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EDUCATION

Northeastern University, Boston, MA In Progress
Ph.D., Criminology and Justice Policy

Boise State University, Boise, ID 5/2017
Cum Laude
B.S., Criminal Justice
Minor: Sociology

PUBLICATIONS

Robles, J. (2017). Islam is the New Black: Muslim Perceptions of Law Enforcement. *McNair Scholars Research Journal*. 13(1), 82-92.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Institute on Race and Justice 2018-present
NIJ Bias Victimization Against Latinos

- Longitudinal study on biased victimization against the Latino community
- Transferred the questionnaire to the online survey software Qualtrics
- Translated survey questions that did not have an approved Spanish version
- Facilitated communication at data collection sites
- Helped develop syntax in preparation for data analysis

McNair Research Fellowship 2015-2017
"Islam is the New Black: Muslim Perceptions of Law Enforcement"

- Conducted independent, original research
- Surveyed Muslim community members
- Worked with prominent Muslim community members to recruit participants
- Developed my knowledge of statistical analyses in SPSS

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant Fall 2017
CJ 4020: Race, Crime, and Justice | Northeastern University | Dr. Ramiro Martinez

- Graded weekly student assignments and exams
- Developed exam questions pertinent to unit lectures
- Provided feedback to individual students during office hours

Peer Tutor 2014-2017

TRiO Rising Scholars Program | Boise State University

- Tutored students in English 102, Math 123, and Spanish 101, 102, 201
- Developed great communication skills
- Shared studying strategies

ACADEMIC CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

Cuevas, C., Farrell, A., McDevitt, J., Zhang, S., Temple, J., **Robles, J.**, Lockwood, S. (2018, February). *Understanding & Measuring Bias Victimization Against Latinos*. Poster session presented at the Phd Student Welcome Event, Boston, MA.

Robles, J. (2017, April). *Islam is the New Black: Muslim Perceptions of Law Enforcement*. Paper symposium at the Boise State Undergraduate Research Conference at Boise State University, Boise, ID.

Robles, J. (2016, August). *Islam is the New Black: Muslim Perceptions of Law Enforcement*. Paper symposium at the McNair Summer Research Symposium, Boise, ID.

Robles, J. (2016, August). *Islam is the New Black: Muslim Perceptions of Law Enforcement*. Paper symposium at the Annual McNair Scholars Symposium, Berkeley, CA.

Robles, J. (2016, July). *Islam is the New Black: Muslim Perceptions of Law Enforcement*. Poster session presented at the Idaho Conference of Undergraduate Research, Boise, ID.

Robles, J. (2016, April,). *Islam is the New Black: Muslim Perceptions of Law Enforcement*. Poster session presented at the Boise State Undergraduate Research Conference, Boise, ID.

Robles, J. (2016, March). *Islam is the New Black: Muslim Perceptions of Law Enforcement*. Poster session presented at the National Conference for McNair Scholar, College Park, MD.

SERVICE

Planning Committee 2017

Inclusive Excellence Student Council | Boise State University

- Identified lack of resources for multicultural and minority students at the administrative level
- Developed an operating framework for a new student council to improve minority representation
- Acquired funding to compensate the created council positions

Co-Founder 2016-2017

Student Honoring Active Demarginalization Efforts | Boise State University

- Created a departmental resource center for students of color
- Developed marketing strategies and recruitment techniques to promote student belonging
- Mentored, empowered, and connected students to ensure their success on and off campus

Treasurer 2016-2017

Gender Studies Club | Boise State University

- Facilitated events to foster conversations related to gender and sexuality
- Managed the budget for the organization and submitted all financial paperwork
- Created events to fundraise money for the organization

Volunteer 2016

Mexican Consulate | Boise, ID

- Facilitated opportunities for students to volunteer with the Mexican Consulate
- Volunteered during Latino Fest, Hispanic Heritage Week & Mexican Independence day

SERVICE (CONT.)

Facilitator	2016
Diversity and Identity Workshop Boise State University	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Designed a presentation intended to engage participants in a conversation about privilege, identity, and social justice	
Co-director	2016-2017
Assistant Personnel Manager	2014-2016
Team Leader	2013
Project Dream for Tomorrow Boise State University	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Co-led a two-day event geared towards teaching underrepresented high school students about higher education• Worked alongside campus administrators and departments to plan the event and provide resources for the students• Fundraised money for the event• Managed a team of university students and provided training in preparation for the event• Led a team of 10 high school students and engaged them in open dialogue about higher education	
President	2015-2016
Secretary	2014-2015
Member	2013-2014
Organización de Estudiantes Latino-Americanos Boise State University	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Led a team of university students in efforts to bring cultural awareness to our university campus• Created events in order to foster a community for Latinx students on campus• Inaugurated the “A Night in Latin America” Festival• Worked alongside the Project Dream for Tomorrow committee to provide funding and volunteers for the event	

OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Oregon Childhood Development Coalition, The Dalles, OR	Summer 2014, 2015, 2017
Family Advocate	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enrolled migrant children into the OCDC Migrant Summer Program• Worked with migrant families to address needs and provide community resources• Processed and entered confidential information into the OCDC database• Practised translating and interpreting	

CERTIFICATIONS

First Aid Certification	2017-2019
CITI Training	2016
Social and Behavioral Research Ethics	

HONORS AND AWARDS

Making Justice Visible Award Multicultural Student Services Boise State University	2017
McNair Research Fellowship Amount: \$2,800	2015-2017
TRiO Rising Scholars Program	2014-2017
Dean's List	2013,2014 2016
Dean's List High Honors	2015, 2017
College Assistance Migrant Program Scholarship Amount: \$2,800	2013-2014

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Bilingual- English and Spanish
- Fast typist- 60 WPM
- Excellent with Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Excel, and Access
- Intermediate skills with the statistical softwares Stata and SPSS
- Intermediate skills with survey building software Qualtrics

REFERENCES

References available upon request