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EDUCATION

- 2008. Ph.D. in Mass Communication at University of Wisconsin – Madison with a Minor in New Media. Advisor: Dr. Dhavan V. Shah.
- 2006. Ph.D. in European Politics at Universidad Europea de Madrid, Spain. Advisor: Dr. Jose Maria Peredo Pombo.
- 2006. Summer Doctoral Program at Oxford Internet Institute. University of Oxford, UK.
- 2003. Master in Journalism & Mass Communication at University of Wisconsin-Madison. Advisor: Dr. Dhavan V. Shah.
- 2000. Postgraduate studies in Multimedia and New Technologies at EMEFE. Madrid, Spain.
- 1999. B.A. (Licenciatura) in Ciencias de la Información - Periodismo (Information Science–Journalism) at Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2023–Present. Distinguished Research Professor and Chair in Political Behavior at the Department of Political Science, University of Salamanca.
- 2023–Present. Distinguished Professor in Media Effects & AI at the Media Studies Department, Pennsylvania State University.
- 2021–Present. Affiliate, Center for Socially Responsible Artificial Intelligence (CSRAI) at Pennsylvania State University.
- 2020–2023. Distinguished Research Professor in Political Science, University of Salamanca.
- 2020–2023. Professor at the Department of Film Production & Media Studies, Pennsylvania State University.
- 2014–2020. Medienwandel Professor at the Department of Communication in the College of Social Sciences, University of Vienna.
- 2015. International Visiting Professor at Universidad de Externado – Bogotá, Colombia.
- 2013–Present. Senior Research Fellow at the Facultad de Comunicación y Letras, Universidad Diego Portales, Chile.
- 2013– 2014. Associate Professor at the School of Journalism in the College of Communication, University of Texas – Austin.
- 2013– 2014. Affiliate, Teresa Lozano Long Institute of Latin American Studies (LLILAS) at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2010. Visiting Professor at the University of California – Santa Barbara, within the Center for Information Technology & Society.
- 2009– 2014. Affiliate, Political Communication Cluster within the Department of Communication Studies, College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin.

- 2008– 2014. Affiliate, Latino Media Studies Program, College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2008– 2014. Affiliate, Center for European Studies, College of Liberal Arts at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2007– 2012. Assistant Professor at the School of Journalism in the College of Communication, University of Texas – Austin.
- 2001; 2005. Teaching Assistant for the Department of Spanish and Portuguese, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

RESEARCH POSITIONS

- 2022–Present. United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization Fellow/Expert, at the UNESCO's Inclusive Policy Lab.
- 2018–Present. International Scientific Advisory Council Member for the Andalusian Institute of Research in Communication and Culture the Division of Emerging Studies at the University of Málaga and the University of Sevilla.
- 2018–2019. McQuail Honorary Fellow at Amsterdam School of Communication Research (ASCoR), University of Amsterdam.
- 2016–Present. International Scientific Advisory Board Member for the Division of Emerging Studies at Boston University.
- 2015–2018. Research Fellow and Research Associate at the Center for Information Technology & Policy at Princeton University, Princeton, NJ.
- 2015. Excellence Research Chair (Cátedra Excelencia de Investigación) at Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain.
- 2014–2020. Director of the Media Innovation Lab (MiLab) within the College of Social Sciences at University of Vienna.
- 2013–Present. Research Associate at the Social Media Research Foundation, Stanford, CA.
- 2013–Present. International Advisory Board Member for the Political Communication Lab (Laboratorio de Comunicación Política – LACOP) at Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León – Monterrey, Mexico.
- 2013–2014. Director of the Digital Media Research Program (DMRP) within the Annette Strauß Institute at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2011. Page Legacy Fellow Scholar by the Arthur W. Page Center at Pennsylvania State University.
- 2010. Nieman Journalism Lab Research Fellow at Harvard University, Cambridge.
- 2008–2012. Associate Director of the European Research Group: “Estructuras Comunicativas e Interacciones en los Distintos Niveles de la Comunicación Interpersonal”. Universidad Complutense de Madrid.
- 2008–2012. Director of the Community, Journalism & Communication Research (CJCR) unit at the School of Journalism at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2008–2009. Joe W. Neal Centennial Fellowship in International Communication at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2003–2004. Project Assistant for Mass Communication Research Center (MCRC) at the Department of Journalism & Mass Communication, University of Wisconsin – Madison.
- 1999. Research Assistant for the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization: UNESCO. Under the auspicious of the chair of the UNESCO Program for Education and Development, Dr. Juan Gutiérrez.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2018. Consultant for the European Commission’s Safer Internet Centers on the Project ‘Better Internet for Kids’. Brussels, Belgium. [<https://www.betterinternetforkids.eu>]
- 2018. Social Media and Media Innovation consultant for Red Bull Austria. Vienna, Austria. [<https://www.redbull.com/at-de>]
- 2016. Social Media campaigning and development consultant for Unicom Global & Unicom Iberia. Madrid, Spain. [www.unicomglobal.com]
- 2009. Survey Methodology Consultant for the creation of a measurement system to understand cultural citizenship on children at Instituto para la Investigación Educativa y el Desarrollo Pedagógico (IDEP) Bogota, Colombia.
- 2008. Northwestern University, MacArthur Foundation grant. Consultant on survey measurement for the Youth Digital Media Survey coordinated by Prof. Eszter Hargittai and Prof. Peter Miller. Chicago-Evanston, IL.
- 2008. Reviewer of a prospectus beat-writing anthology books for Congressional Quarterly Press and The New York Times.
- 2007. New Media Specialist in the Department of Information Technologies at University of Wisconsin – Madison. Working at ENGAGE Program in Academic Technology.
- 2004–2007. Digital audiovisual freelance media consultant for The Geo Group Corporation.
- 2000. Multimedia Project Assistant for the Educational Resources Development Center at University of Wisconsin – Madison’s Hospital.
- 1998. IT administrator for TERRA-Telefonica Internet Company in Madrid.
- 1997. Internship at Burson Marsteller’s Press Bureau, Madrid, Spain.

RESEARCH IMPACT

Source	Citations	h-index	i10-index	Total Publications
Google Scholar	23,967	70	141	202
Web of Science (JCR)	9,247	45	--	141
Scopus	10,846	48	--	166

BOOKS AND VOLUMES (17 books and volumes)

Gil de Zúñiga, H. & Ardèvol-Abreu, A. (under contract). *Bridging Media and Personal Influence: Political Persuasion and the New Rules of Social Interaction*. Social Influence. New York: Routledge.

Gil de Zúñiga, H. & Kim, J.N. (Eds.) (2025). *Pseudo-information, Media, Publics, and the Failing Marketplace of Ideas – Empirical Studies*. American Behavioral Scientist. London: Sage.

Gil de Zúñiga, H. & Marcos-Marné, H., Goyanes, M. & Scheffauer, R. (2024). *Social Media Democracy Mirage: How Social Media Fuels a Politically Uninformed Participatory Democracy*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

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Oliver, M.B., Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Afifi, T. (Eds.) (2024). *Reflecting on 50 Years of Theory in Human Communication Research: Where Do We Go from Here*. Human Communication Research. Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Kim, J.N. & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Eds.) (2023). *Mapping a Hundred Years of History in JMCQ*. Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly. London: Sage.

Gil de Zúñiga, H. & Mateos, A. & Inguanzo, I. (Eds.) (2022). *Capital Social en Democracia: Una Perspectiva de la Influencia del Capital Social en Sociedades Diversas*. Revista Internacional de Sociología. Madrid: CSIC – Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas.

Gil de Zúñiga, H., Inguanzo, I. & Ardèvol-Abreu, A. (Eds.) (2022). *Protesting While Polarized: Digital Activism in Contentious Times*. Media and Communication. Lisbon: Cogitatio.

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Gil de Zúñiga, H., Koc-Michalska, K., Römmele, A. (Eds.) (2020). *Populism in the Era of Twitter: How Social Media Contextualized New Insights into an Old Phenomenon*. New Media & Society. London: Sage

Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Chen, H.T. (Eds.) (2020). *Digital Media & Politics: Effects of The Great Information and Communication Divides*. Journal of Broadcasting & Electronic Media. New York: Routledge.

Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Ed.) (2017). *Citizenship, Social Media, and Big Data*. Social Science Computer Review. London: Sage.

Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Ed.) (2017). *Second Screening Politics in the Social Media Sphere: Advancing Research on Dual Screen Use in Political Communication*. Journal of Broadcasting & Electronic Media. New York: Routledge.

Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Ed.) (2015). *European Public Sphere: Media, Discussion and Citizenship, International Journal of Communication*. Los Angeles: University of Southern California – Annenberg Press.

Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Ed.) (2015). *New Technologies & Civic Engagement: New Agendas in Communication*. New York: Routledge.

Rojas, H., Orozco, M., Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Wojcieszak, M. (Eds.) (2011). *Comunicación y Ciudadanía*. Bogotá: Universidad Externado de Colombia Press.

Rojas, H., Pérez I. & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Eds.) (2010). *Comunicación y Comunidad*. Bogotá: Universidad Externado de Colombia Press.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES (172 WoS/JCR/Scopus Articles)

Skurka, C., Cheng, Z., Goyanes, M., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). News Finds Me as the Illusion of Competence: Evidence for Overconfidence in Discernment of Political Misinformation. *Human Communication Research*. [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 4.4, Q1].

Cheng, Z., Li, Y., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). TikTok's Political Landscape: Examining Echo Chambers and Political Expression Dynamics. *New Media & Society*. [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 4.51, Q1].

Santos, M., Park, C. S., Santos, J. G. B., Cavalini, A. & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). Latent Bombs of Disinformation. *Information, Communication & Society* [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 4.2, Q1]

Goyanes, M., Demeter, M., Simeunović, N., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). Gender Disparities in First Authorship: Examining the Matilda Effect across Communication, Political Science, and Sociology. *Scientometrics* [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 3.24, Q1]

Durotoye, T., Goyanes, M., Berganza, Ro., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). Online and Social Media Political Participation: Political Discussion Network Ties and Differential Social Media Platform Effects Over Time. *Social Science Computer Review*. [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 3.1, Q1]

Jordá, B., Goyanes, M., Borah, M., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). Social Media Symbiosis: Understanding the Dynamics of Online Political Persuasion in Social Media Ecologies. *Journalism* [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 3.19, Q2].

Cheng, Z., Goyanes, M., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). Exploring the Direct and Indirect Effects of Traditional and Social Media News Use on Media Trust and Journalism Error Tolerance. *Digital Journalism* [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 5.2, Q1].

Rivera, S., Etchegaray, N., Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Correa, T. (Online First). Seeking Justice on Social Media: *Funas* as Localized form of Latin American Youth Activism. *New Media & Society*. [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 4.51, Q1].

Goyanes, M., Scheffauer, R., Tóth, T., Demeter, M., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). Online News Paying Intent Antecedents: The Culture of Free, Fairness of Having to Pay for News, and the Moderating Role of Political Interest. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly*. [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 3.42, Q1].

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Scheffauer, R., Goyanes, M., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (Online First). Social Media Algorithmic versus Professional Journalists' News Selection: Effects of Gatekeeping on Traditional and Social Media News Trust. *Journalism*. [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 3.19, Q2].

Zhang, B., Mateos, A., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2025). Understanding Government Public Opinion: How Conspiracy Mentality and Policy Issue Concerns Shape Government Performance Evaluations. *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* 33(2), 315–335 doi:10.1093/ijpor/edaa021 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 1.9, Q2]

Goyanes, M., de-Marcos, L., Durotoye, T., Kumiasari, T., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2025). Editors-in-Chief in Social Sciences: Mapping the Institutional, Geographical, and Gender Representation between Academic Fields. *PLoS One* 20(2), e0317931 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.9, Q1].

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Gil de Zúñiga, H., González-González, P., & Goyanes, M. (2025). Pathways to Political Persuasion: Linking Online, Social Media, and Fake News with Political Attitude Change Through Political Discussion. *American Behavioral Scientist* 69(2), 240–261 doi:10.1177/00027642221118272 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 2.56, Q2]

Goyanes, M., Inguanzo, I., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2025). Trolling and Insulting Others on Social Media in Spain: The Role of Social Media News Use, Culture of Impunity, and Social Media Envy. *Journal of Information Technology & Politics* 22(2), 243–258 doi:10.1080/19331681.2024.2348150 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.6, Q2].

