

Curriculum Vitae
TIANA GAUDETTE
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School of Criminal Justice
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EDUCATION

- 2022-Present Doctor of Philosophy (Criminal Justice), Michigan State University.
Chair: Dr. Steven Chermak
- 2016-19 Master of Arts (Criminology), Simon Fraser University.
Thesis: “Upvoting Extremism: Exploring a Far-Right Virtual Community on Reddit”
Senior Supervisor: Dr. Garth Davies
Supervisor: Dr. Richard Frank
External Examiner: Dr. Maura Conway (Dublin City University)
- 2014-16 Bachelor of Arts (Criminology), Simon Fraser University.
- 2012-14 British Columbia College Diploma (Criminal and Social Justice), Okanagan College.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Targeted violence; school shootings; violent extremism; domestic terrorism; terrorists’ and extremists’ use of the Internet.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

8. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Eve Petrie, Steven Chermak, & Joshua Freilich. (2023). Media Coverage of School Shootings: A Distortion Analysis of Incident and Perpetrator Characteristics. *Crime & Delinquency*. Ahead of print, 1-28.
7. Scrivens, Ryan, Garth Davies, **Tiana Gaudette**, and Richard Frank. (2022). Comparing Online Posting Typologies among Violent and Nonviolent Right-Wing Extremists. *Studies in Conflict and Terrorism*. Ahead of print, 1-23.
6. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, and Vivek Venkatesh. (2022). Disengaged but Still Radical? Pathways Out of Violent Right-Wing Extremism. *Terrorism and Political Violence*, 35(8), 1-27.
5. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Garth Davies, and Ryan Scrivens. (2021). Criminological Perspectives on the Toronto 18. *Manitoba Law Journal*, 44(1), 55-79.
4. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, Garth Davies, and Richard Frank. (2020). Upvoting Extremism: Collective Identity Formation and the Extreme Right on Reddit. *New Media & Society*, 23(12), 1-18.

3. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, and Vivek Venkatesh. (2020). The Role of the Internet in Facilitating Violent Extremism: Insights from Former Right-Wing Extremists. *Terrorism and Political Violence*, 34(7), 1-18.
2. Bérubé, Maxime, Ryan Scrivens, Vivek Venkatesh, and **Tiana Gaudette**. (2019). Converging Patterns in Pathways in and out of Violent Extremism: Insights from Former Canadian Right-Wing Extremists. *Perspectives on Terrorism*, 13(6), 73-89.
1. Scrivens, Ryan, Vivek Venkatesh, Maxime Bérubé, and **Tiana Gaudette**. (2019). Combating Violent Extremism: Voices of Former Right-Wing Extremists. *Studies in Conflict & Terrorism*, 45(8), 661-681.

BOOK CHAPTERS

6. **Gaudette, Tiana**, and Ryan Scrivens. (Forthcoming). Pathways Out of Hate Groups: Trends in the Empirical Literature and Future Directions. In Irene Zempi, Jon Garland, and Jo Smith (Eds.), *Hate Crime Offenders: New Perspectives from Theory, Practice and Research*. Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave (Hate Studies Series) (by invitation).
5. Scrivens, Ryan, and **Tiana Gaudette**. (In press). Online Terrorism and Violent Extremism. Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice (by invitation).
4. Scrivens, Ryan, **Tiana Gaudette**, Maura Conway, and Thomas J. Holt (2022). Right-Wing Extremists' Use of the Internet: Emerging Trends in the Empirical Literature. In Barbara Perry, Jeff Gruenewald, and Ryan Scrivens (Eds.), *Right-Wing Extremism in Canada and the United States*. Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave (Hate Studies Series) (by invitation). Forthcoming 2022.
3. Davies, Garth, **Tiana Gaudette**, Ryan Scrivens, and Richard Frank (2022). They're Not All the Same: A Longitudinal Comparison of Violent and Non-Violent Right-Wing Identities. In Barbara Perry, Jeff Gruenewald, and Ryan Scrivens (Eds.), *Right-Wing Extremism in Canada and the United States*. Cham, Switzerland: Palgrave (Hate Studies Series) (by invitation). Forthcoming 2022.
2. Scrivens, Ryan, and **Tiana Gaudette**. (2021). Terrorists' and Violent Extremists' Use of the Internet and Cyberterrorism. In Thomas J. Holt (Ed.), *Crime Online: Causes, Correlates and Context, Fourth Edition* (pp. 231-262). Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press (by invitation).
1. Scrivens, Ryan, **Tiana Gaudette**, Garth Davies, and Richard Frank. (2019). Searching for Extremist Content Online Using The Dark Crawler and Sentiment Analysis. In Mathieu Deflem and Derek M. D. Silva (Eds.), *Methods of Criminology and Criminal Justice Research* (pp. 179-194). Bingley, UK: Emerald Publishing (by invitation).

