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INTERESTS

The ethics and governance of technology; security; accountability; borders; cities

EDUCATION

University of Toronto, *Faculty of Information*
  Master of Information, 2019

- Thesis: Negotiating Citizenship: Mediatized Migration and the Canadian Data Border
- Committee: Prof. Nadia Caidi (Supervisor), Prof. Leslie Shade (Second reader), Prof. Myria Georgiou (External reader)

Huron University College, Western University, *Centre for Global Studies*
  B.A. (Hons.), Global Development Studies, 2016

- Honours Seminars: Gender and Security, International Human Rights Frameworks

SCHOLARSHIPS,
FELLOWSHIPS &
DINSTINCTIONS

- External Affiliate, Ethics of AI Lab, Centre for Ethics, University of Toronto, 2019-2020
- Gordon Cressy Student Leadership Award, University of Toronto, 2019
- Inforum Student Assistant Award, University of Toronto Libraries, 2019
- Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship-Master's (CGS-M) ($17,500 CAD), Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC), 2018-2019
- Junior Fellow, Massey College, University of Toronto, 2018-2019
- Student Affiliate, Ethics of AI Lab, Centre for Ethics, University of Toronto, 2018-2019
- Roland Vishnu Award in Global Studies, Huron University College ($200 CAD), 2015

PEER-REVIEWED
PUBLICATIONS

Duncan, J. and Caidi, N. (2018). Mobilities, Media and Governmentality: Asylum Seekers in Lacolle, Quebec. Migration Und Sociale Arbeit (The German Journal of Migration and Social Work), 2018(4).

Duncan, J. (2018). Uncertainty and Desire: Big Data Surveillance and Digital Citizenship. iJournal, 3(3).

Shade, L. R., Guzman, C., & Duncan, J. (Pending review). Get Smart: Locating the Citizen in Smart City Discourse and Policy. In E. Judge, S. Solomun, & D. Bush (Eds.), *Cities, Citizens, and Locational Technology: Mapping Power and Justice.* Vancouver: UBC Press.

Duncan, J. & Barreto, D (Pending review). Policing Canadian Smart Cities: Technology, Race, & Private Influence in Canadian Law Enforcement. In Silva, D., Luscombe, A., & Walby, K. (Eds.), *Private Influences, Privatization, and Criminal Justice in Canada.* Vancouver: UBC Press.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS	Duncan, J. (2019). *21st Century Media Events: The Siege of Daraa.* Presented as a contribution to "Exploring the Limits of Media Power: ISIS, Syria, and Global Media Event," moderated by K. Burchell at Eyewitness Textures: User Generated Content & News Coverage the 21st Century, Edmonton, AB.
	Duncan, J. (2019). *Negotiating Citizenship: Mediatized Migration and the Canadian Data Border.* Presentation and participatory session delivered as part of the full-day workshop, "Charting the Future of Forced Migration Research in Information Science" at iConference 2019, Washington DC.
	Duncan, J. (2019). *Asylum Seekers in Lacolle, Quebec: Securitized Encounters at the Canadian Data Border.* Presentation at the Annual Graduate Student Conference hosted by the University of Toronto Centre for Criminology and Sociolegal Studies, Toronto, ON.
OTHER SPEAKING	Duncan, J. (2019). *Locating Journalistic Practice in News Discourse: Institutional Masks & Contingent Hypermediation in Newswire Coverage of the Syrian War.* Presented in contribution to "Strategic Political Communication and Translocal Media Flows: A Post-Graduate and Post-Doctoral Research Workshop" as a part of the Universities of Manchester and Toronto Joint Research Initiative, Toronto, ON.
	Barreto, D and Duncan, J. (2019). *Smart Cities: Their Future or Yours?* Presentation and workshop facilitated at RightsCon, Tunis, Tunisia.
	Duncan, J. (2019). *Reasonable Doubt: Ambivalent Performances of Networked Authority and Citizenship at the Canadian Border.* Lecture delivered at the Massy College Junior Fellow Lecture Series, Toronto, ON.
	Duncan, J. (2019). *The Siege of Daraa and the Media Events Framework.* Presenter in Dr. Kenzie Burchell's undergraduate journalism course, ACMB02H3: Methods of Inquiry and Investigation. University of Toronto, Scarborough Campus, 2019.
PAST & CURRENT EMPLOYMENT	Junior Policy Analyst, 2020-Present
Artificial Intelligence Hub, Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada • Liaising with the Treasury Board Secretariat and Global Affairs Canada as a steering committee representative of the Artificial Intelligence Policy Community of Practice. • Supporting the AI Hub's role as Secretariat of Canada's Advisory Council on Artificial Intelligence by taking minutes, drafting reports, and preparing official materials. • Conducting research on data governance and responsible innovation to support Canada's role as a founding member of the Global Partnership on Artificial Intelligence.
	Senior Research Assistant, 2019-Present
University of Winnipeg, Centre for Access to Information and Justice • Delivering public interest research on Access to Information and Freedom of Information systems under the supervision of Prof. Kevin Walby. • Contributing to academic articles on police political communications and recent statutory updates to Canada's Access to Information Act.

