

# LAURA HUBER

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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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### University of Mississippi

Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science

*January 2021-Present*

### Cornell University

Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Department of Government

*July 2019-December 2020*

## EDUCATION

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### Emory University

Ph.D in Political Science

*August 2019*

*Dissertation:* “Buying Women’s Rights: The Role of Conflict and International Actors in Gender Reform”

*Committee:* Dan Reiter (Chair), David Davis, and Danielle Jung

M.A. in Political Science

*December 2017*

### University of Dayton

B.A. in International Studies, Political Science, and Spanish, Honors with Distinction

*May 2014*

## PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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“Women and Peacemaking/Peacekeeping.” (with Sabrina Karim, Kyle Beardsley, Tessa Devereaux Evans, and Angie Torres-Beltran) In *Oxford Bibliographies in International Relations*. Ed. Patrick James. New York: Oxford University Press, Forthcoming.

“When Civilians are Attacked: Gender Equality and Terrorist Targeting.” 2019. *Journal of Conflict Resolution*

“Deepening the Conversation: The Successes and Dangers of Gendered Police Reform in Liberia.” (with Natalie Florea Hudson) 2019. *International Peacekeeping*

“The Internationalization of Security Sector Gender Reform in Post-Conflict Countries.” (with Sabrina Karim) 2018. *Conflict Management and Peace Science*

## WORKING PAPERS

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“Beyond the Boy’s Club: Women’s Leadership and Police Behavior” (With Anna Gunderson) *Invitation to Revise and Resubmit*

“Blue First and Foremost: The Limited Impact of Female Descriptive Representation on Sex Crimes Arrests” (With Anna Gunderson) *Under Review*

“Peacekeeping as Coup-Proofing? Evidence from United Nations Peacekeeping Contributions” (with Dani Villa).

“One Step Forward, One Step Back: The Micro-level Impact of Conflict on Men’s and Women’s Attitudes Towards Gender Equality in Uganda”

“The Forgotten Peacekeeper: Civilian Peacekeepers and Peacekeeping Effectiveness” (with Dani Villa)

“The Commando Effect: The Impact of Gender on Misconduct among Security Force Personnel using Experimental Survey Evidence” (with Sabrina Karim)

“Protectors or Perpetrators: Gendered Security Sector Reform and the Prevention of Conflict-Related Sexual Violence.”

## WORKS IN PROGRESS

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“Buying Women’s Rights: Conflict and International Actors in Gender Reform.”

“The Legacy of Female Combatants: Exposure of Female Combatants and Women’s Electoral Success in Uganda” (with Elizabeth Brannon)

“Security During and After Civil War: Introducing the Security Sector Reform Dataset” (with Sabrina Karim and William Andrew Wagstaff)

“Sisters in Security: Female Peacekeepers and Women’s Representation in Domestic Security Sectors” (with Sabrina Karim).

“Lock up your daughters! Experimentally testing the gendered protection norm” (with Sabrina Karim, Priscilla Torres, Roya Izadi, and Sara Fox)

“Mobilizing the Women: Conflict and Gendered Security Sector Reform”

“Beyond Add Women and Stir: Gendered Dynamics of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse in Troop Contributing Countries” (with Angie Torres-Beltran)

“Bringing Peace Home: Peace Operations as a Socializing Factor for Restraint” (with Sabrina Karim, Priscilla Torres, Roya Izadi, and Sara Fox)

“Who is Under the Blue Beret?” *Book Manuscript* (with Sabrina Karim, Priscilla Torres, Roya Izadi, and Sara Fox)

## BOOK CHAPTERS

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“The Practices of Gender in International Security Organizations.” (with Natalie Florea Hudson) 2018. *The Routledge Handbook of Gender and Security*.

