coalition Building by Minority Interest Groups." *Race and Social Science Workshop*, Austin, TX

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- 2017 Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, *The University of Texas at Austin (Dept. of Government)*
- SUMMER 2017 Patricia Witherspoon Research Award, *Annette Strauss Institute for Civic Life* (\$2,000)
- SUMMER 2017 Summer Pre-Dissertation Fellowship, *The University of Texas at Austin (Dept. of Government)* (\$2,000)
- SUMMER 2017 International Travel Grant, *J.J. "Jake" Pickle Regents Chair in Congressional Studies* (\$1,300)
- SUMMER 2017,
2016 International Travel Grants, *Edward A. Clark Center for Australian and New Zealand Studies* (\$3,400)
- SPRING 2016 -
FALL 2017 Professional Development Awards, *The University of Texas at Austin* (\$1,275)

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| 2014 - 2016 | Minority Fellowship, <i>American Political Science Association</i> (\$4,000) |
| 2014 - 2018 | Malcolm Macdonald Fellowship, <i>The University of Texas at Austin</i> (\$10,000) |
| 2013 | Public Policy and International Affairs (PPIA) Undergraduate Fellowship, <i>Carnegie Mellon University, Heinz College of Public Policy</i> (\$4,000) |

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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| 2017 - PRESENT | Director of Undergraduate Research, <i>Policy Agendas Project</i> |
| 2017 - PRESENT | Graduate Research Assistant, <i>Dara Strolovitch (Princeton University)</i> |
| 2016 - PRESENT | Graduate Research Assistant, <i>Timothy Werner</i> |
| 2015 - 2017 | Graduate Research Assistant, <i>Rhonda Evans</i> |
| SUMMER 2015 | Graduate Research Assistant, <i>Bryan Jones</i> |
| 2014 - PRESENT | Graduate Research Fellow, <i>Policy Agendas Project</i> |
| 2012 - 2014 | Undergraduate Research Assistant, <i>Amber Boydston (UC Davis)</i> |

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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| FALL 2017, SPRING 2018 | Instructor, Research on Government and Politics (<i>with Sean Theriault and Bryan Jones</i>) |
| SPRING 2017, 2018 | Teaching Assistant, Corporate Political Strategy (<i>for Timothy Werner</i>) |
| SPRING 2015 | Teaching Assistant, American Public Policy (<i>for Bryan Jones</i>) |
| FALL 2014 | Teaching Assistant, Campaigns and Elections (<i>for Daron Shaw</i>) |

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

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| 2017 - PRESENT | Co-Founder and Organizer, Women in Political Science Working Group, <i>The University of Texas at Austin, Department of Government</i> |
| 2016 - 2017 | Co-Organizer, Political Methodology Workshop Series, <i>The University of Texas at Austin, Department of Government</i> |

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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| 2016 - 2018 | Representative, Graduate Student Issues Committee, <i>APSA Section on Race, Ethnicity, and Politics</i> |
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MEMBERSHIPS

2015 - PRESENT Midwest Political Science Association

2014 - PRESENT American Political Science Association