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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

European Commission <i>Funding Expert Evaluator</i>	2025-present
Aberystwyth University, Wales <i>Study Abroad Program</i>	Sept-Dec 2025
The Citadel, The Military College of South Carolina, USA <i>Assistant Professor of Political Science</i>	Aug 2023-present
University of South Carolina-Aiken, USA <i>Assistant Professor of Political Science</i>	Aug 2020-May 2023
The Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project <i>Venezuela Senior Researcher</i> <i>Consultant/Researcher: Latin America Team</i>	May 2021-Apr 2023 Oct 2018-Aug 2020
Universidad Metropolitana, Venezuela <i>Assistant Professor of Political Science</i>	Mar 2010-Mar 2013
Universidad Central de Venezuela, Venezuela <i>Visiting Professor</i>	Oct 2010-Oct 2011
Universidad Simón Bolívar, Venezuela <i>Assistant Professor of Political Science</i>	Jan 2010-Dec 2010

EDUCATION

PhD., in Political Science , University of Missouri <i>Fulbright Scholar</i>	May 2019
M.A., Political Science , Universidad Simón Bolívar <i>Graduated with honors</i>	Nov 2009
B.A., International Studies , Universidad Central de Venezuela	June 2006

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed articles

1. Latin America's Geopolitical Calculus: Weighing Russia's Engagement in a Changing Global Order. *Demokratizatsiya. The Journal of Post-Soviet Democratization*, 34(1): 123-149.
2. The Regime's Inner Circle: Experts, Loyalty, and Foreign Policy Under Authoritarian Rule in Venezuela. *Global Studies Quarterly*, 6(2): ksag069.
3. Domestic and International Factors of The Contemporary Russo-Venezuelan Bilateral Relationship. 2023. *Latin American Policy*, 14(3):366-387 (with Makram Haluani).
4. The Path Toward Authoritarianism in Venezuela. 2021. In *Oxford Bibliographies in Political Science*. Ed. Sandy Maisel. New York: *Oxford University Press*.
5. Venezuela 2019: A Tale of Two Presidents. 2020. *Revista de Ciencia Política*, 40 (2):539-565.
6. Convergencias y Divergencias en la asociación estratégica ruso-venezolana y sus implicaciones hemisféricas [Convergences and Divergences in the Russian-Venezuelan Strategic Partnership and Their Hemispheric Implications]. 2013. *Revista Cuaderno del CENDES*, 30: 67-107. Caracas, Venezuela: Universidad Central de Venezuela (with Makram Haluani).
7. Moscú Mira Hacia América Latina: Estado De Situación De La Alianza Ruso-Venezolana. 2011. *Nueva Sociedad*, 236: 16-26. (with Makram Haluani).
8. ¿Liberalización Política o Democratización Política en el Mundo Árabe? Argumentos de Incompatibilidad entre la Democracia y el Islam [Political Liberalization or Political Democratization in the Arab World? Arguments about the Incompatibility Between Democracy and Islam]. 2010. *Revista Cuadernos del CENDES*, 73: 81-105. Caracas, Venezuela: Universidad Central de Venezuela.
9. Representación del intelectual en tiempos de totalitarismo: Ensayo sobre el límite de la obediencia de intelectuales rusos durante la era estalinista (1923-1953) [Representation of the Intellectual in times of Totalitarianism: Obedience of Russian Intellectuals During the Stalinist Era (1923-1953)]. 2010. *Revista Argos*, 27: 33-61. Caracas, Venezuela: Universidad Simón Bolívar.
10. Reformas en el Sistema Electoral Egipcio bajo el gobierno de Hosni Mubarak. ¿Consagración de un sistema electoral democrático o Dinastía Sucesoral? [Reforms in the Egyptian Electoral System under the Government of Hosni Mubarak. Consecration of a Democratic Electoral System or Successoral Dynasty?]. 2009. *Revista Facultad de Derecho*, 64: 173-206. Caracas, Venezuela: Universidad Católica Andrés Bello.
11. La Violencia Política en la Rusia de Putin. ¿Qué ocurrió con los opositores políticos de Vladimir Putin? [Political Violence in Putin's Russia. What Happened to the Political Opponents of Vladimir Putin?]. 2009. *Revista Análisis Político*. 67: 131-155. Colombia: Instituto de Estudios Políticos y Relaciones Internacionales.
12. Sobre la Representación Política y Parlamentarismo Social de Calle en Venezuela [Political Representation and Social Street Parliamentarism in Venezuela]. 2009. *Revista Politeia*, 32: 1-30. Caracas, Venezuela: Instituto de Estudios Políticos-Universidad Central de Venezuela.

