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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Academic Research Manager, Empirical Studies of Conflict, **Princeton University** (2025-)  
Visiting Scholar, Department of Political Science, UNC Chapel Hill (2024-)  
Associate Research Scholar, Empirical Studies of Conflict, **Princeton University** (2022-2025)  
Postdoctoral Fellow, Empirical Studies of Conflict, **Princeton University** (2021-2022)  
Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Computer Science, **Dartmouth College** (2020-2021)

## EDUCATION

Ph.D., Political Science, **University of Pittsburgh**, (2020)  
M.A., Political Science, **Michigan State University**, (2016)  
Graduate Certificate, Computational Modeling, Department of Computational Mathematics,  
Science and Engineering (2017)  
B.A., Political Science, **University of North Carolina at Charlotte** (2014)  
B.S., Economics, **University of North Carolina at Charlotte** (2014)

## ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

23. Greene, Kevin, Sean Norton, Jacob Shapiro. “Evaluating Text-to-Image Platforms’ Content Moderation During the 2024 US Presidential Election.” *Journal of Quantitative Description: Digital Media*. *Forthcoming*.
22. Pisharody, Nilima, Sean Norton, Kevin Greene, Jacob Shapiro. 2025. “Changes in YouTube’s Content Moderation Policy Had Little Detectable Impact on Election Denial Content.” *Proceedings of the AAAI Conference on Web and Social Media (ICWSM)*.
21. Greene, Kevin, Matthew DeVerna, Joshua Tucker, Cody Buntain. 2025. “Hot Tweets and Cold Posts: Variation in US Congresspeople’s Ideological Presentation on Twitter and Facebook Over Time.” *Proceedings of the AAAI Conference on Web and Social Media (ICWSM)*.
20. Greene, Kevin, Nilima Pisharody, Faelynn Carroll, Jacob Shapiro. 2025 “Fact-Checks Focus on Famous Politicians, not Partisans.” *PNAS Nexus*. 4(1).
19. Greene, Kevin, Mayana Pereira, Nilima Pisharody, Rahul Dodhia, Juan Lavista Ferres, Jacob Shapiro. 2025 “Using Website Referrals to Identify Unreliable Content Rabbit Holes.” *Behaviour & Information Technology*. 44(7).
18. Greene, Kevin, Nilima Pisharody, Lucas Meyer, Mayana Pereira, Rahul Dodhia, Juan Lavista Ferres, Jacob Shapiro. 2024. “Current Engagement with Unreliable Sites from Web Search Driven by Navigational Search.” *Science Advances*. 10(44).

17. Greene, Kevin, Nilima Pisharody, Alonso Fernández, Nathan Evans, Jacob Shapiro. 2024. "An Evaluation of Information Acquisition Habits in US News Deserts." *Scientific Reports*. 14(27780).
16. Kevin Greene. 2024. "Partisan Differences in the Sharing of Low-Quality News Sources by U.S. Political Elites." *Political Communication*. 41(3).
15. Conrad, Justin, Kevin Greene, Brian Phillips. 2024. "Introducing ViNSAR: Dyadic Data on Violent Non-State Actor Rivalry." *Journal of Conflict Resolution*. 68(9).
14. Broniatowski, David, Kevin Greene, Nilima Pisharody, Danny Rogers, Jacob Shapiro. 2023. "Measuring the Monetization of Online Discourse with Application to Pro- and Anti-Vaccine Communities." *Scientific Reports* 13(15964).
13. Phillips, Brian, Kevin Greene. 2022. "Where is Conflict Research? Geographic Bias in the Research on Armed Violence" *International Studies Review*. 24(3).
12. Chen, Youdinghuan, Chongyang Gao, Daveed Gartenstein-Ross, Kevin T. Greene, Karin Kalif, Sarit Kraus, Francesco Parisi, Chiara Pulice, Anja Subasic, V.S. Subrahmanian. 2022. "Linking Terrorist Network Structure to Lethality." *IEEE Transactions on Computational Social Systems*. 10(5).
11. Brethouwer, Jan-Tino, Robbert Fokkink, Roy Lindelauf, Kevin Greene, Caroline Tornquist, VS Subrahmanian. 2022. "Rising Tension in the Himalayas: a Geospatial Analysis of Chinese Border Incursions into India." *PLOS One*. 17(11).
10. Liu, Rui, Kevin Greene, Ruibo Liu, Miho Mandic, Ben Valentino, Soroush Vosoughi, VS Subrahmanian. 2021. "Using Impression Data to Improve Models of Online Social Influence." *Scientific Reports*. 11(16613).
9. Conrad, Justin, Kevin Greene, Brian Phillips, Samantha Daly. 2021. "Ethnicity, Power, and Militant Group Rivalry." *Defence and Peace Economics*. 32(6).
8. Greene, Kevin, Caroline Tornquist, Roy Lindelauf, VS Subrahmanian. 2021. "Understanding the Timing of Chinese Border Incursions into India." *Humanities and Social Sciences Communications*. 8(164).
7. Park, Baekkwon, Kevin Greene, Michael Colaresi. 2020. "Learning the Changing Taxonomy of Human Rights from Large-scale Text Reveals Information Effects." *American Political Science Review*. 114(3): 888-910.
6. Park, Baekkwon, Kevin Greene, Michael Colaresi. 2020. "How to Teach Machines to Read Human Rights Reports and Identify Judgments at Scale." *Journal of Human Rights*. 19(1): 99-116.
5. Greene, Kevin, Caleb Lucas. 2020. "Once More, With Feeling: Using Sentiment Analysis to Improve Models of Relationships Between Non-State Actors." *International Interactions*. 46(1): 150-162.
4. Greene, Kevin, Baekkwon Park, Michael Colaresi. 2019. "Machine Learning Human Rights and Wrongs: How the Successes and Failures of Supervised Learning Algorithms Can Inform the Debate About Information Effects." *Political Analysis*. 27(2): 223-230.
3. Conrad, Justin, Kevin Greene, James Walsh, Beth Whitaker. 2019. "Rebel Natural Resource Exploitation and Conflict Duration" *Journal of Conflict Resolution*. 63(3): 591-616.

