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Education

Washington University in St. Louis

Ph.D., Political Science, expected 2025

M.A., Political Science, 2023

Southern Illinois University

B.A., Political Science, 2018

United States Air Force Academy

N.D., Russian & English, 2014-2016

Articles

Damann, Taylor J., Jeremy Siow and Margit Tavits (2023). “Persistence of Gender Biases in Europe.” *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*. <https://www.pnas.org/doi/10.1073/pnas.2213266120>

Wayne, Carly, Taylor J. Damann and Shani Fachter (2023). “The Holocaust, the Socialization of Victimhood and Outgroup Political Attitudes in Israel.” *Comparative Political Studies*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00104140231194068>

Women and Men Politicians’ Response to War: Evidence from Ukraine (R&R at *International Organization* with Margit Tavits and Dahjin Kim)

Framework for Studying Causal Effects of Speech Style: Application to U.S. Presidential Campaigns (R&R at *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society: Series A* with Dean Knox and Christopher Lucas)

How Historical Trauma Encourages Wartime Support: Civilian Action in Ukraine (under review)

Wartime Sexual Violence Spurs Civilian Support: Evidence from Ukraine (working paper)

Public Scholarship

Coverage by *Science Daily* ([Link](#))

Coverage by *Corporació Catalana de Mitjans Audiovisuals* ([Link](#))

Coverage by *El Siglo de Durango* ([Link](#))

Coverage by *Breaking Latest News* ([Link](#))

Coverage by *Nation World News* ([Link](#))

Coverage by *Kyiv Post* ([Link](#))

Media Talk, “Visible Legacies for Invisible Battalions” *Pulitzer Center* ([Link](#))

Grants

Weidenbaum Center on the Economy, Government, and Public Policy, 2023
Conflict and the Disengagement of Women Politicians.

Honors

Dean’s Award for Graduate Research Excellence, Finalist, 2023

International Crisis Reporting Fellow, Pulitzer Center, 2019

Graduate Dean’s Fellow, Southern Illinois University, 2018

Presentations	<p>“How Sexual Violence Spurs Wartime Support: Civilian Action in Ukraine” American Political Science Association 2023; Empirical Studies of Conflict 2023; Empirical Studies of Gender Network 2023</p> <p>“Men and Women Politicians’ Responses to War” Women in Legislative Studies 2023</p> <p>“How Historical Trauma Encourages Wartime Support: Civilian Action in Ukraine” American Political Science Association 2022; Midwest Political Science Association 2022; Washington-Illinois Student Exchange 2022</p> <p>“More than Words: How Political Rhetoric Shapes Voters’ Affect and Evaluation” PolMeth 2021; Saint Louis Area Methods Meeting, 2021</p> <p>“Make Russia Great Again? National Identity and Political Campaign Advertising” Midwest Political Science Association, 2019</p> <p>“Femme Force: Women’s Contributions to Ukraine’s War” National Geographic, 2019</p>
Teaching Experience	<p>Graduate Research Workshop, Fall 2023 Comparative Party Politics, Spring 2023 The Politics of Reproduction, Fall 2022 The Politics of Public Policy, Fall 2022 Terrorism and Counterterrorism, Spring 2021 Psychology of War, Fall 2020</p>
Research Experience	<p>Data-Driven Analysis of Peacekeeping Project Research Manager, 2020-2021</p> <p>Washington University in St. Louis Research Assistant, Margit Tavits, Fall 2021, Spring 2022 Research Assistant, Christopher Lucas, Fall 2019, Spring 2020</p> <p>Southern Illinois University Research Assistant, Stephen Shulman, Spring 2019</p>
Service	<p>Co-founder <i>Women in Political Science</i> network, Washington University in St. Louis Co-organizer Comparative Politics Annual Conference (2024) Discussant Comparative Politics Annual Conference (2023, 2022) Discussant American Political Science Association (2023) Chair American Political Science Association (2023)</p>
Technical Skills	R, Python, LaTeX