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Education

University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL
BA, Political Science and History 2018

- Minors: Sociology and Philosophy

Florida International University, Miami, FL
MA, International Studies 2021

- Field: International Relations and Foreign Policy

PhD, International Relations Present

- Fields: Foreign Policy & Security and Global Institutions & Issues

Certificates

CLRA International Tutoring Program, UM April 2018
Social/Behavioral Human Research, CITI Program May 2018
Teaching for Global Learning, FIU April 2019
National Security Studies, FIU May 2020
Women and Gender Studies, FIU December 2020
Graduate Student Academy of Leaders, FIU April 2022
University Teaching and Learning, Tier 1, FIU In Progress

Professional Development Micro-Credentials

Interdisciplinary Global Learning Research, FIU November 20, 2022
Interprofessional Cross-Disciplinary Collaboration, FIU December, 2022

Teaching and Research Experience

The University of Miami Camner Academic Resource Center, Tutor September 2016 – May 2018

- Completed College Reading and Learning Association Certification
- Conducted one-on-one tutoring sessions in a variety of subject areas including, International Relations, Comparative Politics, Introduction to Philosophy, and English
- Aided students in designing effective study techniques

University of Miami, History Department, Research Assistant December 2016 – June 2017

- Collected and analyzed data for use in work by Dr. Gregory Bush
- Edited written materials and prepared oral history questions in various research areas including, Populism in Miami, planned communities in South Florida, urban history of Florida, boosterism in Miami, and the evolution of disability law and funding of programs in Florida

Florida International University, Graduate Teaching Assistant* August 2018 – Present

- Attend and assist in development of lectures by professor of record; including via CANVAS
- Review and grade undergraduate student assignments
- Prepare and present lectures and course activities

Florida International University, Graduate Student Instructor May 2022 – Present

- Courses: International Protection of Human Rights, Contemporary International Problems

Guest Lectures

Hernandez, Brianna N. "Failures of Securitization: Female Terrorists." Lecture, Contemporary International Problems, Politics and International Relations Department, Florida International University, March 23, 2022.

Hernandez, Brianna N. "Women's Rights Movements: Road to Intersectionality." Lecture, Feminism, Women and Gender Studies Department, Florida International University, May 17, 2022.

Hernandez, Brianna N. "Content Analysis." Lecture, Methods, Political Science Department, St. John Fisher University, October 31, 2022.

Publications

Hernandez, Brianna Nicole. "Sexual Abuse in UN Peacekeeping: The Problem of Viewing Women as a 'Quick Fix'." E-IR, February 20, 2020. <https://www.e-ir.info/2020/02/20/sexual-abuse-in-un-peacekeeping-the-fix/>

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Hernandez, Brianna Nicole. "Review - The Value of Everything." E-IR, June 9, 2020. <https://www.e-ir.info/2020/05/14/review-the-value-of-everything/>.

Hernandez, Brianna Nicole. "Armed Conflict, Women and Climate Change." *International Feminist Journal of Politics*, September 15, 2020, 1–3. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14616742.2020.1815554>. (Review)

Hernandez, Brianna Nicole. "Interactive Learning and Participation at Zoom University." In *Pandemic Pedagogy: Teaching International Relations amid Covid-19*, by Andrew A. Szarejko. Palgrave Macmillan, 2022.

Zwingel, Susanne; Hernandez, Brianna N. "Feminism and Human Rights." In *Oxford Bibliographies in International Relations*. Ed. Patrick James. New York: Oxford University Press, November 29, 2022.

Conference Papers

Hernandez, Brianna. 2019. "The Army Profession: Demoting the Centurion-focused Archetype." Paper presented at ISA South in Memphis, Tennessee

Hernandez, Brianna. 2019. "Unfreezing a Gendered Narrative of Security: Male Victims of Sexual Violence During Conflict." Paper presented at ISA Northeast in Providence, Rhode Island.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2020. "Rhetoric of Victimhood: Discourse of Sexual-Gender Based Violence in the UN Human Rights Regime." Paper presented virtually at ISA Northeast.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2021. "Explaining "Slut" to mi Abuela: Organizing for Reproductive Justice in Hispanic Communities." Paper presented virtually at the annual meeting of ISA.

