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EDUCATION

University of Michigan *2020-Present*
Ph.D. Pre-Candidate in Political Science

University of North Texas *2017-2020*
B.A. in Political Science and B.A. in History
Honors Thesis: “State and Non-State Actor’s Engagement in Noncombatant Killings: A Case Study of Northern Ireland.”
Summa cum Laude

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Graduate Student Instructor August 2021 - Present
University of Michigan- Department of Political Science *Ann Arbor, MI*

Graduate Research Assistant May 2021 - Present
University of Michigan- Department of Political Science *Ann Arbor, MI*

Teaching Assistant August 2019 - May 2020
University of North Texas- Department of Political Science *Denton, TX*

Research Assistant October 2018 - May 2020
University of North Texas- Department of Political Science *Denton, TX*

Supplementary Instructor for Political Science August 2018 - December 2018
Univeristy of North Texas- Learning Center *Denton, TX*

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

2020. “Movement of the People: Violence and Internal Displacement.” *International Area Studies Review*, 23(3): 233-250 (with Diego Esparza, James Meernik, Enrique Martinez, Ignacio Molinero and Victoria Nevarez).

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

2020. “Human Rights Crises Forecasting in Russia/Chechnya.” In *Predictions of Human Rights Crises*, Castleberry Peace Institute (June 2, 2020).

WORKING PAPERS

“Just How Important is US Leadership in International Human Rights?” with Barbara Koremenos, Katie Nissen, and Sujin Cha.

“The Intersectional Effect of Gender and Race on Juror Selection in Sex- and Gender-Based Violence Cases.”

“Murder and Morals: A Case Study of Rebel Ideologies and their Effect on Noncombatant Killings in the North Ireland Conflict.”

CONFERENCES AND SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

2019. *Interinstitucional de investigación: aportes para la paz*. Presentation on sexual violence in the Colombian conflict at the Pontifical Bolivarian University in Medellín, Colombia.

ORGANIZATIONS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES

Thesis Reader <i>University of Michigan</i>	2021
Grievance Committee Member <i>University of Michigan Graduate Employees' Organization</i>	2020-2021
Supreme Court Justice <i>UNT Student Government Organization</i>	2019-2020
Women's Resources Committee Co-Chair <i>UNT Student Government Organization</i>	2019-2020
Take Back the Night Committee Member <i>UNT Student Government Organization</i>	2019-2020
Founder/President <i>UNT Progressive Students Organization</i>	2019-2020
Advocacy Assistant <i>UNT Women's Faculty Network</i>	2019-2020
Legislative Aide <i>Texas State Senate</i>	2018
Competitor/Administrator <i>UNT Moot Court</i>	2018-2020
Terry Scholar <i>Terry Foundation at UNT</i>	2017-2020

HONORS AND AWARDS

Outstanding Student in International Relations <i>UNT Department of Political Science</i>	2020
President's List <i>UNT President's Office</i>	2017-2020
Atchafalaya Tournament Quarterfinalist <i>Texas Undergraduate Moot Court Association</i>	2019
Boston Tournament Octofinalist <i>American Moot Court Association</i>	2019

LANGUAGE AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

LANGUAGE

Spanish Intermediate

SOFTWARE

R Programming Advanced

LaTeX Advanced

Microsoft Office Advanced

Canva Advanced

Zoom Advanced

STATA Intermediate

SPSS Novice