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### **EDUCATION**

**Ph.D.**, Political Science, University of Kansas, May 2017

**M.A.**, International Studies – Russian, Eastern Europe, and Central Asia, University of Washington – Seattle, June 2010

**B.A.**, Russian and Spanish, University of Notre Dame, May 2008

### **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

Assistant Professor (tenure track), University of Kansas, 2017-

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Terrorism and counterterrorism, interstate conflict, international security, political methodology

### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Peer Reviewed**

Van Nuys, Maya\*\* and Brittnee Carter. Framing Violence: Rhetoric and Goal Structures of Shia and Salafi Terrorist Organizations. Forthcoming, *Politics, Religion, and Ideology*

Carter, Brittnee, Benjamin Rogers, and Amilee Turner\*. Forthcoming. Gender Inequality and State Security: The Effects of Women's Social Equality on Domestic Terrorism. *Women and Criminal Justice*

Carter, Brittnee, Maya Van Nuys\*\*, and Cagil Albayrak\*. State Sponsorship of Religiously Motivated Terrorism: A Deadly Combination. *Democracy and Security*, published online November 27, 2020.

Carter, Brittnee. (2020). Bringing suspected terrorists to justice? Revealing bias against Muslims in applied -counter terrorism by the US. *Contemporary Justice Review*, 23(4): 444-474 .

Carter, Brittnee and Ahmed, Ranya. (2020). The Strategic Logic of Environmental Terrorism: Linking Terrorist Ideology to Credit Claiming Behavior. *Journal of Applied Security Research*, 15(1), 28-48.

Omelicheva, Mariya, and Carter, Brittnee. (2019). Democratic or Cultural Peace? Examining the Joint Democratic Peace Proposition through the Lens of Emancipative Values. *European Journal of International Security*, 4(1), 1-19.

Carter, Brittnee and Fay, Erik\*. (2019). Responding to Terror: An Empirical Analysis of U.S. Military Activity, Public Opinion, and Transnational Terrorism. *Journal of Applied Security Research*, 14(2), 140-168.

Carter, Brittnee and Omelicheva, Mariya. (2018). Liberalism and Religion: Amplifiers of War between Democracies and Non-democratic States. *Democracy and Security*, 14(3), 300-319.

Omelicheva, Mariya, Carter, Brittnee, and Campbell, Luke. (2017). Military Aid and Human Rights: Assessing the Impact of U.S. Security Assistance Programs on Civilians' Rights in the Broader Context of Political Conflict. *Political Science Quarterly* 132(1), 119-144.

\*represents graduate student co-author, \*\*represents undergraduate student co-author

### **Revise and Resubmit**

Disaggregating Religiously Motivated Terrorism: Ideology as a Frame for Strategic Behavior in Islamist and Christian Fundamentalist Terrorism. With Ranya Ahmed, Cagil Albayrak\*, and Maya Van Nuys\*\*

### **Under Review**

Revisiting the Bandwagoning Hypothesis: A Statistical Analysis of the Alliance Dynamics of Small States

When Civilians are Targets: the Deadly Effects of State Sponsored of Religiously Motivated Terrorism

Predictive power and substantive importance: Applying k-fold cross-validation to logistic regression. With Benjamin Rogers.

Women Leaders and Conflict: Testing the Impact of Gender on Inter-State Disputes. With Mariya Omelicheva.

Allied Attacks: The Dangers of Networks in Right Wing Extremist Violence. With May Van Nuys and Benjamin Rogers

### **Working Papers**

Does counterterror beget terror? Examining the Recursive Relationship between Counterterrorism and Terrorism. With Tom Guarrieri and Daniel Smith

I don't know it, I just know it's true: Public Perceptions of International Human Rights Conditions. With Clayton Webb

Who can you trust? The Impact of Terrorism on Political Trust in the E.U. With Anthony Ocepek

Explaining recruitment variation in Sunni and Shia terrorism. With Maya Nuys

Wrangling human rights data: A LASSO approach to comparing model fit. With Benjamin Rogers and Erik Fay

Territorial Control and Human Security in Iraq and Syria

Gendered Wars and Democratic Peace: The Impact of Perceptions of Gender Equality on Inter-State Conflict. With Mariya Omelicheva

Counterstrikes in Operation Inherent Resolve: An Empirical Analysis. With Tom Guarrieri and Daniel Smith

### **Book reviews and Other Publications**

BOOK REVIEW. Jennifer Mitzen. (2013). *Power In Concert: The Nineteenth Century Origins of Global Governance*. In, *Cambridge Review of International Affairs* 27(4): 769-771.

Kenneth Waltz, Metatheorist? Mind-World Monism in *Theory of International Relations*. In, *E-International Relations*, July 2013.

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

International Studies Association  
Midwest Political Science Association  
Society for Political Methodology

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

American Political Science Association, 2014  
American Political Science Association Women's Workshop, 2018  
International Studies Association, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019  
International Studies Association – Midwest, 2015, 2018, 2019  
International Studies Association – Northeast, 2015  
Midwest Political Science Association – 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019  
Society of Political Methodology, 2016, 2019

### **AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

New Faculty General Research Fund Award, 2019  
National Science Foundation Travel Award for Women in Political Methodology, 2019  
Defense Intelligence Agency ICCAE Research Grant, 2018

### **COURSES TAUGHT**

*University of Kansas*  
POLS 170 – Introduction to International Relations  
POLS 190 – Honors Seminar: Women in Conflict and Terrorism  
POLS 301 – Introduction to Political Theory  
POLS 501 – Contemporary Political Thought  
POLS 675/977 – Ethics in International Relations  
POLS 679 – International Conflict  
POLS 689 – Theories of Conflict, Security, and Peace  
POLS 789 – Topics in International Relations: Causes of War  
POLS 870 – International Relations Theory