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Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Kim, N.J. (2025). Intervening Troubled Marketplace of Ideas: How to Redeem Trust in Media and Social Institutions from Pseudo-Information. *American Behavioral Scientist* 69(2), 103–112 doi:10.1177/00027642221118279 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 2.56, Q2]

Demeter, M., Goyanes, M., Kohus, Z., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2025). Exploring the Link between Research Funding, Co-authorship and Publication Venues: An Empirical Study in Communication, Political Science, and Sociology. *Online Media and Global Communication* 4(1), 60–81 [Scopus: 3.24, Q1]

Gil de Zúñiga, H., Scheffauer, R., & Zhang, B. (2024). Cable News Use and Conspiracy Theories: Exploring Fox News, CNN, and MSNBC Effects on People’s Conspiracy Mentality. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly* 101(4), 889–910 doi:10.1177/10776990231171 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 3.43, Q2].

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Scheffauer, R., Medina, L., Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2024). Clarifying the Relationship Between Political Consumerism and Political Persuasion Over Time. *Political Research Quarterly* 77(4), 1246–1261 doi:10.1177/10659129241266823 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.1, Q2].

Zhang, Y., Guo, L., Zhang, R., Tian, X., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2024). Demographic Inequalities or Personality Differences? Exploring Six Types of Social Media Usage Divides in Mainland China. *The*

Social Science Journal 61(4), 773–789 doi:10.1080/03623319.2020.1851952 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 3.60, Q2]

Cheng, Z., Yang, Y., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2024). Second Screening and Trust in Professional and Alternative Media: The Mediating Role of Media Efficacy. *Human Communication Research* 50(3), 430–441 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 5.1, Q1]

Kim, N.J., and Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2024). Finding Self-Salvation for the Ill-Informed Society: A Summary of Empirical Studies. *American Behavioral Scientist* 68(10), 1243–1248 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 2.56, Q2]

Cheng, Z., Marcos-Marné, H., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2024). Birds of a Feather Get Angrier Together: Social Media News Use and Social Media Political Homophily as Antecedents of Political Anger. *Political Behavior* doi:10.1007/s11109-023-09864-z 46(2), 1171–1187 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 4.61, Q1]

Goyanes, M., Márton, D., Goyanes, M., Háló, G., Arcila-Calderón, C., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2024). Geographical and Gender Inequalities in Health Sciences Studies: Testing Differences in Research Productivity, Impact, and Visibility. *Online Information Review* 48(4), 803–822 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 2.33, Q2]

Spadaro, G., Liu, J., Zhang, R. Z., Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Balliet, D. (2024). Identity and Institutions as Foundations of Ingroup Favoritism: An Investigation Across 17 Countries. *Social Psychological and Personality Science* 15(5), 592–602 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 5.32, Q1]

Scheffauer, R., Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Correa, T. (2024). Algorithmic News versus Non-Algorithmic News: Towards a Principle-Based Artificial Intelligence (AI) Theoretical Framework of News Media. *Profesional de la Información* 33, 1–13 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 4.2, Q1]

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Oliver, M.B., Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Afifi, T. (2024) Reflecting on 50 Years of Theory in Human Communication Research: Where Do We Go from Here? *Human Communication Research* 50(2), 143–145 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 5.1, Q1]

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Salgado, S., Gil de Zúñiga, H., Alcántara da Silva, P., Biscaia, A., Coimbra, M., Martins, B., & Francisco, A. (2024). Assessing the Prevalence and Predictors of Incivility in Online News Comments Across Six Countries. *Journalism Practice* 18(2), 224–241 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.1, Q3].

Kim, N.J., Gil de Zúñiga, H., Perreault, G.P. (2023). A Pale Blue Dot Look at *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly's* Last Century: Special Issue Overview. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly* 100(4), 731–735 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.23, Q2]

Kim, N.J., Chiu, M.M., Lee, H., Oh, Y.W., Gil de Zúñiga, H., Park., C.H. (2023). Mapping Media Research Paradigms: Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly's Century of Scientific Evolution. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly* 100(4), 736–772 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.23, Q2]

Valenzuela, S., Bachmann, I., Lawrence, R.G., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2023). Politics and Media in *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly*: A Centennial Research Retrospective. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly* 100(4), 808–825 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.23, Q2]

Marcos-Marné, H., González-González, P., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2023). Media Skepticism and Reactions to Political Scandals: An Analysis of the Trump-Ukraine Case. *International Political Science Review* 44(5), 645–660 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.23, Q2]

Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Goyanes, M. (2023). Fueling Civil Disobedience in Democracy: WhatsApp News Use, Political Knowledge, and Illegal Political Protest. *New Media & Society* 25(4), 3500–3520 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 8.06, Q1]

Scheffauer, R., Durotoye, T., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2023). Incidental News Exposure and Political Consumerism: Exploring Nuances. *Telematics & Informatics* 84(10), 102044 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 8.5, Q1].

Cheng, Z., Zhang, B., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2023). Antecedents of Political Consumerism: Modeling Online, Social Media and WhatsApp News Use Effects Through Political Expression and Political Discussion. *International Journal of Press/Politics* 28(4), 995–1016 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 6.59, Q1]

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Marcos-Marné, H., Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Borah, P. (2023). What Do We (Not) Know About Demand-Side Populism? A Systematic Literature Review on Populist Attitudes. *European Political Science* 22, 293–307 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 2.44, Q2]

Vargas, S., Khan, S., Liu, J.H., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2023). A Longitudinal Test of the Conservative-Liberal Wellbeing Gap. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin* 49(10), 1439–1453 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 4.38, Q1]

Goyanes, M., Scheffauer, R., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2023). News Distribution and Sustainable Journalism: Effects of Social Media News Use and Media Skepticism on Citizens' Paying Behavior. *Mass Communication and Society* 26(5), 878–901 [WoS/JCR Impact Factor: 3.26, Q1]

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GRANTS, AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

2025. Hahn-Sigelman Prize for Best Article Published in *American Politics Research* journal. Paper: Inguanzo, I., Mateos, A., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2022). Why Do People Engage in Unlawful Political Protest? Examining the Role of Authoritarianism in Illegal Protest Behavior. *American Politics Research* 50(3) 428–440 doi:10.1177/1532673X211053221

2024. Best Published Article of the Year in Political Science Award from the Asociación Española de Ciencia Política y de la Administración (AECPA). Paper: Inguanzo, I., Mateos, A., & Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2022). Why Do People Engage in Unlawful Political Protest? Examining the Role of Authoritarianism in Illegal Protest Behavior. *American Politics Research* 50(3) 428–440 doi:10.1177/1532673X211053221

2024. Spencer Foundation Vision Grant (co-PI with Francesca Lopez – \$75,000).

"Connecting Interdisciplinary Experts: A Strategic Network Alliance to Leverage Countermeasures to Misinformation in Education."

2023. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) Southern European Politics Division/Standing Group. Paper: "The Effect of Sexist Attitudes and Identity of the Speaker on the Credibility of Politically Contested Statements." European Consortium for Political Research. {ECPR} Prague, Czech Republic.

2023. Spanish National Research Agency Program NETWORK for the Generation of Scientific and Technological Research and Transference Grant RED2022-134211-T (co-PI with Simón Peña – \$18,965). "Los Cibermedios y la Comunicación Digital en un Ecosistema Informativo en Transformación."

2023. Wiley-Blackwell Publishers Top Cited Article in *Political Psychology* for the years 2021-2022 - Mari, S., Gil de Zúñiga, H., Suerdem, A., Hanke, K., Brown, G., Vilar, R., Boer, D., & Bilewicz, M. (2022). Conspiracy Theories and Institutional Trust: Examining the Role of Uncertainty Avoidance and Active Social Media Use. *Political Psychology* 43(2), 277–296 doi:10.1111/pops.12754 [WoS /JCR Impact Factor: 4.33]

2022. Spanish Ministry of Equality: Projects I+D+I Grant 43-9-ID22 (With Isabel Inguanzo as PI – \$31,183). "Actitudes Hacia los Roles de Género en la Opinión Pública."

2022. Web of Science/Journal of Citations Report Worldwide Highly Cited Scholar - "Each year, Clarivate™ identifies the world's most influential researchers – the select few who have been most frequently cited by their peers over the last decade. In 2022, a total of 6,938, or about 0.001%, of the world's researchers, in 21 research fields and across multiple fields, have earned this exclusive distinction. You are among this elite group recognized for your exceptional research influence, demonstrated by the production of multiple highly-cited papers that rank in the top 1% by citations for field and year in the Web of Science."

2022. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Communication Theory & Methodology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper: "Why Wouldn't Anyone Let Others Participate in Democracy? Obstinate Partisanship, Conspiracy Beliefs, and Political Repression." Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. {AEJMC} Detroit, MI, USA.

2022. Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications 'NEWS LITERACY 2022' Grant at Pennsylvania State University. Co-PI with Chris Skurka (\$4,000). - Do People Who Believe the News Will Find Them Overestimate Their Fake News Literacy? Implications for Fake News Literacy Interventions on Social Media

2022. University Faculty Scholar Outstanding Achievement Medal recipient in Social and Behavioral Sciences at Pennsylvania State University. "This award recognizes outstanding achievement and excellence in scholarship, research, and the arts, honoring those who have excelled in creative work and expressing the University's gratitude and appreciation for their achievements."

2022. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Information Systems Division of the International Communication Association. Paper: "Efficacy in Media Effects Research: Organizing the Conceptual and Operational Basement." International Communication Association. {ICA} Paris, France.

2021. Identified in a study by Elsevier (SCOPUS) and Stanford University listing career-long data updated to the end of 2020 as the top 2% most influential and cited scholars in Communication and Political Science. Baas, J. Boyack, K., & Ioannidis, J. (2021), "August 2021 data-update for "Updated science-wide author databases of standardized citation indicators"", Mendeley Data, V3, doi: 10.17632/btchxktyw.3

2021. Spanish National Research Agency's Program for the Generation of Knowledge and Scientific and Technological Strengthening Research + Development Grant PID2020-115562GB-I00. (PI – \$198,401). "Youth Political Socialization, Journalism and Social Media: Understanding Democracy in Contentious Times."

2021. Identified as the most bridging intermediary and second most central node author in the field of Communication, according to a study on Latin American research networks: Segado-Boj, F., Prieto-Gutiérrez, J. J., & Díaz-Campo, J. (2021). Redes de coautorías de la investigación española y latinoamericana en Comunicación (2000-2019): cohesión interna y aislamiento transcontinental. *Profesional de la Información*, 30(3).

2020. Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications 'VISION 2020' Grant at Pennsylvania State University. Co-PI with Chris Skurka (\$3,150).

- Tuning out the news? A selective exposure study examining the behavioral correlates of news fatigue and the news-finds-me perception

2020. Identified as one of the most prolific scholars in the field of Political Communication and Social Media over the 2008 to 2018 decade, according to a study on Political Communication publications in top JCR journals: Sierra, A. & Rodríguez-Virgili, J. (2020). Political Communication and Social Media: State of Art from 2008 to 2018. *Revista Mediterránea de Comunicación*. 11(1) 245-260. doi:10.14198/MEDCOM2020.11.1.21

2020. Web of Science/Journal of Citations Report Worldwide Highly Cited Scholar

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2020. Top Faculty Research Paper Poster Award at the Political Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper: How Do People Learn About Public Affairs When Incidentally Exposed to News? Clarifying Political Knowledge Paradoxical Direct and Indirect Effects. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} San Francisco, CA, USA.

2020. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Participatory Journalism Interest Group of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper: Citizen News Content Creation: Perceptions on Professional Journalists and the Additive Double Moderating Role of Social Media. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} San Francisco, CA, USA.

2020. Identified as one of the most influential scholars in the field of Communication based on an Editorial Board Interlocking Network Analysis study: Goyanes, M., & De-Marcos, L. (2020). Academic influence and invisible colleges through editorial board interlocking in communication sciences: a social network analysis of leading journals. *Scientometrics*, 123(2), 791-811.

