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EDUCATION

Ph.D. 2016 Criminal Justice University of Cincinnati
Dissertation: *The Freedom Fighter: A Terrorist's Own Story*
Advisor: Francis T. Cullen

M.A. 2014 Political Science University of Cincinnati
M.S. 2010 Criminal Justice University of Cincinnati
B.S. 2006 Security Studies School of Security Sciences, Ankara, Turkey

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2022- Arizona State University Assistant Professor
2019-2022 University of South Florida Associate Professor of Instruction
2017-2019 University of South Florida Research Administration Faculty Fellow
2016-2017 University of South Florida Visiting Professor
2011-2012 University of Cincinnati Research Assistant, Institute of Crime Science
2012-2014 University of Cincinnati Teaching Assistant, Distance Learning Center

AWARDS AND HONORS

2014 Appreciation Letter from the Dean of Graduate School for having the highest GPA in University of Cincinnati Ph.D. Program
2008-2010 The United States Government, *J. William Fulbright Scholarship*
2006 Letter of Appreciation from President of Turkey
2006 Letter of Appreciation and monetary award from Prime Minister of Turkey
2006 Letter of Appreciation from the former Ministry of Interior of Turkey, Mr. Aksu
2006 \$5,000.00 award for the high achievement in Faculty of Security Sciences from SABANCI Corporation
2005 The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award for Young People (England)

BOOKS

Haner, Murat. (2018). *The Freedom Fighter: A Terrorist's Own Story*. New York: Routledge.

Haner, Murat & Melissa M. Sloan. (In Press) *Terrorism: An Enduring Challenge - Perspectives from the Social Sciences*. New York: Oxford University Press.

EDITED BOOK

Haner, Murat & Melissa M. Sloan. (Eds.) (2022). *Theories of Terrorism: Contemporary Perspectives (Advances in Criminological Theory, Vol. 28)*. New York: Routledge.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

23. Sloan, M. M. & **Haner, M.** (2023). Perceived discrimination and depressive symptoms among Muslims in the United States. *Ethic & Racial Studies*.
22. Lee, H., Pickett, J. T., Graham, A., Cullen, F. T., Jonson, C. L., **Haner, M.**, & Sloan, M. (2023). Punitiveness toward social distancing deviance in the COVID-19 pandemic: Findings from two national experiments. *Journal of Experimental Criminology*.
21. Jonson, Cheryl Lero, Amanda Graham, Francis T. Cullen, Justin T. Pickett, **Murat Haner**, & Melissa M. Sloan (2023). "Locked, Stocked, and Charmin: Sources of white Americans' responses to the Covid-19 pandemic." *Victims & Offenders*
20. Hannan, Kellie R., Francis T. Cullen, Amanda Graham, Cheryl Lero Jonson, Justin T. Pickett, **Murat Haner**, & Melissa M. Sloan. (2022). "Public support for second look sentencing: Is there a Shawshank redemption effect?" *Criminology & Public Policy*.
19. **Haner, Murat**, Melissa M. Sloan, Justin T. Pickett, Francis T. Cullen, & Victoria O'Neil (2022). "How Politics Constrain the Public's Understanding of Terrorism." *Social Forces*.
18. Graham, Amanda, Justice T. Pickett, Francis T. Cullen, Cheryl Lero Jonson, **Murat Haner**, & Melissa M. Sloan (2022). "Blinded by the White (Nationalism): How Separatist Ideologies Lead People to Discount Non-Conflictual Threats to Society." *Polity*.
17. **Haner, Murat**, Melissa M. Sloan, Amanda Graham, Justin Pickett, & Francis T. Cullen (2022). "Ransomware and the Robin Hood Effect: Support for Using Extortion for the Public Good." *Journal of Experimental Criminology*. Advance Online Publication.
16. **Haner, Murat**, Melissa M. Sloan, Justin T. Pickett, & Francis T. Cullen. (2022). "When Do Americans 'See Something, Say Something'? Experimental Evidence on the Willingness to Report Terrorist Activity." *Justice Quarterly*. 39(5), 1079-1103
15. Cullen, Francis T., Graham, Amanda, Cheryl Lero Jonson, Justice T. Pickett, Melissa M. Sloan, & **Murat Haner** (2022). "The Denier in Chief: Faith in Trump and Techniques of Neutralization in

