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## EDUCATION

### The University of Kansas (Lawrence, KS, USA)

Ph.D. in Economics

Expected May 2026

### Butler University (Indianapolis, IN, USA)

B.A in Economics, Summa Cum Laude

May 2021

Thesis: Critic's Pick or Social Media Smash: A Study on the Relationship between Newspaper Reviews, Social Media Followers, and a Broadway Show's Economics Success

Advisor: Kathy Paulson Gjerde

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Gender Economics, Labor Economics, Health Economics, Applied Microeconomics

## WORKING PAPERS AND WORKS IN PROGRESS

"Critic's Pick or Social Media Smash: A Study on the Relationship between Newspaper Reviews, Social Media Followers, and a Broadway Show's Economics Success" with Dr. Kathy Paulson Gjerde

## SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

### The University of Kansas

Madison and Lila Self Graduate Fellowship

August 2021 - Present

### Butler University

Highest Distinction in Economics

May 2021

Charles O. McGaughey Economics Leadership Award

April 2020

Dean's List

Fall 2017, Spring 2017, Fall 2018, Spring 2018, Fall 2019

W & J Sellick & Blomberg Business Scholarship

August 2017

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**Research Intern**, EMILY's List, Washington D.C.

January 2020 – May 2020

**Research Assistant** to Dr. William Rieber, Butler University

Summer 2019 & Summer 2020

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Economics Tutor**, Butler University

September 2019 – May 2021

## PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

**American Economic Association**

## **SKILLS**

**Programming:** LaTeX

**Political Research:** Public Records Search, State Legislature Databases, Advanced social media search