RESEARCH BRIEFS

12. Scrivens, R., Gaudette, T., Conway, M., and Holt, T. J. (2022). Right-Wing Extremists' Use of the Internet: Emerging Trends in the Empirical Literature. *Global Network on Extremism and Technology Insights*.

11. Scrivens, Ryan, **Tiana Gaudette**, and Vivek Venkatesh. (2022). Disengaged but Still Radical? Pathways Out of Violent Right-Wing Extremism. *Center for Research on Extremism (C-REX) RightNow!*
10. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, and Vivek Venkatesh. (2021). The Role of the Internet in Facilitating Violent Extremism: Insights from Former Right-Wing Extremists. *Centre on Hate, Bias and Extremism Blog*.
9. Scrivens, Ryan, Vivek Venkatesh, Maxime Bérubé, and **Tiana Gaudette**. (2021). Bekämpfung von gewalttätigem Extremismus: Einsichten von ehemaligen Rechtsextremisten. *Journal EXIT-Deutschland*.
8. Scrivens, Ryan, Vivek Venkatesh, Maxime Bérubé, and **Tiana Gaudette**. (2021). Combating Violent Extremism: Insights from Former Right-Wing Extremists. *Center for Research on Extremism (C-REX) RightNow!*
7. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, Garth Davies, and Richard Frank. (2020). Upvoting Extremism: Collective Identity Formation and the Extreme Right on Reddit. *Global Network on Extremism and Technology Insights*.
6. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, and Vivek Venkatesh. (2020). The Role of the Internet in Facilitating Violent Extremism: Insights from Former Right-Wing Extremists. *Global Network on Extremism and Technology Insights*.
5. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, and Vivek Venkatesh. (2020). The Role of the Internet in Facilitating Violent Extremism, Part II: Insights from Former Right-Wing Extremists. *VOX-Pol Network of Excellence Blog*.
4. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, and Vivek Venkatesh. (2020). The Role of the Internet in Facilitating Violent Extremism, Part I: Insights from Former Right-Wing Extremists. *VOX-Pol Network of Excellence Blog*.
3. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Garth Davies, and Ryan Scrivens. (2018). Upvoting Extremism, Part II: An Assessment of Extreme Right Discourse on Reddit. *VOX-Pol Network of Excellence Blog*.
2. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Garth Davies, and Ryan Scrivens. (2018). Upvoting Extremism, Part I: An Assessment of Extreme Right Discourse on Reddit. *VOX-Pol Network of Excellence Blog*.
1. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, and Garth Davies. (2018). The Future of Detecting Extreme-Right Sentiment Online. *VOX-Pol Network of Excellence Blog*.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2022-Present	Project Manager, School of Criminal Justice, Michigan State University. Project: The American School Shooting Study (funded by the National Institute of Justice).
2018-2020	Research Assistant, Faculty of Social Science and Humanities, Ontario Tech University. Project: Updating the Environmental Scan of Right-Wing Extremism in Canada (funded by Public Safety Canada).
2018-2019	Research Assistant, Project SOMEONE, Concordia University.

- Project: Insights from Former Extremists (funded by Public Safety Canada).
- 2018-2019 Research Assistant, Project SOMEONE, Concordia University.
Project: The Prevention of Radicalization and Violent Extremism in Quebec Universities (funded by UNESCO and the Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement supérieur Québec).
- 2017-Present Research Associate, International CyberCrime Research Centre, Simon Fraser University.
Project: An Exploration of Extremist Content on Reddit.