a Pandemic.” *Deviant Behavior*, 43(7), 829-851

14. Sloan, Melissa M., **Murat Haner**, Amanda Graham, Francis T. Cullen, Justin T. Pickett, & Cheryl Lero Jonson (2021). “Pandemic Emotions: The Extent, Correlates, and Mental Health Consequences of Personal and Altruistic Fear of COVID-19.” *Sociological Spectrum*, 41(5), 369-386.
13. **Haner, Murat**, Melissa M. Sloan, Francis T. Cullen, Amanda Graham, Cheryl Lero Jonson, & Teresa C. Kulig. (2021). “Making America Safe Again: Public Support for Policies to Reduce Terrorism.” *Deviant Behavior*, 42(10), 1209-1227.
12. Kulig, Teresa C., Amanda Graham, Francis T. Cullen, Alex R. Piquero, & **Murat Haner**. (2021). “‘Bad Hombres’ at the Southern U.S. Border? White Nationalism and the Perceived Dangerousness of Uninvited Immigrants.” *Journal of Criminology*, 54(3), 283-304.
11. **Haner, Murat**, Melissa M. Sloan, Justin Pickett, & Francis T. Cullen. (2020). “Safe Haven or Dangerous Place? Stereotype Amplification and Americans’ Perceived Risk of Terrorism, Violent Street Crime, and Mass Shootings.” *British Journal of Criminology*, 60(6), 1606-1626.
10. Sloan, Melissa M., **Murat Haner**, Francis T. Cullen, Cheryl Lero Jonson, & Teresa Kulig. (2021). “Using Behavioral Strategies to Cope with the Threat of Terrorism: A National- Level Study.” *Crime & Delinquency*, 67(12), 2011-2042.
9. Graham, Amanda, **Murat Haner**, Melissa M. Sloan, Francis T. Cullen, Cheryl Lero Jonson, & Teresa C. Kulig. (2020). “Race and Worrying About Police Brutality: The Hidden Injuries of Minority Status in America.” *Victims & Offenders*, 5(5), 549-573.
8. Graham, Amanda, Francis T. Cullen, Justice T. Pickett, Cheryl Lero Jonson, **Murat Haner**, & Melissa M. Sloan. (2020). “Faith in Trump, Moral Foundations, and Social Distancing Defiance During the Coronavirus Pandemic.” *Socius: Sociological Research for a Dynamic World*, 6, 1-23.
7. **Haner, Murat**, Michael L. Benson, & Francis T. Cullen. (2019) “Code of the Terrorists: The PKK and the Social Construction of Violence.” *Critical Criminology*, 27(3), 393-419
6. **Haner, Murat**, Francis T. Cullen, & Michael L. Benson. (2019). “Women and the PKK: Ideology, Gender, and Terrorism.” *International Criminal Justice Review*, 30(3), 279-301.
5. **Haner, Murat**, Francis T. Cullen, Cheryl Lero Jonson, Alexander L. Burton, & Teresa C. Kulig. (2019). “Price of Liberty or Never Again: Americans’ Views on Preventing Mass Murder.” *Justice Evaluation Journal*, 2(1), 50-72.
4. **Haner, Murat**, Melissa M. Sloan, Francis T. Cullen, Teresa C. Kulig, & Cheryl Lero Jonson. (2019). “Public Concern about Terrorism: Fear, Worry, and Support for Anti-Muslim Policies” *Socius: Sociological Research for a Dynamic World*, 5, 1-16.

3. Kulig, Teresa C., Francis T. Cullen, & **Murat Haner**. (2019). "President or Predator? The Social Construction of Donald Trump in a Divided America." *Victims & Offenders*, 14(8), 940-964.
2. **Haner, Murat**, Ashley Wichern, & Marissa Fleenor. (2018). "The Turkish Foreign Fighters and the Dynamics Behind Their Flow into Syria and Iraq." *Terrorism and Political Violence*, 32(6), 1329-1347.
1. **Haner, Murat** & Heejin Lee. (2017). "Placing School Victimization in a Global Context." *Victims & Offenders*, 12(6), 845-867.