Book Chapters

1. "Venezuela." 2025. In Brian Fong (Edit.) *The Palgrave Geopolitical Atlas: State and Quasi-States in Great Power Competition*. Palgrave Macmillan Singapore. Pp. 779-794.
2. "The Nexus of Power: Autocratic International Cooperation and The Consolidation of Authoritarianism in Venezuela." 2025. In John Polga-Hecimovich and Raul Sanchez-Urribarri (Edts) *Authoritarian Consolidation in Times of Crisis Venezuela under Nicolás Maduro*. Routledge. Pp. 179-197.
3. "Estados Unidos y Venezuela: Una relación de desaciertos." [The United States and Venezuela: A relationship of blunders]. 2024. In Isabella Sanfuentes and Sebastian Horesok (Edits) *Zigzagueando hacia la democracia*. Caracas, Venezuela: Editorial Dahbar. Pp. 132-139.
4. "Buenos Amigos: Putins Freunde in Lateinamerika." [Buenos Amigos: Putin's Friends in Latin America]. 2023. In Günther Maihold und Hartmut Sangmeister (Hrsg.) *Zwischen Moskau, Peking und Washington*:

Latinamerika in der Großmacht Konkurrenz. Nomos Verlagsgesellschaft mbH & Co. Pages: 79-88 (with Armando Chaguaceda).

5. “Relaciones entre Venezuela y el Medio Oriente a partir de 1999.” [Relations between Venezuela and the Middle East since 1999]. 2021. In Paola Bautista (Edt.) *Venezuela invertebrada*. Caracas, Venezuela: Editorial Dahbar. Pp: 75-85.
6. “Los aliados (y principales) acreedores extraterritoriales de Venezuela: Rusia y China” [The Allies (and main) Extraterritorial Creditors of Venezuela: Russia and China]. In Edmundo González Urrutia (Edt.) *Democracia, paz y desarrollo. Temas de Política Internacional*. 2013. Caracas, Venezuela: La Hoja del Norte. Pp: 193-206 (with Tomas Hernández).

Policy writing/ White papers

1. Colombia. Peace Talks, Worsening Violence, and a Deeply Fragmented Conflict Landscape. 2023. *Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project*. <https://acleddata.com/conflict-watchlist-2023/colombia/>.
2. What’s Nicolas Maduro’s foreign policy? 2022. *Global Americans*.
3. Venezuela in Disorder in Latin America: 10 Crises in 2019. 2020. Edited by Roudabeh Kishi, Franziska Pfadt, Bhavani Castro, and Sam Jones. *Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project*. <https://acleddata.com/2020/03/12/disorder-in-latin-america-10-crises-in-2019/>
4. White Papers (Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada):
Treatment of Former Government Employees, The Democratic Action Party, Access to Health Care in Venezuela, Haitian Citizens in Venezuela, Armed Groups in Venezuela, Venezuela-Political Situation.

