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EDUCATION**Doctor of Philosophy**

Criminology, Law and Society

George Mason University

Dissertation: The “Crimmigration” Affect: An Analysis of 287(g) and Latino/a Representation in the U.S. Juvenile Justice System

Expertise: Human Trafficking, Human Smuggling, Immigration, Survey Methods and Systematic Review

Master of Arts

Justice, Law, and Crime Policy

George Mason University

Thesis: Foreign Nationals and Crime: An Exploratory Analysis of Undocumented Migrants in Northern Virginia

Bachelor of Science

Administration of Justice

George Mason University

Cum Laude

TEACHING EXPERIENCE**Surviving and Thriving Beyond Sex Trafficking** SP18

Ph.D. Research Course

Sustainability Education

Prescott College

CRIM307 Social Inequality, Crime, and Justice FA17

Criminology, Law and Society

George Mason University

CRIM405 Law and Justice Around the World SP17, SP18

Criminology, Law and Society

George Mason University

CRIM308 Human Rights and Justice

FA16

Criminology, Law and Society

George Mason University

CCJS100 Intro to Criminal Justice

FA12-SP14

Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice

University of Maryland College Park

CCJS370 Race and Crime

FA12-SP14

Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice

University of Maryland College Park

CCJS432 Law of Corrections

FA12

Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice

University of Maryland College Park

CCJS418J Foreign Nationals and Crime

FA12-SP13
Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice
University of Maryland College Park

CRIM490 Foreign Nationals and Crime

SU09, SU10, SU11, SU12
Criminology, Law and Society
George Mason University

**GED, Work Place Essential Skills,
and Adult Basic Education**

SU05-SU06
Adult Detention Center
Prince William County

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**CEO**

FA19– Present
Break the Chain

Executive Director

WI18– Present
Freedom Light

Partner/Human Trafficking Expert Witness

FA16– WI18
Mahn, Mehlman & Associates

Human Trafficking Subject Matter Expert

SU16-FA17
RAND Corporation

Executive Director/Human Trafficking Consultant

WI12– FA16
The Justitia Institute

Director

FA10 – WI12
Latino Policy Institute
Roger Williams University

Research Associate

SU11 – WI12
Cochrane Collaboration College for Policy
George Mason University

Lead Clinical Trials Search Coordinator

SU10 – WI12
Justice Health Field
The Cochrane Collaboration

Senior Research Associate

SU08 – SU11
OJJDP Census of Juveniles on Probation
George Mason University

Graduate Research Assistant

SU10 – FA10
Violence and Victimization Research Division
National Institute of Justice (On Contract)
Office of Justice Programs

Senior Fellow

SU08 – FA10
The Lloyd Society

Graduate Research Assistant

SU06 – SU08
Trinidad & Tobago Crime Reduction Project
George Mason University

Graduate Research Assistant

WI07-SP07, SP08
OJJDP Vaccines for Children Project
George Mason University

PUBLICATIONS

- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2019). "Jeffrey Epstein's deal with Alexander Acosta wasn't out of line with what I have seen." *USA Today*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** and Sheriff William D. Snyder. (2019). "Robert Kraft spa scandal: Sex trafficking is hard to prove, that doesn't mean it's a lie." *USA Today*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** and William D. Snyder. (2019). "Legalizing prostitution could end sex-trafficking investigations." *The Hill*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2019). "How to Fight Sex Trafficking." *Politico*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2019). *The Jihadi Next Door: How ISIS is Forcing, Defrauding, and Coercing Your Neighbor into Terrorism*. SkyHorse.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2018). "Sex trafficking bill likely to do more harm than good." *The Baltimore Sun*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2018). "Why cracking down on websites won't stop online sex trafficking." *Thomson Reuters Foundation*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2018). "Legislation Aiming to Stop Sex Trafficking Would Hurt Investigations." *Homeland Security Today*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Trafficking victims get lost under unjust criminal convictions." *The Hill*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Projected Heroes and Self-Perceived Manipulators: Understanding the Duplicitous Identities of Human Traffickers." *Trends in Organized Crime*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). *Hidden in Plain Sight: America's Slaves of the New Millennium*. ABC-CLIO/Praeger.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly.** (2017). "Why we should question the FBI's recent human trafficking sting." *Thomson Reuters*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly.** (2017). "Decriminalize sex work to bring trafficking victims out of the shadows." *The Hill*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly.** (2017). "Decriminalizing sex work would help bring victims out of the shadows." *The Washington Post*.

- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Why the Stop Enabling Sex Traffickers Act is the Wrong Solution." *The Crime Report*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Identifying Victims of Human Trafficking." *Dimensions of Dental Hygiene*.
- Syme, Sheryl, Camardese, Susan, and **Kimberly Mehlman-Orozco**. (2017). "Human Trafficking: Red Flags for Dental Professionals." *Decisions in Dentistry*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Vilifying Backpage.com won't help fight sex trafficking" *The Washington Post*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Child Trafficking: The Tragedy of 'Princess'" *The Crime Report*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "To sue or not to sue third-party businesses for sex trafficking?" *Thomson Reuters Foundation*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Hunting the Internet's Sex Predators." *The Crime Report*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Will shutting down Backpage.com end the scourge of child sex trafficking in America?" *Thomson Reuters Foundation*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Sex Trafficking: A Surprising Rescue Story." *The Crime Report*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "What every parent should know about sex trafficking." *Baltimore Sun*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** and Simon Hedlin. (2017). "Mehlman-Orozco, Hedlin: Stop criminalizing victims of sex trafficking." *The Houston Chronicle*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). "Why Do We Criminalize Young Victims of Sex Trafficking?" *The Crime Report*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). "The Plight of Sex-Trafficking Survivors." *The Gay and Lesbian Review Worldwide*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). "Sex Trafficking is often hidden in plain sight." *The Hill*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). "Will Legalized Prostitution End the Sex Trafficking Scourge?" *The Huffington Post*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). "What happens after a human trafficking victim is rescued?" *The Hill*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). "The Reality of Sex Trafficking in Washington's Red Light District." *Baltimore Sun*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). "America's Symbolic, Not Effective, Anti-Trafficking Policy." *Diplomatic Courier*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). America's Anti-Trafficking Efforts: Hollow victories for public accolade. *Connection Newspapers*: Chantilly, Centerville, Great Falls, Herndon, McLean, & Vienna.

- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). "Sex Slaves or Prostitutes?: How Human Trafficking is Hidden in Plain Sight in America's Capital." *Diplomatic Courier*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2015). "Safe Harbor Legislation for Juvenile Victims of Sex Trafficking: A Myopic View of Improvements in Practice. *Social Inclusion*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2015). "Tor and the Bitcoin: An Exploration into Law Enforcement Surveillance Capability Online". *Diplomatic Courier*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2014). "Human Trafficking in the Philippines: A Blemish on Economic Growth". *Diplomatic Courier, Recovery in the Philippines*.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2014). "Devoid of Research: An Evaluation of Human Trafficking Interventions". *Diplomatic Courier, Special Issue: Breaking the Cycle of Human Trafficking*.
- Martinez, Ramiro, and **Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2014). "Hispanic Immigration and Crime". *Oxford Handbook of Ethnicity, Crime, and Immigration*. Eds. Michael Tonry and Sandra Bucerius. Oxford University Press.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (Contributing Author) (2010) "Breaking It Down: Justice, Law & Society Abstracts for Policymakers and Practitioners". *Center for Justice Law and Society*.

REPORTS

- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (May, 2017). Expert Witness Report. *State of Ohio v. Michael Moore*. CR 16-3191.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2011). The Effects of In-State Tuition for Non-Citizens: A Systematic Review of the Evidence. *Latino Policy Institute at Roger Williams University*. <http://www.rwu.edu/depository/lpi/lpi-report.pdf>
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2008). Race and Reporting Burglary, Robbery, and Assault in Trinidad and Tobago. (Completed under a grant from the Trinidad and Tobago Government).

SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2019). Keynote Speaker: National Capital Region Threat Intelligence Consortium (NTIC) Human Trafficking Seminar.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2019). Law Enforcement's Role in Combating Human Trafficking and Assisting Victims. Police Executive Research Forum (PERF).
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** and Marisa Trasatti (2019). Human Trafficking: The Silent Risk. The RIMS (Risk Management Society) Conference.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2019). Social Policy and Justice Panelist. Harvard College Project of Asian and International Relations. Harvard University.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2018). Women in Homeland Security Human Trafficking Symposium Panelist. Marymount University.

- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). Human Trafficking Symposium Panelist. Liberty University School of Law.
- Martin, Favian, **Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly**, and Wooditch, Alese. (2014). Mexican Migration to the United States: An Exploratory Study into Illegal Border Crossings. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Philadelphia, PA
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2010). "Justice Health Systematic Review Methods," Presented at the annual colloquium of the Cochrane and Campbell Collaborations: Keystone, CO.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2010). "Open Access Systematic Reviews for Juvenile Probation Information," Presented at the first annual OJJDP Probation Summit: Washington, D.C.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.**, Chirieleison, J., Sebold, C. M., Douds, A., Gallagher, A.M., and Gallagher, C.A. (2010). "Characteristics of Juveniles on Probation: Collecting Data from Atlantic to Pacific". Presented at the 2010 American Probation and Parole Association Conference: Washington, D.C.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2010). "Justice Health Search Methods: PubMed and More," Presented at the International Network for Justice Health Meeting: Scottsdale, AZ.
- Gallagher, C.A., Douds, A.S., **Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.**, Chirieleison, J., and Olaghere, A. (2010). "Justice Health Bibliographic Data Mapping," Presented at the International Network for Justice Health Meeting: Scottsdale, AZ.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2010). "Smuggling and the Likelihood of Detention among Undocumented Migrants," Law and Society Association Conference: Chicago, IL.
- Douds, A.S. and **Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2010). "FASD in Justice Facilities: What does the research tell us?", Meeting of the Interagency Coordinating Committee on Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders: Rockville, MD.
- Gallagher, Catherine, Taxman, Faye, Kinner, Stuart, Doyle, Jodie, Pardo-Rengifo, Monica, **Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.**, Olaghere, Ajima, Royle, Nick, Gabriel Cuervo, Luis. (2009). "Knowledge mapping for research prioritization: examples from the Network for Justice Health". 17th Cochrane Colloquium, Singapore.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2009). "Justice Health Systematic Review Methods," Presented at the International Network for Justice Health Meeting: Orlando, FL.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2008). "Foreign Nationals and Crime: An Exploratory Analysis of Undocumented Migrants in Northern Virginia," American Society of Criminology Conference: St. Louis, MO.

OTHER PRESENTATIONS

- Trasatti, Marisa, **Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.**, Clark, Fran, et. al. (2020). Training to Combat Human Trafficking at your Commercial Premise– Learn the Emerging Risks, Litigation Issues and Preventative Measures. Claims and Litigation Management Alliance Conference.
- Trasatti, Marisa, **Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.**, Ewing, Lance. (2020). Human Trafficking: The Silent Risk. Claims and Litigation Management Alliance Conference.

- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2018). Invited Trainer on Human Trafficking Provided to the Advancing the Business of Healthcare Medical Coding Chapter in Woodbridge, Virginia (2 CEUs).
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2018). Invited Trainer on Human Trafficking for the Canadian Police College Human Trafficking Investigator's Course, Royal Canadian Mounted Police and Halifax Regional Police, Canada.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2018). Invited Annual Speaker for the College of Humanities and Social Sciences Degree Celebration, George Mason University.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2018). Invited Presenter for the Well Library Honors Event, George Mason University.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). Invited Training Presentation on Human Trafficking Red Flags for Prevent Abuse and Neglect through Dental Awareness (P.A.N.D.A).
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). Invited Guest Speaker for Human Trafficking Awareness Event with Kappa Delta Phi International Sorority, George Mason University.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). Invited Guest Speaker at the Mother's Union International Conference Human Trafficking Forum.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2017). Invited Guest Speaker at the Keeping Our Youth Safe Conference. Bernadette's House.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). Invited Guest Speaker for Girls at High-Risk of Sex Trafficking. Manassas City Police Department.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). Invited Guest Speaker on Human Trafficking. Woodbridge Woman's Club.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). Invited Guest Speaker for TEAM Summer Quest: High-Risk Youth Diversion Program. Manassas City Police Department.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). Invited Guest Speaker on Human Trafficking. Soroptimist International, Alexandria Chapter.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). Invited Guest Speaker on Human Trafficking. Republican Women of Clifton.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). Invited Guest Speaker on Human Trafficking in Northern Virginia. Westminster at Lake Ridge.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2016). Keynote Speaker. Soroptimist Human Trafficking Awareness Event.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2015). Invited Guest Speaker on Human Trafficking. Trinity Episcopal Church.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2015). Invited Guest Speaker for TEAM Summer Quest: High-Risk Youth Diversion Program. Manassas City Police Department.

- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2014). Invited Guest Speaker for TEAM Summer Quest: High-Risk Youth Diversion Program. Manassas City Police Department.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2014). Invited Guest Speaker on Mapping Suspected Human Trafficking Networks through Advertisements. Homeland Security Investigations, DHS, Buffalo, NY.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2013). Exhibitor. Governor's Summit on Human Trafficking. Richmond, VA.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2013). Invited Guest Speaker on Labor Trafficking. St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church.
- Mehlman-Orozco, Kimberly B.** (2011). Keynote Speaker. First Annual Quetzal Award Gala. Guatemalan Center of New England.

EXPERT WITNESS CASES—CONSULTATION AND/OR TESTIMONY

Forthcoming	Woodhull Freedom Foundation et al. v. United States.
2019-Present	United States v. Matthew Woods, United States District of New Mexico
2019	United States v. Adonis Baker, United States District of New Mexico
2019	United States v. Cornelius Galloway, United States District of New Mexico
2018	RCMP Federal Serious and Organized Crime R vs. Downey & Beals C/O Human Trafficking 2016-465660, Halifax, Canada
2018	United States of America vs. Savannah April Via, U.S. District Court for the District of Arizona
2018	Commonwealth of Virginia v. Corey Cardoza, Henrico County
2018	People v. Kareem Abdur-Razzaq, Ind. No. 3154/2013, and People v. Lemuel Skipper, Ind. No. 2409/2015, Bronx County
2017-2020	United States of America v. Miguel Scott Arnold, Terrence Hawkins, Tevin Bynoe, Emonie Murphy, and Joshua Guity-Nunez, United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania.
2017- 2018	Doe v. Subh Properties, et al., Civil Litigation, State of Maryland
2017-2018	State of Ohio v. Michael Moore, Lucas County Court
2017-2018	People of the State of California Plaintiff v. Tracy Sims Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles

2017	Keo Ratha; Sem Kosal; Sophea Bun; Yem Ban; Nakry Phan; and Sok Sang v. Phatthana Seafood Co., Ltd; S.S. Frozen Food Co., Ltd.; Doe Corporations 1-5; Rubicon Resources, LLC; and Wales & Co. Universe, Ltd. United States District Court for the Central District of California
2017	In re: REFLEX MEDIA, INC., a Nevada corporation, Claimant, vs. VIBE MEDIA, INC. d/b/a CityVibe.com, a California corporation; SOPHIA THOMPSON, an individual; PEAKRIDGE d/b/a SugarModels.com, an Anguilla company; DANIEL ROMAN a/k/a Daniel Romanesque, an individual; ALI ASKARI, an individual; and DOES 1 through 10, inclusive
2016-2017	J.S., S.L., and L.C. v. Village Voice Media Holdings LLC, Supreme Court of the State of Washington
2016-2017	People of the State of California Plaintiff v. James Joseph, et. Al. Contra Costa County Court
2016	People of the State of California Plaintiff v. Young Kyung Cho Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
2016	People of the State of California Plaintiff v. Mixon-Givens Santa Clara County Court

SELECTION OF MEDIA

July 4, 2020	CBS News. Epstein's alleged accomplice Ghislaine Maxwell set to be arraigned next week.
January 23, 2020	Skift. Opening Closed Doors: Can Hotels Do More to Fight Human Trafficking?
August 9, 2019	ABC. This Week with George Stephanopoulos. Panel discussion on Jeffrey Epstein.
July 9, 2019	CBS News. Sex trafficking expert discusses Jeffrey Epstein case and sexual abuse.
May 10, 2019	Hollywood Reporter. Sex Trafficking mars the Mystique of Cannes Film Festival.
April 12, 2019	The Hill. Expert says it's 'very unlikely' Robert Kraft prostitution case would yield human trafficking convictions.
January 11, 2019	The Seattle Times. Documentary puts new attention on R. Kelly sex allegations.
August 22, 2018	The Crime Report. Backpage Founders: We're Victims of Attack on Free Speech.

