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EDUCATION

Doctoral Degree: International Studies (Ph.D.) **May 2014**

University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida, United States

Dissertation Title: *Weak States and Major Powers in the 21st Century*

Skills developed: Theory building, Case and Historical Analysis,
Theoretical Analysis, Statistical and Regression Analysis

Master Degree: Political Science (Master of Arts) **July 2009**

McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario Canada

Relevant Coursework: International Relations Theory,
Security Studies, Global Governance, Political Philosophy

Qualifying Exams: International Relations theory, Global
Governance, Political Philosophy

Bachelor Degree (Honors Political Science and History) **April 2008**

York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Relevant Coursework: Middle Eastern and European History,
International Relations Theory and Security Studies

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Kassab, Hanna Samir and Rosen, Jonathan, *Corruption, Institutions, and Fragile State*, Palgrave MacMillan, New York, 2019

Rosen, Jonathan Daniel and Kassab, Hanna Samir, *Drugs, Gangs and Violence*, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, November 2018

Kassab, Hanna Samir and Rosen, Jonathan *Illicit Markets: Trends in the Twenty-first Century*, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, 2018

Kassab, Hanna Samir, *Grand Strategies of Weak States and Great Powers*, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, 2018

Kassab, Hanna Samir, *Prioritization Theory and Defensive Foreign Policy: Systemic Vulnerabilities in International Politics*, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, 2017

Rosen Jonathan, D. and Kassab, Hanna Samir, *U.S.-Cuba Relations: Charting a New Path*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2016.

Kassab, Hanna Samir, *The Power of Emotions in Politics, Philosophy and Ideology*, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, 2016

Kassab, Hanna Samir, *Weak States and International Relations Theory: The cases of Armenia, St. Kitts and Nevis, Lebanon and Cambodia*, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, 2015

Scholarly Articles

Kassab, Hanna Samir and Wenyuan Wu, “Sticky Paradigms in Social Science: The role of Emotion and Ego in the Case of Economics,” *Perspectivas Internacionales*, 9(2) (2014): 154-180.

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Political Self-Sacrifice: Agency Body and Emotion in international relations” by Fierke, Karin, reviewed in *International Journal*, 68(3) (2013): 520-522.

Kassab, Hanna, Samir, “The Power of Emotion: Examining the Self-Immolation of Mohamad Bouazizi, the Arab Revolution and International Politics,” *Perspectivas Internacionales*. 8(1) (2013): 9-39.

Kassab, Hanna Samir. “The Hermeneutical Dialogue of Death: How Political Suicide as a Pragmatic Act Shapes Biopower,” *Miami International Studies Journal*, 1. (2011): 41-56.

Edited Volumes

Bagley, Bruce, Kassab, Hanna Samir and Moulioukova, Dina (eds), *After the Fall: Energy Security, Sustainable Development and the Environment*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2018

Kassab, Hanna Samir and Rosen, Jonathan D. (eds), *Violence in the Americas*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2018

Rosen, Jonathan D. and Kassab, S. Hanna (eds), *Fragile States in the Americas*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2016

Kassab, Hanna S. and Rosen, Jonathan D. (eds), *The Obama Doctrine in the Americas*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2016

Bagley, Bruce, Kassab, Hanna Samir and Moulioukova (eds), *The Impact of Emerging Economies on Global Energy and the Environment: Challenges Ahead*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2015

Bagley, Bruce M., Rosen, Jonathan D. and Kassab, Hanna S. (eds), *Reconceptualizing Security in the Western Hemisphere in the 21st Century*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2015

Book Chapters

Bagley, Bruce, Kassab, Hanna Samir and Moulioukova, Dina “Introduction” in *After the Fall: Energy Security, Sustainable Development and the Environment*, Bruce Bagley, Hanna Samir Kassab and Dina Moulioukova (eds), Lexington Books, Maryland, 2018

Kassab, Hanna Samir “The BRICS Bank and Systemic Transformation in Energy,” in *After the Fall: Energy Security, Sustainable Development and the Environment*, Bruce Bagley, Hanna Samir Kassab and Dina Moulioukova (eds), Lexington Books, 2016

