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## EDUCATION

- 2023                    **Michigan State University**  
*Doctor of Philosophy, Criminology and Criminal Justice*  
Certificate in Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion  
Dissertation: *Understanding Vulnerability, Trust, and Distrust in the Student-University Trust Relationship* ([Access via ProQuest](#))  
Dissertation Chair: Joseph A. Hamm, M.L.S., Ph.D.
- 2018                    **Florida Atlantic University**  
*Master of Science, Criminology and Criminal Justice*  
Certificates in Policing and in Criminal Behavior
- 2015                    **University of Central Florida**  
*Bachelor of Science, Legal Studies*  
Specialization in Law & Society, Minor in Business Administration  
Certificate in Substitute Teaching

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2023 –                    **University of Tampa** | Assistant Professor
- 2023 –                    **Journal of Trust Research** | Managing Editor

## ACADEMIC RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2021                    **Michigan State University** | Data Analyst  
Study: Sleep & Social Development Study
- 2020                    **Michigan State University** | Qualitative Interview Facilitator  
Study: March on Washington Study
- 2020                    **Michigan State University** | Qualitative Interview Facilitator  
Studies: Crossroads Mothers Study & Crossroads Covid Study
- 2019 – 2023           **Michigan State University** | Graduate Research Assistant
- 2018                    **Florida Atlantic University** | Graduate Research Assistant

## ACADEMIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2023                    **CRM101 - Introduction to Criminology**  
*Instructor of Record*, University of Tampa
- CRM102 - Introduction to Criminal Justice**

*Instructor of Record*, University of Tampa

2022                    **CJ 425 - Gender, Sexuality, Crime, and Justice**  
*Online Facilitator*, Michigan State University

2018                    **DSC 4012 – Terrorism**  
*Graduate Teaching Assistant*, Florida Atlantic University

#### PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

2022 – 2023            **Okemos Public Schools** | Program Assistant

2015 – 2019            **Grossman Roth Yaffa Cohen, P.A.** | Legal/Investigative Assistant

2014                    **McCalla Raymer, LLC** | Summer Efilng Intern

2013 – 2015            **The Byrd Law Group, P.A.** | Accountant and Legal Assistant

#### PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

2023                    **Osuna, A. I.** Leaving the Incel Community: A Content Analysis. *Sexuality & Culture*. Vol. ahead-of-print, No. ahead-of-print.  
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s12119-023-10143-6>

2023                    **Osuna, A. I.**, Garcia, K., Fallik, S. W., & Markevitch, T. Victimization in juvenile sexual assault legislation: A critical content analysis of state laws in the United States of America. *Youth Justice: An International Journal*. Vol. ahead-of-print, No. ahead-of-print.  
<https://doi.org/10.1177/14732254231167339>

2022                    Cavanagh, C., **Osuna, A.**, Liggett-O'Malley, R., Henke, M. & Cauffman, E. Concerns About COVID-19 Among Undocumented Women in Justice-Involved Families. *International Journal of Migration, Health, and Social Care*, 19(1), 42-57  
<https://doi.org/10.1108/IJMHSC-09-2021-0082>

2022                    **Osuna, A. I.**, & Holt, K. Pornography Use and Sexual Scripts Among Men Who Have Committed Sexual Offenses. *Crime & Delinquency*, 0(0), 1-29. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00111287221115647>

2022                    LaBerge, A., **Osuna, A. I.**, Cavanagh, C., & Cauffman, E. Mothers with Justice-Involved Sons: Socioeconomic Impacts of COVID-19 by Neighborhood Disorder in the United States. *Journal of Social Issues*, 0(0), 1-26. <https://doi.org/10.1111/josi.12527>

- 2021 Scrivens, R., **Osuna, A. I.**, Chermak, S. M., Whitney, M. A., & Frank, R. Examining Online Indicators of Extremism in Violent Right-Wing Extremist Forums. *Studies in Conflict & Terrorism*, 0(0), 1-25.  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/1057610X.2021.1913818>

#### PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES – UNDER REVIEW

- 2022 Ropp, J., Meier, E., Van Fossen, J. A., **Osuna, A. I.**, Darcy, K. M., Woessner, Z. W., & Hamm, J. A. “Mobilizing the law: The role of vulnerability and court process in the decision to file a small claims suit”

#### MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

DeJong, C., Walker, A., **Osuna, A. I.**, & Lenning, E. “Police Harassment of Trans People in the United States.”