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

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“The Elusive Peace: Ending Sexual Violence during and after Conflict” Special Report, US Institute of Peace (with Pearl Karuhanga Atuhaire, Nicole Gerring, Mirgul Kuhns, and Grace Ndirangu)

## CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

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### **American Political Science Association Annual Meeting**

2020: *Paper* - The Rambo Effect: The Impact of Militarized Masculinity on Peacekeeper Effectiveness, Experimental Evidence from Eight Countries (with Sabrina Karim)

2020: *Paper* - Beyond the Boy’s Club: Women’s Leadership and Police Behavior (with Anna Gundersen)

2019: *Paper* - One Step Forward, One Step Back: The Micro-level Impacts of Conflict and International Influence on Gender Equality in Uganda

2018: *Paper* - From Policy to Progress: The Role of Civil Conflict in Women’s Rights Reform

2018: *Paper* - Sisters in Security: Female Peacekeepers and Women’s Representation in Domestic Security Sectors (with Sabrina Karim)

2018: *Poster* - Gendered Security Sector Reform and Conflict Related Sexual Violence

### **Folke Bernadotte Academy Workshop**

2020: Protectors or Perpetrators: Gendered Security Sector Reform and the Prevention of Conflict-Related Sexual Violence.

### **Georgia Human Rights Network Workshop**

2019: *Paper* - One Step Forward, One Step Back: The Micro-level Impacts of Conflict and Aid on Gender Equality in Uganda

2017: *Paper* - Buying Women's Rights: Conflict and International Actors in Gender Reform Adoption

2017: *Poster* - When Civilians are Attacked: Gender Equality and Terrorist Targeting

2016: *Poster* - Opening the Door: The Role of Conflict in SSR Gender Mainstreaming Policy Adoption

### **International Studies Association Annual Conference**

2020 (cancelled): *Paper* - Beyond 'Add Women and Stir': Gendered Dynamics of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse in Troop Contributing Countries

2020 (cancelled): *Paper* - Protectors or Perpetrators: Gendered Security Sector Reform and the Prevention of Conflict-Related Sexual Violence

2019: *Paper* - One Step Forward, One Step Back: The Micro-level Impacts of Conflict and Aid on Gender Equality in Uganda

2018: *Paper* - Sisters in Security: Female Peacekeepers and Women's Representation in Domestic Security Sectors (With Sabrina Karim)

2018: *Paper* - From Policy to Progress: The Role of Conflict and International Actors in Gender Reform Adoption 2017: *Paper* - The Internationalization of Security Sector Gender Reform in Post-Conflict Countries." (with Sabrina Karim)

2017: *Paper* - Opening the Door: The Role of Conflict in SSR Gender Mainstreaming Policy Adoption

2016: *Paper* - The Gendered Dynamics of Contention: Equality and Nonviolent Political Campaigns

2016: *Paper* - The (International) Politics of Security Sector Gender Reform in Conflict and Post-Conflict Countries (Junior Scholar Symposium)

2014: *Paper* - Women as National and International Police: Negotiating Spaces of Security in UN Peace Missions (with Natalie Florea Hudson)

### **Midwest Political Science Association Meeting**

2020 (cancelled): *Paper* - Beyond the Boy's Club: Gender Integration and Police Behavior (with Anna Gunderson)

2019: *Paper* - Peacekeeping as Coup-Proofing? Evidence from United Nations Peacekeeping Contributions (Presented by Dani Villa)

2016: *Paper* - The (International) Politics of Security Sector Gender Reform in Conflict and Post-Conflict Countries (Junior Scholar Symposium)

### **Missing Peace Young Scholars Network Workshop**

2018: Gendered Security Sector Reform and Civilian Victimization

2019: Protectors or Perpetrators: Gendered Security Sector Reform and the Prevention of Conflict-Related Sexual Violence

2020: The Rambo Effect: The Impact of Militarized Masculinity on Peacekeeper Effectiveness, Experimental Evidence from Eight Countries

### **Naval War College Women, Peace, and Security Conference**

2017: The Role of Conflict in SSR Gender Mainstreaming Policy Adoption

## **Peace Science Society Conference**

2020: *Workshop* (co-organizer) - New Directions in the Quantitative Study of Gender, Conflict, and Peace Studies

2020: *Workshop* - Connecting the Local to the International: Examining the Relationship Between International Domestic Peacebuilding and Their Effects on Quality Peace

2019: One Step Forward, One Step Back: The Micro-level Impact of Conflict on Men's and Women's Attitudes Towards Gender Equality in Uganda