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Latin America and Lebanon: A Comparative Study,” in *Fragile States in the Americas*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2016

Rosen, Jonathan D. and Kassab, S. Hanna, “Introduction,” in *Fragile States in the Americas*, Jonathan Rosen and Hanna Samir Kassab (eds) Lexington Books, Maryland, 2016

Kassab, Hanna S. and Rosen, Jonathan D., “Regional Differences in Obama’s Foreign Policy: A Theoretical Approach,” in *The Obama Doctrine in the Americas*, Hanna Samir Kassab and Jonathan Rosen (eds), Lexington Books, Maryland, 2015

Kassab, Hanna S. and Rosen, Jonathan, “Introduction,” in *The Obama Doctrine in the Americas*, Hanna Samir Kassab and Jonathan Rosen (eds), Lexington Books, Maryland, 2015

Wu, Wenyuan and Hanna Samir Kassab, “Boiling in Battlefield or Reaching for Sunrise? Perspectives and Trends in Contemporary Sino-Central American Relationship,” in *China-Latin America: Relationships in Transition*, The Commission for Latin America, United Nations, 2016

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Energy and Systemic Change: The Rising Power of Coal,” in *The Impact of Emerging Economies on Global Energy and the Environment: Challenges Ahead*, Bruce Bagley, Hanna Samir Kassab and Dina Moulioukova (eds), Lexington Books, Maryland, 2015

Bagley, Bruce & Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Introduction” and “Conclusion,” in *The Impact of Emerging Economies on Global Energy and the Environment: Challenges*

Ahead, Bruce Bagley, Hanna Samir Kassab and Dina Moulioukova (eds), Lexington Books, New York, 2015

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “The Legalization Debate: Mapping Change and Trends in the United States,” in *A Time for Change: New Approaches to Drug Policies*, Palgrave, New York, 2015.

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Reconceptualizing Security Priorities of the Hemisphere,” in *Reconceptualizing Security in the Western Hemisphere in the 21st Century*, Bruce Bagley, Jonathan Rosen and Hanna Samir Kassab (eds), Lexington Books, New York, 2015

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “The Hemisphere and Declining US Hegemony,” in *Reconceptualizing Security in the Western Hemisphere in the 21st Century*, Bruce Bagley, Hanna Samir Kassab and Dina Moulioukova (eds), Lexington Books, Maryland, 2015

Bagley, Bruce, Rosen, Jonathan D. and Hanna Kassab, “Introduction” and “Conclusion,” in *Reconceptualizing Security in the Western Hemisphere in the 21st Century*, Bruce Bagley, Jonathan Rosen and Hanna Samir Kassab (eds), Lexington Books, Maryland, 2015

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “In Search of Cyber Security: International Relations, Mutually Assured Destruction and the Age of Cyber Warfare,” *Cyberspace and International Relations*. Springer, Bonn, 2013

Forthcoming

Rosen, Jonathan Daniel and Kassab, Hanna Samir, *Organized Crime, Power and Fragile States*, Palgrave Macmillan, New York, November 2018

Kassab, Hanna Samir "The Role of Cyber-attacks in 21st century war" *Journal of Studies and Applied Research on Third Sector*, vol, 2 no, 2, 2019

Other Publications

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Hanna Samir Kassab” *On Roger Kanet*, TBA

