

# Zhanna Terechshenko

---

CONTACT INFORMATION	New York University Center for Data Science 60 5th Ave, Office 835 New York, New York 10011	Phone: (814) 883-2709 E-mail: <a href="mailto:zt10@nyu.edu">zt10@nyu.edu</a> Github: <a href="#">ZTerechshenko</a> Website: <a href="http://zterechshenko.com/">http://zterechshenko.com/</a>
ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	2019 - Postdoctoral Associate, New York University, Social Media and Political Participation (SMaPP) Lab	
EDUCATION	Ph.D., Political Science and Social Data Analytics <b>The Pennsylvania State University</b> , 2019 <b>Dissertation Committee:</b> Glenn Palmer (co-chair); Burt Monroe (co-chair); Douglas Lemke; and Zita Oravecz <b>Dissertation Title:</b> What They Say and What They Do: Hawkishness, Hostility, and Conflict Escalation  M.A., Political Science <b>The Pennsylvania State University</b> , 2017  B.A., Political Science <b>Nazarbayev University</b> , 2015	
PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS	<b>Zhanna Terechshenko</b> , Charles Crabtree, Chris Fariss, and Kristine Eck. "Evaluating the Influence of International Norms and Shaming on State Respect for Rights: An Audit Experiment with Foreign Embassies". <i>International Interactions</i> 45(4):720-735 (September 2019).	
WORKING PAPERS	<b>Zhanna Terechshenko</b> . "Hot Under the Collar: a Latent Measure of Interstate Hostility" (Revise and Resubmit)  Fridolin Linder, <b>Zhanna Terechshenko</b> , Vishakh Padmakumar, Leon Yin, Fengyuan Liu, Jonathan Nagler, Joshua A. Tucker, Richard Bonneau. "A Comparison of Methods for Transfer Learning in Political Science Text Classification" (Under Review)  Ki Eun Ryu, Frederick Boehmke, Olga Chyzh, <b>Zhanna Terechshenko</b> , Bruce Desmarais, Jeff Harden. "The Structure of International Treaty Diffusion"  Vito D'Orazio, Michael R. Kenwick, Matthew Kelly, Dennis Okeyre, Glenn Palmer, David Reitter, and <b>Zhanna Terechshenko</b> . "An Experimental Analysis of Crowdsourcing Designs for Social Science Data Collection"	
SKILLS	<i>Programming:</i> R, Python, SQL, Stan <i>Quantitative methods:</i> Text Analysis, Latent Variable Modeling, Bayesian Statistics, Machine Learning, Network Analysis, Deep Learning, Maximum Likelihood Estimation <i>Languages:</i> Russian (native), English (fluent), French (upper-intermediate), Spanish (intermediate)	
RESEARCH/WORK EXPERIENCE	<b>Spring 2019:</b> Teacher Assistant to Professor James Piazza: Introduction to International Relations, The Pennsylvania State University  <b>Summer 2018 - Fall 2018:</b> Research Assistant to Professor Bruce Desmarais: The Structure of the United Nations Treaty Diffusion, The Pennsylvania State University  <b>Fall 2015 - Spring 2018:</b> Research Assistant to Professor Glenn Palmer: Militarized Interstate Dispute 5.0 Dataset, The Pennsylvania State University  <b>Summer 2013 - Spring 2014:</b> Research Assistant to Professor Stephen Wheatcroft: The scale, scope, timing, and geography of the Kazakh famine of 1931-1933, Nazarbayev University  <b>Fall 2012 - Spring 2013:</b> Research Assistant to Professor Alexei Trochev: Judicial Profession in Kazakhstan, Nazarbayev University	

ADDITIONAL  
EDUCATION

**Summer 2018:** Data Science Summer School, Paris, France

CONFERENCE  
PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 "Hot Under the Collar: a Latent Measure of Interstate Hostility". Poster presented at: Peace Science Society (International) Annual Meeting, Austin, TX  
Data Science Summer School (DS<sup>3</sup>), Paris, France
- 2018 "An Experimental Analysis of Crowd-Sourcing Designs for Social Science Data Collection" (with Vito D'Orazio, Michael Kenwick, Matthew Kelly, Dennis Okyere, Glenn Palmer, David Reitter). Poster presented at the 34th Annual Meeting of the Society for Political Methodology, Madison, WI. Paper presented at Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL
- 2017 "International Norms, Sanctioning, and Prisoners' Rights: A Field Experiment with Foreign Missions" (with Charles Crabtree, Chris Fariss, and Kristine Eck). Paper presented at Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. Poster presented at Peace Science Society (International) Annual Meeting, South Bend, IN

AWARDS &  
FELLOWSHIPS

- 2017 Best Political Science Master's Essay Award, The Pennsylvania State University
- 2017 Political Science Graduate Research Fellowship, The Pennsylvania State University
- 2016 Steighton (Steve) A. Watts, Jr. Endowed Graduate Scholarship in Political Science, The Pennsylvania State University
- 2015 Robert W. Graham Endowed Graduate Fellowship, The Pennsylvania State University
- 2014 Outstanding Student in Political Science and International Relations, Nazarbayev University

REFERENCES

Available upon request

Last Updated: March 21, 2020