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2015 – 2016 – 2017 – 2018. Web of Science/Journal of Citations Report Top 1% Highly Cited Paper in General Social Sciences: Gil de Zúñiga, H., García, V., and McGregor, S. (2015). What is Second Screening? Exploring Motivations of Second Screen Use and its Effects on Online Political Participation. *Journal of Communication*, 65(5) 793–815.

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2019. Inducted as Fellow to the International Communication Association.

2018. Recipient of the Amsterdam School of Communication Research (ASCoR) 2017 Denis McQuail Award: "The award was established in honor of Denis McQuail, and is awarded each year to the best article advancing communication theory published in a peer-reviewed journal in the previous year." Paper: Gil de Zúñiga, H., Weeks, B., and Ardèvol-Abreu, A. (2017). Effects of the 'News Finds Me' Perception in Communication: Social Media Use Implications for News Seeking and Learning About Politics. *Journal of Computer Mediated Communication* 22(3) 105–123.

2018. Portuguese Science Foundation grant PTDC/CPO-CPO/28495/2017 for HATE project Grant. International Project Investigator, with Prof. Susana Salgado as PI (\$288,444).

2018. Internationalization in the Humanities Grant by the Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research Grant. Member in the executive committee and co-participant, with Prof. Marcel Broersma as PI (\$73,200).

"Social Media and the Redistribution of Power: Journalism, Politics and Citizenship."

2018. International Associated Researcher to Chilean Ministry of Education's Fondecyt Grant #1180443. With Prof. Claudia Mellado as PI (\$400,000).

"Practices, discourse and re-definition of journalistic roles in social media: A comparative study of Twitter and Instagram digital platforms."

2018. Best Information Technology & Politics Published Article of the Year Award from the American Political Science Association. Paper:

Gil de Zúñiga, H., Weeks, B., and Ardèvol-Abreu, A. (2017). Effects of the 'News Finds Me' Perception in Communication: Social Media Use Implications for News Seeking and Learning About Politics. *Journal of Computer Mediated Communication* 22(3) 105–123. Assigned by the *American Political Science Association*. {APSA} Boston, Massachusetts.

2018. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Communicating Science, Health, Environment, & Risk Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper:

Diehl, T., Huber, B., Gil de Zúñiga, H., Liu, J. Social Media and Concerns about Global Climate Change: News Use and Political Ideology in 20 Countries. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} Washington, D.C.

2018. Nieman Journalism Lab at Harvard University Top List of most influential papers published in the field of journalism in 2018.

- Gil de Zúñiga, H., Diehl, T., and Ardèvol-Abreu, A. (2018). When Citizens and Journalists Interact on Twitter: Expectations of Journalists' Performance on Social Media and Perceptions of Media Bias. *Journalism Studies* 19(2) 227–246

2018. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly* Outstanding Research Article Award published in the year 2017 (Finalist).

- Yoo, S. W., Kim, J., and Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2017). Cognitive Benefits for Senders: Antecedents and Effects of Political Expression on Social Media. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly*. 94(1) 17–37

2018. Robert M. Worcester Prize for Outstanding Article Published in the *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* in the year 2017. Assigned by the World Association for Public Opinion Research:

- Weeks, B., Ardèvol-Abreu, A., and Gil de Zúñiga, H. (2017). Online Influence? Social Media Use, Opinion Leadership, and Political Persuasion. *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* 29(2), 214–239

2017. All Divisions' conference wide News Audience Research Top Paper Award at Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper: Multi-Platform News Use and Political Participation across Age Groups. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} Chicago, IL.

2017. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Political Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper: Social Media as a Sphere for "Risky" Political Expression: A 20-Country Multi-Level Comparative Analysis. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} Chicago, IL.

2015. Krieghbaum Under-40 Award at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC).

- "This award was created and funded by the late Hillier Krieghbaum, New York, a long-time AEJMC member and a past president, to honor AEJMC members under 40 years of age who have shown outstanding achievement and effort in AEJMC's three key areas: teaching, research and public service."

2015. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Political Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper: Motivations for Political Discussion: Antecedents and Consequences on Civic Participation. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} San Francisco, CA.

2015. Recipient of the Cátedra de Excelencia de Investigación (Excellence Research Chair) at Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain. (\$86,400).

2014. Outstanding Journal Article of the Year in Journalism Studies (Honorable Mention): Awarded by the Journalism Division of the International Communication Association {ICA}. Paper:
Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Hinsley, A. (2013). The press versus the public: What is “good journalism?” *Journalism Studies* 14(6) 926-942. doi:10.1080/1461670X.2012.744551

2014. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication {AEJMC}. Paper:
Gaming Social Capital: Finding Civic Value in Multiplayer Video Games. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} Montreal, Canada.

2014. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Political Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper:
Cognitive Benefits for Senders: Antecedents and Effects of Political Expression on Social Media. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} Montreal, Canada.

2014. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Participatory Journalism Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Paper:
Reciprocity and the News: The Role of Personal and Social Media Reciprocity in News Creation and Consumption. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} Montreal, Canada.

2014. Research grant from the Asian Office of Aerospace Research & Development (BAA-AFOSR-2013-0001) (\$2,274,126). Co-PI (with Prof. James Liu). In charge of the Digital Influence World Survey Project (\$750,000).
- “Implicit and explicit attitudes towards Americans in socio-digital influence: Trust and social identity in cyberspace.”

2013. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Mass Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication {AEJMC} Paper:
News Use and Cognitive Elaboration the Mediating Role of People's Perceptions of Media Complex Issues Comprehension. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. {AEJMC} Washington, DC.

2013. Top Faculty Research Paper Award at the Communication, Theory & Methodology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication {AEJMC} Paper:
The Peripheral Elaboration Model: How Incidental News Exposure Predicts Political Participation. *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. Washington D.C.

2013. Baskett Mosse Award for Faculty Development at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication.
- “The Baskett Mosse Award for Faculty Development recognizes an outstanding young or midcareer faculty member in journalism or mass communication. Its recipient is awarded a stipend to be used toward work on a development or enrichment activity in any appropriate aspect of teaching, research or public service.”

2013. Center for European Studies and European Union’s Faculty Research Award at University of Texas – Austin (\$3,000).

2013. Department of Education & European Commission of the European Union for the Center for European Studies at University of Texas – Austin (\$24,323). PI

- “European Public Sphere: Understanding the Role of Mass Media and Interpersonal Discussion in Shaping Today’s European Citizenship.”

2012. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's Presidential Citation for Outstanding Service & Dedication.

2012. College of Communication Faculty Research Travel Grant at University of Texas – Austin (\$1,200).

2012. Lynda Lee Kaid Award for Outstanding Published Paper in the field of Political Communication in the year 2011. Awarded by the Political Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication {AEJMC} Paper:

Gil de Zúñiga, H., & Valenzuela, S. (2011). The mediating path to a stronger citizenship: Online and offline networks, weak ties and civic engagement. *Communication Research* 38(3), 397-421.

2012. Summer Research Assignment Grant at University of Texas – Austin (\$9,000). PI

2012. University of Texas’ College of Communication: New Agendas series grant (\$18,000). PI

- “New Technologies & Civic Engagement: New Agendas in Communication.”

2012. Top Research Paper Award at the Newspaper and Online News Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication {AEJMC} Paper:

The press versus the public: What is “good journalism? *Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication*. Chicago, IL.

2012. Student Enrichment Funds Grant at University of Texas – Austin (\$4,800). PI

2012. College of Communication Faculty Research Travel Grant at University of Texas – Austin (\$1,200).

2011. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication’s Mass Communication and Society Division Research Award (\$4,000). PI

- “Digital Democracy as Social Experience: Understanding How Social Media is Shaping Today’s Civil Society.”

2011. Legacy Scholar Grant by the Arthur W. Page Center at Penn State University (\$5,700). PI

- “The dialogic potential of Social Media: Assessing the reasoning of companies' public relations on Twitter and Facebook.”

2011. Nominated to the University Co-operative Society Research Excellence Award for the category of 2010 “Best Research Paper Award” at University of Texas – Austin.

- “The Dean of each College in the University may submit one nominee for the University Co-operative Society Research Excellence Award. The award will be accompanied by a \$5,000 check.”

2011. College of Communication Grant Preparation Award at University of Texas – Austin. (\$6,000). PI

2011. College of Communication Faculty Research Travel Grant at University of Texas – Austin (\$1,200).

2010. Title VI Award for National Resource Center, Department of Education for the Center for European Studies at University of Texas – Austin. (\$1,622,380). Grant research participant – Member of the executive committee administering the grant with Prof. Douglas Biow as PI.

2010. Dean's Fellow, College of Communication, University of Texas – Austin.

2010. Top Research Paper Award at International Symposium on Online Journalism {ISOJ}
- Effects of Online and Offline Discussion Networks and Weak Ties on Civic Engagement.

2010. College of Communication Junior Faculty Fellow Award at University of Texas – Austin. (\$6,000).
- "This award is intended to grant significant distinction to a select few faculty from each department in the College [of Communication] and reward excellence".

2010. College of Communication Faculty Research Travel Grant at University of Texas – Austin (\$1,200).

2009. SB Magazine "Top Professor" award for the year 2009. SB Magazine is a student oriented publication at University of Texas – Austin. The magazine is entirely "produced by students, for the students".

2009. Appointed Reddick Fellow by the Dean of the College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin. (\$6,000).
- "This award is intended to grant significant distinction to a select few faculty from each department in the College [of Communication] and reward excellence".

2009. Programa Interinstitucional de Estudios sobre la Región de América del Norte {PIERAN}. Grant Project to clarify Media Uses and Mexican Immigration in the USA and Canada (\$7,500). With Dr. Sara Nuñez de Prado at Tecnológico de Monterrey – Guadalajara. Co-PI.

2009. College of Communication Faculty Research Travel Grant at University of Texas – Austin (\$1,200).

2008. Appointed Reddick Fellow by the Dean of the College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin. (\$6,000).
- "This award is intended to grant significant distinction to a select few faculty from each department in the College [of Communication] and reward excellence".

2008. College of Communication's Summer Fellowship at University of Texas – Austin. (\$5,000). PI

2008. College of Communication Faculty Research Travel Grant at University of Texas – Austin (\$1,200).

2007. Department of Information Technology's Engage Podcasting Plus Award (\$800). PI
- "The mission of Engage is to transform teaching and learning through technology at University of Wisconsin-Madison and beyond. Podcasting Plus awards are to support new uses of podcasting in instruction, using combinations of video, graphics, and audio to enhance student learning".

2007. European Union Center of Excellence Research Grant (\$1,000).

- Funded by the European Commission, the EUCE “grants a small number of awards of up to \$1,000 to UW faculty and graduate students conducting research on the EU, European integration, and/or transatlantic relations, defined broadly”.

2006. LACIS’ Tinker Nave Field Research Grant (\$850). PI

- “The Latin America, Caribbean and Iberian Studies (LACIS) program at University of Wisconsin-Madison supports a field research experience to help students acquire or gather research data, and to develop contacts with scholars and institutions in their fields”.

2006. Department of Information Technology's Adaptation Award (\$800). PI

- University of Wisconsin via DoIT concedes this award to faculty and instructors who promote and implement new technologies in the teaching setting. I used podcasting, a simple way to create audio materials and make them available to students through apple’s iTunes website.

2006. Walden Jay and Clara Charlotte Damm Research Award (\$400). PI

- School of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

2006. Vilas Research Fellowship (\$600). PI

- "The Graduate School at University of Wisconsin-Madison grants this research fund to talented and accomplished graduate students who pursue excellent research in their respective fields".

2005. Participant of the National Communication Association’s Doctoral Honors Seminar. July, University of Oklahoma.

2005. Graduate Student Council Mentor Award.

- The GSC Mentor Award recognizes graduate students who have given of themselves to their peers.

2005. Neil Shively and the Fodder & Starching Society Scholarship (\$16,000).

- The award recognizes and honors promising students and future researches in the field of Journalism & Mass Communication at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

2004. Top Paper Award - Naomi C. Turner Prize: Honorable Mention.

- Paper award granted by the World Association for Public Opinion Research (WAPOR).

2004. Harry J. Grant Scholarship (\$16,000).

- This scholarship honors the memory of Mrs. Barbara Abert's father. It is conceded for academic excellence in research development within The Department of Journalism and Mass Communication at University of Wisconsin Madison.

