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Education

Current	M.A., Criminal Justice, University of Mississippi
2021	B.A., Criminology, Mississippi State University

Academic Positions

Current	Graduate Assistant, Criminal Justice & Legal Studies Department, University of Mississippi
2020 – 2021	Undergraduate Research Assistant, Social Science Research Center, Mississippi State University
2019 – 2020	Undergraduate Research Assistant, High Performance Computing Collaboratory, Mississippi State University

Research Interests

Criminology; Aggression; Gender; Children & Youth; Social Psychology; Sexual Deviance

Projects

2020	Stubbs-Richardson, M. Anreddy, S., & Porter, B. RAPID: Analyses of Emotions Expressed in Social Media and Forums
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- During the COVID-19 Pandemic. (\$196,890 funded). National Science Foundation (07/2020 – 06/2021). Worked heavily on gathering data for social media platforms such as Twitter and Instagram. Gathered information for a literature review for both above social media platforms. Currently coding for COVID Related Scams Study involving above social media platforms.
- 2020 Gjika, A. & Stubbs-Richardson, M. The Silence Breakers: Narratives of gender-based violence in the #metoo movement. Data coding in process. Coder on project.
- 2020 Stubbs-Richardson, M., **Gilbreath, S.**, Girault, D. & Reid, A. It's a global #MeToo: A cross-national comparison of public figures exposed in the movement. Co-authoring this article with a focus on big data and its influence on the #MeToo Movement. Heavily wrote for the literature review and coding. Cleaned up the data set and learned key factors form a reviewers stand point.
- 2019 May, D. C. (PI), Barranco, R., Moffatt, B., Parrish, A., Potter, M., & Stubbs- Richardson, M. (Undergraduate Research Assistant). (2019). Providing actionable intelligence to increase the capabilities of the Warfighter by use of MSU Open Source Exploitation System (MOSES). Awarded \$2,800,000 to develop best practices and training modules for Army Warfighters in Using Open Source Intelligence Data (January 2019 – January 2020). Assisted in tasks assigned to me by the PIs such as collecting literature reviews, coding for research, and data mining.

Professional Presentations

- 2020 Stubbs-Richardson, M. **Gilbreath, S.**, Hopkins, A., Smith, D., Hubbert, J. B., Nelson, S., & Reid, A. (2020). It's a global #MeToo: A cross-national comparison of public figures exposed in the movement. Presented at the Academy for Criminal Justice Sciences in San Antonio, TX. (*Cancelled due to COVID-19*).

2020 Stubbs-Richardson, M., **Gilbreath, S.**, Smith, D., Reid, A., May, D. (2020). Incidental findings in open source intelligence research. Presented at the Association for Practical and Professional Ethics in Atlanta, GA

Professional Development

2019 – 2020 CITI Program Certification

Research Experience

(August 2021-Current) Graduate Assistant, CJ&LSD

I currently work as a graduate assistant helping around the Criminal Justice Legal Studies Department with whatever tasks are needed. Fall 2021's assignment is being a Teaching Assistant for Professor Lytle and Professor Goudy.

(March 2020-May 2021) Undergraduate Research Assistant, SSRC

I worked under Dr. Megan Stubbs-Richardson as her undergraduate research assistant. I collected literature, learned to code data, and work as a co-author on publications. She helped mentor me in research and academia and gave me insight on team building and gathering meta data.

(Aug, 2019-March 2020) Undergraduate Research Assistant, HPCC

I worked under Dr. David May for a Criminology internship. I was chosen to interview out of the top 10% of Criminology majors. I learned team building skills, computer skills such as excel/word, and how to communicate in larger project settings. This internship gave me the ability to experience research conferences and broaden my research interests.

Extracurricular Activities

2017 – 2021 Pi Beta Phi Fraternity, Fraternity Heritage Chair (2018);
Social Events Chair (2020)

2018 – 2021 Psychology Club

2020 – 2021	College Democrats Club
2018 – 2019	Student Work for Maroon Volunteer Center, Mississippi State University
Summer 2019	LeaderSTATE JROTC Camp Counselor
Summer 2020	LeaderSTATE JROTC Camp Counselor (<i>Canceled because of Covid-19</i>)

Community Service

2019 – 2020	Montgomery Leadership Program, Volunteered at Equestrian extension Program in West Point, MS and the Mental Health Facility in Starkville, MS. Capstone Project was bringing a mental health speaker to campus in Spring 2020 to discuss communication skills.
Fall 2017	Day One Leadership Program, Volunteered with Palmer Home for Children in Columbus, MS.

Awards & Honors

Spring 2021	Dean's List
Fall 2021	Dean's List
Spring 2020	Dean's List
Fall 2019	Dean's List
Fall 2018	President's List
Fall 2017	President's List

References

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