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INTERESTS	Judicial Politics, American Institutions, Political Behavior, Identity Politics	
ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT	<i>Assistant Professor</i> , Florida Atlantic University Department of Political Science	Fall 2022 - Present
	<i>Faculty Affiliate</i> , Florida Atlantic University Center for Peace, Justice and Human Rights	Fall 2022 - Present
	<i>Faculty Affiliate</i> , Florida Atlantic University Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies	Fall 2022 - Present
EDUCATION	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign , Urbana, IL Ph.D, Political Science, Graduate Minor in Latina/o Studies Dissertation: “How Women Rule: Judicial Empathy and Administrative Court Rulings” Committee: Aleksander Ksiazkiewicz, Jamelle Sharpe (UIUC Law), Alicia Uribe-McGuire (Chair), Justin Wedeking (University of Kentucky), and Matt Winters Fields: American Politics, Judicial Politics Minor Field: Comparative Politics	Fall 2015- May 2022
	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign , Urbana, IL M.A., Political Science	Fall 2017
	University of Texas at El Paso , El Paso, TX B.A. with Honors, 3.71/ 4.00 Double Major in Political Science and Communication Studies	May 2011
WORKING PAPERS	“How Women Rule: Judicial Empathy and Gender” Book Project under contract at NYU Press. “How Women Rule: Evidence from Decision-Making Experiments” Under Review. “Public Perception about Judge Bias” Under Review. “Under Pressure: Case Allocation in Immigration Courts” “Wasting Away: Examining the Nomination Process in the Federal Judiciary” “Federal Workforce Perceptions of Diversity Management”	
PRESENTATIONS	Economic Science Association World Meeting. Lyon, France.	2023
	Western Economic Association International 17th International Conference. Melbourne, Australia.	2023
	Invited presentation. Oregon State University. Corvallis, OR.	2023
	Cultivating Networks & Innovative Scholarship in Law & Courts. Middleton, CT.	2022
	Southwest Workshop on Mixed Methods Research. Evanston, IL.	November 2021

Missouri Valley Economic Association.	October 2021
New Directions in Law and Society: UMass Amherst Workshop.	November 2021
Chicago Area Political and Social Behavior workshop. Poster presentation.	2021
Guest Lecture. Women in American Political Life. Johnson & Wales.	March 2021
New Research on Gender in Political Psychology Conference.	October 2020
American Association of Behavioral and Social Sciences Conference.	February 2020
Law and Society Association Conference.	2021, 2022
American Political Science Association Conference.	2021, 2022, 2023
Southern Political Science Association Conference.	2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024
Midwest Political Science Association Conference.	2017, 2019, 2022, 2024

TEACHING

Assistant Professor, FAU
 Judicial Process Seminar (Graduate) Spring 2024
 Government of the United States
 Fall 2022 & Summer 2023 (Online), Spring 2023 & 2024 (Honors)
 Congress of the United States Spring 2023 & 2024
 The U.S. Supreme Court Fall 2022

Instructor, UIUC
 Racial and Ethnic Politics in the U.S.(Online) Spring 2021
 Politics of the National Parks (Online) Winter 2019 & 2020, Summer 2020
 U.S. Supreme Court (Online) Summer 2019

Research Assistant, UIUC
 Alicia Uribe-McGuire, Supervisor Summer 2021
 Emily E. LB. Twarog (Labor Relations), Supervisor Summer 2019 - Summer 2021

Graduate Teaching Assistant, UIUC
 Introduction to Latino/a Studies Fall 2021 & Spring 2022
 Introduction to Political Science Fall 2019
 National Parks Policy Winter 2019
 Racial and Ethnic Politics in the U.S. Spring 2018
 Introduction to American Politics Fall 2017

Graduate Assistant, UIUC
 U.S. Constitution I Fall 2020
 U.S. Constitution II Spring 2020
 Women Workers in the 21st Century Summer 2020
 Social Movements and Interest Groups Spring 2019
 Politics and the Media Fall 2018

Graduate Teaching Affiliate, UIUC
 Center for Innovation in Teaching and Learning (CITL) Fall 2020 - Summer 2022