2003. Chancellor’s Extension Award for Excellence from UW-Extension. Madison, Wisconsin.

- This award recognizes efforts to encourage positive social change by extending the educational and research resources of the University into the community, in this case through Wisconsin Public Television.

2003. University of Wisconsin Graduate School in support of “Community Engagement through Public Television: Innovations in the Development and Measurement of Social Capital,” Prof. Shah, PI (\$31,145).

2003. Grant Report: "Coming Together Around 'Two Towns of Jasper': A Field Assessment of Outreach," Dhavan V. Shah, Jaeho Cho, Heejo Keum, Hernando Rojas, So-Hyang Yoon, Mike Schmierbach, and Homero Gil de Zúñiga for Wisconsin Public Television and the National Center for Outreach.

2002. Public Broadcasting Service Research Grant in support of "'Connecting' and 'Disconnecting' with Civic Life," Prof. Shah, PI (\$60,302).

2001. University of Wisconsin Graduate School in support of "'Connecting' and 'Disconnecting' with Civic Life," Prof. Shah, PI (\$22,579).

INVITED KEYNOTES, TALKS & LECTURES (100 APPEARANCES)

2025. Invited speaker to Prof. Winneg Graduate Seminar at University of Pennsylvania (UPenn). February 5th, Santiago, Chile.

- Is AI Good or Bad for Democracy? Introducing AI Democracy

2025. Invited speaker to Centro de Investigación en Comunicación, Literatura, y Observación Social (CICLOS) at Universidad Diego Portales. January 15th, Santiago, Chile.

- El Paradigma de las 'Noticias Me Encuentran': Impacto y Retos del Entorno Informativo en las Democracias Modernas.

2024. Invited speaker to Seminario CambIA: Inteligencia Artificial y Periodismo (Change: Artificial Intelligence and Journalism at Universidad Diego Portales. October 24th, Santiago, Chile.

- Impacto del Consumo de Noticias en Redes Sociales sobre el Interés y Conocimiento en Inteligencia Artificial.

2024. Keynote at the 75th Anniversary Celebration of the Shanghai International Studies University (SISU), International Forum on Image Studies and Global Communication Conference. Shanghai International Studies University (SISU).June 29th, Shanghai, China.

- How Research Funding Affects Co-Authorship and Journal Selection: An empirical Analysis in Communication, Political Science and Sociology.

2023. Keynote at the IV Jornadas Internacionales de Tendencias de la Comunicación Política, Universidad Rey Juan Carlos I – Fuenlabrada. October 23rd, Madrid, Spain.

- La Polarización Política como Tendencia en Comunicación Política: Desgranando Retos Actuales en Democracia.

2023. Keynote at the Online Media and Global Communication International Conference at ICA Preconference Program, curated by Shanghai International Studies University. May 25th, Toronto, Canada.

- Zoomers, Millennials, Gen X and Boomers? The News Finds Me Perception as a Media Effect Equalizer and Implications on Global Communication.

2022. Invited speaker for the Graduate Studies Program in Communication at Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez. October 19th, Santiago de Chile, Chile [Virtual].

- Los Desafíos de la Comunicación en la Democracia Actual: Protestas, *Fake News* y Polarización.

2022. Keynote at the II International Congress on Digital Culture and Vulnerability (Congreso Internacional sobre Vulnerabilidad y Cultura Digital). Universidad CEU San Pablo, Madrid, Spain. October 6th.

- Democracy and Populism in Contentious Times: Social Media News and the News Finds Me Perception.

2022. Invited speaker for Prof. Olorunnisola's seminar 'Pro-Seminar.' Penn State University. September 1st, State College, Pennsylvania, USA.

- Incidental Exposure to News on Social Media & Political Knowledge

2021. Invited speaker at the Convergence Institute for Culture, Arts, and Media International Virtual Conference at Sungkyunkwan University. May 13th, Seoul, Korea [Virtual].

- Does Online Uncivil Discussion Contribute to Illegal Political Protest? Examining the Role of Uncivil Discussion and Ideological Polarization on Illegal Protest

2021. Invited speaker at the Ivan Preston Symposium On Communication and Empathy. December 6th, University of Wisconsin – Madison. Madison, WI, USA.

- Illegal Protest as Collective (un)Democratic Grievance Resolution: The Role of WhatsApp News Use and Political Knowledge.

2021. Keynote at the 13th International Conference on Online Journalism: Information and Big Data in the Hybrid Media System. November 15th, Universidad de País Vasco, Bilbao, Spain [Virtual].

- Social Media and the News Finds Me Perception: Effects in Different Democracies.

2021. Keynote at the 5th Media Flows Congress: Disidencia y Comunicación – Voces y Discursos en la Era de los Hechos Alternativos. October 29th, Universidad Internacional Menéndez Pelayo. Valencia, Spain [Virtual].

- WhatsApp and Illegal Protest as a Dissident Tool in Democracy.

2021. Lecturer at Political Network Master at Universidad de Externado – Colombia. October 1st, Bogotá, Colombia [Virtual].

- Incidental News Exposure in Social Media and Political Learning.

2021. Invited speaker at the Global Convergence Contest Research Center International Virtual Conference at Sungkyunkwan University. May 7th, Seoul, Korea [Virtual].

- Does Social Media Contribute to Political Attitude Change? The Role of Fake News and Political Discussion on Political Persuasion.

2021. Invited speaker at 'SLG Research Group' within the Media Effects Research Lab at Penn State University. April 15th, State College, Pennsylvania, USA [Virtual].

- News Finds Me Perception: Overview of Theory & Effects.

2021. Invited speaker at 'C-Seminar Series – Communication at School of Journalism & Communication, Chinese University of Hong Kong. March 26th, Hong Kong [Virtual].

- Political Persuasion on Social Media: Opinion Leaders and Political Discussion Attributes.

2020. Invited speaker at 'Seminario Permanente de Investigación' at Political Science department, University of Salamanca. December 21st, Salamanca, Spain [Virtual].

- Political Persuasion on Social Media: Opinion Leaders and Political Discussion Attributes.

2020. Keynote at the Fragile Democracies: Polarization & Populism Congress. November 13th, Valencia, Spain [Virtual]. Universidad Internacional Menéndez Pelayo.

- Social Media Effects on Democracy.

2020. Invited speaker at Donald P. Bellisario Brown Bag Series at Penn State University. October 12th, State College, Pennsylvania, USA [Virtual].

- News Finds Me Perception: Theory & Effects.

2020. Keynote at the VI MESO's Annual Conference – Center for the Study on Media and Society in Argentina (MESO). November 11th, Buenos Aires, Argentine [Virtual].

- News Finds Me Perception: Theory & Effects.

2020. Invited speaker for Prof. Bu Zhong's seminar 'Social Media Research.' Penn State University. October 8th, State College, Pennsylvania, USA [Virtual].

- Social Media Research: Theory and Effects

2020. Invited speaker for the Universidad de Externado de Colombia. Junio 13th, Bogotá, Colombia [Virtual].

- First and Second Level Effects of the 'News Finds Me' Perception.

2019. Invited speaker for Citizen Civic Center La Moravilla Villaviciosa de Odón. February 21st, Madrid, Spain.

- Nuevas Formas de Comunicación e Interacción Social.

2019. Invited speaker for Psychology Doctoral Colloquium Program at Universidad Católica de Colombia. November 29th, Bogotá, Colombia.

- Consumo de Información Política de Jóvenes Colombianos en Redes Sociales Digitales.

2019. Lecturer for the Department of Media Studies at Pennsylvania State University. September 24th, State College, Pennsylvania.

- Social Media & Democracy: Simultaneous Antagonistic Media Effects

2019. Lecturer for the Department of Communication at University of Duisburg – Essen. July 19th, Duisburg, Germany.

- Social Media: Hydraulic Effects Over Democracy.

2019. Speaker for the European Commission's Jean Monnet Chair at University of Vienna. March 27th, Vienna, Austria.

- Crises, Democracy and the Media in Europe.

2019. Invited speaker for the Washington and Lee University's Department of Communication Dr. Coddington seminar. February 11th, Vienna, Austria.

- Research Methods in Communication.

2018. Keynote at the European Commission's Safer Internet Centres Conference on 'Better Internet for Kids'. November 19th to 21th, Brussels, Belgium.

- European Youth and Social Media: Second Screening Politics and the 'News Finds Me' Perception Effects.

2018. Keynote speaker at the VII International Symposium on Media Innovations (ISMI), Department of Communication, University of Oslo. August 30th to September 2nd, Oslo, Finland.

- Second Screening Contentious Politics: Political Information, Discussion, Expression, Persuasion & Participation.

2018. Lecturer at the Departamento de Periodismo, Universidad Diego Portales. July 19th, Santiago, Chile.

- Interactividad y Redes Sociales.

2018. Invited speaker at the Faculty Brownbag Series at Oxford Internet Institute, University of Oxford. July 6th, Oxford, United Kingdom.

- What makes social capital thrive across cultures? Bridging community participatory inequalities.

2018. Invited speaker at the OLIVE – Open Learning Initiative program for Austrian asylum seekers and immigrants pursuing University studies at University of Vienna. January 17th, Vienna, Austria.

- Social Media and the News Finds Me Perception.

2018. Invited speaker at the Department of Communication of Seoul National University. January 19th, Seoul, South Korea.

- News, Information and Political Communication in the Digital Age

2017. Keynote speaker at IX Congreso Internacional Latina de Comunicación Social. December 4th – 6th, Tenerife, Spain.

- Nuevas Tecnologías y Medios Sociales en el Ámbito de la Comunicación Política: Una Década de Investigaciones Empíricas en las Ciencias Sociales.

2017. Keynote speaker at ECREA's Political Communication Section Conference. November 22nd, Zurich, Switzerland.

- Social Media and Democracy: Evidence from the Digital Media Influence Around the World Project'

2017. Keynote speaker at Seminario Internacional de Tendencias Avanzadas de Investigación en Comunicación. Universidad de Málaga. November 23rd and 24th, Málaga, Spain.

- Los Efectos Positivos y Nocivos de los Medios Sociales en Procesos Políticos Democráticos.

2017. Keynote speaker at the Social Media & Democracy Symposium at University of Copenhagen. October 26th, Copenhagen, Denmark.

- Second Screening Contentious Politics: Political Information, Discussion, Expression, Persuasion & Participation

2017. Keynote speaker at the Social Media & Democracy Symposium at University of Lund. October 27th, Lund, Sweden.

- Lights and Shadows of Social Media Influence Over Civil Life

2017. Invited speaker at the School of New Media at Peking University. September 14th, Beijing, China.

- Emerging Media as Connection, Innovation and Transformation: Second Screening and the Mobile Revolution

2017. Lecturer at the Emerging Studies Division at Boston University. September 3rd – 8th, Massachusetts, USA.

- Digital Media Influence Worldwide Project

2017. Lecturer at the Facultad de Derecho y Ciencia Política at Universidad de Salamanca. June 23rd, Salamanca, Spain.

- Communication Research

2017. Lecturer at the Departamento de Comunicación at Universidad Diego Portales. June 5th – 8th, Santiago, Chile.

- Communication Research

2017. Speaker at Universidad Católica de Chile's Doctoral Seminar Workshop in Communication. June 9th, Santiago, Chile.

- The News Fins Me Perception and Its Effects

2017. Keynote speaker at University of Boston's 'Streaming, Binge-Watching & Second Screening: Online Social Television in Perspective Conference'. April 20th – 22nd, Boston, USA.

- Second Screening Politics Worldwide

2017. Invited speaker at the Stanford University – LUISS University 'Cross-National Perspectives on Digital Democracy Conference. April 6th – 7th, Rome, Italy.

- Social Media and Political Expression in Modern Campaigns

2016. Guest speaker at the Universidad Jaume I. December 9th, Castellón, Spain.

- Can Social Media Improve Our Neighborhoods? Exploring Political & Social Capital Effects.

2016. Lecturer at the University of Milan (Universita Degli Studi di Milano) Political Communication Summer School. July 18th – 22nd, Milan, Italy.

- Social Media Social Capital and Democracy.