BOOK CHAPTERS & ENTRIES

- Sloan, M., & **Murat Haner**. (2023). "Women's involvement in terrorist organizations" In Sandra L. Browning, Leah C. Butler, & Cheryl Lero Jonson (Eds.), *Gender and Crime: Contemporary Theoretical Perspectives (Advances in Criminological Theory, Vol. 30)* (In Print). New York, NY: Routledge.
- Kulig, Teresa C., & **Murat Haner**. (2023). "Mentorship in Graduate School." In Cheryl Lero Jonson & Travis C. Pratt (Eds.), *A Criminologist's Life: Essays in Honor of the Criminological Legacy of Francis T. Cullen (Advances in Criminological Theory, Vol. 29, pp. 159-174)*. New York, NY: Routledge.
- Haner, Murat**. (2015). "Frank Serpico." In Steven Chermak & Frankie Y. Bailey (Eds.), *Crimes of the Centuries: An Encyclopedia of Notorious Crimes, Criminals, and Criminal Trials in American History* (pp. 702-704). Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO
- Haner, Murat**. (2015) "Watergate Scandal." In Steven Chermak and Frankie Y. Bailey (Eds.), *Crimes of the Centuries: An Encyclopedia of Notorious Crimes, Criminals, and Criminal Trials in American History* (pp. 829-831). Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO

PAPERS IN PROGRESS/UNDER REVIEW

- Haner, Murat, Melissa M. Sloan, Justin T. Pickett, Francis T. Cullen. "Public Perceptions of Extremism and Torture: Comparing Views of Far Right, Far Left, and Islamist Terrorism"
- Sloan, Melissa, M., **Murat Haner**, Justin T. Pickett, Francis T. Cullen. "Explaining indifference to political crime: White nationalism and public opinion about criminally charging Donald Trump." Under review
- Haner, Murat**, Melissa M. Sloan, Justin T. Pickett, & Francis T. Cullen, "White Nationalism, Politics, and Opposition to Safe Storage Gun Legislation" Under review

BOOK REVIEW

Haner, Murat & Melissa M. Sloan. (2021). "Fear Itself: The Causes and Consequences of Fear in America." *Contemporary Sociology*, 50(4), 310-312.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Funded

- \$20,000.00 grant from USF "*Recognizing Domestic Terrorism: Identifying Strategies to raise public Awareness in Efforts to Prevent Targeted Violence and terrorism in the U.S.*" (2021)
- \$10,000.00 grant from USF "*Terrorism as a Contextual Stressor*" *Stress, Coping and Social Support Processes Among Muslims And Other Minority Groups in The U.S.*" (2020)
- \$1,000.00 grant award from USF Research One (2019)
- \$8,000.00 grant from USF "*Fear of Terrorism National Study of The America Public*" (2019)
- \$500.00 grant award from USF (2018)
- \$10,000.00 grant award from Andrew W. Mellon Foundation (2017)
- \$ 4,000.00 University of Cincinnati Dissertation Grant (2014)
- \$ 500 Charles Phelps TAFT Research Center Grant (2014)
- €14,000.00 award from European Union "*Prevention of drug use among youth*" (2007)

Not Funded

- Haner, Murat (PI). "Developing an Evidence-Based Approach for the De-radicalization of the Indoctrinated ISIS Jihadists." *Department of Defense, Minerva Research Initiative*. Funds Requested: \$1,000,000.00. April 2016- Cancelled due to political instability in Middle East.
- Sloan, Melissa, M.; Murat Haner; Justin T. Pickett; Rachael A. Powers. "The Use of Emotion-Based Education and Counternarratives to Bolster Resistance Against Dis- and Mal-information Associated with Political Polarization and Violent Extremism" *National Institute of Justice*. Requested: \$850,000. April 2021
- Haner, Murat; Melissa M. Sloan; Justin T. Pickett; Rachael A. Powers. "Identifying and Countering the Emotional Appeals of Dis-information Associated with Political Polarization & Violent Extremism" *National Science Foundation*. Requested: \$1,200,000 March 2022
- Corradi, Andrea; Murat Haner, Melissa M. Sloan, Amanda Graham. "Foreign Fighter Database" Department of Homeland Security. Requested: \$ 500,000 March 2023

NATIONAL SURVEYS CARRIED OUT FOR RESEARCH AND DATA COLLECTION

Haner, Murat; Francis T. Cullen; Teresa C. Kulig, "President or Predator? The Social Construction of Donald Trump" (17-15 October 2017, National probability sample of 1000 Americans--\$5,000.00).

Haner, Murat; Cheryl Lero Jonson, Francis T. Cullen; Teresa C. Kulig, "The Price of Liberty or Never Again: Americans' Views on Gun Control After Las Vegas" (December 1-8, 2017, National probability sample of 1000 Americans--\$4,000.00)

Haner, Murat; Melissa Sloan, "Fear of Terrorism: A National Study of the American Public" (July 17, 2018, National probability sample of 1000 Americans--\$8,000.00)

Sloan, Melissa; **Murat Haner**, "Terrorism as a Contextual Stressor: Stress, Coping, and Social Support Processes among Muslims and other Minority Groups in the United States", National probability sample of 1000 Americans--\$10,000.00)

Haner, Murat, Melissa Sloan, Francis T. Cullen, & Michael Benson, "Women's Involvement in Terrorism" (August 2020-August 2021, 500 terrorists in Iraq.)

