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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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### **EDUCATION**

PhD, 2026 University of North Texas, Denton, Texas

BA, 2021 University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas

### **EXPERIENCE**

2022-present Research Assistant. University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.  
Supervisor: Dr. Matthew Eshbaugh-Soha

2022-2023 Research Assistant. University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.  
Supervisor: Dr. Ashley English

2021-present Teaching Assistant. University of North Texas, Denton, Texas.

2021-present Junior Branch Advisor. CISV, Dallas Fort-Worth, Texas

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

2023 “Diverse Representation to Polarization in Congress.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023

### **GRANTS and HONORS**

2022-present Charldean Newell Scholarship, University of North Texas

2023 Most Outstanding Research Assistant in Political Science, University of North Texas

2021 McAlister Society Award, University of North Texas

2021 Tuition Benefit Program Scholarship, Toulouse Graduate School, University of North Texas

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

2023- Vice President of Operations, Political Science Graduate Student Organization, University of North Texas

2022- Present First Year Student Mentor, Political Science Graduate Student Association, University of North Texas

2021-Present Political Science Graduate Student Organization, University of North Texas