Research Consultant, 2019-Present
Jamie Duncan Research Services

- Generating qualitative research insights for private sector clients.
- Services include coding survey responses, descriptive analysis of large data sets, media monitoring and analysis, as well as written and visual storytelling.

Global News Research Assistant, The Limits of Media Power Project, 2018-Present
University of Toronto, Scarborough, Department of Arts, Media, and Culture

- Supporting the "Making Responsible Reporting Practices Visible: Humanitarian Crisis, Global Media, and the War in Syria" and "The Limits of Media Power" projects under the supervision of Prof. Kenzie Burchell.
- Creating a database of press agency reporting on the Syrian civil war, coding coverage in NVivo, contributing to innovative methodological design, assisting with the management of graduate research assistants.
- Presenting analysis in diverse academic environments and contributing to forthcoming publications.

Research Assistant, Opening the Door on Digital Privacy Project, 2019
University of Toronto, Faculty of Information

- Contributed to the youth-oriented "Opening the Door on Digital Privacy" literacy initiative under the supervision of Prof. Leslie Shade.
- Authored 3 key-word essays on the topics of digital rights, data colonialism, and data sovereignty.

Student Library Assistant, Outreach and Instruction Services, 2017-2019
University of Toronto Libraries, Inforum Library

- Initiated and directed implementation of a micro-survey initiative using 'up-cycled' library technology loans.
- Designed effective branding and promotional materials for library programing using Adobe Creative Cloud and Drupal.
- Crafted compelling blog and social media content at RightsCon 2019 for the Digital Tattoo project, attracting over 3000 views in 3 days, which is over 100 times the average.

Research Assistant, GeoThink Project, 2018
University of Toronto, Faculty of Information

- Co-authored the book chapter, "Get Smart: Locating the Citizen in Smart City Discourse and Policy" alongside Prof. Leslie Shade and Carina Guzmán.
- Participated in community consultations, workshops, panels, and lectures related to the proposed Sidewalk Toronto development and consequent advocacy movements.
- Designed four infographics on the political-economic contours of Alphabet Inc..

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Co-coordinator, Ethics of AI in Context: Emerging Scholars Lecture Series, 2019-Present
University of Toronto, Centre for Ethics, Ethics of AI Lab

- Founded and organized the Ethics of AI in Context: Emerging Scholars Lecture Series during the summer of 2019 and subsequently extended it into the 2019-20 academic year.

- Co-organizing and moderating well-attended cross-disciplinary discussions on the ethics of artificial intelligence with exceptional early-career academics and professionals.

Organizing Member, Walter Gordon Series in Public Policy, 2019
University of Toronto, Massey College & The Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy

- Collaboratively organized and implemented the 2019 Walter Gordon Symposium, *Canada 2050: Visions of the Future* with colleagues from Massey College and the Munk School.
- Oversaw administration of the "Future of Cities" panel.

Co-President, Master of Information Student Council, 2018-2019
Graduate Student Union, University of Toronto

- Coordinated a team of 30 to represent over 600 Faculty of Information student-stakeholders in university policy-development and decision-making processes.
- Facilitated participatory consultations to improve collaborative culture, clarify collective values, and more effectively advocate for student voices.

Student Representative, 2018-2019
University of Toronto, Faculty of Information

- Advisory Committee for the Dean of the Faculty of Information (hiring committee)
- Dean's Advisory Committee on the Inforum Library
- Bissell Building Revitalization Committee

Professional Development Co-Chair, Master of Information Student Council, 2017-2018
Graduate Student Union, University of Toronto

- Administered funding for student clubs and societies.
- Co-organized professional development programming, including the Annual Career Networking Event and Annual Clubs Day.
- Spearheaded production of a series of video interviews on the professional trajectories of Faculty of Information students.

Casual Peer-Reviewer, 2018-2019
Social Media and Society and *Information Processing and Management*

OTHER VOLUNTEERING	• Mentor, Faculty of Information Mentors, 2018-2019 • Community Village Manager, RightsCon Toronto, 2018 • Program Assistant, Youth, Economic, and Social Development Vietnam, 2016-2017 • Community Settlement Officer, World University Service of Canada, 2014-2016
WORKSHOPS & TRAINING	• Young Leaders Summit, RightsCon Tunis, 2019 • Professional Communications, University of Toronto, Faculty of Information, 2018 • Strategic Non-academic Grant Writing, University of Toronto, Faculty of Information, 2018 • Data Visualization: An Introduction, University of Toronto, Faculty of Information, 2018 • Annual Leadership Meeting, World University Service of Canada, 2014