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EDUCATION:

Ph.D., Communication, University of California, Santa Barbara, June 2018

Advisor: Dana Mastro, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *The Differential Effects of Threatening Immigration Coverage: An Examination of the Role of Identity and Media Type*

M.A., Communication, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, May 2014

Advisor: Patricia Gill, Ph.D.

Graduate Minor: Gender and Women's Studies

B.A., International Studies, Cum Laude, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, December 2011

Advisor: Antonio LaPastina, Ph.D.

Concentration: Media and Communication

Minor: Spanish

Thesis: *"What Comes Next? A look at the Past and Future of GLBT Representation in Spanish Television"*

POSITIONS:

Assistant Professor, University of Missouri-Columbia (2018- Present)

Teaching and Research Assistant, University of California, Santa Barbara (2014-2018)

Teaching Assistant, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (2012-2014)

RESEARCH:

Publications:

Figueroa-Caballero, A., Mastro, D., Stamps, D. (2019). An Examination of the Effects of Mediated Intragroup and Intergroup Interactions. *Communication Quarterly*, doi:10.1080/01463373.2019.1573745

Figueroa-Caballero, A., & Mastro, M. (2018). Examining the Effects of News Coverage linking Undocumented Immigrants with Criminality: Policy and Punitive Implications. *Communication Monographs*, doi: 10.1080/03637751.2018.1505049.

Mastro, D., & **Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (2018) Measuring Extremes: A Quantitative Content Analysis of Primetime TV Depictions of Body Type. *Journal of Broadcasting and Electronic Media*, 62, 320-336.

Smith, B. K., Englund, S., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Salcido, E., & Stohl, M. (2017). Media constructions of terrorism. In M. Stohl, R. Burchill & S. Englund (Eds.), *Constructions of Terrorism*. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press.

- Smith, B., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Chan, S., Kovacs, R., Middo, E., Nelson, L., ... & Stohl, M. (2016). Framing Daesh: Failures and Consequences. *Perspectives on Terrorism*, 10, 40-50.
- Bond, B. J., & **Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (2016). Exploring the Relationship Between Computer-Mediated Communication, Sexual Identity Commitment, and Well-Being Among Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Adolescents. *Communication Research Reports*, 33, 288-294.
- Kam, J. A., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, & Basinger, E. D. (2016). Measuring alcohol-specific communication with friends: conceptualizing and operationalizing communication as multidimensional. *Health communication*, 31, 695-706.
- Kam, J. A., Krieger, J. L., Basinger, E. D., & **Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (2016). What do high school students say when they talk to their friends about substance use? Exploring the content of substance-use-specific communication with friends. *Health communication*, 31, 522-535.
- Mastro, D., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, & Sink, A. (2016). Primetime Television: Portrayals and Effects. In C. P. Campbell (Ed.), *The Routledge Companion to Race and Media*. New York: Routledge Press.

Under Review:

- Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Mastro, D. (2018). Does watching this make me feel ashamed or angry? An examination of non-immigrant Latinos responses to immigration coverage. *Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology*, under second review.
- Smith, B., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, al-Gharbi, M., Stohl M. (2018). Projecting the Known onto the Unknown: How Dominant Terrorist Organizations Frame Reporting of Other Terrorists. *International Journal of Communication*, under second review.
- Sink, A., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Mastro, D. (2019). Warmth, Competence, and the Affective Mediators of Intergroup Contact. *Journalism and Mass Communication Quarterly*, under first review.

Conference Papers (Refereed):

- Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Mastro, D. (2018). Disentangling Latinos and Immigrants: An Examination of the role of Shame responses to group-threatening news coverage To be presented at the 69th meeting of the International Communication Association, Washington, D.C., USA.
- Sink, A., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Mastro, D. (2019). Warmth, Competence, and the Affective Mediators of Intergroup Contact. To be presented at the 69th meeting of the International Communication Association, Washington, D.C., USA.
- Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Mastro, D. (2018, November). *Extending Beyond the Voting Booth to the Jury Box: Linking Undocumented Immigrants with Criminality in U.S. News Coverage*. Presented at the 104rd meeting of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT.

- Figueroa-Caballero, A.,** Mastro, D. (2018, November). *Does watching this make me feel ashamed or angry? An examination of non-immigrant Latinos responses to immigration coverage.* Presented at the 104rd meeting of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Smith, B., al-Gharbi, M., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.,** Stohl (2018, November). *Projecting the Known onto the Unknown: How Dominant Terrorist Organizations Frame Reporting of Other Terrorists.* To be presented at the 104rd meeting of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (2017, November). *Looking Beyond Hamilton: A Review and Critique of US Immigration Coverage.* Presented at the 103rd meeting of the National Communication Association, Dallas, TX.
- Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (2017, November). *Race, Ethnicity, and New Media.* Presented at the 103rd meeting of the National Communication Association, Dallas, TX.
- Figueroa-Caballero, A.,** Mastro, D., Stamps, D. (2017, November). *An Examination of the Effects of Mediated Intragroup and Intergroup Interactions.* Presented at the 103rd meeting of the National Communication Association, Dallas, TX.
- Figueroa-Caballero, A.,** & Mastro, D. (2017, May). *Examining the Effects of News Coverage linking Undocumented Immigrants with Criminality: Policy and Punitive Implications.* Paper presented at the meeting of the International Communication Association, San Diego, CA.
- Smith, B., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.,** al-Gharbi, M., Stohl (2016, November). *Al Qaeda in the American consciousness: The role of al Qaeda in framing the global terrorist threat.* Paper presented at the 102nd meeting of the National Communication Association, Philadelphia, PA.
- Smith, B. K., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.,** & Stohl, M. (2016, June). *Networks of terror: A computational approach to studying the communicatively constituted terrorist actor.* Paper presented at the 2nd Annual International Conference on Computational Social Science, Evanston, IL.
- Smith, B. K., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.,** & Stohl, M. (2016, June). *Al Qaeda in the American consciousness: Communicative construction of the terrorist actor through attribute framing.* Paper presented at the meeting of the International Communication Association, Fukuoka, Japan.
- Mastro, D., Sink, A., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (2015, November). *Media and Intergroup Emotions: Examining the Role of Media in Prompting Attack and Exclude Emotions.* Paper presented at the 101st meeting of the National Communication Association, Las Vegas, NV.
- Mastro, D., & **Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (2015, May). *Measuring Extremes: A Quantitative Content Analysis of Primetime TV Depictions of Body Type.* Paper to be presented at the International Communication Association, Puerto Rico.
- Kam, J. A., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.,** & Basinger, E. D. (2015, May). *Constructing a measure of alcohol-specific communication with friends: Conceptualizing and operationalizing communication as multidimensional.* Paper to be presented at the International Communication Association, Puerto Rico. Top Paper Panel, Interpersonal Communication Division.

