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## Research Interests

*American Politics*: Electoral and political systems, electoral reforms, voting systems and behavior, political participation, political behavior, representation, and state and local politics

## Education

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Ph.D. in Political Science Anticipated 2026

University of Utah, Honors B.S. in Economics 2016

Additional B.S. in Psychology and minors in Political Science and Sociology

## Employment

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Project Assistant for Barry Burden 2020 - Present

Myriad Genetics, Inc.

Payroll Accountant 2018 - 2020

University of Utah

Research Assistant 2018

## Publications

JOURNAL ARTICLES

In progress.

NON-POLITICAL SCIENCE PUBLICATIONS

Strayer, David L., Joel M. Cooper, Madeleine M. McCarty, Douglas J. Getty, Camille L. Wheatley, Connor J. Motzkus, Kelly L. Mackenzie et al. "Visual and cognitive demands of using Apple's CarPlay, Google's Android Auto and five different OEM infotainment systems." (2018).

Wheatley, Camille & Esplin, Jess & Loveless, Sydney & Cooper, Joel & Biondi, Francesco & Strayer, David. (2018). Performance and Workload Trends: The Effects of Repeated Exposure to "High" Demand Tasks. Proceedings of the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society Annual Meeting. 62. 6-10. 10.1177/1541931218621002.

## Skills

Strong skills in planning, organization, and project management, as well as communication and writing. Developing skills in R, statistical analysis, and research design and methodology

## References

Available upon request.