

# Lindsay Walsh

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**PRINCIPAL INTERESTS** Comparative Politics, Gender and Politics, Representation, Political Behavior, Parliamentary Systems, Sex/Gender Quotas, Electoral Systems, Elections, Campaigns, Gender Mainstreaming

**ACADEMIC BACKGROUND** *Ph.D. Political Science and Women's Studies* Expected 2025  
[Pennsylvania State University](#), State College, PA

*M.A. Political Science and Women's Studies* Expected 2022  
[Pennsylvania State University](#), State College, PA  
• Focus areas: Women's Representation (Thesis: "The Substantive Impact of Gender Quotas: A Longitudinal Study")

*B.A. Political Science* 2020  
[Skidmore College](#), Saratoga Springs, NY  
• *Magna Cum Laude*

**FORTH-COMING** Guido, Lisa, Lindsay Walsh, Lee Ann Banaszak. "Feminist Governance through Feminist Institutions: An Overview" in *Handbook of Feminist Governance*.

**WORKING PAPERS** Walsh, Lindsay. "The Substantive Impact of Gender Quotas: A Longitudinal Study."

Walsh, Lindsay. "Black Market Blues: A Replication Study." A review of Schiumerini, Luis, and David A. Steinberg. 2020. "The Black Market Blues: The political costs of illicit currency markets." *The Journal of Politics* 82(4): 1217-1230.

Walsh, Sara Lindsay. 2020. "Quota or No Quota: The Effect of Gender Quotas on Women's Ability to Provide Substantive Representation." *Skidmore College Creative Matter*.

**GRANTS AND AWARDS** **Pennsylvania State University**  
FLAS (Foreign Language Area Studies) Fellowship \$7500 2022  
• Modern Standard Arabic (MSA) and Levantine Dialect at the Qasid Arabic Institute in Amman, Jordan

PiCP (Program in Comparative Politics) Award \$4000 2021  
• Intermediate Arabic Language Intensive, Mordern Standard Arabic (MSA) and Levantine Dialect, at Indiana University, Bloomington

**Skidmore College**  
Henry C. Galant Prize 2020  
• Awarded to a political science major who has excelled in the study of comparative politics.

Susan Riley Gunderson Prize 2020

- Awarded to a major in political science for outstanding work in the field of American government.

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**      Research Assistant for Sona Golder      Aug. 2022 - Dec. 2022  

- Collected electoral candidate data for group "Instaparty" project.

Research Assistant for Lee Ann Banaszak      Aug. 2020 - Dec. 2021  

- Collected data for book project on expansion of political rights for women, indigenous peoples, racial minorities.
- Processed archived Hansards on suffrage and right to run for office.
- Organized monthly reading group on race and gender.
- Coding for "Mood of the Nation" poll.

Research Assistant for Megan Turnbull      Sep. 2017 - May 2018  

- Conducted secondary research, book project on state-sponsored militia action.
- Researched election violence and voter intimidation by armed groups in Kenya.
- Completed profiles on Kenyan armed groups.

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**      **Pennsylvania State University**  
Teaching Assistant for Sommer Mitchell      Jan. 2022 - May 2022  

- Intro to Globalization (GLIS 101N)

Teaching Assistant for Andy Vitek      Jan. 2021 - May 2021  

- Comparing Politics Around the Globe (PLSC 3)

**WORK EXPERIENCE**      *Intern*      May 2019 - Jul. 2019  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Office of Congressman Jim Himes [D-CT 4]  

- Wrote weekly co-sponsorship memoranda. Edited website with strategic placement of keywords as hyperlinks. Drafted constituent correspondence. Reported on congressional hearings, meetings, for legislative staff.

*English Tutor*      Sep 2018 - Nov. 2018  
Al Thiqa Club, Sharjah, United Arab Emirates  

- Tutored English as a Second Language (ESL) to group with intellectual and developmental disabilities

**SERVICE**      **Pennsylvania State University**  
*Secretary*, Graduate Association of Political Science (GAPS)      Aug. 2020 - Present  
**Skidmore College**  
*Secretary*, UNICEF Skidmore College Chapter      Sep. 2017 - Dec. 2017  
*Treasurer*, Democracy Matters Skidmore College Chapter      Jan. 2017 - Dec. 2017

**SKILLS**      **Languages:** Arabic (4 years of study), Spanish (elementary proficiency)  
**Software:** R, Stata, LaTeX, Adobe Illustrator

**MEMBERSHIPS**      American Political Science Association (APSA), Pi Sigma Alpha