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Method to the Madness: American Politics and its Socialist Methodology” 2016 <<http://intpolicydigest.org/2016/09/14/method-madness-american-politics-socialist-methodology/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Syria as a Global Battleground: More Actors, More Interests, More Problems” *International Policy Digest*, 2016 <<http://intpolicydigest.org/2016/08/31/syria-global-battleground-actors-interests-problems/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Why Trump Must Win: An Outsiders Perspective” *International Policy Digest*, 2016
<<http://intpolicydigest.org/2016/08/10/donald-trump-must-win-outsider-s-perspective/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Middle East Peace Talks: A War of Imaginations” *International Policy Digest*, 2016
<<http://intpolicydigest.org/2016/06/15/middle-east-peace-talks-a-war-of-imaginations/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Fear, Logic and the European Project: The Brexit and the United States” *International Policy Digest*, 2016
<<http://intpolicydigest.org/2016/06/09/fear-logic-and-the-european-project-the-brexit-and-the-united-states/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “The Obama Administration and Cuba: Charting a New Course” *Roman & Littlefield Blogs*, March 11, 2016
<<http://rowmanblog.typepad.com/rowman/2016/03/the-obama-administration-and-cuba-charting-a-new-course.html>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Exploring the prospect of complete British Caribbean independence: A pragmatic introduction” *Caribbean News Now*, 2015
<<http://www.caribbeannewsnow.com/topstory-Commentary:-Exploring-the-prospect-of-complete-British-Caribbean-independence:-A-pragmatic-introduction-25805.html>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Move by Caribbean nations toward full republican independence” *Letter to the editor, Caribbean News Now* 2015
<<http://www.caribbeannewsnow.com/headline-Letter%3A-Move-by-Caribbean-nations-toward-full-republican-independence-25624.html>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Fault of their own: Grexit, Russia and the EU” in *International Digest*, 2015 < <http://www.internationalpolicydigest.org/2015/03/05/fault-of-their-own-grexit-russia-and-the-eu/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Freedom under pressure. Armenia and Ukraine in the new global system” in *The Lithuanian Tribune*, 2015
<<http://en.delfi.lt/opinion/opinion-freedom-under-pressure-armenia-and-ukraine-in-the-new-global-system.d?id=67066492>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Making Economic Sacrifices Today for a Stronger Tomorrow” in *International Policy Digest*, 2015
<<http://www.internationalpolicydigest.org/2015/01/26/making-economic-sacrifices-today-stronger-tomorrow/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Neutralizing Terror: Soft Power and Islamic State” in *Independent Australia*, 2014

<<https://independentaustralia.net/article-display/neutralising-terror-soft-power-and-the-islamic-state,7221>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “A Controversial Peace: Forcing Countries to Behave” in *International Policy Digest*, 2014

<<http://www.internationalpolicydigest.org/2014/12/18/a-controversial-peace-forcing-countries-to-behave/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “The Case for a Foreign Policy Overhaul” in *Defense One*, 2014 <<http://www.defenseone.com/ideas/2014/10/us-strategic-leaders-need-think-bigger-much-bigger/95957/?oref=d-river>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Canada: The Bridge between Weak and Powerful States” in *Open Canada*, September 18, 2014 <<http://opencanada.org/features/the-think-tank/comments/canada-the-bridge-between-weak-and-powerful-states/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Canada’s about face” in *Open Canada*, July 10 2014 <<http://opencanada.org/features/canadas-about-face/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Revisiting Containment” in *Open Canada*, March 17 2014 <<http://opencanada.org/features/the-think-tank/essays/revisiting-containment/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Interview with the Octagon Post on “In Search of Cyber-security” 2013 <<http://theoctagonpost.com/2013/11/59/>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Canada: the Little Superpower that SHOULD: A Farewell Address from a Grateful International Student” Canadian International Council, 2010<<http://www.onlinecic.org/blogs/ciccommentary/canadathelittlesuperpowerthatshoul dafarewelladdress>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Iran and Lebanon: Fates Intertwined” Lebanese Canadian Coordinating Council, 2010. <<http://www.10452lccc.com/english08/hanna25.1.10.htm>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Christian Unity Now” Lebanese Canadian Coordinating Council, 2010 <<http://www.10452lccc.com/english08/hanna29.1.10.htm>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “A short essay on the failure of Secularism in the Middle East” Lebanese Canadian Coordinating Council, 2010 <<http://www.10452lccc.com/english08/hanna04.2.10.htm>>

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “God, family, country: Expounding Federalism” Lebanese Canadian Coordinating Council, 2010. <<http://www.10452lccc.com/english08/hanna09.2.10.htm>>

WORKS IN REVIEW

Books

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Alliances and International Structures in the 21st Century”
(in review at University of Michigan Press)

Rosen, Jonathan and Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Criminal Violence in Latin America” (in review at Palgrave)

Scholarly Articles

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Masculinity makes states and states make masculinity: Weak States and Gender.”

