

# Noah Hughey

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## **EDUCATION**

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**University of North Carolina at Charlotte**, Charlotte, NC, Expected May 2026

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science; GPA: 3.71

Minor in Journalism

## **GRANTS AND HONORS**

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Chancellor's List, UNC Charlotte, Spring 2025

First Place, Spot News, North Carolina Scholastic Media Association 2022 Awards for Scholastic Journalism Excellence

First Place, Hard News, North Carolina Scholastic Media Association 2022 Awards for Scholastic Journalism Excellence

## **BOOKS**

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*The Culture Bores*, Independently Published, 2024, 243 pp.

*Hanging in the Balance: America's Manufactured Democratic Crisis*, Independently Published, 2022, 159 pp.

*MAGA: The Trump Experiment*, Independently Published, 2021, 206 pp.

*Yes, Master*, Independently Published, 2020, 107 pp.

*Broken America: A Beginner's Guide to the Hell that is Politics*, Independently Published, 2020, 63 pp.

## **RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS**

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Political theory; Political identity and affiliation; Electoral politics and mobilization; History of political thought; Philosophy

## **RESEARCH AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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**UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, NC**

*Independent Study*, September 2025 - Present

Advisor: Dr. Joshua Miller

Co-authoring a paper on political partisanship and the purpose of community in democratic society with Dr. Joshua Miller in the UNC Charlotte Political Science

Department, drawing on historical political theory perspectives and contemporary social science to reconnect the more concrete science and broader philosophical aspects of political science.

**UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, NC**

*Preceptor*, “POLS 1150: Intro to International Politics,” August 2025 - Present

Instructor: Dr. Joshua Miller

Overseeing an intro level class of 150+ students during bi-weekly class sessions, leading weekly review sessions covering class content, and given unique opportunities to lead class discussions on the analysis of politics among nations: Material and psychological sources of national power; the role of law, force, and diplomacy in world politics; problems of peace and disarmament; and international organization

**UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, NC**

*Preceptor*, “POLS 1575: Foundations of American Democracy,” August 2025 - Present

Instructor: Dr. Eric Heberlig

Overseeing an intro level class of 80 students during tri-weekly class sessions, leading review sessions covering class content, using methods and insights of social sciences, combined with American historical documents to explore central questions related to American democracy

**UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, NC**

*Preceptor*, “POLS 1511: Intro to American Politics,” August - December 2024

Instructor: Dr. Eric Heberlig

Oversaw an intro class of 150+ students during tri-weekly class sessions, led review sessions covering class content, focusing broadly on introductory themes in American political science such as American history, voting, electoral politics and American government

***FELLOWSHIPS AND APPOINTMENTS***

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**Lee Barnes Campus Debate Fellowship**

*Student Fellow*, February - May 2025 ; August 2025 - Present

Worked with other student and faculty fellows as well as national coordinators to organize, promote and conduct civil discourse and dialogue events on the campus of UNC Charlotte.

## ***EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES & AFFILIATIONS***

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### **BridgeUSA, UNC Charlotte, Charlotte NC**

*President*, August 2025 - Present

Founding member of BridgeUNCC, Charlotte's campus chapter of BridgeUSA. Working with the executive board to host civil discourse and social events and campus talks about contentious political issues with the mission to make talking to opposing viewpoints more constructive and useful.

### ***The Niner Times, Charlotte, NC***

*Lead Opinions Writer*, July 2024 - Present

*Staff Opinions Writer*, March 2024 - June 2024

*Contributing Opinions Writer*, August 2023 - March 2024

Writing 500-1,000 word essays on politics, local transit, university and city issues for the opinions section at the Niner Times

### ***The Adults Are Speaking Podcast, Charlotte, NC***

*Producer, Host, Editor*, February - July 2023

Recorded and produced podcasts featuring guests from education, social media influencers, CEOs on Forbes 30 under 30 lists, and the youngest Black mayor elected in US history, focusing on civil discourse and American politics.

### ***The GW Hatchet, Washington, DC***

*Contributing Opinions Writer*, October 2022 - January 2023

Wrote two pieces on university issues at the George Washington University and national elections.

### **BridgeUSA, George Washington University, Washington DC**

*Member*, August 2022 - January 2023

### ***Under the Stars: With Noah Hughey Podcast, Asheville, NC***

*Producer, Host, Editor*, October 2018 - June 2022

Weekly news and politics podcast edited for video and audio platforms, mastered in FL studio and highly produced with a professional website, youtube channel and official merchandise.

## ***CONTRIBUTIONS TO NEWSMEDIA***

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“North Carolina Republicans are threatening the sanctity of our elections,” *The Niner Times*, April 2025

“DOGE is the deep state,” *The Niner Times*, February 2025

“Donald Trump lives in an alternate reality,” *The Niner Times*, September 2024

“Accredited universities penalizing student protests damages discourse,” *The Niner Times*, May 2024

“Pat McCrory’s ‘No Labels’ exit weakens the perception of bipartisan politics,” *The Niner Times*, April 2024

“I’m an Independent, and partisans should stop demanding my loyalty,” *The GW Hatchet*, November 2022