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EDUCATION

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

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science; GPA: 3.67

Minor in Journalism

GRANTS AND HONORS

Dean's List, UNC Charlotte, Fall 2025

Chancellor's List, UNC Charlotte, Spring 2025

Dean's List, UNC Charlotte, Fall 2023

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

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

Political theory; Political identity and affiliation; Electoral politics and mobilization; American studies; Continental philosophy

RESEARCH AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, NC

Independent Study, September - November 2025

Advisor: Dr. Joshua Miller

Authored a paper on the changing nature of political community in America and its relationship to the larger nature of partisan politics, drawing on historical political theory perspectives and contemporary social science to argue the changing conception of political communities with the induction of technology such as the internet and social media unleash a partisan hubris that was once contained by geographic barriers no longer effective in containing it.

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, holding office hours by appointment with students to review class content and procedures, 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 - December 2025

Instructor: Dr. Eric Heberlig

Oversaw 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

National Humanities Leadership Council

Student Member, 2025 - 2026

Served alongside students from across the country developing humanities-based leadership skills, engaging in round tables and discussion sessions, exploring the essential importance of humanistic perspectives in addressing the concerns of contemporary society, and being mentored to work towards a specific project.

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. Chaired/Moderated student debates and solution-oriented dialogue events.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES & AFFILIATIONS

TEDxUNC Charlotte, Charlotte NC

Speaker, February 2026

Giving a forthcoming TEDx talk on the changing nature of community in America and the dangers of pop culture politics that said change has induced in the American political discourse.

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.