Non-peer reviewed publications

1. El año electoral de América Latina: democracia e implicaciones para Venezuela [Latin America’s Election Year: Democracy and Implications for Venezuela]. 2026. *Democratización*. Edited by Instituto de Estudios Políticos, Económicos y Sociales FORMA. <https://red-forma.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/Adriana-Boersner.pdf>
2. El legado del 3 de enero: repercusiones para las Américas [The Legacy of January 3rd: Repercussions for the Americas]. 2026. *Democratización*. Edited by Instituto de Estudios Políticos, Económicos y Sociales FORMA. <https://red-forma.com/articulo/el-legado-del-3-de-enero-repercusiones-para-las-americas-adriana-boersner-herrera/>
3. What The Capture of Nicolas Maduro Means for Russia’s Influence in Latin America. 2026. *London School of Economics European Politics Blog*. <https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/europpblog/2026/01/08/russia-influence-latin-america-venezuela-maduro-capture/>
4. Will Maduro’s Autocratic Allies Desert Him? 2025. *Journal of Democracy*. <https://www.journalofdemocracy.org/online-exclusive/will-maduros-autocratic-allies-desert-him/>
5. Latinoamérica y El Caribe: Perspectivas de su relación con China, Rusia, Estados Unidos y la Unión Europea. [Latin America and the Caribbean: Perspectives on its relationships with China, Russia, the United States and the European Union]. 2024. *Democratización*. Edited by Instituto de Estudios Políticos, Económicos y Sociales FORMA. <https://red-forma.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/Adriana-Boersner-E.-30.pdf>
6. Russia in Latin America: The Illiberal Confluence. 2022. *London School of Economics Latin America and Caribbean blog* (with Armando Chaguaceda). <https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/latamcaribbean/2022/07/28/russia-in-latin-america-the-illiberal-confluence/>
7. Dictaduras Afines: Las Alianzas Internacionales del Gobierno de Venezuela [Allied Dictatorships: The International Alliances of the Venezuelan Government]. 2022. *Democratización*. Edited by Instituto de Estudios Políticos, Económicos y Sociales FORMA. <https://red-forma.com/articulo/dictaduras-afines-las-alianzas-internacionales-del-gobierno-de-venezuela-adriana-boersner-herrera/>
8. Rusia en Latinoamérica: La Confluencia Iliberal [Russia in Latin America: The Illiberal Convergence]. 2022. *Foreign Affairs Latinoamérica*, 22 (3):11-17 (with Armando Chaguaceda). <https://revistafal.com/fal-22-3/>

9. Rusia en América Latina: ¿Qué Tipo de Alianzas se Forjaron Durante La Marea Rosa y Cuáles Continúan? [Russia in Latin America: What type of alliances were formed during the pink tide and which ones continue?]. 2022. *DemoAmLat*. <https://demoamlat.com/dossier-rusia-en-america-latina-que-tipo-de-alianzas-se-forjaron-durante-la-marea-rosa-y-cuales-continuan/>
10. Relaciones entre Venezuela y el Medio Oriente desde 1999 [Relations between Venezuela and the Middle East since 1999]. 2021. *Democratización*. Edited by Instituto de Estudios Políticos, Económicos y Sociales FORMA. <https://red-forma.com/articulo/relaciones-entre-venezuela-y-el-medio-orienta-a-partir-de-1999-adriana-boersner-herrera/>
11. The Menu of Strategies Used by Maduro to Mitigate The Effects of Sanctions. 2020. *Foro Cubano*, 3 (23). <https://www.programacuba.com/the-menu-of-strategies-used-by-madu>
12. ¿Puede La Personalidad de Peña Nieto, Trudeau y Trump Afectar Las Negociaciones del NAFTA? [Can the personality of Peña Nieto, Trudeau and Trump affect the NAFTA negotiations?]. 2018. *Revista Puentes*. Edited by the International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development. Geneva, Switzerland, 19 (1):
13. The Role of Latin American Presidents in Foreign Policy Decision-Making. 2017. *International History Politics Newsletter*, American Political Science Association, 3(4): 8-10.
14. As Consequências Do Governo Chávez Para o Comércio Exterior Venezuelano [The Consequences of Hugo Chávez's Government for Venezuelan Foreign Trade]. 2014. *Revista Pontes*. Edited by the International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development. Geneva, Switzerland, 10(5): 16-19.
15. 13 Años De Diplomacia a Espalda De Los Venezolanos [Thirteen Years of Diplomacy at the Back of Venezuelans]. 2013. *Venepolicy, Diploos Política Exterior Venezolana*. Caracas, Venezuela: 13-21.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor

The Citadel [tenure-track] (Aug 2023-present)