HONORS AND AWARDS

APSA Minority Serving Institution Virtual Book Workshop	2024
FAU Diversity and Inclusion Fellowship for Junior Faculty	2023
Transactional Records Access Clearinghouse Fellow	2022-2023
UIUC Latinx Congratulatory Ceremony, <i>Academic Excellence Award</i>	2022

List of Teachers Rated Excellent	Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2019, Fall 2021
UIUC Undergraduate Research Apprenticeship Program, <i>Mentor</i>	2020 & 2021
Undergraduate Research Apprenticeship Program Mentorship Certificate	Spring 2021
CITL Technology-Enhanced Teaching Certificate	Spring 2021
CITL Teacher Scholar Certificate	Spring 2021
CITL Graduate Teaching Certificate	Spring 2020
University of Texas at El Paso, 21 st Century Scholar	2013
UTEP College of Liberal Arts, Dean's List	Fall 2007 - Spring 2011
American Forensics Association, All-American Award	2011

FUNDING

FAU College of Arts and Letters Seed Grant	2024
FAU Morrow Fund (\$3600 total)	2023 & 2024
FAU Faculty Retention & Recruitment Grant (\$34,359), Drs.C.Mills & K.Wagner	2023
APSA 2023 Advancing Research Grant for Early Career Scholars (\$2000)	2023
FAU Diversity and Inclusion Fellowship for Junior Faculty (2 course buyouts)	2023
FAU Distinguished Lecture Series Faculty Research Support Award (\$1500)	2022
APSA First-Generation Scholars in the Profession Accessibility Grant (\$200)	2022
Teaching Innovation Award in Interdisciplinary Legal Studies Teaching (\$200)	2022
UIUC Department of Political Science, Research Award (\$1400 total)	2020-2022
APSA Travel Grant (\$300)	2021
APSA Diversity Fellowship Program Travel Grant (\$400)	2021
American Political Science Association, Latino Fund for Scholarship (\$450)	2020
SPSA Prestage-Cook Travel Award (\$300)	2020
Constantine W. Curris Travel Scholarship (\$300)	2020
Cline Center for Advanced Social Science Research, Schroeder Fellowship (\$4,000)	2017
George T. Yu Travel Grant (\$300)	2017
UIUC Graduate College, Graduate Fellowship (\$75,000 total)	2015 - 2017, 2019
American Political Science Association (APSA), Minority Fellowship (\$4,000)	2015
Xerox Corporation, Technical Minority Scholarship (\$400)	2013
Billie W. Etheridge Debate Scholarship (\$1,500 total)	2009 - 2011

SERVICE

FAU POLCOMM Lab (Florida Polling initiative), Researcher	2023
Department of Political Science Awards Committee, FAU	2023-2024
Faculty Assembly Representative, Department of Political Science, FAU	2023-24
Library Representative, Department of Political Science, FAU	2022-23
Latino/a Studies Curriculum Committee, Graduate Representative	2020-2021
Political Science Job Search Committee, Graduate Representative	2020
Political Science Graduate Student Association (PSGSA)	
Methods Committee Chair	2020 - 2021
Culture Committee Member	2020 - 2021
Graduate Student Mentor	2018 - 2021
Graduate Employment Organization, Volunteer and Speaker	2018 - 2020
Student Opportunities for After-School Resources, Bilingual Tutor	2018 - 2020
Aspire Illinois, Volunteer and Speaker	2017 - 2021
Association of Minorities in Political Science, Volunteer and Speaker	2017 - 2021

STUDENT SUPERVISION

<i>Dissertation Committee Member</i>	
Allyson Miller ABD (FAU College of Education)	2022 - present
<i>Honors Project Mentor</i>	
Amarah Amireh (FAU)	2023
<i>Undergraduate Research</i>	
Caroline Ribeiro (FAU)	2023
Matthew Ratajczyk (UIUC)	2022
Alexandra Gergova (UIUC)	2022
Ashna Gupta (UIUC)	2021

REVIEWER American Political Science Review, Law and Politics Book Review, Research Handbook of Judicial Politics

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS American Political Science Association, Southern Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, Law & Society Association, Western Economics Association International, Economic Science Association

SKILLS **Programming:** R, \LaTeX
Applications: RStudio, Canvas, STATA, GitHub, Microsoft Office Suite, G Suite, QGIS, ArcGIS
Languages: English & Spanish (Native proficiency in reading, writing, and speaking)

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