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**RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS**

Globalization, International Political Economy, International Security, Crisis & Precarity, Critical Perspectives, Politics of Science and Technology

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

Clinical Assisitant Professor in Interdisciplinary Studies **2025-Present**

Department of Multidisciplinary Innovation, College of Applied Arts & Collaborative Sciences

University of North Texas

Clinical Assistant Professor in Interdisciplinary Studies **2024-2025**

Department of Advanced Data Analytics, Toulouse Graduate School

University of North Texas

# EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Politics and International Affairs, University of South Florida **2024**

M.A. in Interpersonal Communication, University of Central Florida **2015**

B.S. in Advertising, University of Florida **2009**

**TEACHING**

**University of North Texas**

Graduate

Introduction to Interdisciplinary Research Fall 2024, 2025| Spring 2025 | Summer 2025

Digital Research Methods Fall 2024

Internship Spring 2025

Theories of The Information Society Spring 2025

Undergraduate

Pathways to Civic Engagement Fall 2025

**University of South Florida**

Instructor of Record **2020-2024**

International Wealth & Power Fall 2023, Spring 2024

Globalization Spring 2022, 2023 | Summer 2021 (Online)

Introduction to International Relations Fall 2022, Spring 2020

Introduction to Comparative Politics Spring 2021 (Online), Fall 2020 (Online)

# Teaching Assistant 2017-2024

American National Government Summer 2022

Contemporary Political Thought Fall 2021

Comparative Political Theory Fall 2021

Globalization (Section Instructor) Fall 2018, 2019

Introduction to the Black Experience Summer 2019

International Wealth and Power (Section Instructor) Spring 2019

State And Local Government Spring 2018

China Today Spring 2018

Politics of Developing Areas Fall 2017

Introduction to Political Theory Fall 2017

Environmental Political Thought Fall 2017

**RESEARCH**

“Slow Violence, Precarity and the Overheating of Neoliberal Consensus” In *Handbook on Critical International Relations.* Edward Elgar Publishing. (2020)

“COVID-19, Insecurity and ‘Disease’ Neoliberalism” (Manuscript in Preparation for Submission to *Globalizations*)

“’Our Reactionary Present’ – Technocratic Plausible Deniability in Times of Crisis’ (Manuscript in Progress)

**Research Assistant to Dr. Adib Farhadi, University of South Florida 2019**

Conducted policy research on Afghanistan’s “Silk Road” and assisted in the development of materials for the University of South Florida’s Great Power Competition Conference for Fall 2019.

**CONFERENCE ACTIVITY**

# Competitive Presentations

“Turning Point to Stalemate? Neoliberal Resilience, Global Crises and the Challenge of a Post-Neoliberal Future”. *International Political Science Association 28th World Congress*. Seoul, South Korea. 2025.

“Crisis, Normality and Neoliberal ‘Anti-Politics’ *International Studies Association Annual Convention*. Chicago, IL. 2025

“COVID-19, Neoliberal Subjects and the Reactionary Present” *International Studies Association Annual Convention*. Nashville, TN. 2022

**“**Institutionalized Volatility – COVID-19 in America” *International Studies Association South Annual Conference*. Atlanta, GA. 2021

**“**Foreclosures of Human Rights: Towards A New Internationalism of Moral Egalitarianism?” *2020 Human Rights and Foreign Policy Joint Conference.* London, UK, 2020(Canceled due to COVID-19) **.**

“Towards an ‘Affirmative’ Liberal Internationalist Approach to Foreign Policy” *Midwest Political Science Association Conference*. Chicago, IL. 2019.

“Attritional Violence and the Overheating of Neoliberalism*” International Studies Association Annual Convention*. Toronto, Canada. 2019.

“The Violence of Presence: Encounters with Difference in the Cosmopolitan Public Space” *American Political Science Association Annual Exhibition*. Boston, MA. 2018.

“The Hypervisibility of the ‘other’: Urban Coexistence in the Post-Cosmopolitan European City.”

*Urban Communication Foundation Pre-Conference Seminar*. Philadelphia, PA. 2016

“The “Failure” of Multiculturalism as Reported by the European Online Press: A Study on the Manifestation of Othering Discourses*.” International Communication Association Conference*. Fukuoka, Japan. 2016.

“The Discursive and Political Function of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Within the Neoliberal Global Moment*”. International Communication Association Conference*. Fukuoka, Japan. 2016.

Theorizing Mild Traumatic Brain Injury through a Postcolonial Lens.” *Waterhouse Family Institute Annual Symposium. Communication, Postcoloniality, and Social Justice: Decolonizing Imaginations.* Villanova, PA. 2015.

“Intercultural Communication Within European Multicultural Societies*”. University of Central Florida Graduate Research Symposium*. Orlando, FL. 2012.

“German Multiculturalism and the Effects of Banal Nationalism and Imagined Communities”. *Florida Communication Association Conference*. Orlando, FL. 2011.

# Other Conference Participation

Panel Chair. “Technology and Sustainability.” *Interdisciplinary Coalition of North American Phenomenologists Conference*. Phoenix, AZ. 2016.

# AWARDS

International Studies Association Travel Grant Recipient. International Studies Association Annual Convention 2022.

Office of Graduate Studies International Travel Grant Recipient. University of South Florida. 2019.

School of Interdisciplinary Global Studies Travel Scholarship. University of South Florida. 2018.

Top Student Paper in Ethnicity and Race Division*. International Communication Association Conference*. 2016.

# SERVICE

Graduate Student Advisor: 2021 Assistant Professor Search Committee for the School of Interdisciplinary Global Studies, University of South Florida. Fall 2021-Spring 2022.

 Reviewer. *International Communication Association*. Ethnicity and Race Division. 2016.

 Reviewer: *National Communication Association*. Philosophy of Communication Division 2014-15

**Professional Memberships**

International Studies Association 2018-Present

International Political Science Association 2025-Present

American Political Science Association 2017-2020

International Communication Association 2015-2017

National Communication Association 2014-2017

**LANGUAGES**

English (native speaker), Bengali (conversational), Japanese (beginner, N5 level)