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Terrorism and International Relations” (book manuscript)

Kassab, Hanna Samir, “Food Fight: Cuisine and National Conflict” (book manuscript)

EMPLOYMENT

East Carolina University: Teaching Assistant Professor

2010-2019

2018-2019

- SECS 4000: “Senior Seminar in Security Studies”
- SECS 6155: “Changing Nature of International Security”
- POLS 3260: “Middle Eastern Political Systems”
- SECS 1000: “Introduction to Security Studies”
- POLS 3155: “National Security Policy”
- POLS 4383: “War in the Modern Age”
- SECS 6250: “Policy and Practice of Security via Distance Education”

Northern Michigan University: Visiting Assistant Professor

2015-2018

- PS 101: “Introduction to Political Science”
- PS 105: “American Government”
- PS 415: “American Foreign Policy”
- PS 495: “International Political Economy”
- PS 495: “International Security”
- PS 203: “Comparative Government”
- PS 206: “International Relations Theory”
- PS 495: “Controversies in International Relations Theory”
- PS 498: “Security Studies”
- PS 498: “Undergraduate Directed Study: Economic Development”
- PS/PA 598: “Graduate Directed Study: American Foreign Policy”

- University of Miami: Adjunct and Instructor** **2013-2015**
- INS101: “Global Perspectives” **2014-2015**
 - INS593: “European Security” **Winter 2014**
 - INS367: “The Historical Roots of American Imperialism” **Fall 2013**
- Freedom House** **2015**
- Analyst/Specialist for the Bahamas, the Dominican Republic, St. Lucia, St. Kitts and Nevis and Suriname
 - Researched and wrote reports in areas of specialization
 - Presented research and data at home office in New York
- Wikistrat: Analyst** **2013-Present**
- Contributing Analyst on the Middle East and North America desks providing geopolitical analysis and forecasting through simulation
- University of Miami: Research Assistant to Dr. Bruce Bagley** **2012-2014**
- International Studies: Security and Defense Degree Co-writer
 - Arranged Security and Defense Conference
 - Assistant Editor for the ALBA Book (Final Title TBA)
 - Office Management and Organization
 - Diverse research projects on Latin American Terrorist Networks, Energy Security, Russian Mafia, National Security, transnational criminal networks
 - Public Liaison for INS Alumni Outreach
- University of Miami: Tutorial Assistant** **2010-2013**
- INS622: ‘Advanced Seminar in Political Economy’
 - INS201: ‘Globalization and Change’
 - INS101: ‘Introduction to International Relations’
- University of Miami Alumni Center** **2011**
- Callin’ Canes Telemarketer and Fundraiser

PROGRAMS, VOLUNTEERING AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Northern Michigan University** **2015-2018**
- Department of Political Science, Brown Bag Seminars**
- Created and Organized brown bag seminar
 - Scheduling and hosting
- Program creation**
- **Masters of Political Science: Security and Defense**
 - Assisted in the design of graduate program
 - Assisted in the design of graduate courses
 - Developed list of professional internships
 - **Designed New Political Science Courses**
 - American Foreign Policy
 - Great Decisions
 - International Political Economy
 - International Security
 - Syllabi still in review
 - Weak States in International Relations

- Violent Political Ideological Movements

Scholarly Advising

- Aaron Rochow “The Impact of Dollarization on Developing Countries” for the Anna and Rich Lundin Summer Research Fellowship” *NMU Honors Program*, 2017
 - Advised with research and writing of paper
 - Introduced paper prior to presentation for university community
 - Faculty mentor at Celebration of Student Scholarship
- Vito Gianola “A New Era of US-Cuban Relations”
 - Adviser on student publication and presentation