Hernandez, Brianna and Christine Bianco. 2021. "Visibility of Violations: Prosecutorial Narratives of Male Victims of Sexual Violence." Paper presented virtually at the annual meeting of ISA.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2021. "UN Human Rights Regime's SGBV Rhetoric and Evolving Constructions of Victimhood." Paper presented virtually at Virginia Tech's ASPECT Graduate Student Conference.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2021. "Delivering on the Women, Peace, and Security Agenda: An Integrated Content Analysis of UN WPS Documents." Paper presented virtually at ISA Northeast.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2021. "Engendering Conservation: WWF and the Empowerment of Women and Girls." Paper presented virtually at ISA Northeast.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2022. "#ThereIsHelp: Twitter and Domestic Violence." Paper presented virtually at FAU Feminist Graduate Student Organization Student Conference, Praxis Plugged In: Applying Feminist Theory In An Increasingly Digital World.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2022. "Gender and Securitization: Female Terrorists and Fear." Paper presented virtually at the annual meeting of ISA.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2022. "Productive Power of Organizing for Reproductive Health: Cases of the Latina Institutes." Paper presented virtually at the FAU Americas Initiative Research Symposium on Gender Politics in the Americas.

Hernandez, Brianna. 2022. "Engendering Conservation: WWF and the Construction of People and the Planet." Paper presented at ISA Northeast in Baltimore, Maryland.

Hernandez, Brianna, Zenel Garcia, & Christine Bianco. 2023. "Refugees without Recognition: Environmental "Refugees" and the Extraordinary Vulnerability of Women." Paper presented at the annual meeting of ISA.

Professional and University Service

Academic Conferences

Chair and Discussant. 2020. "Gender, Power and Women's Rights." Panel conducted at the virtual meeting of ISA Northeast.

Roundtable Participant. 2020. "Pandemic Pedagogy: Teaching IR Amid Covid-19." Roundtable conducted at the virtual meeting of ISA Northeast.

Governing Council. 2021 - Present. International Studies Association Northeast Conference.

Discussant. 2022. "Gender and Security." Panel conducted at the virtual component of ISA Annual.

Planning Committee. 2022-2023. "Defending humanity: Transnational feminist responses to violence and devaluation." Conference conducted at Florida International University.

Florida International University

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Member. 2019-20. FIU Graduate Advisory Board.
Chair and Discussant. 2019. "Class and Intimate Relationships in India." Visiting scholar series in the Department of Global Sociocultural Studies.
Vice President. 2020-2022. Political Science and International Relations Graduate Student Organization.
Graduate Student Representative. 2020-present. FIU PIR Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee.
Presenter and Facilitator. May 2022. "SOGI and Pronouns." Engagement Academy. Office of Engagement, FIU.
President. 2022-2023. Political Science and International Relations Graduate Student Organization.
Past-President. 2023-2024. Political Science and International Relations Graduate Student Organization.

Community and Professional Involvement

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| URise, Executive Director | 2017 - Present |
| International Studies Association, Member | 2019 - Present |
| UN Women, USA, Member | 2019 - 2021 |
| Broward County Library Advisory Board, Member | 2020 - 2023 |
| World Wildlife Fund, Panda Ambassador | 2020 - Present |
| Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Member | 2020 - Present |
| Academic Council of the United Nations System, Member | 2021 - 2022 |
| STEM Undergraduate Research Symposium, Life Sciences South Florida, Judge | 2022 |

Honors and Awards

Practicums, Fellowships, and Summits

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| Student Leadership Institute, Graduate | August 2015 |
| Campus Election Engagement Project, Fellow | August 2016 - November 2016 |
| Summit for Leadership, Diversity, and Social Change, Graduate | November 2016 |
| South Florida LeaderShape Institute, Graduate | August 2017 |
| Clinton Global Initiative University, Commitment Maker | October 2017 |
| Atlantic Coast Conference Advocate, University of Miami Representative | October 2017 |
| Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida, Presidential Fellow | September 2017 - January 2018 |
| WILPF Practicum in Advocacy, Fellow | March 2020** |

Honor Societies

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| Alpha Lambda Delta | March 2015 |
| Pi Sigma Alpha | December 2016 |
| Iron Arrow Honor Society | March 2018 |
| Phi Alpha Theta | April 2018 |
| Golden Key International Honour Society | October 2019 |

Academic Awards

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| University of Miami's Honors Thesis Program in History | January 2017 |
| Jennifer Wollman Award for Outstanding Performance in History | April 2018 |
| UMiami Departmental Graduation Honors, History | May 2018 |
| UMiami Departmental Graduation Honors, Political Science | May 2018 |
| FIU Politics and International Relations Departmental Award, Best Paper in IR | September 2019 |

Teaching Awards

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| Affordability Counts Medallion for International Protection of Human Rights course, State University System of Florida | Summer 2022 |
| Affordability Counts Medallion for Contemporary International Problems course, State University System of Florida | Fall 2022 |

Community Awards

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| Louise P. Mills Award for Contributions in Improving the Status of Women | March 2018 |
| FIU Politics and International Relations Departmental Award, Service Excellence | September 2021 |
| FIU Politics and International Relations Departmental Award, Service Excellence 2022 | August |
| FIU Politics and International Relations Departmental Award, Group Service Award (PIRGSO) | August 2022 |

**List of courses and lectures available upon request*
***Event canceled due to COVID19*

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