2016. Invited lecturer at the College of Social Sciences at Universidad Carlos III. April 13th – 14th, Madrid, Spain.

- Métodos de Investigación Cuantitativos para Científicos Sociales.

2016. Guest speaker at the Department of Psychology at Massey University. February 26th, Auckland, New Zealand.

- Asymmetric Reciprocal Effects of Social Media Social Capital and Face to Face Social Capital.

2015. Lecturer at the Department of Communication at Universidad Diego Portales. September 3rd - 6th, Santiago, Chile.

- Interactividad y Redes Sociales.

2015. Invited speaker at the Department of Communication at University of California – Davis. August 5nd, California, USA.

- The good, the bad, and the ugly: Exploring the effects of social media for democracy

2015. Oxford Internet Institute Summer Doctoral Program Professor/Tutor at Oxford University. July 9th – 12th, Oxford, U.K.

2015. Lecturer at the National Center of Competence in Research within University of Zurich Summer Doctoral Program, Princeton University. June 22nd – 26th, Zurich, Switzerland.

2015. Doctoral workshop leader at Center for Information Technology Policy (CITP), Princeton University. April 5th – 9th, New Jersey, USA.

2015. Invited speaker at Centre for European Social Research (MZES), Mannheim University. March, 22nd – 23rd, Mannheim, Germany.

- Advancing the impact of social media on political behavior

2015. Lecturer at Universidad La Sabana. December, 19th, Colombia.

- New Technologies and Citizenship

2015. Lecturer at Universidad de Externado. December, 20th-21st, Bogota, Colombia.

- The Sociology of Social Media

2014. Keynote speaker at Conference for eDemocracy & Open Government (CeDEM-Asia). December, 4th-6th, Hong Kong, China.

- All Roads Lead to Rome... Not: Social Media & Political Engagement

2014. Invited Lecturer at Universidad La Laguna. October, 27th – November 3rd, Tenerife, Spain.

- Quantitative Research Methods for Social Sciences.

2014. Invited speaker at SciencesPo University - CEVIPOF. June 24th - 27th Paris, France.

- Conference: Civic political engagement and public spheres in the new digital era.

2014. Invited speaker at SciencesCom Nantes. June 23rd, Nantes, France.

- Second Screening and Political Engagement.

2014. Keynote speaker at the University of North Carolina – Chapel Hill's annual Spring Research Colloquium. May 8th, Raleigh, North Carolina.

- Civic Participation Today: Exploring the Effects of Social Media.

2014. Lecturer at Universidad de Navarra. November 17th – 21st, Pamplona, Spain.

- Convergence in the Media.

2013. Lecturer at Universidad Diego Portales. November 19th – 24th, Santiago, Chile.

- Social Media Metrics & Social Network Analysis.

2013. Invited speaker at Universität Wien's Faculty of Social Sciences. May 31st, Vienna, Austria.
- Social Media & Democracy.

2013. Invited speaker at United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization's (UNESCO) International Social Science Council. October 15th, Montreal, Canada.

2013. Invited guest speaker at the Amsterdam School of Communication Research (ASCoR) at University of Amsterdam. March 26th, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- ICTs, Media Innovation, Journalism & Political Communication.

2013. Invited guest speaker at the Department of Communication at Cornell University. February 19th, Ithaca, New York.
- Communication Technologies & Civic Participation: Exploring Digital and Social Media Effects.

2013. Invited guest speaker at the Annette Strauß Institute for Civic Life at the University of Texas. January 23rd, Austin, TX.
- Civic Engagement Today. Exploring the Effects of Digital and Social Media.

2012. Invited panelist/speaker at the "System Seminar 2012", organized by the UT System's Office of External Relations for the University of Texas System at large. February 26th - 28th, Austin, TX.
- Is Social Media Helping Your University?

2012. Invited participant to Spark Camp "Conversation about Data in Journalism." Spark Camp is an intimate gathering of forward-thinking professionals working in journalism, technology, public policy, government, mobile, private and public-sector agencies, and other areas of digital media. The event is financially supported by Webmedia Group, Google, The Knight Foundation, and Open Society Institute. January 13th - 15th, Austin, TX.

2011. Co-panelist participant/speaker with Dr. Janet Ellzey, Engineering Faculty & Vice Provost for International Programs, for the International Student & Scholar Services at the University of Texas - Austin. November, 17th, Austin, TX.
- Navigating UT Austin Research Environments.

2011. Invited speaker at the Internet, Voting, and Democracy Conference organized by the Center for the Study of Democracy at University of California - Irvine and the European University Institute - Florence. University of California - Irvine, May 14th and 15th, Laguna Beach, CA.
- News Platform Preference as a Predictor of Political and Civic Participation.

2011. Lecturer at Universidad Rey Juan Carlos I. March, 15th, Fuenlabrada, Spain.
- Seminario Herramientas Creativas para Periodistas Innovadores.

2011. Guest lecturer at Dr. Hernando Rojas J685 class at University of Wisconsin – Madison. March 10th, Madison, WI.
- Political mobilization and the media.

2011. Invited panelist/speaker at the Symposium Transnational Connections: Challenges and Opportunities in Communication and Public Opinion Research. Event organized and funded by the IE University – Madrid's School of Communication and the University of Pennsylvania's Annenberg School for Communication. March, 17th - 19th Madrid, Spain.

2011. Invited speaker (with Lauren Copeland & Bruce Bimber) at the Conference Communication, consumers, and citizens: Revisiting the politics of consumption. Event organized and funded by the European Union Center of Excellence at University of Wisconsin – Madison. March 10th – 12th, Madison, WI.

- Social media and purposeful consumerism.

2010. Guest lecturer at Assistant Instructor Sebastian Valenzuela's Social Media class at University of Texas – Austin. December 1st, Austin, TX.

- Today's Journalism Job Market.

2010. Guest speaker at the Center for Information Technology & Society at University of California – Santa Barbara. November, 4th Santa Barbara, CA.

- Democracy and the Effects of Citizen and Traditional Journalism.

2010. Invited lecturer at the Center for Information Technology & Politics at Princeton University. October, 14th Princeton, NJ.

- A brave new digital world for traditional journalism and politics: Understanding the effects of social network sites and citizen journalism.

2010. Speaker at the Nieman Journalism Lab at Harvard University. October, 2nd Cambridge, MA.

- Blogs, journalism & blogging as a journalistic practice.

2010. Invited speaker for the Social Media Group at the Radio-Television-Film Department. March, 12th Austin, TX.

- The politics of Facebook: how social media use for news reinvigorates politics.

2010. Invited speaker at the Conference Culture: Building Block or Obstacles for Transnational European Identities. Event organized and funded by the European Union Center of Excellence at Florida International University. February, 25th - 26th Miami, Florida.

- Online discussion and political engagement.

2010. Invited panelist at the Symposium Transnational Connections: Challenges and Opportunities for Political Communication. Event organized and funded by the IE University – Madrid's School of Communication and the University of Pennsylvania's Annenberg School for Communication. March, 22nd - 24th Madrid, Spain.

2009. Invited participant at Analysis of President Obama's Foreign Policy Initiatives. Event organized and funded by The Kozmetsky Center of Excellence in Global Finance, St. Edward's University. October 19th, Austin, TX.

2009. Guest lecturer at Dr. Hernando Rojas LSC340 class University of Wisconsin – Madison. October 8th, Madison, WI.

- Citizen Journalism.

2009. Guest lecturer at Dr. Renita Coleman's PhD ProSeminar series at University of Texas – Austin. September 11th, Austin, TX.

- The future of research in the fields of Journalism and Mass Communication.

2009. Keynote invited speaker at the Professional Insurance Communicators of America annual meeting. April 26th – April 28th, Austin, TX.

- Current Trends in Effective Online Communications.

2009. Invited speaker at the Centro de Investigación en Comunicación Política at Universidad de Externado – Colombia. February 24th – March 1st, Bogotá, Colombia.

- Análisis de Comunicación y Participación Política del 2008 en Colombia.

2008. Invited lecturer at Dr. Nick Lasorsa's research methods seminar at University of Texas – Austin. December 3rd, Austin, TX.

- Constructing items in survey research: The example of the Center for Journalism & Communication Research.

2008. Invited lecturer at Dr. Maxwell McCombs' political communication seminar at University of Texas – Austin. November 29th, Austin, TX.

- Exploring data resources available to social scientist to conduct empirical research.

2008. Invited participant at the "40th Anniversary of the Chapel Hill Study Symposium", with a daylong series of roundtables to advance Agenda Setting research at University of Texas - Austin. September 19th, Austin, TX.

2008. Consultant participant for the Tecnológico de Monterrey – Guadalajara on a grant petition for the Programa Interinstitucional de Estudios sobre la Región de América del Norte {PIERAN}. August 22nd – 25th, Guadalajara, Mexico.

2008. Invited participant at Harvard University's Carnegie-Knight Conference on the Future of Journalism funded by the Shorenstein Center at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government. June 19th – 21st, Cambridge, MA.

2008. Participant at The Internet and American Politics: Politics Online. Event organized and funded by the James A. Baker III Institute for Public Policy, Rice University. June 6th, Houston, TX.

2008. Wakonse South, Texas A&M University Center for Teaching Excellence in Higher Education Conference participant. April 4th – 6th, Burnet, TX.

2008. Invited speaker to address Internet readers' needs to the staff of the Austin American-Statesman newspaper.

- Trends in new media and current industry standards: Blogs, Wikis and Podcasting.

2008. Speaker at the News in the Future Forum organized by Dr. Maxwell McCombs at University of Texas – Austin

- The Role of Alternative Media in the Democratic Process: Does Blog Use Increase Political Participation?

2007. Participant speaker at the Tenaris Advanced Journalism Workshop at Austin, Texas.

- Analyses of New Media and New Technologies in Developing Global Corporations.

2007. Keynote invited speaker at the American Copy Editors Association annual meeting. Austin, Texas.

- New Media & Politics: Exploring the Role of Candidates' Websites and Citizen Journalism.

2007. Guest speaker at Dr. Renita Coleman's PhD ProSeminar series at University of Texas – Austin.

- Blog use and Political participation: New ways of activism.

2007. Invited speaker at the Association of Internet Researchers {AoIR} Survivor: Graduate School at Vancouver, Canada.

- Roundtable on Coping with Challenges of Graduate School Experiences.

2003. Presentation at Science, Technology, Agriculture, Resources and Environment {STARE}. Madison, Wisconsin.

- What's Digital Divide? Searching a Holistic Solution.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- AAPOR. American Association for Public Opinion Research
- APSA. American Political Science Association [*Life Member*]
- AEJMC. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication [*Life Member*]
- AoIR. Association of Internet Researchers
- ICA. International Communication Association [*Life Member*]
- ECRP. European Consortium for Political Research
- MAPOR. Midwest Association for Public Opinion Research
- WAPOR. World Association for Public Opinion Research

JOURNAL & BOOK REVIEWER

Editorial Board Member (alphabetical order)

- *Anduli* (2013 –)
- *Brazilian Research and Studies Journal* (2021 –)
- *Comunicación y Ciudadanía* [SJR journal] (2008 –)
- *Comunicar* [Wos/JCR journal] (2013 – 2017)
- *Commons. Revista de Comunicación y Ciudadanía Digital* (2017 –)
- *Computers in Human Behavior* [Wos/JCR journal] (2021 –)
- *Cuadernos.Info* [SJR journal] (2008 –)
- *Human Communication Research* [Wos/JCR journal] (2016 –)
- *International Journal of Communication* [Wos/JCR journal] (2013 –)
- *International Journal of E-Politics* [Wos/JCR journal] (2011 – 2019)
- *International Journal of Press/Politics* [Wos/JCR journal] (2018 –)
- *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* [Wos/JCR journal] (2022 –)
- *Journal of Communication* [Wos/JCR journal] (2013 – 2022)
- *Journal of Communication Technology* (2014 – 2022)

