Dylan Craig

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EDUCATION

University of Virginia, Frank Batten School of Leadership & Public Policy, Charlottesville, VA

May 2025

- Major: Master of Public Policy | GPA: 3.66
- Relevant Coursework: Research Methods and Data Analysis I & II; Economics of Public Policy I & II; Data Management in Social Science Research; Advanced Topics in Impact Evaluation; Applied Policy Project I & II
- Awards: Tadler Graduate Fellowship in Impact Investing

William & Mary, College of Arts and Sciences, Williamsburg, VA

May 2023

- Major: Government | GPA: 3.55
- Relevant Coursework: Intermediate Microeconomics; Economics of Bad Behavior; Research Methods; Political Polling and Analysis; American Welfare State; Budget Policy; Politics of Inequality

WORK EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Assistant, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

Jan 2024 - Aug 2025

- Collected, cleaned, and analyzed large-scale datasets using R, Stata, and Python, producing quantitative findings
- Drafted preliminary research, data cleaning, and data analysis memos to facilitate empirical research design
- Collaborated with authors evaluating social programs, focusing on participation and welfare policy effectiveness

Graduate Intern, Buchanan County Industrial Development Authority, Grundy, VA (remote)

Aug 2024 - May 2025

- Analyzed labor and population data using R; presented findings to inform county economic strategy
- Researched housing grants; secured a \$100,000 infrastructure grant to support housing development
- Drafted research memos to promote county development and attract business opportunities effectively

Graduate Research Assistant, Darden School of Business, Charlottesville, VA

Jun 2023 - Jun 2024

- Drafted reviews of academic literature on entrepreneurship, executive decision-making, and market structures
- Cleaned publicly available data and information on companies, individuals, and other entities for faculty research
- Conducted qualitative coding and analysis for various research projects supporting faculty-led studies

Lead Session Intern, Office of Delegate Michael P. Mullin, Richmond, VA

May 2022 - May 2023

- Managed all office correspondence and legislative tracking using state database, supporting legislative agenda
- Conducted legislative research on taxation, criminal justice, and energy, drafting memos and talking points
- Coordinated scheduling, attended committee meetings, and provided legislative support as needed

Undergraduate Research Assistant, William & Mary Department of Public Policy, Williamsburg, VA

Sep 2022 - Dec 2022

- Reviewed and synthesized academic literature on resilient and sustainable coastal communities
- Conducted stakeholder analysis and prepared insights on policy recommendations and outcomes
- Supported authors in developing materials and presenting findings to the client Virginia Sea Grant

SKILLS

- Technical Tools: Stata, R, Python, SPSS, GitHub, Tableau, Zotero, Microsoft Office, Google Workspace
- Research: Quantitative analysis, causal inference, data cleaning, data visualization, literature reviews
- Communication: Policy memos, presentation development, stakeholder engagement and collaboration