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## Research Interests

Crime Science - Methodology in Social Sciences - Fear of Crime - Public Opinion - Systematic Reviews - Open Science - Computational Social Science

## Academic Positions

Researcher & Lecturer Institute of Sociology and Social Psychology (ISS) at the University of Cologne, Germany	Oct 2021 - Present
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Postdoctoral Researcher Netherlands Institute for the Study of Crime and Law Enforcement (NSCR) & University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU The Netherlands	Feb 2020 - Sep 2021
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Predocctoral Fellow Department of Social Psychology & Methodology of Behavioural Sciences University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Spain	Jan 2016 - Oct 2019
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Research Assistant Basque Institute of Criminology University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Spain	Jun 2015 - Oct 2015
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Research Assistant (Ext.) Basque Institute of Criminology University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Spain	Jun 2014 - Oct 2014
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Research Assistant Department of Social Psychology & Methodology of Behavioural Sciences University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Spain	Dec 2012 - Jun 2013
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## Education

Ph.D. in Psychology University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Spain	2015-2019
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M.Sc. in Forensic and Legal Psychology University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain	2014-2015
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B.Sc. in Psychology University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Spain	2009-2013
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## Affiliations

Research Fellow Crime events in context Research Group Netherlands Institute for the Study of Crime and Law Enforcement (NSCR) The Netherlands	Oct 2021 - Present
Research Fellow Crim-Ap Research Group at the University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Spain	Oct 2021 - Present

## Publications

### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- Marteache, N. & **Trinidad, A.** (2023) "Theft victimization in urban settings: comparison of tourist and resident case profiles" *Crime & Delinquency*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0011128723116310>
- Trinidad, A.**, San Juan, C., & Vozmediano, L.(2022) Environmental conditions associated with youth delinquency events: A temporal, meteorological and contextual perspective. *Environment and Behavior*,54(3), 629-654. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00139165211060521>
- Trinidad, A.**, Vozmediano, L., Ocáriz, E., & San Juan, C. (2021). "Taking a walk on the wild side": Exploring residence-to-crime in juveniles. *Crime & Delinquency*, 67(1), 58-81. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0011128720916141>
- Trinidad, A.**, Vozmediano, L., & San Juan, C. (2019). "Jumping at the opportunity": the role of situational and opportunity factors in juvenile delinquency in Southern Europe. *International Journal of Law, Crime and Justice*, 59, Article 10034. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijlcrj.2019.100347>
- Trinidad, A.**, San Juan, C., & Vozmediano, L. (2019). Escenarios de delincuencia juvenil en el ámbito urbano: una perspectiva situacional. *Revista Criminalidad*, 61(2), 9-24. <https://www.policia.gov.co/revista/revista-criminalidad-volumen-61-no-2>
- Trinidad, A.**, Vozmediano, L., & San Juan, C. (2018). Environmental factors in juvenile delinquency: A systematic review of the situational perspectives' literature. *Crime Psychology Review*, 4(1), 45-71. <https://doi.org/10.1080/23744006.2019.1591693>
- Ocáriz, E., & **Trinidad, A.**(2014). Las infracciones juveniles en la Comunidad Autónoma del País Vasco. Análisis de las estadísticas oficiales (2007-2012). *International E-journal of Criminal Sciences*, 8, 1-18. <https://ojs.ehu.eus/index.php/inecs/issue/view/1240>

### Other Publications

- Marcos,V., **Trinidad, A.**, & Seijo, D. (2024). Cibervictimización en adolescentes: una perspectiva desde la preocupación y la percepción del riesgo. En V. Marcos, B. Cea y Á. Montes (Eds). (2024). XV Congreso [Inter]Nacional de Psicología Jurídica y Forense. Libro de Actas (pp.84-86). Sociedad Española de Psicología Jurídica y Forense. ISBN: 978-84-128434-1-5

**Trinidad, A.** & San Juan, C. (2022). The context and the opportunity for crime: an ecological look at offences committed by minors in the Basque Autonomous Community Spanish title: El contexto y la oportunidad delictiva: una mirada ecológica a las infracciones cometidas por los menores de edad en la CAPV. In [100 años de acompañamiento: Investigación evaluativa y retos futuros de la Justicia Juvenil] ([https://www.justizia.eus/contenidos/documentacion/justicia\\_juvenil\\_100\\_anos/es\\_def/adjuntos/100-anos-acompanamientos-dig.pdf](https://www.justizia.eus/contenidos/documentacion/justicia_juvenil_100_anos/es_def/adjuntos/100-anos-acompanamientos-dig.pdf)), pp: 147-161. Servicio Editorial de la Universidad del País Vasco

**Trinidad, A.**(2019). *Situational and opportunity factors associated with juvenile delinquency* [Doctoral dissertation, University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU]. ADDI (Digital Archive Learning Researching) Repository.

