

REGINALD PULLEY

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EDUCATION

Ph.D.	University of Maryland, Government and Political Science	Present
MA	Georgia State University, Political Science Advisor: Dr. Periloux Peay	May 2023
BA	Catawba College, Political Science Minor: Sociology	May 2021

APPOINTMENTS

Graduate Assistant Government and Politics	University of Maryland Aug 2023 - Present
• Contribute to the development of teaching materials to ensure content and methods of delivery meet learning objectives • Support faculty with conducting literature reviews, data collection, and analysis • Provide effective, timely, and appropriate feedback to students to support their learning • Utilize R for data management and contributed to the development of presentations, publications	

Site Manager University of Maryland	University Advance Research Team Aug 2022 - Present
• Directed field research operations for a multi-university, National Science Foundation-funded study, ensuring alignment with research protocols and timelines. • Trained 100+ undergraduate students across five institutions to conduct field surveys and use survey data for for advance research methodologies. • Designed and fielded experimental and observational surveys using Qualtrics, incorporating randomization and embedded logic. • Mentored undergraduate research assistants in field methods, data, and professional research. • Produced analytical progress reports and synthesized field data to inform project evaluations, presentations, and peer-reviewed publications.	

RESEARCH INTEREST

My research interests are understanding how Black people evaluate their policy experiences its impact on their political behavior to achieve collective action goals. Generally, I am interested in American political behavior, public policy, and race and ethnicity politics.

SCHOLARSHIP

Peer-Reviewed Publications:

Peay, P.C. and **Pulley, Reginald**. “The Foresight of Frontlash: How Weaver captured the essence of the Black policy experience in American States.” *Politics, Groups, and Identities* (2025).

Pulley, Reginald, Hope Martinez, and Judd Thornton. “Partisanship and Racial Affect Among Black and Latine Americans: Evidence from 2016–20 Panel Data.” *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics* (2025).

Working Papers:

Pulley, Reginald. “Political Expectations; Understanding Black Political Behavior Through Policy Experiences”

Pulley, Reginald. “Black Reparations, Understand Policy and Representation”

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Transformative American Politics Lab

University of Maryland, African American and Africana Studies
Georgia State University, Political Science

Lab Manager

Aug 2023-Present
Aug 2022 - May 2023

African American Research Collaborative (AARC)

Sept 2025 – Present

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor:

Advanced Research in African American Politics
with Dr. Periloux Peay

University of Maryland
Spring 2025

Black Politics
with Dr. Chryl Laird

University of Maryland
Spring 2024

Teaching Assistant:

Regression Analysis

ICPSR
Summer 2025

“Through The Wire”: The Politics and Policies of a Chocolate City

University of Maryland
Fall 2025

Introduction to African American Studies

University of Maryland
Fall 2025

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PARTICIPATION

- **National Conference of Black Political Scientists:** 2023, 2024, 2025
- **Midwest Political Science Association:** 2023
- **Western Political Science Association:** 2024
- **American Political Science Association:** 2024

- **DMV Gender, Race, and Ethnicity Politics Workshop, Georgetown University: 2025**
- **PRIEC, University of Colorado-Boulder: 2025**

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND AWARDS

Boulder PRIEC Best Poster Award, 2025

APSA Diversity Fellowship, 2023-2024

Dean's Graduate Research Grant, Georgia State University, Spring 2023

Warren E. Miller Scholarship, ICPSR, Summer 2023

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Conference Panel	APSA
Discussant , Information & Views of Minoritized Groups	2024
University Advance Research Team	University of Arkansas
R Workshop Instructor , Political Science	Summer (seasonal) 2023 – Present
PhD Student Workshop	Georgia State University
Organizer , Political Science	Dec 2022 – May 2023
African American Male Initiative	Georgia State University
Graduate Assistant , Black Student Achievement	Aug 2021- May 2022

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

Race Summer Institute, Johns Hopkins, Summer 2024

Description: an intensive program on race, racism, and political theory bringing together graduate students and scholars across disciplines.

Data Visualization, ICPSR, Summer 2023

Description: Using RStudio to tidy data, analyze, and visualize data artfully and effectively

Race Qualitative Methods, ICPSR, Summer 2023

Description: Understanding and extending the methodologies employed in studying racial intergroup attitudes

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

National Conference of Black Political Scientists

Graduate Student Member

2021-Present

COMPUTER SKILLS

R Programming: Base R, Tidyverse, Regression models

Microsoft Office: Word, PowerPoint, Excel

Qualtrics (Proficient)