- Global Democracy (Graduate level-online)
- Seminar in Social Science (Graduate level-online)
- Cultural Leadership: Leading with Cultural Intelligence (Undergraduate, Study Abroad Program in Wales)
- Political Psychology in International Relations (Undergraduate level-in-person)
- Democracy & Dictatorships (Undergraduate level-in-person)
- Latin American Affairs (Undergraduate level-in-person & Graduate level-online)
- Introduction to International Politics (Undergraduate level-in-person and online)
- Comparative Politics (Undergraduate level-in-person and online)
- Leadership in Politics (Undergraduate level-in person)

University of South Carolina Aiken [tenure-track] (Aug 2020- May 2023)

- The State of Democracy (in-person for the Center for Lifelong Learning)
- Digital Surveillance and Authoritarianism (online)
- Russian and Post-Soviet Foreign Policy (in-person)
- Scope & Methods in Political Science (in-person)
- Political Psychology and International Relations (in-person and online)
- Democracy & Dictatorships (in-person and online)
- Comparative Politics (in-person)
- Introduction to Comparative Politics (in-person and online)
- Introduction to International Relations (Non-Western) (in-person and online)
- Introduction to Politics (in-person and online)

Universidad Metropolitana [non-tenure-track] (2010-13)

- Teoría de las Relaciones Internacionales [Theory of International Relations]
- Métodos y Técnicas de Investigación [Methods and Research Techniques]
- Derechos Humanos [Human Rights]
- Geopolítica del Medio Oriente y Norte de África [Geopolitics of Middle East and Africa]

Universidad Simón Bolívar [tenure-track] (2010)

- Economía y Sociedad [Economy and Society]
- El Cuerpo Político y su Presencia en el Mundo [The Political Body and Its Presence in the World]

Visiting Professor

Universidad Central de Venezuela (2010-12)-[non-tenure-track]

- Relaciones Económicas Internacionales [Economic International Relations]
- Política Internacional [International Politics]
- Geopolítica del Medio Oriente y Norte de África [Geopolitics in Middle East and Africa]

Instructor of Record

University of Missouri (2016-17)

- Comparative Political Psychology (in-person)
- Introduction to International Relations (in-person)

Graduate Teaching Assistant

- Culture and Health Literacy (online), *University of Missouri*
- Latin American Politics (in-person), *University of Missouri*
- Introduction to International Relations (in-person), *University of Missouri*
- General Psychology (in-person), *University of Missouri*
- General Psychology (*Honors*) (in-person), *University of Missouri*
- Cognitive Psychology (in-person), *University of Missouri*
- Cultura y Sociedad [Culture and Society]. (in-person), *Universidad Simón Bolívar*
- Economía y Sociedad [Economy and Society] (in-person), *Universidad Simón Bolívar*
- El Cuerpo Político y su Presencia en el Mundo [The Political Body and Its Presence in the World] (in-person), *Universidad Simón Bolívar*

Research Assistant

- **Project:** Dealing with Demand for China Global Surveillance Exports, University of Missouri, Dr. Sheena Chestnut Greitens (2019)
- **Project:** Protests in Peru, Department of Political Science, University of Missouri, Dr. Moises Arce (2016-17)
- **Project:** Community Development, Cambio Center, University of Missouri, Coordinator: Lindsey Saunders (Summer 2017)
- **Project:** Venezuelan Foreign Policy, Instituto de Altos Estudios para América Latina, Universidad Simón Bolívar, Dr. Makram Haluani (Fall 2008)

CONFERENCES & SELECTIVE TALKS

Selected Conference Participation & Workshops

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| • Workshop: Personality in Foreign Policy
<i>BISA-ISA, Newcastle, UK</i> | 2025 |
| • Behind the scenes in Venezuela's foreign policy: Do experts matter?
<i>International Studies Association, Chicago</i> | 2025 |
| • Workshop: Societal Actors and Authoritarian States' Foreign Policy
<i>Columbia University, New York. Founded by the German-American Academic Relations</i> | 2024 |
| • The personality traits of personalist dictators
<i>International Studies Association, San Francisco</i> | 2024 |
| • Leadership Trait Analysis of Female Leaders in Latin America
<i>International Studies Association, Montreal</i> | 2023 |
| • Do all men and women presidents share same leadership style in foreign policy
<i>South Carolina Political Science Association, Rock Hill</i> | 2022 |