2. Park, Baekkwon, Michael Colaresi, Kevin Greene. 2018. “Beyond a Bag of Words: Using PULSAR to Extract Judgments on Specific Human Rights at Scale” *Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy*. 24(4).
1. Conrad, Justin and Kevin Greene. 2015. “Competition, Differentiation and the Severity of Terrorist Attacks.” *Journal of Politics*. 77(2): 546-61.

## WORKING PAPERS

- “Short-form video platforms drive mobile usage.” (w/ Abdurahman Maarouf, Jacob Shapiro, Stefan Feuerriegel, Manoel Horta Ribeiro) *Under Review*.
- “Assessing Foreign Interference During the Year of Elections.” (w/ Jeffrey Imbrogno, Jacob Shapiro) *Under Review*.
- “A Framework for Unreliable Domain Detection Using Browser Traffic.” (w/ Mayana Pereira, Jacob Shapiro, Nilima Pisharody) *Under Review*.

## GRANTS

- “Methods for Systematic Audits of Risks from Malign Actors’ Use of Generative AI.” Google Academic Research Award. Co-Principal Investigator, 2025.
- “Assessing Free Expression Restrictions in Generative AI Tools.” Future of Free Speech. Co-Principal Investigator, 2025.
- “Auditing Text-to-Image Generative AI Tools.” Microsoft. Co-Principal Investigator, 2023-2024.
- “Influence Operations Library.” Lockheed Martin Advanced Technology Labs. Project Lead, 2022-2023.
- “Violent Non-State Rivalry and Organizational Behavior.” National Science Foundation. Senior Research Personnel, 2017-2020.

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- “Assessing Free Expression in Generative AI Tools.” (w/ Jacob Shapiro). Future of Free Speech AI Report. 2025.
- “Countering foreign influence on elections and democracy requires more—not less—research.” *Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists*. May 5, 2025.
- “Online Political Influence Efforts Dataset V5.” (w/ Diego Martin, Jacob Shapiro). *Empirical Studies of Conflict Project*. 2024.
- “The Proliferation of Misinformation Online.” (w/ Will Fein, Mayana Pereira, Jane Wang, Lucas Meyer, Rahul Dodhia, Jacob Shapiro). In *AI for Good: Applications in Sustainability, Humanitarian Action, and Health*. Editors Juan Lavista Ferres and William Weeks. 2024.
- “The Libertarian didn’t spoil the special election in Pennsylvania’s 18th.” (w/ Kristin Kanthak). *Vox.com - Mischiefs of Faction*
- “What the Algerian Civil War Can Teach Us About Combating ISIS.” *Political Violence at a Glance*
- “Why Terrorists Become More Violent.” (w/ Justin Conrad). *Political Violence at a Glance*. Named one of Time/Aspen Institute’s “Five Best Ideas Today”

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Network Contagion Research Institute Internship, Senior Analyst, Rutgers University, 2021  
Web Scraping for Social Scientists, Guest Lecturer, University of Pittsburgh, 2018, 2019  
Intro to Python, Guest Lecturer, University of Pittsburgh, 2018, 2019  
Intro to dplyr, Workshop Facilitator, University of Pittsburgh, 2018  
Intro to Social Science Data Analytics, Teaching Assistant, Michigan State University, 2017  
Replicable Research on Command Line, Workshop Facilitator, Michigan State University, 2016  
Intro to R, Workshop Facilitator, Michigan State University, 2016  
Intro to International Politics, Teaching Assistant, UNC Charlotte, 2014  
Political Science Research Methods, Teaching Assistant, UNC Charlotte, 2013, 2014

## AWARDS

University of Pittsburgh: Arts and Sciences Fellowship, Alberta Sbragia Fund Award  
Michigan State University: Merit Fellowship, Performance Fellowship, International Fellowship  
UNC Charlotte: Outstanding Senior Award, Pi Sigma Alpha Paper Competition (Runner up)

## MEDIA APPEARANCES

“Why Chinese border incursions are more likely around polls, when Indo-Pak tensions are high.”  
*The Times of India*, 7-16-2021.  
Power Corrupts Podcast, Blood Diamond/Blood Chocolate

## COMPUTING

Proficient: Python, **R**  
Familiar: Command line, Stan, Mathematica, SAS, UCINET, Stata

## SERVICE

Reviewer: *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *The Journal of Politics*, *Political Analysis*, *Political Communication*, *Journal of Peace Research*, *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, *International Studies Quarterly*, *International Interactions*, *Conflict Management and Peace Science*, *Terrorism and Political Violence*, *IEEE Intelligent Systems*

## OTHER EXPERIENCE

European Commission Expert on Conflict Prediction, 2023-Current.  
Fellow on Illicit Networks, National Consortium for the Study of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism (START Center), 2014.