

Jacob D. Leibenluft

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Work Experience

Senior Fellow (and previously, Executive Vice President for Policy), Center for American Progress, 2018-present. From Feb. 2018 to Jan. 2020, led policy work at CAP, one of the leading think tanks in the progressive movement. Oversaw over 100 policy staff on a dozen teams across all domestic issues. Worked closely with senior leaders at other organizations and on Capitol Hill. Upon move to New York in January 2020, shifted role to senior fellow working on economic and climate policy.

Research Fellow, Institute for Corporate Governance and Finance at NYU Law School, Feb. 2020-present. Currently conducting research on a range of economic policy topics, including intersection of regulatory law and economic policy, tax and fiscal issues and small business. Co-teaching reading group course of first-year law students.

Senior Advisor, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, December 2016-February 2018. Responsible for helping to develop and lead political strategy at CBPP on health care, taxes, and other budget issues. Quoted in major media outlets including the *New York Times*, the *Washington Post* and *National Public Radio*.

Senior Policy Advisor, Hillary for America, June 2016-November 2016. Led Secretary Clinton's economic policy team during her presidential campaign, serving as a member of the campaign's senior staff; responsible for policy development, strategic planning around messaging, and coordination with other components of the campaign.

Deputy Director and Deputy Assistant to the President for Economic Policy, National Economic Council, White House, May 2013-June 2016. As one of two domestic deputies for the NEC, managed team responsible for White House process on issues including tax, budget, skills and job training. Responsible for coordinating economic messaging and planning, both within the White House and across the Administration. Served as Special Assistant to the President before being promoted to Deputy NEC Director in early 2015.

Director of Economic Policy and Associate Policy Director, Obama for America, March 2012-November 2012. Served as lead staffer on economic policy for President Obama's re-election campaign. Duties included briefing senior campaign officials and surrogates, explaining policy to reporters, and developing campaign products on economic issues.

Senior Policy Advisor, National Economic Council, White House, January 2011-March 2012. Responsible for briefing NEC Director on economic news and policy developments. Participated in policy development on fiscal issues and helped coordinate efforts that led to introduction of the President's jobs proposals, including the American Jobs Act.

Special Assistant to the Counselor, Treasury Department, January 2009-January 2011. Chief aide to Gene Sperling in his role advising Secretary Geithner during the financial crisis.

Education

Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, B.A. in Economics and History, 2006
Letters in Distinction in both Economics and History, *summa cum laude* GPA: 3.94
Phi Beta Kappa (Junior Election for Ranking in Top 1% of Class)
Percival W. Clement Prize for the Senior Essay in History

Honors

Henry Luce Scholarship, 2006-2007. Received a Luce Scholarship, awarded to 18 Americans under the age of 30 in diverse professional fields for a year of work in Asia; the scholarship funded my position as a business reporter at the *South China Morning Post*.

Harry S. Truman Scholarship, 2005. Awarded a Truman Scholarship, a federally-supported prize that recognizes 75 students nationwide who have shown leadership potential and a commitment to public service.