

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2021- Doctor of Philosophy (Criminal Justice), Michigan State University
- 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

Terrorists' and extremists' use of the Internet; right-wing extremism and terrorism; online deviance; gender; preventing violent extremism; research methods.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

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*. Ahead of print, 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*. Ahead of print, 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*. Ahead of print, 1-21.

BOOK CHAPTERS

4. Scrivens, Ryan, Tiana Gaudette, Maura Conway, and Thomas J. Holt. (In Press). 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 2021.
3. Davies, Garth, Tiana Gaudette, Ryan Scrivens, and Richard Frank. (In Press). 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 2021.
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

8. Scrivens, Ryan, Vivek Venkatesh, Maxime Bérubé, and Tiana Gaudette. (2021). Bekämpfung von gewalttätigem Extremismus: Einsichten von ehemaligen Rechtsextremisten. *Journal EXIT-Deutschland*.
7. 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!*
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

- 2018-Present 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

4. Gaudette, Tiana. (2018). Simon Fraser University, Graduate Fellowship. \$6,500.
3. Gaudette, Tiana. (2018). Simon Fraser University, Travel and Minor Research Award. \$466.
2. Gaudette, Tiana. (2017). Simon Fraser University, Professional Development Grant. \$500.
1. Gaudette, Tiana. (2017). Simon Fraser University, Travel and Minor Research Award. \$367.

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

9. Gaudette, Tiana, Ryan Scrivens, and Vivek Venkatesh. “Disengaged but Still Radical? Pathways Out of Violent Right-Wing Extremism.” Accepted at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, USA. November 17-20, 2021.
8. 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.
7. 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.

6. 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.
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.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Journal referee:

Terrorism and Political Violence (2019, 2021)
Journal of Information Technology and Politics (2020)
New Media and Society (2021)
Deviant Behavior (2021)

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

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

MEDIA AND RESEARCH ATTENTION

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