- Estudiar a Venezuela desde dentro y fuera de Venezuela 2022
Latin American Studies Association, virtual
- Elite Purges in Venezuela. LASA 2021
Latin American Studies Association, virtual
- Approaches and Challenges in Studying Presidents in Latin America. ISA 2019
International Studies Association, Toronto
- Respuesta Internacional a La Consolidación del Autoritarismo en Venezuela 2019
Latin American Studies Association, Boston
- Dictators and The Choice of Military Intervention 2018
International Studies Association, St Louis
- Motives Behind Vladimir Putin's Intervention in Syria 2017
International Studies Association, Baltimore
- An Assessment of Gender Differences in Foreign Policy Decision Making 2016
International Society of Political Psychology, Edinburgh
- Leaders, Belief Change, and Leadership Style in Foreign Policy Decision Making 2016
International Studies Association, St Louis
- Leaders' Motivations Behind the Intervention in Syrian Civil War 2016
American Political Science Association, Philadelphia
- Venezuelan Foreign Policy Towards Europe and Russia 2016
Latin American Studies Association, New York
- Type of Leadership Style in Foreign Policy: The OpCode Analysis of Hugo Chávez 2015
International Studies Association, Atlanta
- Type of Leadership in Latin America. The Case of Hugo Chávez 2015
International Studies Association, St Louis

Selected Invited Talks/Guest Lectures

- The Uncertain Future of Venezuela, *Koç University* (virtual) 2026
- Delcy Rodríguez, Estados Unidos y el Mundo, *Charlemos Series, University of Pittsburgh* (virtual) 2026
- Priorities Behind Russia's Presence in Latin America, *George Mason University* (virtual) 2024
- Global Power Dynamics and Authoritarian Populism in Venezuela, *European Center for Populism Studies* (virtual) 2024
- Motives and Priorities Behind Russia's Presence in Latin America, *George Mason University* (virtual) 2023
- Russian Foreign Policy Toward Latin America, *Colegio de Veracruz* (virtual) 2023
- Liberalism in International Relations, *Colegio de Veracruz* (virtual) 2023
- Electoral Authoritarianism in Venezuela, *Michigan State University* (virtual) 2023
- Rusia en Latinoamérica: La Confluencia Iliberal, *Universidad Torcuato Di Tella* (virtual) 2022
- La Influencia de Rusia en América Latina, *DemoAmLat* (virtual) 2022
- La Guerra en Ucrania, *Proyecto Base* (virtual) 2022
- Nationalism and the War in Ukraine, *Universidad del Norte* (virtual) 2022
- What's Happening in Venezuela, *International Relations Council*, (virtual) 2022
- Latin American Female Presidents and Their Foreign Policy, *Liberal Arts Alley, Aiken* 2022
- Third World War? The Crisis Between Ukraine and Russia, *Red Forma, Caracas* (virtual) 2022
- Hispanic Heritage Month, *Aiken Scholars Academy* 2021
- Inclusive Language: The Difference between Latinx, Latinos, and Hispanic, *USC Aiken* 2021
- ¿Elecciones sin Democracia? Experiencias comparadas, *Fundación Juan Germán Roscio* (virtual) 2021
- Venezuela en el Tablero Internacional, *Red Forma, Caracas* (virtual) 2021
- The Use of Content Analysis, *Institute of Business Administration, Karachi, Pakistan* (virtual) 2021
- The Use of Content Analysis, *Institute of Business Administration, Karachi, Pakistan* (virtual) 2019
- Venezuelan Foreign Policy and International Relations, *IESA, Caracas* 2013
- Situation and Prospects of Venezuelan Foreign Policy, *Red Forma, Caracas* 2012
- Governance in Venezuela, *Instituto de Altos Estudios de América Latina, Caracas* 2012
- Venezuelan Foreign Policy Perspectives 2012 - 2013, *Club Hebraica, Caracas* 2012
- War and Revolution in The Maghreb and The Middle East, *Universidad Simón Bolívar, Caracas* 2011
- Brazil: The New World Player, *CEDICE, Caracas* 2011

