



**School of Arts and Sciences · Department of Politics
Assistant Professor of American Politics**

The Department of Politics at The Catholic University of America invites applications for a tenure-track faculty appointment in American politics, to begin in the fall of 2024. We are interested in a candidate with a range of interests, including but not limited to public opinion, ideology, political parties, elections, and the presidency. The successful candidate could also play an important advisory role for our Washington, D.C. internship programs. The department especially welcomes applicants whose research interests complement its traditional strengths in historical, theoretical, and institutional perspectives.

Situated on a large and beautiful campus, Catholic University is only three metro stops from the Capitol. Politics is one of the largest majors on campus, attracting many students who value the community of a Catholic university while pursuing careers related to politics and law in the nation's capital. The department's Ph.D. program has a long and distinguished history, and the development of professionally minded M.A. programs is a University priority.

We seek candidates who understand, are enthusiastic about, and will make a significant contribution to the [mission of the University](#), which reads as follows: "As the national university of the Catholic Church in the United States, founded and sponsored by the bishops of the country with the approval of the Holy See, The Catholic University of America is committed to being a comprehensive Catholic and American institution of higher learning, faithful to the teachings of Jesus Christ as handed on by the Church. Dedicated to advancing the dialogue between faith and reason, The Catholic University of America seeks to discover and impart the truth through excellence in teaching and research, all in service to the Church, the nation and the world."

Applicants should submit a cover letter, a *curriculum vitae*, a statement of current research and future research plans, a statement of teaching philosophy, graduate school transcript, and a sample of written work (including scholarly publications) to pol-search@cua.edu and arrange for the submission of three letters of reference. In addition, applicants are asked to submit a one- to two-page personal statement indicating how their research, teaching, and service will make a distinctive contribution to our [University's mission](#) and to the vision of Catholic education outlined in the Apostolic Constitution on Catholic Universities [Ex Corde Ecclesiae](#).

Review of applications will begin November 15 and continue until the position is filled. Questions may be directed to Jakub Grygiel, Department Chair, at grygiel@cua.edu.

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