Student Service

- Organized and Evaluated Student Simulations: Ukraine Crisis (2014) and Vietnam War (1960s).
- Faculty Adviser to NMU’s Decolonizing Pedagogy (student club/journal)
- Faculty Adviser to the NMU’s Debating Society (student club)
- Student/Transfer Student Advising
- Career advising
 - Reviewed student essays/job essays/CV
- Graduate school advising
 - Reviewed student statement of interest/CV
- Hosted Campus Visits for prospective students
- Recognized students for academic performance at Student Recognition Ceremony
- Recommendation letters
- Advised “clean energy” petition
- Student Conference Organization
 - The Future of Political Economy: Cooperation or Conflict? (2016).
 - Organizer, Closing Remarks
 - Politics and Symbolism (2018).
 - Organizer, opening/closing remarks
- Review student graduate/work statements of research and cover letters
- Speaker at Student Recognition Ceremony for Graduating Students (2017).
- Served as substitute lecturer for classes on Immigration, Middle Eastern Politics, Geopolitics and Environment, Comparative Political Systems, Arab Nationalism, International Relations Theory, International Political Economy, National Security, Democratization
- Doctoral Workshop presentation
- Evaluated student internship presentations for course of internships (INS 519) alongside course instructor
- Evaluated Ebola simulation of emergency management (served as US-Ebola Tsar)

- Qualifying exam review sessions

Guest Lectures

- **Universidad Popular Autónoma del Estado de Puebla**
 - Human Security and Development: 2030 (November 2018)
- **Florida International University**
 - Russia, the United States and the Syrian Conflict (November 2018)
- **Meritorious Autonomous University of Puebla**
 - The Realisms, Foreign Policy and International Security (September 2014).

Consulting

- St. Kitts and Nevis aquaponics development project **April 2016**

Grants

- Finalist for NMU’s submission to National Endowment for the Humanities **2016**

Awards

- Nominated: Golden Torch Award **2018**
- Nominated Scholar Athlete **2018**
Aaron Rochow
- Lundin Honors Summer Research Fellowship **2018**
Aaron Rochow, “Economic Institutions and State Development”
(Dr. Hanna Kassab, Political Science)

University of Miami, International Studies Department

Conference Organization **2012-2016**

- After the Fall: Energy Security, Sustainable Development and the Environment **2015**
 - Coordinator, rapporteur, editor and presenter
- Book Presentation: Reconceptualizing Security In the Western Hemisphere in the 21st Century **2015**
 - Coordinator and presenter
- The Impact of Emerging Economies on Global Energy and Environment: Challenges Ahead **2014**
 - Co-coordinator, rapporteur and presenter
- The Security and Defense MA/BA Program **2012**
 - Coordinator and presenter

Graduate Student Association

- International Studies Department President **2012-2013**
- International Studies PhD Senator **2011-2012**

Miami Journal of International Studies **2011-2014**

- Editor and Contributor

- Course: Right-Wing Movements in Comparative Perspective** 2010
 - Assisted Design of Spring 2011 Syllabus
- Non-academic experience**
- Hiawatha Folk Music Festival** 2016
Marquette, Michigan
 - Tickets and wristbands
 - Security
- Lebanese Canadian Coordinating Council** 2010
 - Volunteer Freelance Journalist
 - Human Rights Activist
- Four Villages Health Centre** 2008-2010
 - Volunteer Copywriter and Researcher

CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

- **LENS Conference:** February 2018
Duke's Center on Law, Ethics and National Security
Raleigh, North Carolina
 - Participant
- **Foreign Policy Association: Great Decisions** February 2018
Greenville, North Carolina
Paper presented:
 - The Middle East: Regional Disorder
- **International Studies Association South** October 2018
Ashburn, Virginia
Papers presented:
 - A General Theory of State Vulnerability
 - A Return to Realpolitik?
 - Fragile States, Corruption and Institutional Reform
- **Educator's Professional Development Workshop** April 2018
Dearborn, Michigan
 - Participant
- **Politics and Symbolism Student conference** April 2018
Marquette, Michigan
 - Organizer
 - Opening/closing remarks
- **Addressing Microaggressions to Create Equitable and Inclusive Classrooms** March 2018
Marquette, Michigan