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS & TRAVEL GRANTS

• SHSS Research Grant, The Citadel	2024-2026
• Honors, Awards and Scholarship Travel Award, University of South Carolina Aiken	2023
• International Studies Association, Travel Grant	2023
• RISE: Research Initiative for Summer Engagement, University of South Carolina	2022
• International Studies Association, Travel Grant	2019
• Missouri Excellence in Political Science Teaching Award, University of Missouri	2018
• Edith Taylor Therrien Award, Department of Political Science, University of Missouri <i>This award is given to a highly accomplished women graduate student.</i>	2017
• John Bies International Award. Office of Graduate Studies, University of Missouri	2017
• ISA- Midwest, Margaret Hermann Award <i>This award is given for the best use of text analysis in leadership studies.</i>	2016
• Graduate Fellowship, Department of Political Science, University of Missouri	2016-2018
• Graduate Fellowship, Department of Psychology, University of Missouri	2015-2016
• Graduate Professional Council, University of Missouri, Travel Grant	2015-2016
• Department of Political Science, University of Missouri, Travel Grant	2015-2018
• Fulbright Foreign Student Scholarship	2013-2015
• Fundación Carolina Award, Young Ibero-American Leaders Program	2011
• German Academic Exchange Service Scholarship, Alumni Summer School	2009
• Outstanding Master Thesis in Political Science, Universidad Simón Bolívar	2009
• German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), Scholarship, University of Kassel	2008

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Selected Training

• Foreign Policy Impact Summer Institute, <i>Colorado State University</i>	2026
• College and University Educators Workshop, <i>Council on Foreign Relations (CFR)</i>	2026
• Teaching Critical Thinking, <i>The Citadel</i>	2024
• Quality Matters-Appling the QM Rubric, <i>The Citadel</i>	2023
• Advanced Online Teaching Certificate, <i>The Citadel</i>	2023
• Adapting Classes and Assignments for the AI Era, <i>The Citadel</i>	2023
• How to Assess Using VALUE Rubric, <i>The Citadel</i>	2023
• Quality Course Development Certification, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2023
• BSRA/SRNL Research Security Workshop, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2022
• Remote Teaching Certification, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2022
• Intro to Text Analysis. What is it? Is it for you?, <i>University of South Carolina</i>	2022
• Course Design for Equity and Inclusion, <i>University of South Carolina</i>	2021
• Communicating Effectively, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2021
• Support Zone Training, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2021
• Title IX, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2021
• Introduction to Open Educational Resources and South Carolina Affordable Learning	2021
• Supporting Students with Specific Learning Disabilities, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2021
• Non-Native Writing Across the Curriculum, <i>University of South Carolina</i>	2021
• Safe Zone Ally Program, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2020
• Design: Planning an Online Course, <i>University of South Carolina Aiken</i>	2020
• Innovative Pedagogy Conference, <i>International Studies Association-Midwest</i>	2018
• Summer Academy, <i>International Society of Political Psychology</i>	2015
• Intensive English Program, <i>Middlebury Institute of International Studies</i>	2013

