

Megan Skowronski

PhD Candidate & Data Scientist

Education

- 2014-2018 **Bachelor's of Science in Economics with a minor in Political Science**, *Florida State University*, Tallahassee, Florida.
- 2021-2023 **Master of Science in Sociology**, *Florida State University*, Tallahassee, Florida.
- Current **Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology**, *Florida State University*, Tallahassee, Florida.

Fellowships and Additional Training

- 2023-2024 **Consortium for Analytics and Data Driven Decision Making (CAnD3)**, *McGill University*, Montreal, Québec, Canada.
- 2023 **Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Summer Program**, *University of Michigan*, Ann Arbor, Michigan.
 - Certificate in Data Visualizations; Multilevel Models I: Introduction & Application; Maximum Likelihood Estimation II: Advanced Topics; Panel Data & Longitudinal Analysis
- 2023 **Introduction to Data Science in R and Documenting in RMarkdown**, *McGill University*, Montreal, Québec, Canada.
- 2023 **PopAging DataViz: Visualizing Population Data in R**, *Hosted by CAnD3 at Florida State University*, Tallahassee, Florida.

Publications

- 2022 **FINANCIAL HARDSHIPS AND MEDICATION ADHERENCE DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC**, *M Lytle, D Carr, P Homan*, *Innovation in Aging*.

Research Interests

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Social determinants of health, economic sociology, public policy, stratification, life course and aging, and quantitative methods

Teaching (Original Course Design)

Department of Sociology, Florida State University

- Social Class and Inequality (SYO3530) - Summer 2024

Teaching Assitantships

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- Families and Social Change (SYO3100) - Fall 2021
- Cities in Society (SYD3600) - Fall 2021
- Introduction to Sociology (SYG1000) - Spring 2022
- Marriage and the Family (SYG2430) - Spring 2023
- Social Problems (SYG2010) - Spring 2023
- Introduction to Research Methods (SYA5305) - Fall 2023
- Advanced Quantitative Methods (SYA5407) - Fall 2023
- Population and Society (SYD3020) - Spring 2024
- Sociology of Death and Dying (SYA3741) - Spring 2024

Department of Public Health, Florida State University

- Social Statistics & Data Analysis for Masters of Public Health (SYA5458) - Spring 2022

Department of Economics, Florida State University

- Introduction to Econometrics (ECO4421) - Spring 2018
- Economics of State and Local Government (ECO4554) - Fall 2018

Professional Experience

2024- **Data Scientist**, *South Carolina Medicaid Analytics and Dashboard Development*, Knowli Data Science.

2019-2020 **IT Service Coordinator**, *Information Technology Services*, Florida State University.

2020-2021 **IT Support Specialist**, *Information Technology Services*, Florida State University.

Conference Presentations

2022 **Megan Skowronski, Dawn Carr and Patricia Homan**, *Financial hardships and medication adherence during the COVID-19 pandemic*, Gerontological Society of America.

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2023 **Ladanya Ramirez Surmeier, Megan Skowronski, Taylor Barber, Erin Craig**, *Sexual Health: Issues, Management, and Care*, Southern Sociological Society.

Awards

2023 **Institute of Successful Longevity**, *Student Poster Competition*, First place.

2024 **Consortium for Analytics and Data Driven Decision Making (CAnD3) hosted by McGill University**, *Dragon's Den Data Visualization Competition*, Third Place: Mapping the Intersection: Average Wait Time for Housing Vouchers in Relation to Minority Household Percentage.

Service

2023-2024 **Sociology Graduate Student Union**, *President*.

2022-2023 **Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP)**, *Assistant Mentor*.

2022-2023 **Sociology Graduate Student Union**, *Information Resources Committee Representative*.

2022-2024 **Sociology Department**, *Graduate Student Mentor*.