RESEARCH AWARDS

7. Gaudette, Tiana. (2023). Michigan State University, Huff Travel Scholarship. \$870 (USD).
6. Gaudette, Tiana. (2023). Michigan State University, Summer Fellowship. \$3,000 (USD).
5. Gaudette, Tiana. (2022). Michigan State University, Summer Fellowship. \$3,000 (USD).
4. Gaudette, Tiana. (2018). Simon Fraser University, Graduate Fellowship. \$6,500 (CAD).
3. Gaudette, Tiana. (2018). Simon Fraser University, Travel and Minor Research Award. \$466 (CAD).
2. Gaudette, Tiana. (2017). Simon Fraser University, Professional Development Grant. \$500 (CAD).
1. Gaudette, Tiana. (2017). Simon Fraser University, Travel and Minor Research Award. \$367 (CAD).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2016-17 Teaching Assistant, School of Criminology, Simon Fraser University.
Courses: CRIM 220 – Criminal Law (4 semesters); CRIM 320 – Quantitative Research Methods in Criminology.

PAPERS PRESENTED AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

12. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Joshua Freilich, Steven Chermak, Brent Klein, Emily Greene-Colozzi. Criminological Explanations of School Shootings in the United States. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, USA. November 17, 2023.
11. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Ryan Scrivens, and Vivek Venkatesh. “Disengaged but Still Radical? Pathways Out of Violent Right-Wing Extremism.” Presentation accepted at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, USA. November 18, 2021.
10. Scrivens, Ryan, **Tiana Gaudette**, Maura Conway, and Thomas J. Holt. “Right-Wing Extremists’ Use of the Internet: Emerging Trends in the Empirical Literature.” Presentation at the AVERT Violent Extremism Symposium on Violent Extremism at the Crossroads – Change, Persistence and Dynamism 20 Years After 9/11. November 3, 2021.

9. Scrivens, Ryan, Lorraine Bowman-Grieve, **Tiana Gaudette**, Thomas J. Holt, and Richard Frank. “Right-Wing Extremists’ Online Discourse on Peak Posting Days.” Awaiting acceptance at the 14th Annual International Society for Terrorism Research Conference, London, UK. September 3 to 4, 2020. Cancelled due to COVID-19.
8. Davies, Garth, and **Tiana Gaudette**. “¿Quién es Más Macho? A Comparison of Rhetoric and Sentiment Across Extremist Forums.” Awaiting acceptance at the European Consortium for Political Research General Conference, Innsbruck, Austria. August 26 to 28, 2020. Cancelled due to COVID-19.
7. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Garth Davies, Ryan Scrivens, and Richard Frank. “Upvoting Extremism: Exploring a Far-Right Virtual Community on Reddit.” Presentation accepted at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, USA. November 14, 2019.
6. Scrivens, Ryan, Vivek Venkatesh, Maxime Bérubé, and **Tiana Gaudette**. “Combating Violent Extremism: Insights from Former Right-Wing Extremists.” Presentation accepted at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, USA. November 14, 2019.
5. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Garth Davies, and Richard Frank. “Online Trends in Far-Right Narratives.” Presentation at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, USA. November 17, 2018.
4. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Garth Davies, and Ryan Scrivens. “Upvoting Extremism: An Assessment of Extreme Right Discourse on Reddit.” Presentation at the VOX-Pol’s Third Biennial Conference – Violent Extremism, Terrorism, and the Internet: Present and Future Trends, Amsterdam, Netherlands. August 20, 2018.
3. **Gaudette, Tiana**, Garth Davies, and Richard Frank. “The Development of Radical Right Narratives Online.” Presentation at the International Network for Hate Studies Biennial Conference, Oshawa, Ontario, Canada. May 30, 2018.
2. **Gaudette, Tiana**. “A Qualitative Analysis of Canadian Terror Case Law.” Presentation at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA. November 18, 2017.
1. **Gaudette, Tiana**. “Deconstructing De-radicalization: Behavioural and Psychological Disengagement from Terrorism.” Poster presentation at the Western Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada, USA. February 10, 2017.

