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EDUCATION

Princeton University , Princeton, NJ	2019–Present
Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Politics	
M.A. Politics	2017–2019
University of East Anglia , Norwich, UK	2014–2015
M.Sc. Development Economics <i>with Distinction</i>	
Washington University in St. Louis , St. Louis, MO	2011–2014
A.B. Economics and International & Area Studies	

EXPERIENCE

Princeton University , Princeton, NJ	2020
<i>Data Visualization Consultant</i> , Stokes Library (Jan. 2020–May 2020)	
UCLA/Mercy Corps , Remote	2018–2019
<i>Consulting Research Assistant</i> , Reconciliation and Reintegration Project (Dec. 2018–Present)	
Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs , Princeton, NJ	2016–2017
<i>Research Specialist II</i> , Empirical Studies of Conflict (ESOC) Project (Apr. 2016–Aug. 2017)	
<i>Teaching Fellow</i> : Professors Jacob Shapiro & Ethan Bueno de Mesquita (Harris Public Policy)	
“Global Security, Information Processing, and Leadership.” (Sep. 2016)	
Center for Global Development , Washington, DC	2015–2016
<i>Consultant</i> (Apr. 2016–Dec. 2016)	
<i>Research Assistant</i> , Econometrics (Aug. 2015–Apr. 2016)	

RESEARCH

Published Research and Reports

- (6) Crisman, Benjamin. (2020). “**Disease, Disaster, and Disengagement: Ebola and Political Participation in Sierra Leone.**” *Studies in Comparative International Development*. (Previously published as Afrobarometer Working Paper no. 174.)
- (5) Crisman, Benjamin and Carla Sung Ah Yoon, Curtis Goos, Danielle Hull, Emily Romano, Jennifer Johnson, Michelle Nedashkovskaya, Narayan Subramanian, Solomon Tesfaye, and Yashna Gungadurdoss. (2020). “**Preventing Violent Extremism: Lessons from Kenya.**” *Woodrow Wilson School Policy Workshop Report*. Princeton, New Jersey.
- (4) Min, Eric. Manu Singh, Jacob N. Shapiro, and Benjamin Crisman. (2017). “**Understanding Risk and Resilience to Violent Conflicts.**” *Background paper for the United Nations–World Bank Flagship Study, Pathways for Peace: Inclusive Approaches to Preventing Violent Conflict*. World Bank, Washington, DC.
- (3) Iyengar, Radha, Jacob Shapiro, Benjamin Crisman, and Manu Singh. (2017). “**Stabilization in Afghanistan: Trends in Violence, Attitudes, Wellbeing and Program Activity**” *RAND Labor and Population WR-1192*.
- (2) Kenny, Charles and Benjamin Crisman. (2016). “**Results through Transparency: Does Publicity Lead to Better Procurement?**” *Center for Global Development Working Paper no. 437*.
- (1) Crisman, Benjamin, Sarah Dykstra, Charles Kenny, and Megan O'Donnell. (2016). “**The Impact of Legislation on the Hazard of Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting: Regression Discontinuity Evidence from Burkina Faso.**” *Center for Global Development Working Paper no. 432*.

Working Papers

- (3) Blair, Graeme, Mohamed Bukar, Rebecca Littman, Elizabeth R. Nugent, Rebecca Wolfe, Benjamin Crisman, Anthony Etim, and Chad Hazlett. (2020). **“Religious Leaders Can Shift Norms and Change Minds.”** (Under Review)
- (2) Voytas, Elsa and Benjamin Crisman. (2020). **“State Violence and Participation in Transitional Justice: Evidence from Colombia.”** (Under Review).
- (1) Crisman, Benjamin. (2020). **“Tactical Choice in Contentious Politics: Evidence from the Niger Delta.”**

Works in Progress

- (2) Postel, Hannah, and Benjamin Crisman. **“Dynamics of Displacement: Evidence from Iraq’s War against ISIL.”**
- (1) Crisman, Benjamin. **“Weapons of the Few: Numbers and Support for Violence in the American Alt-Right.”**

Other Media

- (1) Crisman, Benjamin, Alejandro Feged, Mike Findley, Oliver Kaplan, Kristina Kempkey, Paul Kuhne, Joe Young. **“Hacking” The Reintegration of FARC Rebels in Colombia.** *Political Violence at a Glance*. [Blog Post]

SERVICE

2020: Reviewer: Journal of Politics; Member, host organizing team, NEWEPS 14 Conference.
2017: Member, host organizing team, NEWEPS 9 Conference.

CONFERENCES

2020: *Midwest Political Science Association, MPSA Annual Conference:* Tactical Choice in Contentious Politics: Evidence from the Niger Delta; Chair: Terrorism in the 21st Century. (Cancelled due to COVID-19). **2018:** *Midwest Political Science Association, MPSA Annual Conference:* State Violence and Participation in Transitional Justice (presented by coauthor). **2017:** *Data4Peace Bogotá, Colombia: Inaugural hackathon on the Colombian Peace Process at Uniandes.* Participant; *Northeastern Political Science Association, NPSA Annual Conference.* Panel: New Insights into Terrorism, State Failure, and Public Health.

OTHER SKILLS

Technical: R, Shiny, Stata/Mata, SQL, \LaTeX , ArcGIS, QGIS, oTree



Languages: French (Intermediate), Spanish (Intermediate), Modern Standard Arabic (Basic)

REFERENCES

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