**Osuna, A. I.**, Holt, K., & O’Hanlon, R. “‘My Child Is Main Priority, Even When I’m High’: Understanding The Normalization Of Methamphetamine Use Among Mothers In Rural United States.”

**Osuna, A. I.**, Darcy, K., Prior, S., Olson, T., & Hamm, J. “Student Experienced Harm At Higher Education Institutions: A Qualitative Study.”

#### BOOK CHAPTER – UNDER REVIEW

- 2022 Darcy, K. M., Meier, E., **Osuna, A. I.**, Van Fossen, J. A., Ropp, J., & Hamm, J. A. “Exploring power, vulnerability, and trust in public governance through the lens of feminist intersectionality”

#### REPORTS

- 2023 **Osuna, A. I.**, Scarpelli, S., Chan, W., Finley, D., Hamm, J. A. “Speak Up MSU: Understanding student vulnerability, trust, and distrust at Michigan State University.
- 2021 **Osuna, A. I.**, Darcy, K., Woessner, Z. W., & Hamm, J. “Perceived student vulnerabilities during the COVID-19 Pandemic.” Published at <https://www.trusstlab.com/>
- 2020 Ropp, J., Darcy, K., Meier, E., **Osuna, A. I.**, VanFossen, J., Woessner, Z., & Hamm, J. “Public Expectations Regarding Online Dispute Resolution: A Comparison of Dispute Resolution Processes During the COVID-19 Pandemic.” Published at <https://www.trusstlab.com/>

#### BLOG POSTS

- 2022 Most Sex Offenders Do Not Rely on Scripts Learned from Porn.  
*Psychology Today*.  
<https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/articles-heterodoxy/202208/most-sex-offenders-do-not-rely-scripts-learned-porn>
- 2021 Examining Online Indicators of Extremism in Violent Right-Wing Extremist Forums. *Violent Online Political Extremism (VOX-Pol) Network of Excellence*. Published at  
<https://www.voxpol.eu/examining-online-indicators-of-extremism-in-violent-right-wing-extremist-forums/>
- 2021 Examining Online Indicators of Extremism in Violent Right-Wing Extremist Forums. *Global Network on Extremism and Technology Insights*. Published at  
<https://gnet-research.org/2021/05/13/examining-online-indicators-of-extremism-in-violent-right-wing-extremist-forums/>
- 2020 *RCGV Doctoral Student Puts Her Heart Where Her Research Is*. Published at <https://vaw.msu.edu/member-spotlight-amanda-osuna/>

#### CONFERENCES

- 2023 **Osuna, A. I.** *Understanding vulnerability in the student-university trust relationship*. Paper presented at the First Network on Trust annual meeting in Helsinki, Finland.
- 2022 **Osuna, A. I.** & Holt, K. *Pornography Use And Sexual Scripts Among Men Who Have Committed Sexual Offenses*. Paper presented at the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association annual meeting in Chicago, IL.
- 2022 **Osuna, A. I.**, Darcy, K., Woessner, Z., & Hamm, J. *Students' Perceived Vulnerability and Trust in Higher Education Institutions*. Paper presented at the First International Network on Trust annual meeting in Charleston, SC.
- 2021 **Osuna, A. I.**, Garcia, K., & Fallik, S. *Defining victimization in juvenile sexual assault legislation: A critical content analysis of the Nation's laws and reflection on social science research*. Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting in Chicago, IL.
- 2020 Scrivens, R., **Osuna, A. I.**, Chermak, S., Holt, T., & Frank, R. *Role of the Internet in Facilitating Violent Extremism*. Paper was accepted for presentation at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, which was to be held in November 2020 in Washington, D.C., but was canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

## PANELS

2022	Latino Leaders in Policy at Michigan State University Graduate School Panelist for the October Meeting.
2021	Chicanx/Latinx Association at Michigan State University Graduate School Panel Assistant Moderator
2021	Chicanx/Latinx Association at Michigan State University Graduate School Panel Lead Moderator
2021	The Hispanic/Latino College Experience by the Hispanic/Latino Commission of Michigan – Graduate Student Panelist

## GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, & AWARDS

2023	<i>College of Social Science, Michigan State University</i> Dissertation Completion Fellowship – Award: \$7,500.00
2022 – 2023	<i>Office of the Provost, Michigan State University</i> Dissertation Research Grant – Award: undisclosed
2022	<i>Office of Cultural and Academic Transition (OCAT @ MSU)</i> Latinx Student Mentoring Program – Exceptional Mentor Award
2022	<i>College of Social Science, Michigan State University</i> CSS Early Start Research Grant – Award: \$3,000.00
2021	<i>C.J. Alumni Graduate Endowed Assistantship</i> – Award: undisclosed
2021	<i>College of Social Science, Michigan State University</i> CSS Early Start Research Grant – Award: \$2,500.00
2021	<i>Office of Financial Aid, Michigan State University</i> Education Opportunity Fellowship (EOF) – Award: \$1,500.00
2020	<i>College of Social Science, Michigan State University</i> CSS Early Start Research Grant – Award: \$2,500.00
2020	<i>Office of Financial Aid, Michigan State University</i> Education Opportunity Fellowship (EOF) – Award: \$1,500.00
2020	<i>Michigan Hispanic Latino Commission</i> Future Leaders Scholarship – Award: \$1,000.00
2020	<i>Delta Tau Lambda Sorority, Inc. Eta Chapter</i>

2020 Salute to Latinas Award – Graduate Student Recipient

2019 *College of Social Science, Michigan State University*  
CSS Early Start Research Grant – Award: \$3,000.00

#### **MENTORSHIP EXPERIENCE**

2021 – **American Society of Criminology, Division of Feminist Criminology**  
*Mentoring and Student Affairs Committee Coordinator*

2021 – 2023 **MSU School of Criminal Justice, Graduate Student Network**  
*Graduate Student Mentor*

2021 – 2022 **OCAT at MSU, Latinx Student Mentoring Program**  
*Graduate Student Mentor*

2021 – 2022 **Rueda Latina, Mentoring Program**  
*Graduate Student Mentor*

#### **SERVICE & VOLUNTEER GROUPS**

2022 – 2023 *Inclusive Campus Initiative – Task Force Member*

2022 – 2023 *MSU, Chicanx/Latinx Association (ChiLa) – Ex Officio*

2022 *Caminar Latino – Child Support Group Volunteer*

2021 – 2022 *Caminar Latino – Program Evaluation Team Member*

2021 – 2023 *American Society of Criminology, Division of Victimology*  
*Newsletter Committee Member*

2020 – 2022 *MSU, Chicanx/Latinx Association (ChiLa)*  
*Graduate Student Representative*

2020 – 2021 *MSU, School of Criminal Justice, Graduate Student Association*  
*Vice President of Student Affairs and Vice President of Media*

2020 – 2021 *United Methodist Church, Michigan Conference*  
*Kid's Club Teacher and Sunday School Teacher*

2020 *United Methodist Church, Michigan Conference*  
*Monthly Food Pantry Volunteer*

#### **ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Society of Criminology (ASC)  
Diversity Scholars Network (DSN) of the National Center for Institutional Diversity (NCID)  
FAU Alumni Association  
Midwestern Criminal Justice Association (MCJA)  
National Society of Collegiate Scholars (NSCS)  
National Society of Leadership and Success (NSLS)  
Research Consortium on Gender-Based Violence (RCGBV)  
Sexual and Gender Minority Health Consortium (SGMH)  
Teaching Researching and Understanding the Social Science of Trust (TRUSST) Lab  
UCF Knights Alumni Network

## **CERTIFICATES & SKILLS**

*Foreign Language*      Bilingual (Spanish/English)

*Skills*                      Quantitative Data Analysis using R and SPSS  
                                 Qualitative Data Analysis using MAXQDA  
                                 Qualitative Interview Facilitation  
                                 Qualitative Focus Group Facilitation  
                                 Qualitative Analyst  
                                 Survey and Questionnaire Maker

*Other Certificates*      Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)  
                                 Adobe Photoshop CS3  
                                 CPR & First Aid (2022-2024)