

Curriculum Vitae
Daniela Oramas Mora

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Criminology and Criminal Justice, Arizona State University, 2024 (Exp.)

M.A., Criminology, University of South Florida, 2020

Thesis: *The Effects of Perceived Motivations and Mental distress on the Likelihood of Reporting and Engaging in Self-protected Measures Among Victims of Stalking.*

Committee members:

Ràchael A. Powers, Ph.D. (chair)

Chae Jaynes, Ph.D.

Matt Nobles, Ph.D.

B.A., Criminology, University of Florida, 2018

B.S., Psychology, University of Florida, 2018

RESEARCH POSITIONS

Graduate Research Assistant, 2019 – Present

Funded by National Institute of Justice

Supervised by Ojmarrh Mitchell, Ph.D.

Understanding Prosecutorial Discretion Research Project (Award No. 2018-R2-CX-0021)

Coding criminal cases from all 67 Florida counties to analyze any disparities that may be present in prosecutorial decision - making based on race, gender, age, socioeconomic status, etc.

Assessing the Effectiveness of Interventions Designed to Reduce Racial/Ethnic Disparities in the Justice System: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis (O-NIJ-2022-171194)

Graduate Research Assistant, 2020 – 2022

Supervised by Jesenia Pizarro-Terrill, Ph.D.

Managing Editor, *Homicide Studies*

Involved in the Intimate Partner Homicide Study and Graduate Teacher Assistant.

Graduate Research Assistant, 2020 – 2022

Supervised by William Terrill, Ph.D.

A decade (2011-2020) review on the police use of force literature.

Research Assistant, 2018

Supervised by Michael Leiber, Ph.D.

Data cleaning, which included researching juvenile delinquency cases and narrowing down the most severe offenses.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Race, class, and the criminal justice system
Prosecutorial discretion
Courts & sentencing
Environmental crimes & crimes of the powerful

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Oramas Mora, D.**, Terrill, W., & Foster, J. (2023). A Decade of Police Use of Deadly Force Research (2011-2020). *Homicide Studies*, 27(1).
- Oramas Mora, D.** (2023). [Review of the book *Borderland Circuitry: Immigration Surveillance in the United States and Beyond* by A. Muñoz]. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*.
- Bowman, R., **Oramas Mora, D.**, Mitchell, O., & Spohn, C. (2023). Gender in the courtroom workgroup: Understanding the relationship between the composition of workgroups and the gender gap in punishment. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*.
- Mitchell, O., **Oramas Mora, D.**, Sticco, T., & Boggess, L. (2022). Are progressive chief prosecutors effective in reducing prison use and cumulative racial/ethnic disadvantage? Evidence from Florida. *Criminology & Public Policy*, 21, 535-565.
- Mitchell, O., Yan, S., & **Oramas Mora, D.** (2022). Trends in prison sentences and racial disparities: 20-Years of sentencing under Florida's Criminal Punishment Code. *Journal of Research in Crime & Delinquency*, 60(2), 300-338.
- Fox, B., Kortright, K., Gill, L., **Oramas Mora, D.**, Moule, R. K., & Verona, E. (2020). Heterogeneity in the continuity and change of early and adult risk factor profiles of incarcerated offenders: A latent transition analysis. *Youth Violence & Juvenile Justice*, 19(1), 68-93.

PUBLICATIONS UNDER REVIEW

- Oramas Mora, D.**, & Mitchell, O. (Exp. 2023). Punitive excess in monetary sanctions: Examining racial and ethnic treatment and impact disparities in monetary sanctions on the state of Florida. *Journal of Criminal Justice*.
- Bowman, R., Mitchell, O., **Oramas Mora, D.**, & Boggess, L. (Exp. 2023). Court communities, courtroom workgroups, and individual court actors: Where does diversity matter? *Criminology*.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

- Oramas Mora, D.**, Mitchell, O., & Peguero, A. (in progress). Examining the Cumulative Disadvantage Effect of Hispanic Immigrant Destinations on Case Processing and Outcomes Among Hispanic Defendants.

