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EDUCATION

Cornell University 2019 – Present
PhD Candidate, Department of Government
Comparative Politics; International Relations (Minor); Research Methodology (Minor)
Dissertation: *The Politics of Feeling Unsafe: How Emotions Shape Public Security Preferences*
Committee: Kenneth Roberts (Co-Chair); Gustavo Flores-Macías (Co-Chair); Sabrina Karim

School of Advanced International Studies — Johns Hopkins University 2016 – 2018
MA International Relations

Universidad Torcuato Di Tella 2007 – 2011
BA International Relations

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming. "When Rapacity Pacifies: Natural Resource Booms, Economic Diversification, and Criminal Violence." *Journal of Conflict Resolution*

REVISE & RESUBMIT

(with Aldo Ponce Ugolini) "It Takes a Criminal to Catch a Criminal: Experimental Evidence on Organized Crime as a Provider of Order." *Criminal Justice Review*

UNDER REVIEW

"Crackdowns or Conciliation? How Anger and Fear Shape Public Security Preferences in Mexico."
"Private Protection, Public Restraint: Experimental Evidence on Fear and Gun Attitudes."
(with Gustavo Flores-Macías) "Violent Crime and Domestic Migration: Evidence from Mexico's Census Data."

WORKING PAPERS

(With Camila Angulo and Rodrigo Castro Cornejo) "Criminal philanthropists."

(With Camila Angulo and Rodrigo Castro Cornejo) "Selective Outrage: How Co-partisans React to Different Corruption Allegations."

WORKS IN PROGRESS

"Courting Indigenous Authority: Traditional Endorsements and Electoral Behavior"

"Emergency Powers and Everyday Rights: How Citizens Evaluate Civil Liberties–Security Trade-Offs"

(With Gustavo Flores-Macías) "Governing Crime with Code: Public Preferences for AI Use in Law and Order."

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

"Brazil's New Army Chief: the Challenges Ahead." *Strife*. February 9, 2015.

"MINUSTAH, Argentina, and the future of Latin America's role in peacekeeping." *Georgetown Security Studies Review*. March 26, 2015.

"Growing Role of Armed Forces in Disaster Relief a Dangerous Trend for Latin America." *New Security Beat*. October 22, 2015.

"As Dilma Rousseff stumbles, how will Brazil's military react?" (with Christoph Harig). *The Conversation*. February 9, 2015.

FELLOWSHIP & GRANTS

Advancing Research Grants for Indigenous Politics, APSA, 2025

Graduate Student Research Grant, Center for Racial Justice and Equitable Futures, Cornell University, 2025

Frédéric Bastiat Fellowship, Mercatus Center, George Mason University, 2025 – 2026

Don Lavoie Fellowship, Mercatus Center, George Mason University, 2025 – 2026

Research Travel Grant, Cornell University Graduate School, 2024

Conference Travel Grant, British Academy & University of Essex, 2022

Research Travel Grant, Einaudi Center, 2022

Migration Initiative Grant, Einaudi Center, 2021

LASP Graduate Fellow, Einaudi Center, 2020 – 2021

Summer Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Maxwell School, Syracuse University,

June 14–25, 2021

Data Science Fellow, Cornell Center for Social Sciences, 2020–2021

Graduate Merit Fellowship, SAIS, Johns Hopkins University, 2016 – 2018

Carisam-Samuel Meisel Fellowship, 2016 – 2017

Chevening Scholarship, British Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, 2016 – 2017
(*declined*)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Field Research

Mexico City, August 2023 – December 2023

Puebla, January 2024 – April 2024 & August 2024 – December 2024

Visiting Researcher

ICGDE-BUAP, Spring 2024 – Fall 2024

CIDE, Fall 2023

Research Assistance

Professor Tom Pepinsky 2019 – 2020

Professor Hal Brands 2017 – 2018

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Cornell University, Teaching Assistant

What Makes Us Human *Winter 2025*

Politics of the European Union *Fall 2022*

Politics and Markets *Spring 2022*

Introduction to American Government and Politics *Fall 2021*

The Politics of Technology *Spring 2021*

Taking America's Pulse *Fall 2020*

Belgrano University, Teaching Assistant

International Security Spring 2016

University of Buenos Aires, Teaching Assistant

International Security Spring 2015 & Fall 2015

Di Tella University, Teaching Assistant

International Organizations Spring 2014, 2015, & 2016

INVITED TALKS AND WORKSHOPS

1er Congreso de Periodismo, BUAP, Puebla, Mexico 2025
CP Spring Workshop, Cornell University, NY 2023
Government Department PBAC Workshop, Cornell University, NY 2022, 2025
Network to Address the Economic Consequences of Violence in Mexico,
CIDE, Mexico City, Mexico 2022

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Midwest Political Science Association, Annual Meeting 2022, 2025
REPAL, Annual Meeting 2021, 2025
Latin American Studies Association, Annual Meeting 2022
Congreso Nacional de Ciencia Política (Argentina), Annual Meeting 2015

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Language Resource Center, Cornell University 2020 – 2022
Languages Across the Curriculum (LAC) Instructor
Center for Global Affairs, SAIS-Johns Hopkins University 2017 – 2019
Research Assistance
Secretary of Strategic Affairs (Argentina) Dec 2015 – Aug 2016
Analyst
Office of the Chief of Staff (Argentina) Dec 2013 – Nov 2015
Media Relations and International Press Coordinator

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Political Science Association

Midwest Political Science Association

Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies

Latin American Studies Association (LASA)

Red para el Estudio de la Economía Política de América Latina (REPAL)

SERVICE

Reviewer: *Cornell Undergraduate Research Journal, RELASP*

APSA Mentoring Program: Mentor 2026

Conference volunteer: *REPAL* 2021

SAIS Review of International Affairs: Assistant Editor 2017

SKILLS

Languages: Spanish (native), English (fluent), Portuguese (professional), French (beginner)

Programming: R, Stata, \LaTeX , Qualtrics