

## **BAYLEE EDEN HARRELL**

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### **EDUCATION**

- 2018-Present      **University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY**  
-Ph.D. Candidate in Political Science (Expected 2023)  
    *Dissertation:* “Nonstate Armed Group Composition and the Perpetration of One-sided Violence”  
    *Dissertation Committee:* Jillienne Haglund (chair), Clayton Thyne, Daniel Morey, Mark Peffley, and Janet Stamatel  
    *Major:* International Relations *Minor:* Political Behavior-  
-Master of Arts in Political Science (2021)
- 2015-2018      **University of North Alabama, Florence, AL**  
Bachelor of Arts, Majors in Psychology and Political Science  
    Magna Cum Laude
- 2013-2015      **Northeast Mississippi Community College, Booneville MS**  
Associate of Arts

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

International Relations, Political Behavior, Violence against Civilians, One-sided Violence, Sexual Violence in Armed Conflict, Rebel Groups, Private Military Contracting

### **MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW**

Harrell, Baylee. Sexual Violence in the Shadows: Private Military Contractors and the Perpetration of Sexual Violence in Armed Conflict.

Harrell, Baylee. Man! I Feel Like a Woman (Combatant): Female Rebels and One-sided Violence.

### **WORKING PAPERS**

Harrell, Baylee. Damsels in Distress: Girl Soldiers and One-sided Violence.

Harrell, Baylee, Chris Falkner, and Jaclyn Johnson. Coups d'état and Sexual Violence.

Harrell, Baylee. How Does Persistent Political Violence Against Civilians Influence Support for Human Rights? A Subnational Case Study of Sudan.

## **BOOK CHAPTERS**

Harrell, Baylee and Clayton Thyne. Forthcoming. "The Legacies of Civil War: Health, Education, and Economic Development." In *What Do We Know About Civil Wars?*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition. Sarah Mitchell and T. David Mason. Rowman and Littlefield.

## **PRESENTATIONS IN ACADEMIC CONFERENCES**

Fall 2022                      Man! I Feel Like a Woman (Combatant): Female Rebels and One-sided Violence

*-Journeys In World Politics Workshop*

Spring 2022                  Man! I Feel Like a Woman (Combatant): Female Rebels and One-sided Violence

*- International Studies Association Conference*

Fall 2021                      Sexual Violence in the Shadows: Private Military Contractors and the Perpetration of Sexual Violence in Armed Conflict

*-American Political Science Association Conference*

Spring 2021                  Man! I Feel Like a Woman (Combatant): Female Rebels and One-sided Violence

*-Midwest Political Science Association Conference*

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2018-Present                **University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY**

**Teaching Assistant for the Department of Political Science**

-Primary Instructor

Introduction to Political Analysis (Spring 2022)

Introduction to International Relations (Winter 2021) *online course*

Introduction to American Government (Fall 2021)

Contemporary Global Conflicts (Summer 2020, Summer 2021)  
*online course*

Introduction to International Relations (Fall 2019, Spring 2020)

-Instructor of recitation settings

Introduction to American Politics (Spring 2019)

Introduction to International Relations (Fall 2018)

-Grader

Human Rights (Fall 2022)

Introduction to International Studies (Fall 2021)

2017

**University of North Alabama, Florence, AL**

-Visual Assistant

Provided visual assistance and tutoring for blind colleague for Psychological Statistics and Cognitive Psychology courses

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

Fall 2021

**Research Assistant for Dr. Mark Peffley, University of Kentucky**

-Assisted Dr. Peffley in managing data and sampling for a survey about the Lexington Police Department

**TRAINING IN RESEARCH METHODS**

Spring 2021

-Field Methods Graduate Course with Dr. Sabrina Karim (virtual audit), Cornell University

-Preparing for Fieldwork and Substitutes for Fieldwork When Travel is Impossible, Women in Conflict Studies, Virtual Workshop

Spring 2020

-Multi-Level Modeling for Comparative Political Behavior, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.

-Factor Analysis for Comparative Political Behavior, University of Kentucky, Lexington KY.

Spring 2019

-Duration Models Workshop, Quantitative Initiative for Policy and Social Research, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.

-STATA Graphics Workshop, Quantitative Initiative for Policy and Social Research, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.

Fall 2018

-STATA Workshop, Quantitative Initiative for Policy and Social Research, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.

**AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Summer 2022

*-Ken and Mary Sue Coleman and Penny Miller Graduate Student Summer Support Fellowship, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky, \$700*

*-Endowed Doctoral and Research Travel Award, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky, \$150*

Spring 2022

*-Crum Emerging Scholars Award: International Relations, University of Kentucky*

- Crum Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award*, University of Kentucky  
 Awarded for “Sexual Violence in the Shadows: Private Military Contractors and the Perpetration of Sexual Violence in Armed Conflict”
- Fall 2021 -*Conference Travel Funding*, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky, \$1,500
- Summer 2021 -*Ken and Mary Sue Coleman Summer Fellowship*, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky \$1,700  
 -*Political Science Endowed Doctoral Research and Travel Award*, University of Kentucky, \$300
- Spring 2021 -*Crum Emerging Scholars Award: International Relations*, University of Kentucky
- Fall 2020 -*Office for Policy Studies on Violence Against Women (OPSVAW)*, University of Kentucky, \$18,000
- Summer 2020 -*Ken and Mary Sue Coleman Summer Fellowship*, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky \$1,100  
 -*Political Science Department Block Funding Summer Top-Up Award*, University of Kentucky, \$500
- Spring 2018 -*College of Arts and Sciences Travel Award*, University of North Alabama, \$250 Southeastern Psychological Association Conference  
 -*College of Arts and Sciences Travel Award*, University of North Alabama, \$250, MPSA Conference  
 -*Outstanding Academic Achievement Award*, Department of Psychology, University of North Alabama
- Summer 2017 -*Center for Sustainability Grant*, University of North Alabama, \$500 Society for the Psychological Studies of Social Issues (SPSSI) International Conference  
 -*Vice President of Academic Affairs Travel Award*, University of North Alabama, \$1,298 SPSSI Conference

## **PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

- Fall 2022 “Journeys in World Politics”  
 Workshop Sponsored by the University of Iowa and the American Political Science Association
- Spring 2022 “Preparing Future Professionals” GS-600 Course Audit
- Spring 2020 “How to Make your Teaching More Inclusive”  
 Workshop at the Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky
- Fall 2019 “Active Attack Presentation”  
 Workshop at the Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky

Spring 2017 Human Trafficking Task Force Training, Alabama Human Trafficking Summit

## **SERVICE**

2022- 2023 Graduate Student Mentor, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky

Fall 2022 Workshop Facilitator

- “USG Career Development and Planning”, hosted by Dr. Trace Lasley, Departments of Political Science and Sociology, University of Kentucky
- “Active Attack Presentation”, hosted by UKPD, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky

Summer 2022 Crew Leader for Youth Summer program

2021- 2023 Events Coordinator for Political Science Graduate Administration, University of Kentucky

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, Department of Political Science, University of Kentucky

Spring 2021 Discussant for MPSA Undergraduate Panel on Human Rights

2019-2022 Women in Conflict Studies, Member, Scholarly Association

2018-2022 Women in Political Science, Member, University of Kentucky

## **STATISTICAL SOFTWARE**

STATA