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EDUCATION **University of North Carolina**, Chapel Hill, NC August 2023 - Present  
Ph.D. Candidate, Political Science

- Concentrations: American Politics, Political Methodology
- Committee: Sarah A. Treul (Advisor), Jason M. Roberts, Santiago Olivella, Mary A. Kroeger, Neil A. O'Brian

Master of Arts, Political Science August 2025

**Middlebury College**, Middlebury, VT May 2021  
Bachelor of Arts, *summa cum laude* with Highest Honors in Political Science

- Major: Political Science, Minor: Education Studies

WORKING PAPERS

**Sachleben, Audrey** and Sarah A. Treul. "Issue Attention in Congressional Primary Elections." *Invited to revise and resubmit at Legislative Studies Quarterly.*

**Sachleben, Audrey.** "Biographical Issue Appeals and Legislative Follow-Through."

**Sachleben, Audrey.** "Intraparty Cohesion and Legislative Organization in the U.S. House."

Case, Colin R., **Audrey Sachleben**, and Sarah A. Treul. "Issue Publics in Primary Elections."

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2024, 2025, 2026  
Society of Political Methodology Annual Meeting (poster) 2025  
Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting 2023  
Women in Legislative Studies Annual Conference 2025

PAPERS IN PREPARATION **Sachleben, Audrey**, "Legislator Expertise and Congressional Committees."

Montgomery, Jacob M., Ju Yeon Park, and **Audrey Sachleben**, "Hostility in Senate Confirmation Hearings."

TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<b>Instructor of Record</b> POLI 200: The President, Congress, and Public Policy	F25
	<b>Teaching Assistant</b> POLI 787: Advanced Topics in Political Data Science (graduate) POLI 100: Introduction to American Politics Political Science Methods Summer Program (graduate)	F26 F24, S25, S26 2025
AWARDS AND HONORS	Richard R. Pouliot Teaching Award, UNC Political Science Society for Political Methodology Travel Award, National Science Foundation Summer Research Award, UNC Political Science (\$3,000) Conference Travel Award, UNC Political Science Thomas M. Uhlman Summer Research Award, UNC Political Science (\$3,000) Conference Travel Award, UNC Political Science Thomas M. Uhlman Fellowship, UNC Political Science (\$5,000 per year) C.J. Neil Kvasnak Family Award, Middlebury College (\$1,500)	2025 2025 2025 2025 2024 2024 2023-2028 2021
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	<b>Graduate Research Assistant</b> Jason M. Roberts Sarah A. Treul	2023 - 2025 2023 - 2025
METHODS COURSEWORK	Probability and Statistics, Linear Methods in Causal Inference, Game Theory, Advanced Topics in Political Data Science, Machine Learning	
TECHNICAL SKILLS	Statistical computing with R, Python, Stata Applications: L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X	
SERVICE	<b>Departmental Service</b> Coordinator, American Politics Research Group Political Methodology Search Committee Member <b>Reviewer</b> Legislative Studies Quarterly	2025 – Present Fall 2025