- *Journal of Computer Mediated Communication* [Wos/JCR journal] (2013 –)
- *Journal of Broadcasting & Electronic Media* [Wos/JCR journal] (2016 –)
- *Journal of Information Technology & Politics* [Wos/JCR journal] (2010 –)
- *Journalism & Communication Monographs* [Scopus journal] (2014 –)
- *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly* [Wos/JCR journal] (2017 –)
- *Media & Communication* [Wos/JCR journal] (2018 –)
- *Online Media and Global Communication* (2022 –)
- Oxford University Press – Book Series: *Journalism and Political Communication Unbound* (2018 –)
- *Profesional de la Información* [Wos/JCR journal] (2020 –)
- *Revista de Comunicación Política* (2019 –)
- *Revista Latina de Comunicación Social* [Scopus journal] (2014 – 2021)
- *Revista Mexicana de Opinión Pública* (2014 –)
- *Social Media + Society* [Wos/JCR journal] (2021 –)
- *Social Science Computer Review* [Wos/JCR journal] (2014 –)

Ad Hoc Reviewer Requests (alphabetical order)

- *Applied Artificial Intelligence* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Acta Politica* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Acta Psychologica* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *American Political Science Review* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *American Journal of Political Science* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Asian Journal of Communication* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Big Data & Society* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Chinese Journal of Communication* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Convergence: The International Journal of Research into New Media Technologies* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Communication Monographs* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Communication Quarterly* [Scopus journal]
- *Communication Reports* [Scopus journal]
- *Communication Research* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Communication Research Reports*
- *Communication Theory* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Computers & Human Behavior* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Cyberpsychology, Behavior and Social Networks* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Electoral Studies* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *European Political Science Review* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Government Information Quarterly* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *IEEE Transactions on Computational Social Systems* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Information, Communication & Society* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Information & Management* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Information Processing and Management* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *International Journal of Educational Research* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *International Journal of Human-Computer Interaction* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *International Journal of Press & Politics* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Internet Research* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Journalism* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Journalism Studies* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Journal of Children and Media* [Wos/JCR journal]

- *Journal of Political Marketing* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Mass Communication & Society* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Mobile Media & Communication* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Media Psychology* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Media, War & Conflict* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Nature. Scientific Reports* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Neurocomputing Review* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *New Media & Society* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Online Information Review* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Oxford Bibliographies Online: Communication*
- *PLoS ONE* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Political Communication* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Political Behavior* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Political Research Quarterly* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Political Studies* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Politics* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Public Opinion Quarterly* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Romanian Journal of Political Science (PolSci)* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Sociological Inquiry* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Social Movement Studies* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *SAGE Open* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *The Social Science Journal* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *Telematics and Informatics* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *The Information Society* [Wos/JCR journal]
- *West European Politics* [Wos/JCR journal]

SERVICE TO THE FIELD

2025.

- External evaluator for a Distinguished University Research Professor nomination at Bowling Green State University.

2024.

- Scientific Committee for the XI Congress WAPOR Latinoamérica, organized by World Association for Public Opinion Research (WAPOR), April 28th and 30th, 2025).
- Scientific Committee Member for the I Congreso Internacional de Divulgación, Transferencia e Impacto Social de la Ciencia (CoDi), organized by EPI journal, March 26th and 27th, 2025).

2023.

- Scientific Committee Member for the XV Congreso Internacional Latina de Comunicación Social, organized by the association Historia de los Sistema Informativos (HISIN)
- Performed promotion to full professor review for a candidate at the Manship School of Mass Communication at Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, USA.
- Scientific Committee Member for the Annual Congress of the Sociedad Española de Periodística (SEP) – Spanish Society of Journalism. Blanquerna-Universidad Ramón Llull, Barcelona, Spain.
- Invited Reviewer for Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación (MICINN) ‘Ramón y Cajal’ Program in Social Sciences.
- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the Wee Kim Wee School of Communication and Information at Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore.

- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the Department of Communication at University of Arizona, USA.
- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts at University of Michigan – Ann Arbor, USA.
2022.
- Scientific Committee Member for the Annual Congress of the Sociedad Española de Periodística (SEP) – Spanish Society of Journalism. Universidad de Valencia, Valencia, Spain.
- Promotion to Full Professor candidate review request for the Agency for the Quality of the University System of Catalonia at the Department of Communication at Universidad Oberta de Catalunya, Catalonia, Spain.
- Grant expert reviewer invitation for the National Science Center agency in Poland (NCN).
- Panel grant expert reviewer invitation for CONCYTEC (Consejo Nacional de Ciencia, Tecnología e Innovación Tecnológica) of Perú.
- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the Department of Communication Studies at University of Kansas, Kansas City, MO, USA.
- Promotion to Full Professor review request for a candidate at the Department of Communication at Tulane University, LA, USA.
- External Advisory Board Member for the ERC's Grant Horizon Project "Europe Democracy" at University of Valencia.
- Review Board Member for the "Desinformación y trastornos informativos: El periodismo ante la crisis de la mediación" Congress in Valencia, Spain, June 1st – 10th.
- Expert reviewer request for the Collaboration of Humanities and Social Sciences in Europe Program, co-funded by the European Commission
- Scientific panel expert member for the selection of ERC (European Research Council) Consolidator Grants.
2021.
- Invitation as expert reviewer for the Qatar National Research Fund.
- Singapore National University's International Advisory Board for the AI + Journalism Project.
- Grant and project reviewer request for the German Research Foundation – Polish-German Funding Initiative in the Humanities and Social Sciences.
- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the Department of Communication at University of Massachusetts – Amherst, MA, USA.
- International Communication Association paper reviewers for the Political Communication Division, the Communication technology Division, and the Mass Communication Division.
- Chair/Discussant for the panel "Incivility on Social Media: Pervasiveness and Effects Political Communication" at the International Communication Association (ICA), Denver Colorado.
- Scientific Committee Member for the Annual Congress of the Sociedad Española de Periodística (SEP) – Spanish Society of Journalism. Universidad de Sevilla, Sevilla, Spain [Virtual].
- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the Department of Communication at Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, USA.
2020.
- Grant and project reviewer request for the Fondazione Cariplo's Science & Technology Studies Grant, Italy.
- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the Department of Communication at University at Florida – Gainesville, Florida, USA.
- Grant and project reviewer request for Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness' Agencia Estatal de Investigación (AEI).

- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the Department of Communication at DePaul University, Wisconsin, USA.
- Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division, Political Communication and Mass Communication Divisions of the International Communication Association. Gold Coast, Australia.
- Award Committee Chair of the International Communication Association's Communication & Technology Division.
2019.
- Promotion and tenure review request for a candidate at the Department of Communication at University at Albany – State University of New York, NY, USA.
- Award Committee Chair for the American Political Science Association (APSA) Best Published Article in Information Technology and Politics, published in the previous calendar year.
- Award Committee Chair of the International Communication Association's Communication & Technology Division.
2018.
- Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division, Political Communication and Mass Communication Divisions of the International Communication Association. Seattle, WA, USA.
- Panel Chair for the International Journal of Press/Politics Conference. University of Oxford, Oxford, U.K.
- Grant and project reviewer for Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness' Agencia Estatal de Investigación (AEI).
- International Conference Organizer (co-PI with Prof. Koc-Michalska and Prof. Römmele) at Cadenabbia, Italy. Title: "Cut the Bullshit! Communication, Populism and Electoral choice in the new media environment". June 20th to 22nd.
- Member of the Facebook's and Social Science Research Council's Commission to assess social media impact on political elections. May 16th University of Oxford, Oxford, UK.
- Member as external international reviewer of the University Grants Research Council of Hong Kong Government. March 8th, Hong Kong.
- Board Committee Member for the workshop "Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness in a Smart City: Peace, Order, and Good Governance" at the Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems. Montreal, Canada.
2017.
- Promotion and tenure request for a candidate at the Communication, Culture & Technology Program at Georgetown University, Washington, DC, USA.
- Promotion and tenure reviewer for a candidate at the Murrow College of Communication at Washington State University, Pullman, WA, USA.
- Promotion and Full Professorship request for a candidate at the School of Journalism and Communication at University Oregon, Eugene, OR, USA.
- Grant proposal reviewer for VIDI – The Council for the Humanities of the Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research.
- Promotion and tenure request for a candidate at the Department of Communication at University of Michigan – Ann Arbor, USA.
- Co-Director (With Nick Feamster) of the III Princeton/Vienna Doctoral Research Workshop. Princeton, New Jersey, USA.
- Reviewer for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Chicago, IL, USA.

- Grant proposal reviewer for CONICYT – Comisión Nacional de Investigación Científica y Tecnológica (National Commission for Scientific and Technologic Research) within the Ministry of Education, Chile.
- Promotion and tenure reviewer for a candidate at the Department of Communication at Boston University, USA.
- Project and grant proposal reviewer for the German – Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research & Development (GIF). 2016.
- Liaison for the Serbian British Council EU Delegation for the “European Diary Competition.”
- Scientific committee member for the VI Congreso Internacional de Periodismo en Red (International Congress of Online Journalism). Universidad Complutense de Madrid. Madrid, Spain.
- Grant and project reviewer for Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness’ Agencia Nacional Evaluación y Prospectiva (ANEP).
- Committee Chair for the Robert Worcester Prize for best paper published in the *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* at the World Association for Public Opinion Research (2016).
- Scientific committee member for the VIII Congreso Internacional Latina de Comunicación Social (Internacional Latin Social Communication Congress). Universidad La Laguna de Tenerife. Islas Canarias, Spain.
- Reviewer for the Annual Conference of the International Association of Mass Communication Research (IAMCR). Leicester, U.K.
- Co-Director (With Nick Feamster) of the II Princeton/Vienna Doctoral Research Workshop. Vienna, Austria.
- Paper reviewer for the Communication Theory & Methodology of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Minneapolis, MN, USA. 2015.
- Scientific committee member for the VII Congreso Internacional Latina de Comunicación Social. Universidad la Laguna. Tenerife, Spain.
- Discussant for a Communication Theory & Methodology Division panel at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC). San Francisco, California, USA.
- Reviewer for the Annual Conference of the Italian Association of Political Communication (Associazione Italiana di Comunicazione Politica). Salerno, Italy.
- Committee Chair for the Robert Worcester Prize for best paper published in the *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* at the World Association for Public Opinion Research. Austin, TX, USA.
- Promotion and tenure reviewer for a candidate at the Department of Politics and International Relations at Royal Holloway University of London. London, U.K.
- Panel judge and chair for the Applied Public Policy Award at the International Communication Association.
- Co-Director (With Ed Felton) of the inaugural Princeton/Vienna Doctoral Research Workshop. Princeton, New Jersey, USA.
- Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division of the International Communication Association. Puerto Rico, USA.
- Paper reviewer for the Political Communication Division of the International Communication Association. Puerto Rico, USA. 2014
- International Conference Organizer (PI) at Austin, Texas, USA. Title: “European Public Sphere: Understanding the Role of Mass Media and Interpersonal Discussion in Shaping Today’s European Citizenship.” April 10th – 11th.

- Panel judge member for the Applied Public Policy Award at the International Communication Association, Puerto Rico, USA.
 - Judge panelist for the Emerging Scholars Program at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication.
 - Mentor for the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication first year attendees' mentorship program.
 - Manuscript reviewer for the World Association for Public Opinion Research. Nice, France.
 - Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division of the International Communication Association. Seattle, WA, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Political Communication Division of the International Communication Association. Seattle, WA, USA.
- 2013
- Grant reviewer for the Israel Science Foundation.
 - Mentor for the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication first year attendees' mentorship program.
 - Manuscript reviewer for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Washington, DC, USA.
 - Scientific Committee Member of the International Symposium Communication the Millennium in Eskisehir. Minnesota, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the International Symposium Communication the Millennium. Minnesota, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division of the International Communication Association. London, UK.
 - Paper reviewer for the Political Communication Division of the International Communication Association. London, UK.
 - Member of the University of Wisconsin's Foundation for a better University: "Philanthropy makes the difference" (from 2004 to 2013).
- 2012
- Chair/moderator for "New Media, Journalism, and Public Opinion." A panel session for the regional meeting of the World Association for Public Opinion Research. Bogotá, Colombia.
 - Assisted with research guidelines to the Eisenhower Fellowship International Exchange Program's participants.
 - Mentor for the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication inaugural attendees' mentorship program. Chicago, IL, USA.
 - Manuscript reviewer for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Chicago, IL, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division of the International Communication Association. Phoenix, AZ, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Political Communication Division of the International Communication Association. Phoenix, AZ, USA.
 - Member of the Free/Open Source Research Community at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (From 2003 to 2012).
 - Scientific Committee Member of the International Symposium Communication the Millennium in Eskisehir, Turkey.
 - Paper reviewer for the International Symposium Communication the Millennium. Eskisehir, Turkey.
 - Paper reviewer for the Midwinter Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Norman, OK, USA.