- Oramas Mora, D.**, Bowman, R., & Mitchell, O. (in progress). Examining Trends in Punishment: Sentencing Outcomes by Racial, Ethnic, Gender, and Age Subgroups from 1998 to 2017.
- Oramas Mora, D.**, & Mitchell, O. (in progress). Does chief prosecutor matter? An exploratory multilevel analysis of case processing and sentencing outcomes.
- Oramas Mora, D.**, & Mitchell, O. (in progress). How much does the prosecutor matter? Examining variation in case processing and outcomes between prosecutors.
- Oramas Mora, D.**, Ghiorzo, J., & Pizarro, J. (in progress). Do firearm sentence enhancement statutes predict sentencing outcomes: An examination of New Jersey's Graves Act.
- Oramas Mora, D.**, Powers, R.A., Nobles, M., & Jaynes, C. (in progress). The Effects of Perceived Motivations and Mental distress on the Likelihood of Reporting and Engaging in Self-protected Measures Among Victims of Stalking.
- Oramas Mora, D.** (in progress). Race, class and the inequitable distribution of crime.
- Oramas Mora, D.**, Genco, L.J., & Lynch, M.J. (in progress). Trends and associations of corporate crime.
- Oramas Mora, D.** (in progress). A group-based trajectory modeling approach to examining the effect of age at first reported exposure to violence on domestic violence perpetration.
- Lynch, M., & **Oramas Mora, D.** (in progress). Wrong Side of the Track: Crimes by Railroads in the US, 2000-2017.

BOOK CHAPTERS IN PROGRESS

- Oramas Mora, D.**, & Pizarro, J. (exp. 2024). "Homicide and the Courts." in *Routledge Handbook of Homicide Studies*, edited by Matt DeLisi and Kyle Burgason. New York, NY: Routledge.
- Caraballo, K., **Oramas Mora, D.**, & Peguero, A. (exp. 2023). "Immigration, Social Equity, and the immigration-crime-nexus." in *Public Administration, Social Equity, and Spanish-speaking Communities: Fostering Diverse and Inclusive Democratic Participation*, edited by José Luis Irizarry and Richard Gregory Johnson III. Charlotte, NC: Information Age Publishing.

TECHNICAL REPORTS

- Fox, B., Burckley, J., Dodge, C., Fairchild, R., Gill, L., Kirschner, J., Kortright, K., Law, C., Miley, L., **Oramas Mora, D.**, & Scott, M. (2020). *Perceptions of the Police and Recommendations for Policing Reform*. Final report to the City of Tampa, Office of Mayor. Tampa, FL.
- Mitchell, O., **Oramas Mora, D.**, Sticco, T. L., & Boggess, L. N. (2022). *Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida Case Outcome Report*. Final report to the city of Miami. Miami, FL.

USF RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Lab Manager, 2018-2020

Social and Psychological Research for Understanding Crime Etiology (SPRUCE)

Supervised by Bryanna Fox, Ph.D.

Lab manager for SPRUCE Lab – position consists of managing Phase I of the Psychology and Assessment of Risk of Criminality Project (PARC) with Pasco County Jail, which consist of conducting assessments and training new research members on conducting assessments.

Interviewer for Phase II of the PARC Project, which consists of conducting a three-hour interview with inmates utilizing several assessments including (but not limited to) the Psychopathy

Checklist (PCL), MINI, substance abuse issues, Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs), and Massachusetts Youth Screening Instrument (MAYSI).

Co-authoring research manuscripts including one researching the trends of corporate crime through the analysis of over a decade worth of data on the violations of the biggest corporations in the United States.

Development of a website to promote this research: <https://sprucecorporatecrime.weebly.com/>

Master's Thesis, 2019-2020

Supervised by Ràchael A. Powers, Ph.D.

Conducted a comprehensive literature review of the factors that influence the reporting of stalking victimization.

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Oramas Mora, D., Mitchell, O., & Bowman, R. (2023). Progressive Prosecution in Florida: Examining Variation in Approaches to Drug Offenses. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, National Harbor, MD.

