

## Rebecca Malinski | Curriculum Vitae (June 2018)

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### **Education:**

- 2019\* Ph.D.  
Criminal Justice, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI  
\*expected graduation date
- 2011 M.A.  
Sociology, Ohio University, Athens, OH  
Thesis Title: Motivations Behind Cyber Bullying and Online Aggression:  
Cyber Sanctions, Dominance, and Trolling Online  
Thesis Advisor: Thomas Vander Ven, Ph.D.
- 2009 B.A.  
Sociology and Criminology, Ohio University, Athens, OH

### **Positions Held:**

- 2015 - present Graduate Research Assistant to Thomas Holt, Ph.D., Michigan State University School of Criminal Justice
- 2014-2015 Graduate Research Assistant to April Zeoli, Ph.D., Michigan State University School of Criminal Justice
- 2011 Graduate Teaching Assistant to Howard Welser, Ph.D., Ohio University Department of Sociology and Anthropology
- 2010 Graduate Research Assistant to Jie-li Li, Ph.D., Ohio University Department of Sociology and Anthropology
- 2009-2010 Graduate Research Assistant to Leon Anderson, Ph.D., Ohio University Department of Sociology and Anthropology
- 2009 Graduate Research Assistant to Ursula Castellano, Ph.D., Ohio University Department of Sociology and Anthropology
- 2008 Undergraduate Research Assistant to Bruce Hoffman, Ph.D., Ohio University Department of Sociology and Anthropology

### **Publications in Scholarly Journals**

Zeoli, A. M., **Malinski, R.**, & Brenner, H. (2017). The Intersection of Firearms and Intimate Partner Homicide in 15 Nations. *Trauma, Violence, & Abuse*, 1524838017738725.

Zeoli, A., **Malinski, R.**, & Turchan, B. (2016). Risks and Targeted Interventions: Firearms in Intimate Partner Violence. *Epidemiologic Reviews*\*, mxv007.  
\*Impact Factor: 7.160 (as of April, 2018)

Holt, T., Bossler, A., **Malinski, R.**, & May, D. (2015). Identifying Predictors of Unwanted Online Sexual Conversations Among Youth Using a Low Self-Control and Routine Activity Framework. *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice*.

**Rafferty (Malinski), R.**, & Vander Ven, T. (2014). "I Hate Everything About You": A Qualitative Examination of Cyberbullying and On-Line Aggression in a College Sample. *Deviant Behavior*, 35(5), 364-377.

### **Presentations at Professional Meetings**

"Routine Activities Theory as an Explanation of Cyberbullying" (presentation) presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA (November, 2017)

"Cyberbullying Behavior as an Outcome of Strain" (presentation) presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, New Orleans, LA (November, 2016)

"Theorizing Cyberbullying a Preliminary Review of Theoretical Tests of Cyberbullying Behavior" (poster) presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C. (November, 2015)

Motivations behind Cyber Bullying and Online Aggression: Cyber Sanctions, Dominance, and Trolling Online" (presentation) presented at the annual Ethnographic and Qualitative Research Conference, Cedarville, OH (June, 2011)

### **Invited Lectures**

"Cyberbullying: An Overview". Invited to speak at Café Scientifique hosted by Lansing Community College (May, 2018)

"Understanding the Correlates of Youth Cyberbullying, Sexting, Revenge Porn, and Problematic Behavior" with Tom Holt, PhD (Michigan State University). Invited to speak at the mid-winter conference of the Juvenile Justice Association of Michigan (March, 2017)

### **Awards**

Excellence in Research Award, Ohio University Department of Sociology and Anthropology (2011)

### **Professional and Community Service**

Associate Board Member - Ingham Conservation District (2018-present)

President - Michigan State University School of Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association (2017 - present)

Director of Communications, Youth Advancement Through Investment (2016-2017)

Vice President, Media - Michigan State University School of Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association (2016-2017)

Secretary - Michigan State University School of Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association (2015-2016)

### **Professional Association Membership**

American Society of Criminology (2014-present)

### **Reviewer For**

Qualitative Health Research

Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice and Criminology

### **Courses Taught**

Methods in Criminal Justice Research (undergraduate, on campus)

Fall, 2017

Spring, 2018