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EDUCATION

Ph.D. 2017. Political Science. The University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.
First concentration: international relations. Second concentration: comparative politics.

M.A. 2014. Political Science. The University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.

B.A. 2008. Philosophy and Psychology. Loyola University New Orleans, New Orleans, LA.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2018 – Present Adjunct Lecturer
Florida International University
Courses: INR 4603-U01. Theories of International Relations.
INR 3081-U01. Contemporary International Problems.
INR 4350-U01. International Environmental Politics.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS

- Distinguished Dissertation Award for the College of Liberal Arts, Education and Human Development. The University of New Orleans. Spring 2018.
- Prestage-Cook Travel Award for the Southern Political Science Association Annual Conference Awarded Winter 2015.
- Marcus B. Christian Scholarship. The University of New Orleans. Awarded for Fall 2012 – Fall 2016.
- Latin American Studies Travel Grant. The University of New Orleans. Awarded \$1100. Studied new media in Cuba. Summer 2011.
- Hungarian Language and Cultural Studies Scholarship. Pal Teleki Foundation/Hungarian Scout Association in New York. Studied Hungarian language and culture. Balassi Intézet, Budapest, HU 2008-2009

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Presentations

“Alliances and Asylum: Do Bilateral Relations Drive or Deter Refugee Status Rates?” International Studies Association. Toronto, Ontario, Canada. March 2019.

“The Impact of Bilateral Trade on Asylum Rates.” FLACSO-ISA Joint Conference. Quito, Ecuador. July 2018.

“Natural Resources and Refugees: How Oil Affects State Asylum Policies.” International Studies Association. Atlanta, Georgia. March 2016. Also presented at the Junior Scholar Symposium panel.

“Climate Variability and Asylum-Seekers in Sub-Saharan Africa,” with Alfonso Sanchez. Southern Political Science Association. San Juan, Puerto Rico. January 2016.

“Money Matters: Does a State’s Income Level Affect Its Asylum Policies?” European Political Science Association. Vienna, Austria. June 2015.

“No Trespassing Allowed: An Analysis of Refugee Plights and State Border Closures.” Midwest Political Science Association. Chicago, IL. April 2014.

“Out of Eden: Religious Patriarchy and Political Participation,” with Tiffani Crippin. St. Louis University Gender and Politics Conference. St. Louis, MI. April 2013.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research assistant for Professor Edward Chervenak, January 2013-May 2017.
University of New Orleans Survey Research Center. Political polling.
Past surveys assisted: 2016 Senate and Presidential Election Survey, 2016 Quality of Life, 2015 Louisiana Gubernatorial Runoff, 2014 Louisiana Survey, 2013 Job Approval Rating for Mayor Landrieu and Orleans City Council, 2013 Quality of Life.

Research assistant for Professor John Kiefer, Spring 2013.
University of New Orleans Department of Political Science.

Research assistant for Professor Evan Zucker, Fall 2006-Spring 2008.

PUBLICATIONS

Book Reviews

Juhasz, Elizabeth. 2017. “Iris Berger et al. (eds.). 2015. *African Asylum at a Crossroads: Activism, Expert Testimony, and Refugee Rights*. Athens: Ohio University Press. 272 pp.” *African Studies Quarterly* 17(1): 110-111.

RELATED PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Excel, Stata, SPSS, WordPress, Qualtrics (Currently learning R and QGIS).

LANGUAGES

Fluent Spanish

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS/AFFILIATIONS

International Studies Association (Section: Ethnicity, Nationalism, and Migration Studies; Environmental Studies Section; Women's Caucus), Phi Sigma Tau- Philosophy Honor Society, United Nations Association- New Orleans, LA, Alpha Kappa Psi- Professional Business Fraternity, Pi Sigma Alpha- Political Science Honor Society

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- Volunteer August 2016
Trinity Episcopal Church. New Orleans, LA.
Participated in the gutting and cleaning of flood-damaged homes. Albany, Louisiana. Worked alongside Cajun Navy.
- Tibetan Cultural Exchange/English Tutor July 2014
Lha Charitable Trust. Dharamsala, India.
Volunteer for Tibetan refugee community. English tutor. Cultural exchange.
- Co-Chair September 2006 – May 2008
Students Moving into the Lives of the Elderly (SMILE). New Orleans, LA.
Recruited volunteers from Loyola University New Orleans. Planned activities and events at The Uptown Shepherd Center, a local senior center.
- Service Chair. September 2007- May 2008
Alpha Kappa Psi. Loyola University New Orleans.
Service chair for business fraternity. Planned volunteer events with fellow fraternity members.