May 5, 2018	Delaware Online. Human Trafficking Court shut down, to be merged with other treatment courts in Delaware.
May 1, 2018	Delaware Online. Despite good intentions, Delaware slow to address human trafficking.
April 24, 2018	ABC. Will new law protect women from sex trafficking?
April 23, 2018	The Ringer. How Sex Ads Became a Battleground for the Future of the Internet.
April 22, 2018	Miami Herald. He pimped a minor at Santa's Enchanted Forest. He got slapped with federal prison.
April 13, 2018	Yahoo Lifestyle. Women's March lambasted for criticizing shutdown of Backpage.com.
April 10, 2018	Miami Herald. Florida's sex industry 'in a panic' after feds shut down notorious Backpage website.
April 9, 2018	The Crime Report. With Backpage Closed, Where Will The Sex Slave Trade Go?
March 22, 2018	Washington Post. Bill enabling prosecutors, victims to pursue websites that host sex traffickers heads to White House.
March 2, 2018	Governing. 3 Cities Lead Fight Against Human Trafficking.
February 1, 2018	Vanity Fair. The Republican Party is Having Another Todd Akin Fiasco.
February 1, 2018	New York Magazine. Missouri GOP Senate Hopeful Goes Off the Deep End on the Sexual Revolution and Human Trafficking.
January 31, 2018	Kansas City Star. Josh Hawley blames sex trafficking on 'sexual revolution' of 1960s in leaked audio.
January 25, 2018	Homeland Security Today. Expert Delves Into Real Face of Human Trafficking: Victims and Perpetrators.
January 23, 2018	Huffington Post. Study Finds More Than 9,000 Brothels Masquerading As Legit Businesses.
January 11, 2018	International Business Times. Human trafficking: Why we are all guilty of supporting the modern slave trade.
January 8, 2018	Majority Report Radio. America's Slaves of the New Millennium with Dr. Kimberly Mehlman-Orozco.
December 21, 2017	Fast Company. Hotels Are Key In The Fight To End Human Trafficking.

December 12, 2017	WNPR. The Colin McEnroe Show. Child Labor In America And Abroad.
November 4, 2017	C-SPAN. Hidden in Plain Sight Book Talk.
September 22, 2017	Gray Media. Interview by Kyle Midura. Sex Trafficking Internet Crackdown Proposal.
August 8, 2017	i24 news. Interview for Stateside with David Shuster. Model allegedly kidnapped for dark web auction.
August 2, 2017	Newsy. Interview for “The Why” on human trafficking on the Internet.
July 30, 2017	Al Jazeera. Segment Produced by Ruairi Casey. World Day Against Human Trafficking.
July 25, 2017	Fox News Radio. Interviewed by Eben Brown. “Security America” segment on human smuggling deaths in San Antonio.
July 25, 2017	Dallas News. Interviewed by Sarah Mervosh. New trick of the sex trade: Pimps can use retail gift cards to buy Backpage.com ads.
July 24, 2017	WJLA. Interviewed by Stephen Loiaconi. Human smuggling deaths underscore need for immigration reform, experts say.
July 18, 2017	The Washington Post. Interviewed by Tom Jackman. Under attack, Backpage.com has its supporters as anti-trafficking tool. But many differ.
June 11, 2017	PJ Media. Interviewed by Karl Herchenroeder. Expert Notes Gap in Human-Trafficking Laws as Senators Press for Fund Renewal.
April 19, 2017	WYPR. Interviewed by Tom Hall. Misinformation Sparked #DCMissingGirls Outrage, But It Highlights Real And Overlooked Issues.
March 30, 2017	CBS. Interviewed by Jennifer Earl. Mom’s warning about “human trafficking” at IKEA goes viral; what you need to know.
March 29, 2017	Women’s Health. Interviewed by Korin Miller. This Mom Claims She Encountered Human Traffickers At IKEA And People Are Freaking Out.
February 10, 2017	Miami Herald. Interviewed by David Ovalle. Florida lawsuit targets website decried as hub for human trafficking.
February 3, 2017	Miami Herald. Interviewed by David Ovalle. The ‘adult’ section might be closed but Miami sex workers still on the job.

