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## Education

M.A. Political Science, Southern Illinois University Carbondale, 2007 (Expected)  
B.A. Political Science, Southern Illinois University Carbondale, 2004

## Thesis

“The Influence of Reformed Theology on the Shift from Classical to Modern Natural Law Theory”  
Expected Completion: August 2007  
Committee: Robert Clinton (Chair), Jed Delahoussaye, Laura Hatcher

## Works in Progress

“Doctrine of Popular Sovereignty” and “Majority Rule” In *Encyclopedia of Campaigns, Elections, and Electoral Behavior*. Kenneth F. Warren and J. Geoffrey Golson, Eds. Sage Publications. (Forthcoming 2008)

“Modernizing Human Nature: The Demise of Classical Natural Law in the Theology of the Reformers.” To be submitted to *American Catholic Philosophical Quarterly*.

## Honors

National Scholars Honor Society, 2007-Present  
Pi Sigma Alpha National Political Science Honor Society, 2006-Present  
Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society, 2002-Present  
All-American Scholars USAA Award (United States Achievement Academy), 2001  
John A. Logan College *Who's Who in American Junior Colleges Award*, 2000  
Participant with US Senator Paul Simon, Karina Gore, Rebecca Lieberman and nine other students in a televised *Get Out the Vote* Roundtable Discussion, 2000 Election

## **Professional Experience**

Teaching and Research Assistant, Dept. of Political Science, Southern Illinois Univ. Carbondale,  
Robert Clinton, Chair  
August 2005-present  
Graduate Assistant, Office of the Chancellor, Southern Illinois Univ. Carbondale,  
December 2004-July 2005  
Graduate Assistant, Paul Simon Public Policy Institute, Southern Illinois Univ. Carbondale,  
January 2005-May 2005

## **Additional Teaching and Research Experience**

Graduate Teaching Assistant  
Medieval Political Theory, Fall 2007  
Democratic Theory, Spring 2006  
Ancient Political Theory, Fall 2006  
Proseminar in Political Theory (Graduate Course), Fall 2005  
Jurisprudence Theories, Spring 2005  
Research Assistant for Office of the Chancellor Delta Regional Authority Initiative (DRA)  
Worked with over seventy universities on coordinating opportunities within the delta  
region of the U.S. 2005.  
Research Assistant for Paul Simon Public Policy Institute “Working with Young Black Males in  
the Community Program.” Coordinated workshops and motivational events. 2005.  
Research Assistant for book project with Robert Clinton and Christopher Budzisz entitled  
*The Marshall Court: Justices, Rulings, and Legacy* (ABC-CLIO Supreme Court  
Handbooks Series) Forthcoming 2008. Summer 2006.  
Teacher and Tutoring Advisor, Achieve Program, Southern Illinois Univ. Carbondale,  
August 2004-December 2004  
Office Assistant, Academic Technology Center, Southern Illinois Univ. Carbondale,  
June 2002-May 2004  
High School Tutor and Supervisor, Brehm Preparatory School, Carbondale, IL 62901  
August 2001-May 2002

## **Service and Activities**

Southern Illinois Univ. Carbondale *Constitutional Day* Events Organizer. 2005-2006  
Southern Illinois Univ. Carbondale Model Illinois Government. Springfield, IL. 2003-2005  
Southern Illinois Univ. Carbondale Model United Nations Team. St. Louis, MO. 2002 2004  
John A. Logan College Model United Nations Team. Chicago, IL. 2001  
John A. Logan College Student Government Secretary, 2001  
Youth Government Day Member, 2000-2001  
John A. Logan College Political Science Club President, 1999-2001

## **Research and Teaching Interests**

Ancient Political Theory, Medieval Political Theory, Modern Political Theory, Contemporary Political Theory, Formal Political Theory, History of Western Philosophy, Moral Philosophy, Metaphysics, Ontology, Epistemology, Legal Theory, Early American Supreme Court History, Natural Theology, Political Theology

## **References**

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