- Workshop participant
- **Tomsk State University** **November 2017**
Skype Presentation
 Russian Interference in the 2016 United States Elections
 - Moderator
 - Discussant
 - Participant
- **International Studies Association West: Convention** **March 2016**
Pasadena, California, USA
 Paper presented:
 - Illicit Markets and the Internet Age
 - Grand Strategies and NeoEmpires: Wealth, Power and the International System
 Chair of panel:
 - Contending Identities
- **Experimental Politics Workshop** **April 2016**
 University of Wisconsin-Madison
 Madison, Wisconsin
 Participant
- **ISAC-ISSS Annual Conference** **November 2016**
 International Studies Association
Notre Dame, Indiana
 Paper presented:
 - Grand Strategy in the 21st Century: Wealth, Power and the Balance of World Systems
 Chair of panel:
 - Assorted Security Topics of Africa
- **Fourth Annual International Interdisciplinary Energy Security, Environmental Sustainability and Climate Change Conference** **October 2016**
Miami, Florida
 Paper presented:
 - Grand Strategy in the 21st Century: Wealth, Power and Coal
- **Northern Michigan University: Political Science Brownbag** **October 2016**
Marquette, Michigan
 Paper presented:
 - Grand Strategy in the 21st Century: Wealth, Power and the Balance of World Systems

- **Science on Tap: The Science of Anti-Science: Why Politicians Feel the Need to Ignore and Deny Science** **October 2016**
Marquette, Michigan
 Paper presented:

 - The Power of Emotion in Politics, Philosophy and Ideology: The Case of the 2016 Election
- **NMU Student Debate Society (2016)** **September 2016**
Marquette, MI
 - Participated in Presidential Debate
- **Northern Michigan University, Board of Trustee's reception** **September 2016**
Marquette, MI
 Book presented:

 - The Power of Emotion in Politics, Philosophy and Ideology
- **Eastern Mediterranean Studies Initiative** **June 2016**
 Eastern Mediterranean Geopolitical Studies Review
Nicosia, Cyprus
 Paper presented:

 - Systemic Transformations in Energy
- **What is the role of the U.S. in fighting ISIS** **April 2016**
 Political Affairs Panel Discussion
Marquette, Michigan, USA
 Paper Presented:

 - Islamic State as a systemic vulnerability
- **The Future of Political Economy: Cooperation or Conflict?** **March 2016**
 International Political Economy Student Conference
Marquette, Michigan, USA
 Organizer, Closing Remarks
- **International Studies Association: Annual Convention** **March 2016**
Atlanta, Georgia, USA
 Discussant on panels:

 - Contesting Conceptualizations of Weak States
 - The Obama Doctrine in the Americas
- **"The ISIS Apocalypse: The History, Strategy and Doomsday Vision of the Islamic State" panel** **December 2015**

Marquette, MI, USA
Panelist

- **Book Presentation for *Weak States in International Relations Theory*** **November 2015**
Miami, FL, USA
Organizer and Presenter
- **After the Fall Energy Conference** **October 2015**
Miami, FL, USA
Organizer
Papers Presented:
 - The Declining Relevance of OPEC
 - The BRICS Bank and Systemic Transformation in EnergyChair of panel:
 - Sustainable Development and Renewables
 - Opening/closing statements
- **The Iran Deal 2015 panel** **August 2015**
Marquette, MI, USA
Panelist
- **Book Presentation for *Reconceptualizing Security*** **March 2015**
Miami, FL, USA
Organizer and Presenter
- **Global Energy Outlook to 2014** **February 2015**
Miami, FL, USA
Participant
- **International Studies Association: Annual Convention** **February 2015**
New Orleans, Louisiana, USA
Papers presented:
 - Reconceptualizing Security Priorities and Processes
 - The Structure of PoliticsChair of panel:
 - Regional Integration Politics and Regional Policies Of Post-communist States
- **Freedom House** **November 2014**
New York City, New York, USA
Presentation of findings: St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, Bahamas, Suriname and the Dominican Republic
- **Asociación Mexicana de Estudios Internacionales:** **October 2014**