- Division Head for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication in its centennial year 1912 - 2012.
- Manuscript reviewer for the annual conference meeting of the Association of Internet Researchers (AoIR). Seattle, WA, USA.
- Panel Chair/Discussant for the Communication & Technology Division of the International Communication Association. Chicago, IL, USA.
- Collaborator with the International Hospitality Council of Austin. The IHCA "works with the U.S. Department of State to deliver educational and cultural programs to visiting international leaders. Our national nonprofit network of 91 offices and 80,000 volunteers was nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize in 2001" (From 2007 to 2012).

2011

- Manuscript reviewer for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. St. Louis, MO, USA.
- Scientific Committee Member of the International Symposium Communication the Millennium in Sand Diego, CA, USA.
- Paper reviewer for the International Symposium Communication the Millennium. Sand Diego, CA, USA.
- Paper reviewer for the Midwinter Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Norman, OK, USA.
- Judge Panel member for the Knight Foundation & AEJMC \$80,000 "Bridge Grant" Program.
- Member of the AEJMC's Latino & Latin American (LLA) Task Force Committee for the 2011-2012.
- Vice-Head and Research Program Chair for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. St. Louis, MO, USA.
- Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division or Political Communication Division of the International Communication Association. Boston, MA, USA.
- Paper reviewer for the Communication Theory & Methodology of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. St. Louis, MO, USA.
- Paper reviewer for the Mass Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. St. Louis, MO, USA.

2010

- Manuscript reviewer for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Denver, CO, USA.
- Scientific Committee Member of the International Symposium Communication the Millennium in Eskisehir, Turkey.
- Paper reviewer for the International Symposium Communication the Millennium. Turkey.
- Paper reviewer for the Midwinter Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Norman, OK, USA.
- Manuscript reviewer for the annual conference meeting of the Association of Internet Researchers (AoIR). Gothenburg, Sweden.
- Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division or Political Communication Division of the International Communication Association. Singapore, SG.
- Paper reviewer for the Communication Theory & Methodology of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Denver, CO, USA.
- Manuscript reviewer for the Mass Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Denver, CO, USA.

- Chair/discussant for the “Current Trends in Communication Technology: Top Research Papers Session” A Communication & Technology Division session at the annual Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Denver, CO, USA).
 - Panel Chair/Discussant for the Communication & Technology Division of the International Communication Association. Singapore, SG.
 - Communication Technology Division Paper Competition Research Chair for the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Denver, CO, USA.
 - Chair for the “Social Functions of Blogging” A Communication & Technology Division session at the annual International Communication Association, Singapore, SG.
- 2009
- Manuscript reviewer for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Boston, MS, USA.
 - Manuscript reviewer for the annual conference meeting of the Association of Internet Researchers (AoIR). Milwaukee, WI, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Communication & Technology Division or Political Communication Division of the International Communication Association. Chicago, IL, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Communication Theory & Methodology of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Boston, MS, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Mass Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Boston, MS, USA.
 - Associate Collegiate Press Judge for the annual “Best of” competition, Multimedia category for Universities or Colleges with an enrolment higher than 10,000 students.
 - Chair/discussant for the “Building Capital and Bridging Community with ICTs” A Communication & Technology Division session at the annual International Communication Association. Chicago, IL, USA.
- 2008
- Paper reviewer for the Communication Technology Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Chicago, IL, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Communication Theory & Methodology of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Chicago, IL, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the Mass Communication Division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Chicago, IL, USA.
 - Research proposal reviewer for the Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS), a NSF-sponsored infrastructure project led by Arthur Lupia and Diana Mutz which “offers at no cost to scholars, an opportunity to test new ideas on large, randomly-selected subject populations in the US”.
 - Chair/discussant for the “Trust, Tolerance and Social Capital” session in the annual Conference of the World Association for Public Opinion Research (WAPOR) in New Orleans, LA, USA.
 - Paper reviewer for the annual meeting of the International Symposium of Online Journalism. Austin, TX, USA.
- 2007
- Paper reviewer for the Midwinter Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. Pittsburgh, PA, USA.
 - Manuscript reviewer for the annual conference meeting of the Association of Internet Researchers (AoIR). Vancouver, Canada.
 - Survey input provided to the International Center for Media and the Public Agenda in the College of Journalism at University of Maryland. Helping to determine the future of journalism education when it comes to teaching.

- Judge of *Best of the Web* for the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's annual competition, Washington, D.C., USA.
- Research consultant at The Center for Internet Research (2007, 2006).
- Member of the Mass Communication Research Center. University of Wisconsin-Madison (From 2001 to 2007).
2004
- Paper reviewer for the World Association for Public Opinion Research. Phoenix, AZ, USA.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2025 Search Committee Member for the Hiring of a Tenured Associate/Full Professor for AI and Computational & Data Sciences position at the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, and the Institutes for Computational and Data Sciences, at Penn State University.
- 2025 Panel Reviewer Member for the AI Grants at the Center for Socially Responsible Artificial Intelligence (CSRAI) at Penn State University.
- 2024 – 2025 Member of the Promotion and Tenure Committee (Assistant to Associate Professor) at the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2024 Member of the Pockrass Lecture Series Committee in the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2024 Panel Reviewer Member for the AI Grants at the Center for Socially Responsible Artificial Intelligence (CSRAI) at Penn State University.
- 2024 Panel Reviewer Member for Penn State University applicants for the 2024 Andrew Carnegie Fellows Program, Carnegie Corporation, NYC.
- 2024 Member of the Media Studies Curriculum Program in the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2023 Member of the Media Studies Curriculum Program in the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2023 Panel Reviewer Member for Penn State University applicants for the 2024 Andrew Carnegie Fellows Program, Carnegie Corporation, NYC.
- 2023 Member of the Pockrass Lecture Series Committee in the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2023 Panel Reviewer Member for the AI Grants at the Center for Socially Responsible Artificial Intelligence (CSRAI) at Penn State University.
- 2022 – 2025 University wide jury member for the Faculty Scholar Medal Review Panel for the Social and Behavioral Sciences.
- 2020 – 2021 Member of the Proposal & Award Generalist 3 position Committee at the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2020 – 2021 Member of the Promotion and Tenure Committee (Associate to Full Professor) at the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2020 – 2021 Member of the Promotion and Tenure Committee (Assistant to Associate Professor) at the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2020 – 2021 Graduate Studies Committee Member representing the Film Production & Media Studies Department at the Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, Penn State University.
- 2020. Committee member on the Faculty Search Position (Assistant Professor on Interactive Communication) for Fall 2020 for the Department of Communication at University of Vienna.
- 2019 – 2020

Director, Communication Master Program, Department of Communication, University of Vienna.

- 2016. Panel member for the Non-EU Student Exchange Scientific in Australia, Canada and the USA at University of Vienna.
- 2014 – 2020
Chair of the Erasmus European Exchange Program for the College of Social Sciences at University of Vienna.
- 2014 – 2020
Member of the Graduate Studies Executive Committee in the Department of Communication at University of Vienna.
- 2014. Committee member on the Senior Faculty Search Position for Fall 2014 for the Department of Communication at University of Vienna.
- 2013. Member of the Administrative Committee of the Graduate Studies Committee in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2013. Faculty representative at Summer Orientation for new incoming undergraduate Journalism students at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2012. Chair of the University ranking and research journal publication assessment Committee at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2012. College of Communication's Faculty Research Award and Danielson Award committee member.
- 2012. Faculty escort for December 2012 graduates in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin graduation ceremony.
- 2012. Technical feedback to College of Communication's Technological Services to roll out and implement new classroom digital touch panels across the College.
- 2012. Chair/Mentor at the Society for Professional Journalists Mentorship Program.
- 2012. Member of the Graduate Studies Committee in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2012. Member of the Administrative Committee of the Graduate Studies Committee in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2012. Participant on Advisory Panel for the Belo Center's College-wide behavioral research lab for the School of Journalism at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2012. Committee member on the Junior Faculty Search Position for Fall 2012 for the School of Journalism at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2012. Member of the Latino Media Studies Committee in the College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2011. Chair of the Multimedia and Photojournalism Master's Report Standards Committee at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2011. Panel judge to select name and logo of the Journalism graduate student Facebook group.
- 2011. Member of the School of Journalism's Budget Council Committee at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2011. Member of the Graduate Studies Committee in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2011. Member of the Administrative Committee of the Graduate Studies Committee in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2011. Chair/Mentor at the Society for Professional Journalists Mentorship Program.
- 2011. Member of the Internationalization Committee in the College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin.

- 2011. Panel member to select the name of the graduate student Facebook group for the College for the College of Communication at University of Texas - Austin.
- 2011. Member of the Multimedia and Photojournalism Master's Report Standards Committee at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2010. Participated in the Computer Literacy Student Learning Outcome Program helping the Division of Instructional Innovation and Assessment (DIIA).
- 2010. Member of the Committee of the Graduate Studies Committee in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2010. Participant of the Use and Satisfaction of Technology Equipped Classrooms Study of the University of Texas – Austin's Office of Survey Research.
- 2010. Member of the Administrative Committee of the Graduate Studies Committee in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2010. Member of the School of Journalism's Budget Council Committee at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2010. Member of the Society for Professional Journalists Mentorship Program.
- 2010. Partook in the Belo Center for New Media moveable furnishings focus group.
- 2010. Member of the Diversity Issues Committee in the College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2010. Committee member on the Senior Faculty Search Position for Fall 2010 for the School of Journalism at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2010. Committee member on the search for the School of Journalism's Director Position for Fall 2010 at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Member of the Committee to select a winning photo for the College of Communication Study Abroad Contest at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Member of the Administrative Committee of the Graduate Studies Committee in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Member of the School of Journalism's Budget Council Committee at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Member of the Career Exploration Center Faculty Contacts Program for the Division of Student Affairs at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Participant of the faculty focus groups to assist the Strategic Information Technology Advisory Committee (SITAC) to identify and address the core IT issues facing the University of Texas – Austin at large.
- 2009. Member of the School of Journalism Website redesign group. We were charged to produce a report that analyzed the elements to compose and create a more engaging and attractive site for our audience, scholars and students alike.
- 2009. Committee member on the Senior Faculty Search Position for Fall 2009 for the School of Journalism at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Graduate Faculty Adviser for the Graduate Studies Committee and prospective graduate students in the School of Journalism at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Member of the Latino Media Studies Committee in the College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Member of the Media Collection Advisory Committee in the College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin.
- 2009. Member of the Internationalization Committee in the College of Communication at University of Texas – Austin.

- 2008. Faculty escort for December 2008 graduates in the School of Journalism at the University of Texas – Austin graduation ceremony.
- 2008. Evaluator for 398T (Supervised Teaching). Supervised a student Microteaching section.
- 2007. Participant of a faculty panel discussion on job searching and interview process for all PhD students at the School of Journalism at University of Texas - Austin.

SUPERVISION

Visiting Fellows

Sponsored (15)

University of Salamanca. Dr. Sonja Utz (Leibniz-Institut für Wissensmedien – 2025); Dr. Emily Vraga (University of Minnesota – 2024); *University of Vienna.* Dr. Manuel Goyanes (Universidad Carlos III – 2019); Dr. Porismita Borah (Washington State University – 2018); Dr. Chris Wells (Boston University – 2018); Dr. Laura Alonso Muñoz (Universidad Jaume I – 2018); Dr. Rafael Carrasco Polaino (Universidad Complutense – 2018); Dr. David Varona (Universidad Loyola – 2017); Dr. Sejn Husejnefendic (Tuzla University – 2017); Dr. Carlos Elias (Universidad Carlos III – 2015); Dr. Seungahn Nah (University of Kentucky – 2015); Dr. Filip Hunek (Charles University Prague – 2015). *University of Texas – Austin.* Dr. Ramón Salaverría (Universidad de Navarra – 2014); Dr. María Gómez y Patiño (Universidad de Zaragoza – 2013), Dr. Fátima Martínez Gutiérrez (Universidad CEU de Madrid – 2012).