Haner, Murat; Amanda Graham, Francis T. Cullen; Melissa Sloan, & Justin T. Pickett "Ransomware" (August 22, 2021, MTurk survey of 1000 Americans--\$2,000.00)

Haner, Murat, Melissa Sloan, Justin T. Pickett, & Rachelle Powers, "Preventing Domestic Terrorism" (March 2022-April 2022, longitudinal survey of 1300 Americans)

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

Haner, Murat & Melissa M. Sloan. (2022). " Sympathy for Terrorists: The Moderating Role of American identity" Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, in Atlanta, GA.

Haner, Murat & Melissa M. Sloan. (2022). " Evil or Oppressed? How Politics Constrain Public's Understanding of Terrorism" Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problem, in Los Angeles, CA.

Haner, Murat & Melissa M. Sloan. (2020). " Theories of Terrorism: Contemporary Perspectives." Thematic session to be presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, in Washington, DC (Cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic).

Haner, Murat, Melissa M. Sloan, Francis T. Cullen, Cheryl Lero Jonson, & Teresa C. Kulig. (2019). "Reacting to the Threat of Terrorism: Behavioral Strategies to Reduce Victimization." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA, November.

Haner, Murat, Melissa M. Sloan, Francis T. Cullen, Amanda Graham, Cheryl Lero Jonson, & Teresa C. Kulig. (2020). "Making America Safe Again: Public Support for Policies to Reduce Terrorism."

Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, San Antonio, TX, March. (Cancelled due to the COVID-19 issues).

Graham, Amanda, **Murat Haner**, Melissa M. Sloan, Francis T. Cullen, Cheryl Lero Jonson, & Teresa C. Kulig. (2019). "Race and Fear of Police Brutality: The Hidden Injuries of Minority Status in America." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA, November.

Haner, Murat. (2018). "The Turkish Foreign Fighters and the Dynamics Behind Their Flow into Syria And Iraq." Invited speaker at the panel moderated by Mia Bloom at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology Meeting, Atlanta, GA, November.

Kulig, Teresa C., **Murat Haner.**, & Francis T. Cullen. (2018). "President or Predator? The Social Construction of Trump in a Divided America." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology Meeting, Atlanta, GA, November.

Haner, Murat. (2014). "Strategic Depth and Its Practice: Analyzing the Past Ten Years of Turkey Through Zero Problems Policy." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, IL.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Understanding and controlling terrorism
- Radicalization into terrorist organizations
- Public opinion research
- Testing criminological theories in cross-national contexts

CERTIFICATES

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| • Cognitive Behavioral Interventions in Corrections | 2012 |
| • Ohio Risk Assessment System (ORAS) | 2012 |
| • Risk Assessment in Corrections | 2011 |
| • Implicit Bias Training | 2021 |
| • Certified Research Administrator (CRA-USF) certificate | 2018 |
| • Advanced Certified Research Administrator (CRA-USF Advanced) | 2019 |

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Faculty leader for the Israeli "Counter-Terrorism" Study Abroad Program, ASU
- Member, Associate Deans for Research Committee, USF System
- Application Reviewer, Institutional Review Board, USF
- Co-Advisor, Student Research Society, USFSM
- Main Advisor, Alpha Phi Sigma National Criminal Justice Honors Society, USFSM
- Member, Academic Regulations Committee, USFSM
- Faculty Reviewer, National Council on Undergraduate Research
- Ad Hoc Manuscript Reviewer for *Terrorism and Political Science*, *Crime, Law and Social Change*, *Security Journal*, *Critical Criminology*, *Social Problems*, *Crime & Delinquency*, *American Journal of Public Health*.
- Ad Hoc Book Reviewer: Oxford University Press, Routledge

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

1. Research Administration Faculty Fellow

2017-2019

(Only notable achievements are listed)