XXVII Congreso de la AMEI, I CONGRESO DE LA FLAEI
Villahermosa, Tabasco, Mexico
The Hemisphere and Declining US Hegemony

- **The Impact of Emerging Economies** **September 2014**
On Global Energy and Environment: Challenges Ahead
Miami, Florida, United States
Energy Security and Systemic Change: The Rising Power of Coal
 - Served as general coordinator
 - Assisted in program design, development and literature
- **International Studies Association: North East** **November 2013**
Providence, Rhode Island, United States
The Importance of Small States in the Great Power Game: A look into Small State Opportunistic Behavior and 21st Century Systemic Change
- **International Studies Association: South** **October 2013**
Charlotte, North Carolina, United States
The Importance of Small States in the Great Power Game: A look into Small State Opportunistic Behavior and 21st Century Systemic Change
- **Asociación Mexicana de Estudios Internacionales:** **October 2013**
XXVII Congreso de la AMEI, I CONGRESO DE LA FLAEI
Huatulco, Oaxaca, Mexico
The legalization Debate: Politicization, Norms Creation and International Institutions
- **South Florida Latin American and Caribbean Studies Graduate Student Conference** **April 2013**
Coral Gables, Florida, United States
Dissertation Proposal: “This Century Belongs to Small States: The West Indies, Playing the Field and Challenges in Great Power Grand Strategy”
- **University of Miami: Cyberaesthetic and Narrative Conference** **October 2012**
Coral Gables, Florida, United States
Working Paper: “Examining Diffusion: Suicide, Emotion and the Arab Revolution”
- **Georgia State University** **March 2011**
Atlanta, Georgia, United States

Working Paper: “The Evolution of Revolution: Discovering Common Motivations and Preconditions for Ideological Radicalization”

- **Research Group in International Security** **March 2009**
Montreal, Quebec, Canada
Working Paper: “The Lebanese Conflict: The Failure of Government to Provide Human Security” < <http://www.cerium.ca/Les-enjeux-de-securite-emergents>>

QUOTATIONS AND INTERVIEWS

Interviewed by the North Wind, March 13, 2018 “Author sparks conversation over Putin” <<https://www.thenorthwindonline.com/author-sparks-conversation-over-putin/>>

Interviewed by Upper Michigan Source, January 31, 2018 “Local reactions offered on President Trump's State of the Union Address” <<http://www.uppermichiganssource.com/content/news/Local-reactions-offered-on-President-Trumps-State-of-the-Union-Address-472034263.html>>

Interviewed by Upper Michigan Source, November 13, 2017 “Congress continues progressing towards tax reform” <<http://www.uppermichiganssource.com/content/news/Congress-continues-progressing-towards-tax-reform-457330833.html>>

Interviewed by Upper Michigan Source, January 24, 2017 “Investing in today’s stock market” <<http://www.uppermichiganssource.com/content/news/Investing-in-todays-stock-market-411697585.html>>

Interviewed by Upper Michigan Source, December 8, 2016 “Stocks fall then rise after President elect Trump’s remarks” <<http://www.uppermichiganssource.com/content/news/Stocks-fall-then-rise-after-President-elect-Trumps-remarks-405518885.html>>

Interviewed by North Wind, October 5, 2016 “Why Politicians Feel the Need to Ignore and Deny Science”

Interviewed by North Wind, September 19, 2016 “Constitution Day at NMU”

Interviewed by UP Matters, September 19, 2016 “229 Years Celebrated at Constitution Day” <<http://www.upmatters.com/news/local-news/229-years-celebrated-at-constitution-day-discussion>>

Interviewed by Upper Michigan Source, September 19, 2016 “Northern Michigan University Celebrates Constitution Day” <<http://abc10up.com/northern-michigan-university-celebrates-constitution-day/>>

Interviewed by Al Hurra, September 6, 2016 “Hillary or Trump”
<<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZrJPBWLWLOI&feature=youtu.be>>

Interviewed by Upper Michigan Source, April 21, 2016, “NMU holds panel to discuss strategies to defeat ISIS” by Justin Rezavi
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