

James Shook
571-228-0557/Jamesrshook@gmail.com

Tim O'Hara for Congress – Mt Orab, OH
Campaign Manager

December 2023 – March 2024

- I was the sole staffer on the ground in a district with 16 counties, handling all aspects of campaign operations from political, finance, advance, and communications. I took a candidate with no name I.D., who was outspent, to coming in second place on election day in a field of 11 other candidates
- Managed our day-to-day schedule of events as well as organizing several grassroots meet and greets for the candidate
- Developed and implemented our election day strategy that included organizing poll workers, distributing campaign materials, and managing which polls to place the candidate
- Drafted press releases and policy statements on behalf of the campaign along with coordinating with local and national media outlets

Event Strategies Inc. – Alexandria, VA
Advance Associate (Contractor)

December 2022 – November 2023

- Coordinated with a large team to plan, organize, and execute large-scale events for ESI clients
- Participated in day-of operations and movements at venue spaces
- Coordinated with Secret Service and venue staff for motorcade movements and recruiting driver volunteers

Fabrizio, Lee & Associates – Alexandria, VA
Associate

May 2022 – December 2022

- Worked with our team to develop surveys and analysis for campaign and corporate clients across the country
- Coordinated with survey vendors to achieve accurate results and obtain nationally recognized data backed projections
- Developed client specific slide decks to present survey findings to political and corporate leaders
- Analyzed survey data to provide actionable insights into demographics and election turnout for clients

Dave McCormick for U.S. Senate – Pittsburgh, PA
Deputy Political Director

December 2021 – May 2022

- Built out and advanced the initial campaign launch schedule with events, meet and greets, rallies and OTR stops
- Managed the statewide field staff on voter contact operations and event turnout
- Accompanied the candidate on the statewide campaign launch and announcement
- Recruited volunteers, county coordinators and stakeholders statewide
- Coordinated with GOP Chairs and local committees to introduce them to the candidate

Glenn Youngkin for Governor – Fairfax, VA
Regional Political Director

January 2021 – November 2021

- Proposed, built, and executed events with the candidate throughout Northern Virginia. Including rallies, meet-and greets, and campaign announcements. Ensuring there was proper attendance, staging, campaign materials and volunteers at every venue
- Supervised Field Organizers for door-knocking/phone-banking operations
- Recruited over 300 unique volunteers, interns and Precinct Captains for field and election day operations
- Coordinated with the finance team on day-of operations for fundraisers