- Developed and administered the USF Faculty Research and Scholarship Needs Survey. Completed data collection and analysis and developed a report for College Deans and Administration.
- Created a centralized research news reporting system to catalog and recognize faculty achievements.
- Drafted the internal awards program to support faculty and student research.
- Contributed to the development of the first USFSM Research magazine—developed call for contributions, attended meetings, solicited contributions, worked with editorial board to select feature stories and develop additional content, served as the liaison between faculty and storywriters. Developed statewide distribution lists.
- Coordinated IRB/COI training on campus.
- Provided monthly reports to the USFSM Faculty Senate and the USF System Associate Deans for Research Meetings (in Tampa).
- Held meetings with the Deans and leaders of other research initiatives at USFSM.
- Created the first Student Research Society student club at USFSM and serve as faculty advisors.
- Led research working group discussions and completed updates to the research component of the USFSM Strategic Plan. Developed key strategies, tactics, responsibility assignments, and outcomes for spring 2018 and fall 2018. Initiated the assessment of outcomes.
- Worked with Communications and Marketing at USFSM and USF Tampa to launch the Faculty Research Expertise Database on the USFSM website. Provided feedback on the internal launch, reviewed content for accuracy, and coordinated faculty review.
- Organized the first Faculty Research Pecha Kucha event to encourage interdisciplinary collaborations among USFSM faculty and Cross College Alliance colleagues.
- Coordinated faculty (and student) workshops on predatory publishing and publication metrics.

2. Criminology Program Coordinator

2018-2019

(Only notable achievements are listed)

- Created and implemented the first (4+1) accelerated master's degree in Criminal Justice in the USF system.
- Created and implemented the first 100% online master's degree in criminal justice in the USF system.
- Tripled the number of enrolments for the master's in criminal justice degree
- Convening monthly meetings with the fulltime faculty in the criminology program.
- Organizing and/or conducting assessment activities in the appropriate courses and compiling a report on an annual basis for submission to the dean.

3. Criminology Internship Coordinator

2018-2021

- Established connections with Law Enforcement Agencies to form an internship program for criminology students.
- Facilitated student placement in internship positions.

4. Advisor for APS National Criminal Justice Honor Society

2017- Current

- Established a USFSM Chapter of Alpha Phi Sigma.
- Faculty advisor to the Alpha Phi Sigma, recruited members, reviewed applications, corresponded with the society's executive committee.

5. Co-Advisor for USFSM Student Research Society

2017-Current

- This interdisciplinary student club was formed to encourage and support student participation in research activities across the university. A benefit of the formal club is that it is eligible for SGA funding to support student research activities. Thus far, the Student Research Society has developed marketing materials and planned research travel to national conferences. The society has also established connections to the USF Tampa Undergraduate Research Society.

6. USF Institutional Review Board Campus Approver for USFSM

2018-Current

- Responsible for reviewing and approving all applications for human subjects research from the USFSM campus.
- Provided training in responsible conduct of human subjects research as well as the e-IRB Arc system for proposal submission.
- Worked with both faculty and student principal investigators to prepare human subjects research proposals that are consistent with Institutional Review Board expectations.
- Consulted with principal investigators on study design, research procedures, and data management to ensure security, privacy and confidentiality.

TEACHING INTERESTS

Terrorism

Terrorism and Homeland Security
 Intelligence & International Security
 Politics of the Middle East
 Radicalization

Policing

Introduction to Policing
 Police and the Community
 Police Management
 Criminal Investigation

Statistics/Methods

Introduction to Statistics
 Research Methods
 Crime Analysis (Crime Mapping via GIS,
 SNA Social Network Analysis)

Victimology

Introduction to Victimology
 Crime Prevention

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

* Denotes courses that I developed.

Arizona State University

- Domestic Terrorism
- International Terrorism*
- Seminar on Terrorism*

University of South Florida

- Terrorism and Homeland Security* (Graduate and Undergraduate)
- Survey of the Criminal Justice System
- White-Collar Crime*(Graduate and Undergraduate)
- Serial Killers*
- Victimology (Graduate and Undergraduate)
- Theories of Criminal Behavior
- Introduction to Intelligence Analysis*
- Death Penalty (Graduate and Undergraduate)
- Politics of the Middle East *
- Patterns of Criminal Behavior

University of Cincinnati

- Theory and Practice of Crime Prevention
- Seminar in Criminology
- American Violence
- Introduction to Criminology
- Criminal Law
- Victimology
- White-Collar Crime
- Seminar in Community Corrections
- Crime and Life-course
- Theory and Practice of Law Enforcement
- Seminar in Criminal Justice
- Applied Statistics in Criminal Justice
- Theory and Philosophy of Corrections
- Theory and Practice of Law Enforcement

REFERENCES

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