Bond, B. & **Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (2015, May) *The Relationship between Computer-Mediated Communication, Sexual Identity Commitment, and Emotional Well-Being among Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Adolescents*. Paper to be presented at the International Communication Association, Puerto Rico.

Figueroa-Caballero, A. & Moga, J. (2013, April). *The Latino Experience: Exploring Aversive Racism in the Midwest*. Paper presented at the 4th Annual Gesa E. Kirsh, CWS Graduate Symposium, Champaign-Urbana, IL.

Figueroa-Caballero, A. (2012, April). *What Comes Next? A look at the Past and Future of GLBT Representation in Spanish Television*. Paper presented at the 82nd Annual Convention of the Southern States Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.

Invited Conference Presentations / Guest Lectures:

Smith, B. K., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Chan, S., Kovacs, R., Middo, E., Nelson, L., ... Stohl, M. (2016, April). *Ideological motives: Failures of differentiation within the print media*. Paper presented at the Constructions of Terrorism Conference, Washington D.C.

Figueroa-Caballero, A. (2016, March). *Theories of Mass Media*. Lecture presented to undergraduate students in COMM 1, Introduction to Communication, University of California, Santa Barbara.

Smith, B. K., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.** & Stohl, M. (2016, February). Constructions of terrorism: Communicative constitution of Daesh through attribute framing. In M. Juergensmeyer, & K. Visweswaran (Chairs), *Security spheres: Islamic State as research object*. Symposium conducted at the Orfalea Center Global Studies Conference, Santa Barbara, CA.

Smith, B. K., Englund, S., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Salcido, E., & Stohl, M. (2015, December). *Media constructions of terrorism*. Paper presented at the Constructions of Terrorism Conference, Santa Barbara, CA.

AWARDS AND HONORS:

Top Paper Awards:

Sink, A., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, Mastro, D. (2019). Warmth, Competence, and the Affective Mediators of Intergroup Contact. To be presented at the 69th meeting of the International Communication Association, Washington, D.C., USA. Top Paper Panel, Mass Communication Division.

Figueroa-Caballero, A., Mastro, D. (2018, November). *Extending Beyond the Voting Booth to the Jury Box: Linking Undocumented Immigrants with Criminality in U.S. News Coverage*. Presented at the 104rd meeting of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT. Top Paper Panel, Mass Communication Division.

Kam, J. A., **Figueroa-Caballero, A.**, & Basinger, E. D. (May, 2015). *Constructing a measure of alcohol-specific communication with friends: Conceptualizing and operationalizing communication as*

multidimensional. Presented at the International Communication Association, Puerto Rico. Top Paper Panel, Interpersonal Communication Division.

Bond, B. & **Figueroa-Caballero, A.** (May, 2015) *The Relationship between Computer-Mediated Communication, Sexual Identity Commitment, and Emotional Well-Being among Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Adolescents*. Presented at the International Communication Association, Puerto Rico. Top Paper/Poster Session, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Studies Division.

Academic Honors and Awards:

IDE Excellence Grant (\$9000), Division of Inclusion, Diversity, and Equity,
University of Missouri, Columbia
CSI Dissertation Funding Award (\$2000), Chicano Studies Institute,
University of California, Santa Barbara
Graduate Student Research Grant (\$875), Department of Communication
University of California, Santa Barbara
List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent by their Students, Fall 2012, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, Spring 2014
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Graduate College Fellowship (\$12,000), 2011
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Distinguished Liberal Arts Honors, 2011
Texas A&M University at College Station

SERVICE:

Professional Service:

Journal Reviewer:
Media Psychology

Conference Reviewer:
Mass Communication Division, International Communication Association (2016-present)
Ethnicity and Race in Communication Division, International Communication Association (2016-present)
Intergroup Communication Division, International Communication Association (2018-present)
Mass Communication Division, National Communication Association (2015-present)

Department Service:

Volunteer, Graduate Recruitment Open House (2015-2017)
University of California, Santa Barbara, Department of Communication
Graduate Student Advisory Committee to the Chair, Ph.D. Representative, Winter 2015- 2016
University of California, Santa Barbara, Department of Communication
Graduate Recruitment Weekend Planning Committee, Member, Winter 2015
University of California, Santa Barbara, Department of Communication
Graduate Student Association, Member, Fall 2012-2014
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Department of Communication
Graduate Employee Organization, Member, Fall 2012-2014