INVITED TALKS AND PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

3. Scrivens, Ryan, **Tiana Gaudette**, Maura Conway, and Thomas J. Holt. “Right-Wing Extremists’ Use of the Internet: Emerging Trends in the Empirical Literature.” Invited presentation at the Centre on Hate, Bias and Extremism’s Talking About Right-Wing Extremism Experts Symposium. March 23, 2022.
2. Scrivens, Ryan, **Tiana Gaudette**, Maura Conway, and Thomas J. Holt. “Right-Wing Extremists’ Use of the Internet: Emerging Trends in the Empirical Literature.” Invited presentation at the Centre on Hate, Bias and Extremism and Meta Canada’s Hating on Social Media Symposium. February 7, 2022.

1. Scrivens, Ryan, **Tiana Gaudette**, and Vivek Venkatesh. (2021). “The Role of the Internet in Facilitating Violent Extremism: Insights from Former Right-Wing Extremists.” Invited presentation at the Norwegian Institute of International Affairs’ Consortium for Research on Terrorism and International Crime. September 29, 2021.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Journal referee:

Deviant Behavior (2021, 2022)
Journal of Information Technology and Politics (2020)
Journal of Policing, Intelligence and Counter-Terrorism (2021)
New Media and Society (2021, 2022)
Politics, Groups, and Identities (2021)
Terrorism and Political Violence (2019, 2021, 2022)
Psychology, Crime, and Law (2022)
Socius: Sociological Research for a Dynamic World (2023)
Journal of Cyber Policy (2023)
Information, Communication, and Society (2023)
Violence and Gender (2023)

Committees:

- 2023 – 2024 Graduate Student Representative, Michigan State University, School of Criminal Justice Bylaws Committee. Appointed.
- 2023 – 2024 Student Member, American Society of Criminology Division of Terrorism and Bias Crimes Executive Board. Elected.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Society of Criminology
 Canadian Network for Research on Terrorism, Security and Society
 School of Criminal Justice Graduate Student Network, Michigan State University
 International CyberCrime Research Centre
 Western Society of Criminology

MEDIA AND RESEARCH ATTENTION

7. *The Conversation*, Garth Davies and Sarah Negrin, “Regulating Online Hate Will Have Unintended, but Predictable, Consequences,” June 2, 2022. Article: <https://theconversation.com/regulating-online-hate-will-have-unintended-but-predictable-consequences-182724>
6. *Inside Story*, Simon Copland, “Australia’s Manosphere: A Prehistory,” September 13, 2021. Article: <https://insidestory.org.au/australias-manosphere-a-prehistory>
5. *The Atlantic*, Kaitlyn Tiffany, “The Secret Internet of TERFs”, December 8, 2020. Article: <https://www.theatlantic.com/technology/archive/2020/12/reddit-ovarit-the-donald/617320>

4. *CBC News*, Jonathan Montpetit, “What Former Skinheads Say About Why They Joined Hate Groups and Why They Left”, February 13, 2020. News article:
<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/montreal/former-skinheads-research-concordia-1.5459981>
3. *Homeland Security Today*, Phil Price, “How Do Canadian Extremists Find Their Way in – and Out – of White Supremacist Groups?”, January 14, 2020. News article:
<https://www.hstoday.us/subject-matter-areas/counterterrorism/how-do-canadian-extremists-find-their-way-in-and-out-of-white-supremacist-groups>
2. *Toronto Star*, Amira Elghawaby and Bernie M. Farber, “Make No Mistake, the Far-Right is Still a Danger to Our Country”, October 25, 2019. News article:
<https://www.thestar.com/opinion/contributors/2019/10/24/make-no-mistake-the-far-right-is-still-a-danger-to-our-country.html>
1. *Vice News*, Mack Lamoureux, “Here’s How Former Far-Right Extremists Think We Should Fight Radicalization”, September 27, 2019. News article:
https://www.vice.com/en_ca/article/qvgzn7/heres-how-former-far-right-extremists-think-we-should-fight-radicalization