SERVICE

• Chair. Margaret Hermann Award, Foreign Policy Analysis Section, <i>International Studies Association</i>	2026-2027
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• Chair. Online Education Committee, <i>The Citadel</i>	2026
• Officer-at-Large. Foreign Policy Analysis Section, <i>International Studies Association</i>	2025-2027
• Advisor. Department of Political Science, <i>The Citadel</i>	2024-present
• Member. Task Force, Krause Leadership School, <i>The Citadel</i>	Nov 2025-2026
• Chair. Leaders in Context (II). Novel Applications of Leadership Profiling. <i>Annual Convention International Studies Association, Chicago</i>	Mar 2025
• Academic Facilitator. Citadel Leadership Day, <i>County Emergency Operations, The Citadel</i>	Oct 2024
• Academic Facilitator. Inside The Gates Day, <i>Department of Political Science, The Citadel</i>	Mar 2024
• Member. SHSS Research Grant Committee, <i>SHSS, The Citadel</i>	Aug 2024-present
• Secretary. Online Education Committee, <i>The Citadel</i>	2023-2024
• Member. Department Head Search Committee, <i>Department of Political Science, The Citadel</i>	2023
• Member. Best Article Award Committee, <i>Section on Venezuelan Studies, LASA</i>	Oct 2023
• External Reviewer. Institutional Scientific Initiation Scholarship Program, Sao Paulo, Brazil <i>FGV/Sao Paulo School of Business Administration</i>	2023
• Chair & Department External Reviewer. Political Science Department, Americus, Georgia	2023
• Discussant. Leaders in Context: Temporality, Roles, and Ideology in Foreign Policy <i>Annual Convention International Studies Association, Montreal</i>	2023
• Discussant. Different Cultures, Same Institutional Boundaries? Foreign policy in Democratic and Autocratic Regimes <i>Annual Convention International Studies Association,</i> Montreal	2023
• Member. Gregg-Graniteville Scholarship Committee, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2023
• Member. Strategic Planning on the Cybersecurity Program, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2023
• Member. RISE Review Committee Funding Program, <i>University of South Carolina</i>	2023
• Chair. Campus Life Committee, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2022-2023
• Discussant. Así Nos habla el Kremlin. Los Medios Rusos en América Latina <i>Diálogo Político-Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, (virtual)</i>	2022
• Discussant & Panel Co-organizer. Consolidation of Authoritarianism in Venezuela <i>Annual Meeting Latin American Studies Association, (virtual)</i>	2022
• Member. Department's Subcommittee: Annual Evaluation, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2022
• Member. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Strategic Planning Committee, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2022
• Member. RISE Regional Review Committee, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2022
• Advisor. 6 students, Department of Political Science, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2021-2023
• Member. Campus Life Committee, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2021-2023
• Member. Scholarly Activity Award, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2021
• Faculty Advisory Board. Pi Sigma Alpha Undergraduate Journal of Politics	2020-2026
• Internship Coordinator. Human Rights Measurement Initiative, <i>USC Aiken</i>	2020-2022
• Panel Chair. Foreign Policy Decision Making. <i>Annual Meeting of the International Society of</i> <i>Political Psychology, Edinburgh</i>	2017
• Officer-at-Large. Foreign Policy Analysis Section. <i>International Studies Association</i>	2016-2018
• Moderator and Organizer. Forum-U.S Presidential Elections in 2012 <i>Universidad Metropolitana, Sponsored by the U.S Embassy in Caracas</i>	2012
• Coordinator. Summer Courses. Faculty of Law and Political Studies <i>Universidad Metropolitana, Caracas</i>	2011
• Advisor, 7 students and member of 12 BA committees, Liberal Arts School <i>Universidad Metropolitana, Caracas</i>	2011-2013
• Co-founder & Co-director. NGO Diploos Politica Exterior Venezolana	2010-2013

Reviewer

Bulletin of Latin American Research; Caravel (Undergraduate journal); Caribbean Studies Association Journal; Cuadernos del Cendes; Colombia Internacional; Demokratizatsiya; Foreign Policy Analysis; Foro Internacional; Forum for Development Studies; International Affairs; International Interactions; Latin American Policy; Libros FCPyS-UNAM; Pi Sigma Alpha Undergraduate Journal of Politics; Perseitas; Political Psychology; Revista Andina de Estudios Políticos; Revista Brasileira de Política Internacional; Revista Colombia Internacional; Revista de Ciencia Política; Revista Foro Internacional; Security Studies; and Quality & Quantity International Journal of Methodology.

Media commentary and interviews

ABC (Spain), BBC Radio, Ceteris Paribus (podcast, U.of Pennsylvania), Deutsche Welle, Diario de Cuba, El Comercio (Peru), El Nacional, El Pitazo, Expresso (Portugal), La Gran Aldea, Tal Cual, The Information Advantage (podcast, The Citadel), Univision, and Voice of America

Professional membership

International Studies Association, Fulbright Association.

LANGUAGES

Spanish: Native; **English:** Fluent; **French:** Basic