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## EDUCATION

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### University of Notre Dame

Ph.D., Political Science Expected May 2026  
Fields: American Politics and Methodology  
Dissertation: Women in the Chamber: How More Women in State Legislatures Impacts the Institution  
Committee: Christina Wolbrecht, Jeff Harden, Rachel Porter, Mirya Holman  
M.A., Political Science August 2023

### Loyola University Chicago

B.A., Political Science May 2021  
Minors: Global and International Studies & Ethics and Moral Philosophy

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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American politics, women/gender and politics, legislative institutions, state legislatures, voter preferences, experimental design, racial and ethnic politics

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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Rachel Porter, Jeff Harden, Emily Anderson, Mackenzie Dobson, Géssica de Freitas, Abigail Hemmen, and **Emma Schroeder**. "The Consequences of Elite Action Against Elections." Forthcoming at the *British Journal of Political Science*.  
[https://doi.org/10.31219/osf.io/3du8x\\_v2](https://doi.org/10.31219/osf.io/3du8x_v2).

**Emma Schroeder** and Alejandra Campos (2025). The Influence of Candidate Traits on Vice Presidential Nominee Preference. *Politics, Groups, and Identities*, 1-24.  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/21565503.2025.2518532>.

Susan Franceschet, **Emma Schroeder**, and Christina Wolbrecht (2024). Effects of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Submissions to Politics & Gender. *PS: Political Science & Politics*, 57(3), 420-426. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1049096523001105>.

## WORKS IN PROGRESS

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### Under Contract

Christina Wolbrecht, Mirya R. Holman, Lakshmi Iyer, Samantha Chapa, Fiona Rodger, and **Emma Schroeder**. *Gender and Local Political Ambition*. Cambridge University Press Elements Series on Gender and Politics.

### Under Review

**Emma Schroeder**. "How Do Women and Men Respond to More Women in the Legislature? A Study of Bill Introductions and Effectiveness." Invited to Revise and Resubmit at *Political Research Quarterly*.

### In Preparation for Submission

**Emma Schroeder**. "Women's Representation and the Sponsorship of Women's Issue Bills."

**Emma Schroeder**. "The Hidden Effects of Institutional Reforms on Women-Sponsored Bill Success."

Alejandra Campos and **Emma Schroeder**. "Why Not the Best? Vice Presidents and Demographic Preferences."

**Emma Schroeder**, Mirya Holman, Michael Olsen, and Christina Wolbrecht. "Women in the Chamber: The Evolution of Women's Representation in American State Legislatures."

**Emma Schroeder** and Alejandra Campos. "Order Effects in Conjoint Experimentation."

## GRANTS AND AWARDS

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Graduate Student Professional Development Award, University of Notre Dame, 2024 (\$1,500)

Excellence in Teaching Award, University of Notre Dame, Political Science Department, Fall 2023

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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Emma Schroeder. "Women's Representation and the Sponsorship of Women's Issue Bills," Bowling Green State University Constitutional Democracy Symposium, 2025.

Emma Schroeder. "Women's Representation and the Sponsorship of Women's Issue Bills," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2025.

Emma Schroeder. "Women's Representation and the Sponsorship of Women's Issue Bills," Poster Presentation, State Politics and Policy Conference, 2025.

Emma Schroeder. "How Do Women and Men Respond to More Women in the Legislature? A Study of Bill Introductions and Effectiveness," Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2025.

Emma Schroeder. "How Do Women and Men Respond to More Women in the Legislatures? A Study of Bill Introductions and Effectiveness," Legislative Effectiveness in State Legislatures Mini-Conference, 2025.

Emma Schroeder. "How Do Women and Men Respond to More Women in the Legislatures? A Study of Bill Introductions and Effectiveness," Women in Legislative Studies Conference, 2024.

Emma Schroeder and Alejandra Campos. "Conjoint Survey Design and Ordered Information," European Conference on Politics and Gender, 2024.

Emma Schroeder. "The Hidden Effects of Institutional Reforms on Women-Sponsored Bill Success," Poster Presentation, State Politics and Policy Conference, 2024.

Emma Schroeder. "The Hidden Effects of Institutional Reforms on Women-Sponsored Bill Success," Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2024.

Emma Schroeder and Alejandra Campos. "The Influence of Candidate Traits on Vice Presidential Nominee Preference," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2023.

Emma Schroeder and Alejandra Campos. "The Influence of Candidate Traits on Vice Presidential Nominee Preference," University of Illinois and University of Notre Dame Graduate Student Exchange Research Presentation, 2023.

Emma Schroeder and Alejandra Campos. "The Influence of Candidate Traits on Vice Presidential Nominee Preference," Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2023.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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### **Instructor of Record**

Women and American Politics, Fall 2024

### **Teaching Assistant**

Introduction to American Politics, Prof. Christina Wolbrecht, Spring 2024

Keeping the Republic, Prof. David Campbell, Fall 2023, with a discussion section

American Politics, Prof. Angela McCarthy, Spring 2023, with a discussion section

Gender, Politics, and Power, Prof. Christina Wolbrecht, Fall 2022

**Guest Lectures**

“Public Opinion” (with Abigail Hemmen) in American Politics, Prof. Angela McCarthy, Spring 2023

“Civil Liberties and Civil Rights” (with Abigail Hemmen) in American Politics, Prof. Angela McCarthy, Spring 2023

**Undergraduate Senior Thesis Advising**

Leanne Daley, January 2025-December 2025

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

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**Research Assistant**

Professors Christina Wolbrecht, Mirya Holman, and Michael Olson, Spring 2025

Professors Christina Wolbrecht and David Campbell, February 2022 – August 2022

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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American Political Science Association

Midwest Political Science Association

European Consortium for Political Research

**SKILLS**

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**Software**

R, LaTeX, Qualtrics