January 1, 2017	OutSmart Magazine. Interviewed by Dr. Laura McGuire on Human Trafficking. Hidden in Plain Sight: Researcher Dr. Mehlman-Orozco Discusses the Realities of Human Trafficking.
February 3, 2015	NBC. Interviewed by Tracy Connor. Shoe Bomber has 'Tactical Regrets' Over Failed American Airlines Plot.
January 19, 2015	CNN. Interviewed by Pam Brown. 'Jihad Jane' moved by 'love' and feminine 'pride.'
August 15, 2013	USA Today, Interviewed by Yamiche Alcindor. Dozens of States Pass Laws to Fight Human Trafficking.
June 6, 2013	USA Today. Interviewed by Yamiche Alcindor. Blue Campaign by DHS aims to combat human trafficking.
August 12, 2012	Fox 5 News (DC/MD/VA). Television interview on in-state tuition report on Maryland. Interview by reporter Shawn Yancy.
May 18, 2011	Chronicle of Higher Education. Interviewed for an in-state tuition story by Katherine Mangan, "In-State Tuition for Illegal Immigrants Can Be a Plus for Both States and Students."
March 24, 2011	NBC 10 (RI). Television interview on Latino population growth, "Digging Deeper: Hispanics on the Rise."
February 18, 2011	The Yale Herald. Interviewed for a story on racial profiling against immigrants by police. Story by Lucas Iberico-Lozada, "East Haven Police Accused of Brutality, Racism."
June 2, 2010	Style Weekly. Interviewed for a human trafficking story by Peter Galuszka, "The New Slavery: Virginia becomes haven for human trafficking."

OTHER PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

Transportation Industry Against Human Trafficking Fall 2020	Presentation	U.S. Department of Commerce
"Freedom Together" D.C., M.D., and V.A. Regional Anti Human Trafficking Task Force Conference Spring 2018	Conference	D.C., M.D., and V.A. Task Forces
Virginia Forum on Human Trafficking Fall 2015	Conference	Dept. of Criminal Justice Services
Regional Conference of Human Trafficking Task Forces Fall 2015	Conference	DMV Anti-Trafficking Working Group
Maryland Freedom Conference Winter 2015	Conference	Towson University

**Sharing Lessons, Sharing Responsibility:
Combating Human Trafficking**

Spring 2013 Conference

Migration Policy Institute

Freedom Network Annual Conference

Spring 2013 Conference

Freedom Network

Human Trafficking Panel Discussion

Spring 2013 Working Group

George Washington Law

Analytic Statistics and Meta Analysis

Spring 2011 Paid Training

Stata

Systematic Review and Meta Analysis

Spring 2009, Fall 2010 Independent Graduate Study

GMU

PubMed, NLMGateway, ToxNet and ClinicalTrials.gov

Summer 2009 Search Certifications

National Library of Medicine

Ovid, ProQuest, and Web searches

Summer 2009 Search Certifications

AHRQ

Introduction to ArcGIS Workshops

Fall 2009-Summer 2010

George Mason University

Hand Searching Systematic Review Workshop

Fall 2009 Search Certifications

Cochrane Collaboration

AWARDS

Independent Publisher Award, 2019

Silver Medal for Current Events ([Ihadi Next Door](#)).

Independent Publisher Award, 2018

Bronze Medal for Social Issues/Humanitarian ([Hidden in Plain Sight: America's Slaves of the New Millennium](#)).

Dissertation Completion Award, 2012

George Mason University, College of Humanities and Social Sciences.

Deans Challenge, 2009

George Mason University, College of Humanities and Social Sciences.

SERVICE

Reviewer

Justice Quarterly, WI18-Present

Advisory Board Member

Empower Her Network, FA17-Present

Survey Methodologist Advisor

United Against Slavery, FA17-Present

Advisory Board Member

Dressember (Anti-trafficking foundation), SP17-Present

Panel of Expert Witnesses

Los Angeles Superior Court, WI17-Present

Member	Prince William County Human Trafficking Task Force, SU13-Present
Member	Prince George's County Human Trafficking Task Force, SU12-Present
Reviewer	Journal of Human Trafficking, FA2014-Present
Member and Former President	Soroptimist International of Woodbridge, FA15-SP18
Reviewer	American Journal of Evaluation, FA2014-FA2015
Member	Prince George's County Human Trafficking Task Force, SU13-2015
Reviewer	Columbia University Press, FA2013
President and Founding Officer	Student Center for Immigration Research, George Mason University, FA08 – FA10
Member	Criminology, Law & Society Student Association, George Mason University, FA09 – W112
Volunteer	Prince William County Jail, Classification Department, 500 hours, SP 2005

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

National Society for Collegiate Scholars
 Phi-Alpha Delta Pre-Law Fraternity
 Alpha Chi Honors Fraternity
 American Society of Criminology
 National Criminal Justice Honors Fraternity
 Alpha Phi Sigma Honors Society