

## Harrison James Weeks

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**Education** **University of Virginia**, Charlottesville, VA

Ph.D. Government, 2024 (Expected)  
American Politics & Methodology

**Florida State University**, Tallahassee, FL

B.S. Political Science, 2018  
Bachelor's Certificate, Political Science Research, 2018

**Academic Interests** American Politics: legislative institutions, legislator behavior, state & local politics

Political Methodology: quantitative methods, research design, causal inference

**Research in Progress** "Does Party Control Affect Policy Outcomes at the Local, State, and Federal Level?" (with John Holbein and Adam Dynes)

**Fellowships & Awards** Department Fellowship (tuition & stipend), University of Virginia, 2019-2020

**Professional Experience**

**Research Assistant**

Justin Kirkland, University of Virginia, Summer 2020

Jennifer Lawless, University of Virginia, Fall 2019

Kai Ou, Florida State University, Summer 2018

– Kai Ou. 2018. "A Political Economy of Status Seeking."  
*Under Review.*

Amanda Driscoll, Florida State University, Spring 2018

– Alexandra G. Cockerham, Amanda Driscoll, and Joan V Joseph. 2019. "Going Public in Comparative Perspective: Presidential Speech-Making in Separation of Powers Systems." *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, 49(2): 1-22.

Kevin Fahey, Florida State University, Spring 2017

– Kevin Fahey. 2018. "The Perks of Being a Lawmaker: Financial Gain as a Legislative Goal." *Legislative Studies Quarterly*: 43(1), 37-68.

### **Teaching Assistant**

James Ceaser, University of Virginia, Fall 2020  
– Introduction to American Politics

### **Service**

#### **Department & University**

Graduate Student Mentor, University of Virginia, Summer 2020

#### **Professional**

Editorial Assistant, *American Journal of Political Science*, Fall 2020

### **Computing Skills**

Statistical Packages: R, Stata, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Office Suite

Data Collection Platforms: Qualtrics, Zoho Creator, LexisNexis

### **Memberships**

#### **Academic**

American Political Science Association (APSA)  
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)  
Southern Political Science Association (SPSA)  
The Society for Political Methodology (SPM)

### **References**

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