**Trinidad, A.** (2017). Juvenile Antisocial Behaviour. In B. Baker, R. Minhas, & L. Wilson, *Psychology & Law Factbook*. European Association of Psychology and Law -Student Section , Inc. pp.49-52. ISBN 9781326989651.

**Trinidad, A.** (2015) Factores situacionales y oportunidades delictivas como predictores de la conducta anti-social de los menores de edad: Bases teóricas y propuestas de análisis [Master dissertation, University of Santiago de Compostela](#)

### **Technical Reports**

**Trinidad, A.** (2023). *Evaluation report. Project: Analysis and prevention of tourism-related crime in the city of Malaga: A SmartCity response*". PAIDI 2020 P20\_01266. Unpublished report. COPO Network.

**Trinidad, A.**, Stijn, R., Vozmediano, L.(2021) *Residential Burglary*. COPO Network Report Analysis of crime in Malaga city from four different perspectives.Unpublished report. Spanish Home Office.

Ocáriz, E., San Juan, C., **Trinidad, A.**(2014). *Multi-recidivist juvenile offenders in the Autonomous Community of the Basque Country*. Unpublished report. Department of Juvenile Justice, Basque Government.

### **Presentations**

#### ***Papers Presented at Professional Meetings and Conferences***

2024

**Trinidad, A.** & Ernst, A. Errors and Biases in Police Administrative Data in Light of the Total Error Framework. 5.Netzwerktagung „Kriminologie in NRW“, Siegen, Germany, March 21-22

Marcos, V., **Trinidad, A.** & Seijo, L. Cibervictimización en adolescentes: una perspectiva desde la preocupación y la percepción del riesgo. 15th International Conference of Legal and Forensic Psychology, Elche, Spain, 29 February-March 1-2

2023

**Trinidad, A.** & Marteache, N. Exploring Temporal Variability of Robberies against Tourists and Residents. 23th Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology, Florence, Italy, September 06-09.

Vozmediano, L., Jauregui, C. & **Trinidad, A.** Gathering experiences of safety and fear among women using a mobile app. 23th Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology, Florence, Italy, September 06-09.

Azabal, M, Vozmediano, L., & **Trinidad, A.** Experiences of crime and fear among the LGBT community: a mixed methods proposal, 23th Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology, Florence, Italy, September 06-09.

Azabal, M., Vozmediano, L., & **Trinidad, A.**, & Medina, J. Geography of hate crimes against the LGTB community. Spanish Criminological Research Symposium, Valencia, Spain, July 06-07.

**Trinidad, A.**, Summers, L., Vozmediano, L., & San Juan, C. Exploring the association between city facilities and juvenile crime events. 4. Netzwerktagung "Kriminologie in NRW", Cologne, Germany, March 30-31

2022

**Trinidad, A.**, Jauregui, C., & Vozmediano, L. Exploring Women's Fear of Crime: A Case Study at an Urban Space Under Reconstruction. 77th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, US, November 16-19.

Marteache, N., & **Trinidad, A.**. Dear Urbarn Tourist: Beware of Thieve. 30th Environmental Criminology and Crime Analysis meeting, Harrogate, UK, June 20-23

2020

**Trinidad, A.**, Stijn, R., Vozmediano, L., & Becerra, J. A street segment level analysis of residential burglaries in Málaga, Spain. 20th Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology, Online, September 10-11.

2019

**Trinidad, A.**, Vozmediano, L., & San Juan, C. The importance of the place: examining the relationship between facilities and juvenile delinquency. Annual Conference of the European Association of Psychology and Law, Santiago de Compostela, Spain, July 17-20.

San Juan, C., **Trinidad, A.**, & Vozmediano, L. La concentración en el espacio de la delincuencia juvenil en la ciudad de Bilbao. 4th Symposium of Criminological Research (SEIC), Granada, Spain, June 27- 28.

**Trinidad, A.**. Factores situacionales asociados a la delincuencia juvenil. 3rd Psychology PhD dissertation follow-up conference, Donostia-San Sebastián, Spain, June 18- 19.

