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## EDUCATION

University of Chicago, Chicago, PhD, Sociology, March 2020 (expected)  
University of Chicago, Chicago, MA, Sociology, March 2014  
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, B.A., Sociology, Philosophy, Psychology, May 2012,  
honors, summa cum laude

*Dissertation Advisors:* Kimberly Kay Hoang (chair), Marco Garrido, Elisabeth Clemens, Dan Slater

## PUBLICATIONS

### PEER REVIEW

Gonzalez, Nathaniel J. “Framing Communal Violence: How framing processes are used to instigate and de-escalate Buddhist-Muslim Violence in Myanmar.” *Under Review*.  
—. “How communal violence is prevented: Community mobilization in cases of potential Buddhist-Muslim violence in Myanmar.” *Under Review*.

### PUBLIC

Gonzalez, Nathaniel J. 2017. “Aung San Suu Kyi, The Rakhine State, and Myanmar’s Dual-Government Dilemma,” *IAPS Dialogue*, University of Nottingham, October 2, 2017,  
<https://iapsdialogue.org/2017/10/02/aung-san-suu-kyi-the-rakhine-state-and-myanmars-dual-government-dilemma/>

## FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

Southeast Asia Research Group (SEAREG) Fellow, 2019  
University of Chicago Division of Social Sciences William Rainey Harper Dissertation Year Fellowship, Fall 2018  
University of Chicago Committee on Southern Asia Studies & South Asian Language and Area Center, COSAS Dissertation Write-Up Fellowship, Fall 2017  
University of Chicago Committee on Southern Asia Studies & South Asian Language and Area Center, COSAS Pre-Dissertation Travel Support Fellowship, Summer 2016  
University of Chicago Committee on Southern Asia Studies & South Asian Language and Area Center, COSAS Summer Language Study Fellowship, Summer 2015  
University of Wisconsin-Madison, Southeast Asian Studies Summer Institute (SEASS), Tuition Waiver, Summer 2015  
University of Chicago Division of Social Sciences Task Force for Diversity in the Professoriate (TDP) Grant, Fall 2012  
University of Chicago Division of Social Sciences Five-Year Fellowship, Fall 2012  
Princeton Summer Undergraduate Research Experience | The Leadership Alliance, Summer 2011  
Eight-week research program at Princeton University meant to motivate and prepare students to make competitive applications to research doctoral programs. Worked under the mentorship of Prof. Jeffrey Stout.

Ronald E. McNair Scholars Program, Spring 2010, Summer 2010

Prepares high-achieving USC undergraduates, who are of an underrepresented minority group to engage in research and for graduate school programs. Worked under the mentorship of Prof. Paul Lichterman.

## **SELECT PRESENTATIONS**

- Gonzalez, Nathaniel J. 2019. "Power and Communal Violence: Local systems of riot prevention in Myanmar." University of British Columbia, SEAREG Annual Meeting.
- . 2018. "Learning from Violence: Institutionalized Responses to Buddhist-Muslim Violence in Myanmar." University of Chicago, COSAS TAPSA.
- . 2016. "Institutionalized Inequality and the Spatial Distribution of Buddhist-Muslim Violence in Myanmar 2012-2014." Northern Illinois University, Burma Studies Conference.
- . 2015. "Group Threat and Intercommunal Violence." University of Chicago, Politics History and Society Workshop.
- . 2015. "2015 Elections and Muslims in Myanmar." University of Chicago, Panel on Elections in Myanmar.
- . 2015. "Group Threat and Group Violence: Spatial Distribution of Buddhist Muslim Riots in Myanmar." SEASSI Student Conference.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

MA Program in the Social Sciences, Lecturer, 2019  
Federalism and Ethnic Conflict, Lecturer, Yangon School of Political Science, Spring 2017  
Political Sociology, Teaching Assistant, Fall 2016  
Sociological Methods, Teaching Assistant, Winter 2016  
Ethnicity in a Comparative Perspective, Teaching Assistant, Fall 2015  
Power Identity and Resistance, Teaching Intern, Fall 2014, Spring 2015

## **EMPLOYMENT**

MA Program in the Social Sciences (MAPSS) at the University of Chicago, Preceptor, 2019  
Mentored 18 MA students through their program, led workshops, led discussions  
Yangon School of Political Science, Lecturer, Winter 2017  
Taught course on Federalism and Ethnic Conflict for MA students in Yangon  
Chicago Burmese Community Center, Fall 2016  
Taught course on searching for jobs and job applications, and also helped with house visits  
American Journal of Sociology, Manuscript Board, Fall 2014, Spring 2015  
Member of the AJS manuscript board.  
Affinity Community Services, Intern, Summer 2014

## **LANGUAGES AND LANGUAGE TRAINING**

Native fluency in Spanish.  
Intermediate Burmese, SEASSI, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Summer 2015.

## **REFERENCES**

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