

TIMOTHY STRETTON

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EXPERIENCE

Policy Analyst, Project On Government Oversight (POGO)

July 2019 – Present

- Manage the financial services, Federal Reserve, public lands, appropriations, postal, and drug pricing portfolios.
- [Testified](#) before Congress on the need to increase transparency and accountability on government programs.
- Work with Hill staff to advance policies to promote government accountability and transparency by briefing congressional staff, providing recommendations on draft legislation, and preparing questions for upcoming hearings.
- Produce written analysis on various policy issues and draft comment letters to federal agencies on proposed rules and regulations.
- Quoted in several national news outlets including: [NPR](#), [NBC](#), [Politico](#), [Reuters](#), [CQ Roll Call](#), [Business Insider](#), [Morning Consult](#), [Government Executive](#), [Federal News Network](#), [Quartz](#), and [American Banker](#).

Professional Staff Member, U.S. Senate Special Committee on Aging

April 2019 – July 2019

- Organized hearings on elder financial exploitation, robocalls, and age-in-place technology.
- Managed a policy portfolio for the Chairman's personal office that included postal, financial services, government oversight and reform, federal employees, consumer protection, and telecommunications.
- Prepared materials and staffed the Senator at Appropriations Committee markups.

Assistant Investigator, U.S. Senate Special Committee on Aging

Dec. 2015 – April 2019

- Helped lead investigations on a variety of important issues such as prescription drug pricing, pension advance loans, elder financial exploitation, and retirement security.
- Organized and staffed multiple hearings each year on financial scams targeting seniors.
- Managed the Committee's Fraud Hotline that assists seniors who have been scammed.
 - A direct referral from our Hotline led to the arrest of 15 criminals accused of posing as government agents and defrauding more than 8,000 victims out of \$9 million.
- Responsible for writing Committee's annual report on fraud.
- Managed a policy portfolio for the Senator's personal office (postal, federal employees, labor, appropriations, immigration, telecommunications, and elder financial exploitation).

Legislative Aide, Office of U.S. Senator Susan M. Collins

Jan. 2015 – Dec. 2015

- Drafted statements, briefing materials, and letters on policy issues for the Senator's personal office (postal, federal employees, labor, immigration, telecommunications, and elder financial exploitation).

Paid Intern, Office of U.S. Senator Susan M. Collins

Sept. 2013 – Jan. 2015

- Conducted casework for constituents having difficulties with federal agencies.
- Represented the office at outside meetings, grant announcement ceremonies, and other community functions.

Research Assistant (Paid Internship), Maine International Trade Center Sept. 2013 – Dec. 2013

- Researched ‘best markets’ for products and sourcing materials.
- Determined product classifications, industry codes, tariff rates for imported and exported goods, and country-specific trade regulations.
- Assisted in preparations for the gubernatorial trade missions to Mexico and Colombia.

Assistant Manager, Burger King

July 2007 – March 2013

- Hired as a crew member in high school and was subsequently promoted to trainer, breakfast manager, production leader, shift manager, and assistant store manager. During my time at Burger King, I worked at all seven stores in the franchise.
- Responsible for ordering product, hiring, weekly payroll, controlling labor and food costs, conducting training plans, and scheduling.

PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

- “Administration Continuing to Limit Transparency and Oversight of CARES Act Funds,” Project On Government Oversight, June 18, 2020. <https://www.pogo.org/analysis/2020/06/administration-continuing-to-limit-transparency-and-oversight-of-cares-act-funds/>
- “Interior Department Needs More Oversight to Prevent Corruption Amid a Crisis,” Project On Government Oversight, April 8, 2020. <https://www.pogo.org/analysis/2020/04/interior-department-needs-more-oversight-to-prevent-corruption-amid-a-crisis/>
- “Independence of the Federal Reserve,” Project On Government Oversight, October 16, 2019. <https://www.pogo.org/analysis/2019/10/independence-of-the-federal-reserve/>
- "The External Action Service and its Effect on the Cohesion of EU Foreign Policy," Claremont-UC Undergraduate Research Conference on the European Union: Vol. 2013, Article 9. DOI: [10.5642/urceu.20132013.09](https://doi.org/10.5642/urceu.20132013.09)

EDUCATION

- Norwich University 2015 M.A. in Diplomacy and International Relations
- University of Southern Maine 2013 B.A. in Political Science