2018

**Trinidad, A.** Los factores ambientales del comportamiento antisocial juvenil. Una revisión sistemática de la evidencia. 12th Spanish Conference of Criminology, Oviedo, Spain, June 26-29.

**Trinidad, A.**, Vozmdiano, L., Ocáriz, E., & San Juan, C. Un viaje al escenario delictivo: estudio piloto del journey-to-crime con muestra juvenil. 12th Spanish Conference of Criminology, Oviedo, Spain, June 26-29.

**Trinidad, A.**, & Ocáriz, E. La delincuencia juvenil en España: una mirada a las estadísticas oficiales desde la desorganización social. 12th Spanish Conference of Criminology, Oviedo, Spain, June 26-29.

	2016
Sánchez, N., <b>Trinidad, A.</b> , & Sánchez, D. Detección Intuitiva del Engaño en Niños: Una Aproximación Meta- Analítica. 2nd International Conference of Spanish Scientific Society of Social Psychology, Elche, Spain, October 20-23.	
Ocáriz, E., San Juan, C., & <b>Trinidad, A.</b> Los menores multirreincidentes en la CAPV. 9th International Conference of Legal and Forensic Psychology, Madrid, Spain, February 25-27.	
	2014
Ocáriz, E., <b>Trinidad, A.</b> , & San Juan, C. La Mediación Penal en menores infractores en la Comunidad Autónoma del País Vasco: Una propuesta de evaluación de su eficacia. 8th International Conference of Legal and Forensic Psychology, Santiago de Compostela, October 23-25.	
Ocáriz, E., <b>Trinidad, A.</b> , & San Juan, C. Los menores infractores multi-reincidentes en la Comunidad Autónoma del País Vasco. 8th (Inter)National Conference of Legal and Forensic Psychology, Santiago de Compostela, October 23-25.	
Ocáriz, E., & <b>Trinidad, A.</b> Evolución de las infracciones juveniles en la CAPV. 10th Spanish Conference of Criminology, Granada, May 7-9.	
<i>Guest Speaker</i>	
	2020
Análisis situacional de la delincuencia de menores mediante sistemas de información geográfica. Title in English: Situational analysis of juvenile delinquency using geographic information systems Jornada Parez-Pare: Robocop Bulegoan: Aplicación de nuevas tecnologías a la investigación. (Academia Vasca de Policía y Emergencias e Instituto Vasco de Criminología). Donostia-San Sebastián, Spain, February 27.	
<i>Workshops</i>	
	2024
<a href="#">Tidy Tuesday</a> NSC-R Workshop, NSCR, Feb 6	
	2023
<a href="#">Reading club</a> NSC-R Workshop, NSCR, Nov 14	
<a href="#">OLS diagnostics</a> NSC-R Workshop, NSCR, Jun 06	
<a href="#">R Functions</a> NSC-R Workshop, NSCR, Feb 21	
	2022
<a href="#">Tidy Tuesday</a> NSC-R Workshop, NSCR, May 03	
<a href="#">Temporal Trends</a> NSC-R Workshop, NSCR, Feb 22	
	2021
<a href="#">Spatial Data</a> NSC-R Workshop, NSCR, September 02	

## Funding

### *Project Grants*

- Analysis and prevention of tourism-related crime in the city of Malaga: 2021-2023  
A SmartCity response. (€ 40,538)  
External-Investigator, PI: José Becerra  
Funded by the Regional Government of Andalusia
- Extraordinary Grants for Research Groups in the UPV/EHU (€ 10,200) 2017-2018  
Co-Investigator, PI: César San Juan  
Funded by the Basque Government

### *Personal Grants*

- Funding for accommodation expenses for postdoctoral research staff (€9,9982.75) 2021  
Ref.no.: IKM\_2020\_1\_0003  
Funded by the Basque Government Department of Education
- Funding for doctoral Research Staff Improvement Prog. (€ 76,200) 2020-2021  
Ref.no.: POS\_2019\_1\_0019; POS\_2020\_2\_0028  
Funded by the Basque Government Department of Education
- Funding for non-doctoral Research Staff Training Programme (€ 83,288.32) 2016-2019  
Ref.no.: PRE\_2015\_1\_0070; PRE\_2016\_2\_0064; PRE\_2017\_2\_0011;  
PRE\_2018\_2\_0098  
Funded by the Basque Government Department of Education
- Scholarship for Master Students 2014-2015  
Full funding for Master's Studies by the Basque Government Department of Education
- Collaborative grant for initiation into research activities (€ 3,100) 2012-2013  
Funded by the Basque Government Department of Education
- Scholarship for Bachelor Students 2009-2013  
Full funding for Bachelor's Studies by the Basque Government Department of Education