Post-Doctoral (7)

University of Salamanca. Dr. Danilo Serani (Pompeu I Fabra University – 2022/2024); Dr. Oscar Londoño (Universidad de la Sabana – 2024); *University of Vienna.* Dr. Nadine Strauß (University of Amsterdam (ASCoR) – 2018/2019); Dr. Brigitte Huber (University of Vienna 2017/); Dr. Matthew Barnidge (University of Wisconsin – 2016/2017); Dr. Brian Weeks (Ohio University – 2014/2015); Dr. Alberto Ardèvol Abreu (Universidad la Laguna – 2013/2014).

Doctoral (47)

Marta Seijas (University of Salamanca, Advisor & Chair); Brooke Hubsch (Penn State University, Committee Member); Arif Memovic (Penn State University, Committee Member); Ke Huang-Isherwood (University of Southern California – Annenberg, External Prelims Committee Member); Timilehin Durotoye (Penn State University, Advisor & Chair); Rebecca Scheffauer (University of Salamanca, Advisor & Chair); Pablo González-González (University of Salamanca, Advisor & Chair); Pu 'Giselle' Zhixin (Penn State University, Committee Member); Sebastian Nareder (University of Vienna, Advisor & Chair); Sergi Xaudiera (Universidad Oberta Catalunya –Committee Member 'Suplente' – Graduated 2024); Alejandro Fernández-Roldán Díaz (Universidad Carlos III – President & Committee Member – Graduated 2024); Zicheng Cheng (Penn State University, Advisor & Chair); Elizaveta Kopacheva (Linnaeus University – President & Committee Member – Graduated 2023); Andrés Scherman Teitelboim (Universidad Pompeu Fabra – President & Committee Member – Graduated 2023); Yang 'Ryan' Wang (Penn State University, Committee Member – Graduated 2022); Fatma Sibel Aglamaz (Pompeu Fabra, Committee Member 'Suplente' – Graduated 2021); Marina Jovanovic (University of Vienna, Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2020); Catherine Hooker

(University of Vienna, Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Martin Meyrath (University of Vienna, Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Michael Bossetta (University of Copenhagen – Committee Member – Graduated 2018); Silvia Marcos García (Universidad Jaume I – Committee Member – Graduated 2018) Trevor Diehl (University of Vienna, Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2018); Çișe Ayhan (University of Vienna, Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2017); Magdalena Saldaña (University of Texas at Austin, Advisor & Co-Chair – Graduated 2017); Manuel Rubén Domínguez Mena (Universidad de Salamanca – President & Committee Member – Graduated 2016); Maribel Garcia (Universidad La Laguna – Committee Member – Graduated 2016); Jeanine Finn (University of Texas at Austin, School of Information; Committee Member – Graduated 2016); Sung Woo Yoo (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2015); Cristian Berrio Zapata (Universidade Estadual Paulista – Committee Member – Graduated 2015); Laura Tejedor (Universidad Complutense de Madrid – Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Tülin Sepetci (Akdeniz University – Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Joon Yea Lee (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Kang Hui Baek (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Monica Chadha (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Nayeon Lee (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Lewis Knight (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Hyun-Jeong Choi (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Sungsoo Bang (University of Texas at Austin, Advisor & Co-Chair – Graduated 2013); Yonghwan Kim (University of Texas at Austin, Advisor & Co-Chair – Graduated 2013); Hsuan-Ting Chen (Committee Member – Graduated 2013); Teresa Correa (University of Texas at Austin, Advisor & Co-Chair – Graduated 2012); Najin Jun (University of Texas at Austin, Communication Studies; Committee Member – Graduated 2011); Sebastián Valenzuela (University of Texas at Austin, Advisor & Co-Chair – Graduated 2011); Nakwon Jung (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2010); Seth Lewis (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2010); Ki Deuk Hyun (University of Texas at Austin, Committee Member – Graduated 2009);

Master (99)

Diego Obregón Guzmán (Advisor & Chair –); Rocío Rosiles Mejía (Advisor & Chair –); Gabriel Zura Zamora (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2022); Pedro Reyes Martínez (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); Lucas Pedro López Cabanillas (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); César Eduardo Carreño Morales (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); Karen Lorena Gómez Jarro (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); César Leónidas Gamboa Balbín (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); Rafael Cacho Campillo (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); Antonio de Jesús Soberanes Riaño (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); Paul Alejandro Mena Zapata (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); Hernán Darío López Rodríguez (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2022); Laureta Daferi (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Aytalina Kulichkina (Advisor & Chair –

Graduated 2020); Fernanda Schonardie (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Yeseul Lim (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Yu-Hsi Chang (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Lisa Rohrmeier (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Alina Sieberer (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Hannah Schilder (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Katarina Stanisavljević (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2020); Anja Stević (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2020); Anastasia Orlova (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Nina Katharina Unger (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2020); Marion Scherer (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2020); Kinga Jakabffy (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Stefan Schallert (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2020); Paul Wolfgang (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2020); Guldana Ametova (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Delal Saado (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Mariana Capkovicova (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Žiga Luknar (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Darya Novatorova (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Stevan Marković (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Karol Walter Nuhn (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Aleksandra Stojanovic (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Maria Barone Mussalem Gentile (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Selina Noetzel (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Claudia Klobasa (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Katharina Marschler-Weber (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Katarzyna Makusz (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Mathias Wagner (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Svetlana Semenova (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Juliana Klimiuk (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Oksana Chekal (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Stephanie Rico Camargo (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Carolina Meyer (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Paula Rem (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Kerstin Ruhri (Advisor & Chair); Anja Rudic (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Alica Vyskocaniova (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Katharina Augustin (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Rebecca Scheffauer (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Lukas Denkmayr (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Redon Shaqiri (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Alexandra Vaduva (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2019); Florian Pirron (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Dhruv Sharma (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2019); Andreas Nanz (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2018); John Silk (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2018; University of Hamburg); Amarachi Chinyeaka Ugbor (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2018); Natia Vardzelashvili (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2018); Irena Postic (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2018); Magdalena Theurl (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2018); Beril Bulat (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2018); Natalie Bachl (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2018); Lisa Radda (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2018); Sebastian Galyga (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2018); Nataliya Titova (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2018); Alexandra Lux (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2017); Andrés Lopez Rosero (Examiner Committee Member –

Graduated 2017); Alina Nikolaou (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2017); Christiane Mayer (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2017); Fabienne Lind (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2017); Anna Kazarina (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2017); Jana Bernhard (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2017); Dorothea Stepan (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2017); Florian Moser (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2017); Eva Maria Bergel (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2017); Kinga Ijabffy (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2017); Nina Atzenhofer (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2016); Miruna Bulik (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2016); Clara Fink (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2016); Ioana Gramschi (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2016); Amra Dedic (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2016); Felix Pirker (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2016); Anita Celia (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2016); Evelina Karakusheva (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2015); Nika Fumic (Examiner Committee Member – Graduated 2015); Trevor Diehl (Committee Member – Graduated 2014); Eva Lorraine Molina (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2014); Forrest Burnson (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2013); Oscar David Gómez García (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2012); Larissa Williams (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2012); Mark Coddington (Committee Member – Graduated 2012); Eva Menezes (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2010); William Gest (Committee Member – Graduated 2010); Alex Avila (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2009); Jin Sook Im (Advisor & Chair – Graduated 2009).

Senior Theses
Undergraduate
Supervised (41)

Omar Abdalla (2018), Daniela Anca (2018), Kevin Baltrusch (2018), Noy Brock (2018), Anna Eliseeva (2018), Veronika Haladova (2018), Matthaus Pardeller (2018), Sarah Petersen (2018), Elisabeth Schaller (2018), Daria Tanasescu (2018), Patricia Varga (2018), Katharina Zaruba (2018), Juliane Baldauf (2017), Aleksandar Detev (2017), Dila Doymus (2017), Laura Estefania Lopez (2017), Cecily Gräfin zu Castell-Rüdenhausen (2017), Louisa Hannibal (2017), Michael Illes (2017), Rüya Ince (2017), Polina Katarskaya (2017), Johanna Paul (2017), Ines Scheumbauer (2017), Sabrina Skrinjer (2017), Rafael Stanuch (2017), Silviya Stoyanova (2017), Mi-Re Suk (2017), Dayana Trifonova (2017), Luis Viehböck (2017), Jana Bernhard (2015), Mia Djacic (2015), Carlotta Kurth (2015), Lisa Marchl (2015), Alina Nikolaou (2015), Nina Pronhagl (2015), Liz Wong (2008), Danielle Wilson (2009). Andrea Kurth (2011), Kelly McKnight (2011), Carson Lane (2011), Brianna Thomas (2012).

CLASSES TAUGHT

Pennsylvania State University

- C597. Social Media & Democracy (graduate students)
- C518. Media Effects (graduate students)
- C413. The Mass Media & the Public

University of Salamanca

- Quantitative Research Strategies in Political Science (graduate students)
- Methodology Seminar (graduate students)

University of Vienna

- Media Innovation: Algorithms and Artificial Intelligence in Communication Science
- Quantitative Research Project A (graduate students)
- Quantitative Research Project B (graduate students)
- Media Politics & Social Media (graduate students)
- Internet & Democracy (graduate students)
- Introduction to Data Analysis (graduate students)
- Applied Data Analysis (graduate students)
- Quantitative Research in Communication Science (graduate students)
- Quantitative Research Methods (graduate students)
- Quantitative Research in Action: Journalism & Social Media (graduate students)
- Social Media Seminar (graduate students)
- Scientific & Professional Career Development (graduate students)
- Bachelor Thesis
- Communication Theory
- Master Thesis MASE
- Democracy & ICT's
- Digital Journalism Practice
- Digital Journalism & Society

University of Texas at Austin

- J302F. Digital Storytelling
- J321. Fundamentals of Multimedia Journalism
- J331. Web Publishing
- J351. Journalism, Society & Citizen Journalism
- J363. Theories of Mass Communication
- J381. Experimental Design in Mass Communication (graduate students)
- J395. Internet & Democracy (graduate students)
- J395. Web Publishing: Theory & Practice (graduate students)
- J395. Social Media (graduate students)
- J395. Fundamentals of Multimedia Journalism: Theory & Practice (graduate students)
- J395. Quantitative Methods for Social Sciences & Communication Research (graduate students)
- J395. Communication Research Practicum (graduate students)

MEDIA APPEARANCES

2024. "Industry Watcher's Digest" at AI in Healthcare, March 5th, 2024.
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2024. "Is artificial intelligence defined the same way across disciplines?" at phys.org, March 4th 2024.
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2024. "Penn State Unveils Unified AI Definition for Social Sciences, Fostering Interdisciplinary Collaboration" at bnn.com, March 1st 2024
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2024. "'News finds me' mindset may lead readers away from political, science news" at Phys.org, January 18th, 2024
<https://phys.org/news/2024-01-news-mindset-readers-political-science.html>
2023. "Are conservatives happier than liberals? New comprehensive research offers fresh insights" at Psypost.org, October 27th, 2023.

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<https://www.cleveland.com/opinion/2023/01/young-people-chained-to-social-media-news-need-revitalized-civic-education-richard-m-perloff.html/>
2022. "Lupa a las 'fake news' de la conspiración" at El Mundo, July 1st, 2022.
<https://diariodecastillayleon.elmundo.es/articulo/innovadores/lupa-fake-news-conspiracion/20220701102632051236.html/>
2022. "Las Conspiraciones y 'Fake News' Calan Más Entre la Gente Obtusa" at La Crónica de Salamanca, April 18th 2022.
<https://lacronicadesalamanca.com/354597-las-conspiraciones-y-fake-news-calan-mas-entre-la-gente-obtusa/s>
2022. "El Grupo de Investigación Democracy Research Unit Relaciona 'Fakes News' y Alto Poder Mundial en EEUU" at La Crónica de Salamanca, April 18th 2022.
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2022. "Investigadores Salmantinos Estudian la Teoría de la Conspiración" en EEUU at La Crónica de Salamanca, April 18th 2022.
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2021. "Nachrichten aus erster Hand, bitte!" at Der Tagesspiegel
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2019. "Focus here, not there: These are the gaps in political misinformation research" at NiemanLab.com at Harvard
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2019. "La recherche sur la désinformation doit voir plus grand" at Pieuvre – Canada News
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