2019: *Workshop* (co-organizer) - The Micro-dynamics of UN Peacekeeping

2017: *Paper* - Buying Women's Rights: The Role of Conflict and International Actors in Gender Reform Adoption

2017: *Workshop* - Women, Conflict and Data

2016: *Poster* - Opening the Door: The Role of Conflict in SSR Gender Mainstreaming Policy Adoption

## **Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting**

2021: *Paper* - Beyond Thoughts and Prayers: The Gendered Dimensions of Civilian Targeting

2021: *Paper* - The Forgotten Peacekeeper: Civilian Peacekeepers and Peacekeeping Effectiveness (with Dani Villa)

2018: *Paper* - Buying Women's Rights: The Role of Conflict and International Actors in Gender Reform Adoption

2018: *Paper* - Sisters in Security: Female Peacekeepers and Security Sector Gender Reform (with Sabrina Karim)

2017: *Paper* - Opening the Door: The Role of Conflict in SSR Gender Mainstreaming Policy Adoption

2017: *Paper* - When Civilians Are Attacked: State Gender Equality and Gender Targeting

## **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

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### **Grants**

*American Political Research Association Centennial Center Research Grant, (co-PI Anna Gunderson), 2020, \$2,389*

*American Political Research Association Small Research Grant, 2020, \$2,389*

*Emory University Summer Grant, 2015-2019, \$1,000-2,500 per year*

*Laney Graduate Student Council Travel Grant, 2017, 2018, \$250 per year*

*Peace Science Society Travel Grant, 2017, \$250*

*Southern Political Science Association Prestage-Cook Travel Award, 2016, \$300*

*International Studies Association Travel Grant, 2016, 2019, \$180*

## **TEACHING**

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### **University of Mississippi**

Ethnic Conflict and International Terror, Spring 2021

War and World Politics (Political Violence), Spring 2021

### **Emory University**

Co-Teacher, POLS 374: War and Politics, Dr. Dan Reiter

Teaching Assistant, POLS 110: Introduction to International Politics, Dr. Eric Reinhardt

Teaching Assistant, POLS 120: Introduction to Comparative Politics. Dr. Hubert Tworzecki

Teaching Assistant, POLS 120: Introduction to Comparative Politics. Dr. Holli Semetko

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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American Political Science Association

International Studies Association

Peace Science Society

Southern Political Science Association  
Women in International Security  
Women in Conflict Studies

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## **OTHER EXPERIENCE**

Graduate Assistant, Human Rights Program, The Carter Center, August 2018-May 2019  
Consultant, Women in Peace Operations Project, International Peace Institute, October 2019-Present  
Security Issues and the Global Issues Library Board Member, Proquest, 2019-2020  
Member, Advisory Group, Women in Peace Operations, International Peace Institute, 2019  
Panelist, "Actual Choices for Women in the Sex Trade," The Carter Center, Commission on the Status of Women 63, 2019  
Special Rapporteur, Violence Against Women in Elections Workshop, The Carter Center, 2018  
Member, Missing Peace Young Scholar Network, 2018-Present  
Panelist, When #MeToo Meets War, France Atlanta-Humanitarian Forum, 2018

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## **SERVICE**

Reviewer, American Political Science Review; Journal of Politics; American Journal of Political Science; Journal of Conflict Resolution; Conflict Management and Peace Science; International Studies Quarterly; International Peacekeeping; International Studies Review; International Interactions; Men & Masculinities; Foreign Policy Analysis; Conflict, Security & Development; Political Research Quarterly; Perspectives on Politics  
Panel Discussant, International Studies Association Annual Meeting, 2019  
Panel Discussant, Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2017, 2018, 2020  
Panel Chair, Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2020  
Graduate Student Representative, Feminist Theory and Gender Studies Section of ISA, 2016-2017  
Vice President, Emory Political Science Graduate Student Association, 2016-2017

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## **COMPUTER AND LANGUAGE SKILLS**

### **Statistical Packages and Technical Skills**

R (Advanced)  
STATA (Advanced)  
SPSS (Intermediate)  
L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X (Advanced)  
ArcGIS, QGIS (Novice)

### **Foreign Language**

Spanish (Intermediate)