Oramas Mora, D., Mitchell, O., & Peguero, A. (2022). Examining the Cumulative Disadvantage Effect of Hispanic Immigrant Destinations on Case Processing and Outcomes Among Hispanic Defendants. American Society of Criminology Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Oramas Mora, D., & Lynch, M. (2022). Wrong Side of the Track: Crimes in the Railroad Industry in the US, 2000-2017. American Society of Criminology Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Oramas Mora, D., Bowman, R., & Mitchell, O. (2022). Examining Trends in Punishment: Sentencing Outcomes by Racial, Ethnic, Gender, and Age Subgroups from 1998 to 2017. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Las Vegas, NV.

Mitchell, O., **Oramas Mora, D.,** Bowman, R., & Boggess, L. (2022). The Effect of Victim Characteristics and Offender-victim Dyads on the Felony Case Outcomes. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Las Vegas, NV.

Oramas Mora, D., Mitchell, O., & Boggess, L. (2021). How much does the prosecutor matter? Examining variation in case processing and outcomes between prosecutors. American Society of Criminology Conference, Chicago, IL.

Bowman, R. A., Mitchell, O., **Oramas Mora, D.,** & Boggess, L. (2021). Do More Diverse Courtroom Working Groups Reduce Racial/Ethnic Bias in Case Processing and Outcomes? American Society of Criminology Conference, Chicago, IL.

Mitchell, O., **Oramas Mora, D.,** Sticco, T., & Boggess, L. (2021). Cumulative Racial and Ethnic Disadvantage in Florida's Felony Courts and Prosecutorial Discretion. American Society of Criminology Conference, Chicago, IL.

Mitchell, O., Yan, S., & **Oramas Mora, D.** (2020, August 20-September 24). Prosecutorial punitiveness and extralegal disparities in Florida [Paper presentation]. Empirical Research on Sentencing Annual Meeting, Ljubljana, Slovenia.

<http://inst-krim.si/en/2020/06/turning-the-lens-researching-sentencers-2/>

Oramas Mora, D., Levinson, V.E., Miley, L.N., Fox, B.H., & Verona, E. (2019). The Psychology and Assessment of Risk of Criminality Project. American Society of Criminology Conference, San Francisco, CA.

- Oramas Mora, D.**, Mitchell, O., Sticco, T.L. (2019). Understanding Prosecutorial Discretion in Florida Criminal Courts: Sentencing Outcomes. American Society of Criminology Conference, San Francisco, CA.
- Oramas Mora, D.**, Genco, L.J., Perkins, R.C., & Lynch, M.J. (2019). Trends in Corporate Crime. American Society of Criminology Conference, San Francisco, CA.
- Mitchell, O., Sticco, T.L., **Oramas Mora, D.**, & Harper, S. (2019). Understanding Prosecutorial Discretion in Florida Circuit Courts: Cumulative Effects of Social Disadvantage on Case Outcomes. American Society of Criminology Conference, San Francisco, CA.

SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARDS

Gainesville Police Department

Recognition award from the Criminal Investigation Division for my contribution and excellent performance during my time as a volunteer/intern.

University of Florida

Machen Florida Opportunity Scholarship, Fall 2014 – Spring 2018

Dean's List – Fall 2014, Spring 2014, Fall 2015, Spring 2015, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2018
Most Dedicated Ambassador for Admissions Volunteer Ambassador at University of Florida, April 2017

University of South Florida

Dean's List – Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, and Spring 2020
Outstanding Master's Student Award – May 2020
2020 Wall of Fame Award Recipient – April 2021

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Gainesville Police Department, 2016-2018

Assisted Criminal Investigation Division with on-going criminal cases
Graduated from Gainesville Police Department's Citizen's Academy
Digitalizing all cold case files utilizing Audacity software Participating in ride-along

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, 2021 - Present

American Society of Criminology, 2018 - Present

Corrections & Sentencing Division
White Collar & Corporate Crime Division

Homicide Research Working Group, 2021-Present

COURSES TAUGHT

Criminology, undergraduate

Research Methods, undergraduate
Gender, Crime & Criminal Justice, undergraduate