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I am a PhD candidate in the sociology department at Stanford University. I study gender, family, and workplaces using primarily quantitative and computational methods, though I maintain an interest in qualitative methods. In my dissertation, I study the evolution of our cultural understanding of the relationship between work and family. In a number of collaborative projects, I study gender inequality in the workplace and in the family.

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

- MPP, Harvard Kennedy School , Public Policy (2022)
- BA, Bates College , Political Science (2017)

LINKS

- My personal website: <https://tessaholtzman.github.io/>

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **Formatting the two-step gender measure: Experimental insights from the United States** *DEMOGRAPHIC RESEARCH*
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