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Education

University of Texas at Austin

PhD in Political Science – Department of Government

Dissertation Title: National Security Policy Diffusion

Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul (UFRGS) 2014-2016

Masters in International Strategic Studies/International Relations

Thesis Title: National Security Institutional Change: Causes and Consequences of Institutional Changes in the US National Security Council (2001-2015)

Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul (UFRGS)

Bachelor in International Relations

Thesis Title: Civilians in Armed Conflicts: the Strategic Costs of Non-Protection

Research Experience

University of Texas at Austin

Department of Government

- Project Title: Policy Agendas Project
- Coordinators: Bryan Jones and Frank Baumgartner
- Activities:
 - Data collection
 - Data coding

Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro (PUC-RJ)

Institute of International Relations (IRI)

- Project Title: Brazil and South Atlantic Security: Foreign Policy and Defense Strategy
- Coordinator: Professor Kai Kenkel, Ph.D.
- Activities:
 - Research on defense and security developments in the South Atlantic region.

Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul (UFRGS)

Center for International Studies on Government (CEGOV)

- Project Title: Atlas of International Security
- Coordinator: Professor Marco Aurélio Chaves Cepik, Ph.D.
- Activities:
 - Mapping and analysis of the main transformations of the international system since the end of Cold War and their impacts over the distribution of power;
 - Creation of defense and security indexes;
 - Organization of a digital database containing information on main international conflicts.
- Project Title: Comparative Politics and Intelligence Services: a Network Analysis of 35 countries
- Coordinator: Professor Marco Aurélio Chaves Cepik, Ph.D.
- Activities:

2017 – present

2014-2016

2012-2016

2017 - present

2009-2014

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 Network analysis of governmental agencies and intelligence services of select countries.

Teaching Experience

University of Texas at Austin

2017 - 2022

Instructor

- Courses:
 - U.S. Foreign Policy in the 20th and 21st Centuries (2021/2 and 2022/2)
 - Political Internship (2021/Summer)

Teaching Assistant

- Courses:
 - Introduction to Latin American Government and Politics (2021/1)
 - o Drugs, Commerce, and Immigration in United States-Mexico Relations (2020/2)
 - Government and Politics of Western Europe (2020/1)
 - Engineering Communication (2018/2, 2019/1 and 2019/2)
 - Social Movements: Theory and Practice (2018/1)
 - o Issues and Policies in American Politics: Race, Media, and Politics (2017/2)

Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul

2014 - 2015

Teaching Assistant

- Courses:
 - International Relations Theory B (2015/1)
 - International Security (2014/1)

Publications

Papers

- **QUAGLIA, L.C.** The Effect of the Rise of Niche Parties on Policy Making and Policy Outputs. (*under review*)
- **QUAGLIA**, L.C. ; EPP, Derek; MADEL, Katherine. Does partisanship explain spending patterns in congressional bill proposals? Party Politics, September 2020. doi:10.1177/1354068820954626
- QUAGLIA, L. C. Foreign Policy and National Security in Contemporary Brazil: Cultural and Institutional Challenges. Revista Conjuntura Austral, v. 6, n. 32, p. 62-77, 2015.
- **QUAGLIA, L. C.**; SILVEIRA, I. L. . MINUSTAH: o papel da missão no Haiti no avanço das pretensões internacionais brasileiras. Revista Perspectiva, v. 07, p. 77-90, 2014.
- QUAGLIA, L. C. ; SILVEIRA, I. L. ; CARDOSO, N. A. O. ; BITTENCOURT, T. . The Inauguration of Multilateralism in Brazilian Foreign Policy: Brazilian Participation in the II Hague Convention. Fronteira (PUCMG), v. 9, p. 29-46, 2010

News Media

• DYE, C., DWIDAR, M., FAGAN, E.J., MADEL, K., ; **QUAGLIA**, L. C. Trump's State of the Union Addresses are Very Different from his Predecessors. The Washington Post (online), 2/7/2019.

Book Chapters

- VISENTINI, P. F. ; **QUAGLIA**, L. C. . Libya. In: Paulo Fagundes Visentini. (Org.). Os Países Africanos - Diversidade de um Continente. 1ed.Porto Alegre: Leitura XXI, 2012, v. , p. 33-38.
- VISENTINI, P. F. ; **QUAGLIA, L. C.** . Congo. In: Paulo Fagundes Visentini. (Org.). Os Países Africanos Diversidade de um Continente. 1ed.Porto Alegre: Leitura XXI, 2012, v., p. 139-142.

Conference Presentations

- QUAGLIA, L.C. Country Association Score. PolMeth XXXIX Conference, St. Louis, 2022. (Poster)
- **QUAGLIA, L.C.** National Security Policy Diffusion: The Case of TSA Regulations. 79th MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, 2022.
- **QUAGLIA, L.C.** The Effect of the Rise of Niche Parties on Policy Making and Policy Outputs. IPSA Annual Conference, 2021 (Virtual).
- **QUAGLIA, L.C.** The Effect of the Rise of Niche Parties on Policy Making and Policy Outputs. APSA Annual Conference, 2020 (Virtual).
- **QUAGLIA, L.C.** National Security Policy Diffusion. Comparative Agendas Project Annual Conference, Budapest, 2019.
- **QUAGLIA, L.C.** National Security Reform in the U.S.: How 9/11 made way for long overdue change. 77th MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, 2019.
- **QUAGLIA**, L.C. National Security Reform in the U.S.: How 9/11 made way for long overdue change. 90th SPSA Annual Conference, Austin, 2019.
- **QUAGLIA**, **L.C.** National Security Policy Diffusion: Why Australia and New Zealand adopt U.S. National Security Policies. 26th ANZSANA Annual Conference, Austin, 2019.
- **QUAGLIA**, L.C. National Security Council Throughout Bush/Obama: institution, evolution and events. 57th ISA Annual Conference, Atlanta, 2016.
- **QUAGLIA**, **L.C.** The Evolution of the Role of the National Security Advisor in the 21st Century (2001-2013). 57th ISA Annual Conference, Atlanta, 2016.
- QUAGLIA, L. C. ; BRANCHER, P. T. L. . Foreign Policy and National Security in Contemporary Brazil. VIII Congreso Latinoamericano de Ciencia Política, Lima Peru, 2015.

Fellowships and Awards

- Society for Political Methodology Travel and Participation Award (2022)
- Graduate School Summer Fellowship (2022)
- Graduate School Continuing Fellowship (2022)

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- ICPSR Sponsorship (2020)
- Pre-Dissertation Fellowship (2019, 2020)
- Professional Development Award (2019, 2020, 2022)
- Strauss Center/Brumley NextGen Fellowship (2019)
- IQMR Sponsorship (2019)

Departmental Service& Other Affiliations

- WIPS Women in Political Science Co-Organizer (2020-present)
- QuIPS Queers in Political Science Co-Founder and co-President (2020-present)
- Clements Center Fellow (2019-present)
- Strauss Center Fellow (2019-present)
- Comparative Agendas Project Fellow (2017-present)

Skills

Teaching Improvement Courses

• Inclusive Course Design Institute - UT Austin 2021

Extra-Curricular Methods Courses

- Time Series Analysis ICPSR 2020
- Applied Multilevel Modeling ICPSR 2020
- Machine Learning: Applications in Social Science Research ICPSR 2020
- Introduction to Python ICPSR 2020
- Multi-Method Research IQMR 2019
- QCA IQMR 2019
- Causal Model IQMR 2019
- Computer Assisted Text Analysis IQMR 2019

Languages

• Portuguese: native language;

- Spanish: advanced
- French: advanced
- English: proficient (TOEFL 116/120)