

Curriculum Vitae
Caralin Branscum
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EDUCATION

- Anticipated (2020) **Master of Science**, Criminology & Criminal Justice
Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida
GPA: 4.0
- 2018 **Bachelor of Arts**, Criminal Justice and Sociology
Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida
GPA: 3.9

GRANTS AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Fall 2018-Present **Graduate Research Assistant**
Advisor: Dr. Seth Fallik – Violence against women & legal analysis
- Fall 2018-Present **Graduate Research Assistant**
Advisor: Dr. Cassandra Atkin-plunk – West Palm Beach grant collaborations
- Summer 2018 **Graduate Research Assistant**
Advisor: Dr. Lisa Dario – Collaborations with Miami state prosecutors
- Fall 2017 **Research Student**
Directed-Independent Study (Criminal Justice): Intoxication and Sexual Assault
- Summer 2017 **Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF)**
Principal Investigator: Seth Fallik, Ph.D.
- Spring 2017 **Research Student**
Directed Independent Research (Criminal Justice): Sexual Assault in Criminal Investigations
- Fall 2016 **Undergraduate Research Grant**
Funding from the Office of Undergraduate Research and Inquiry
Principal Investigator: Ann Branaman, Ph.D.
- Fall 2016 **Undergraduate Research Student**
Directed Independent Study: Legal inconsistencies in sexual assault
- Summer 2016 **Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF)**
Principal Investigator: Ann Branaman, Ph.D.
- Spring 2015 **Research Student**
Directed Independent Study (Sociology): Adulthood in the 21st Century

PERSPECTIVE PUBLICATIONS

Branscum, Caralin. & Fallik, Seth. (under review). *Stalking State Statutes*.

Branscum, Caralin. & Fallik, Seth. (in progress). "A Systematic Content Analysis of Human Trafficking Laws."

Dario, Lisa., Morrow, Weston., & Branscum, Caralin. (in progress). "The Social Ecology of Police Sex Crime."

Fallik, Seth & Branscum, Caralin. (in progress). *Voluntary Victim Intoxication in Sexual Assaults: A Summary of the Nation's State Statutes*.

Fallik, Seth, Hodges, Hannah, & Branscum, Caralin. (in progress). *Forensic Evidence in Sexual Assaults: A Summary of the Nation's State Statutes*.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Branscum, Caralin & Fallik, Seth. (2019). "Stalking State Statutes: A Critical Content Analysis."
Future presentation at the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, California.

Dario, Lisa., Morrow, Weston., & Branscum, Caralin. (2019). "The Social Ecology of Police Sex Crime."
Future presentation at the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, California.

Branscum, Caralin & Fallik, Seth. (2019). "Stalking State Statutes: A Critical Content Analysis."
Poster presentation at Graduate and Professional Student Association (GPSA) Research Day, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton.

Branscum, Caralin., Fallik, Seth., & Hodges, Hannah (2018). "Forensic Evidence in Sexual Assaults: A Summary of the Nation's State Statutes."
Paper presentation at the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, Georgia.

Branscum, Caralin & Fallik, Seth (2018). "Voluntary Victim Intoxication in Sexual Assaults: A Summary of the Nation's State Statutes."
Paper presented at the annual Undergraduate Research Symposium, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton.

Fallik, Seth & Branscum, Caralin. (2017). "Aspects of sexual assault perpetration in criminal investigations: A summary of empirical results and legal standings."
Paper presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Kansas City, Missouri.

Branscum, Caralin., Ford, Deborah., Ostroot, Ashley, & Branaman, Ann. (2017) "Adulthood in the 21st Century: Factors that Affect the Transition to Adulthood."
Poster presented at the annual Undergraduate Research Symposium, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton.

Branscum, Caralin., Branaman, Ann., Ostroot, Ashley, & Ford, Deborah. (2017). "Adulthood in the 21st Century: Factors that Affect the Transition to Adulthood."
Poster presented at the Florida Undergraduate Research Conference, Boca Raton, Florida.

Branscum, Caralin & Carreno-Lukasik, Gina. (2016). "Potential Influences of Rape Myth Acceptance in Police Judgement."

Poster presented at the annual Undergraduate Research Symposium, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

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| 2017-Current | Student Teaching Assistant
Florida Atlantic University High School
Boca Raton, Florida
<i>Course Taught: Exploring Research</i> |
| 2016-Current | Peer Mentor
<i>Office of Undergraduate Research and Inquiry</i>
Florida Atlantic University
Boca Raton, Florida |
| 2016 | Life Science and Humanities Tutor
<i>Center for Learning and Student Success</i>
Florida Atlantic University
Boca Raton, Florida |

COMPETITIVE AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

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| 2018 | 3-Minute Thesis Competition: First-runner up
Florida Atlantic University Graduate College |
| 2018 | Provost Fellowship
Florida Atlantic University Graduate College |
| 2018 | FAU Undergraduate Research Symposium: First Place, Oral Presentation
Florida Atlantic University |
| 2017 | Tom Barker Outstanding Undergraduate Student
Southern Criminal Justice Association |
| 2017 | GEO Scholarship
The GEO Group Foundation |
| 2017 | Undergraduate Researcher of the Year
College of Design and Social Inquiry |
| 2017 | Rotary Scholar for the Month of February
Rotary Club of Boca Raton |
| 2017 | Research Scholar of the Year for FAU High School
Florida Atlantic University High School |

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

2014-Present	First United Methodist Church Assistant Sunday School Teacher <i>First United Methodist Church, Coral Springs, Florida</i>
2016	Every Child Matters Volunteer <i>First United Methodist Church, Coral Springs, Florida</i>
2014	Office for Students with Disabilities Volunteer Notetaker <i>Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida</i>

STUDENT REVIEWER

2019	Student Reviewer: FAU Undergraduate Research Journal <i>Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida</i>
2017	Student Reviewer: Distinguished Mentor of the Year Award <i>Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida</i>

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

2016-Current	Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) Responsible Conduct of Research Human Research Social and Behavioral Sciences
2016	College Reading and Learning Association (CRLA) Certification Level 2
2015	College Reading and Learning Association (CRLA) Certification Level 1