## Research Visits

- Postdoctoral Researcher (POS\_2019\_1\_0019) Feb 2020-Oct 2021  
Netherlands Institute for the Study of Crime and Delinquency (NSCR),  
Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- Research Staff Training (PRE\_2015\_1\_0070) Oct 2016-Aug 2017  
Department of Criminology at Max Planck Institute for Foreign  
and International Criminal Law (MPICC)  
(now Max Planck Institute for the Study of Crime, Security and Law)  
Freiburg, Germany

Research Staff Training  
Institute of Criminology (IFK)  
at the University of Tübingen  
Tübingen, Germany

Nov 2015

## Teaching and Supervision Experience

### *Teaching Experience*

Theories of Crime and Research M.Sc. in Sociology and Social Research, University of Cologne	2023/24
Community, Social Cohesion and Crime B.Sc. in Sociology and Social Research, University of Cologne	2023/24
Comparative Research in Crime and Delinquency M.Sc. in Sociology and Social Research, University of Cologne	2022/23
Situations and Acts of Crime B.Sc. in Social Sciences, University of Cologne	2022/23
Scoping Reviews in Social Sciences B.Sc. in Social Sciences, University of Cologne	2022/23
Community, Social Cohesion and Crime M.Sc. in Sociology and Social Research, University of Cologne	2022/23
Comparative Research in Crime and Delinquency M.Sc. in Sociology and Social Research, University of Cologne	2021/22
Systematic Reviews in Social Sciences M.Sc. in Sociology and Social Research, University of Cologne	2021/22
Contextual Factors and Deviant Behaviour B.Sc. in Social Sciences, University of Cologne	2021/22
Environmental Criminology and Urban Security B.A. in Criminology, University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU	2018/19

### *Supervision*

Research master thesis  
MSc Sociology and Social Research at the University of Cologne

Bachelor thesis  
BSc Social Sciences at the University of Cologne

Queering the city:  
Mobility, perception of safety and use of public space  
by the lgtb community in urban settings  
Ph.D. Thesis at the University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU

Expected Jan 2027

Streets without fear:  
A study of women's fear of crime from a context-centered  
Ph.D. Thesis at the University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU

Expected Sep 2024

## Software Experience

RStudio – Visual Studio Code – SPSS – QGIS – GRASS – GeoDa

## Programming Languages

R

## PhD Theses Examined

Marcos, V. (October 2023). *Victimización en jóvenes en contextos físicos y virtuales. Promoción de la seguridad en el ámbito educativo*. PhD thesis, University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain

## Service to the Profession

Associate Editor  
Campbell Systematic Reviews 2024-present

Associate Editor  
International E-journal of Criminal Sciences 2024-present

Member of the Scientific Committee 2024  
15th International Conference of Legal and Forensic Psychology

Member of the Organizing Team: [NSC-R Workshops](#) 2021-present  
NSCR

Member of the Research Commission 2019  
Basque Institute of Criminology

Member of the Organizing Committee 2019  
"3rd conference on monitoring of doctoral theses in Psychology - UPV/EHU"  
Spain

Local Representative 2018-present  
European Association of Psychology and Law-Student Section EAPL-S

Assistant Editor 2017-2023  
International E-journal of Criminal Sciences

Member of the Organizing Team 2017  
Seminar: Models of Intervention with minors in situations of risk or  
social conflicting the Basque Country.



## Peer reviewer

2019-present

British Journal of Criminology  
Revista de Investigación en Educación  
Crime & Delinquency;  
European Journal of Criminology;  
International Journal of Law, Crime and Justice;  
Boletín Criminológico;  
Revista Española de Investigación Criminológica (REIC)

## Professional Associations

American Society of Criminology (ASC); European Society of Criminology (ESC): European Network for Open Criminology; European Association of Psychology and Law (EAPL); Spanish Society of Criminological Research (SEIC): Quantitative Criminology Working Group and Juvenile Justice Working Group.

## Language Proficiency

Spanish (Native)  
English (Proficient User)  
Basque (Proficient User)  
German (Independent User)

## Media coverage and appearances

[EiTB](#) (radio), [Deia](#) (Newspaper),

## References

*references available upon request*