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EDUCATION

- 2023 - present **Doctor of Philosophy, International Relations**
S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies
Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
Scholarship Grant: NTU Provost Graduate Award
- 2014 - 2017 **Master in International Studies**
Cognate Area: Asian Studies-Southeast Asia
Department of Political Science
College of Social Sciences and Philosophy
University of the Philippines Diliman, Philippines
- 2008 - 2011 **Bachelor of Arts Major in Political Science, *Cum Laude***
Department of Political Science and Development Studies
College of Liberal Arts
De La Salle University - Manila, Philippines
Scholarship Grant: St. La Salle Scholarship

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (ACADEME)

- 01/2023 - 04/2023 **Assistant Professorial Lecturer IV**
College of Arts and Sciences, National University, Philippines
- 01/2019 - 12/2022 **Assistant Professor I**
International Studies Department, De La Salle University - Manila,
Philippines
- 08/2017 - 04/2023 **Senior Lecturer**
ASEAN Studies Graduate Program, University of the Philippines Open
University, Philippines
- 01/2019 - 05/2019 **Instructor**
Political Science Department, University of Santo Tomas, Philippines

- 07/2018 - 10/2018 **Lecturer**
Helena Z. Benitez School of International Relations and Diplomacy,
Philippine Women's University, Philippines
- 06/2018 - 03/2019 **Assistant Professor IV**
Political Science Program, Centro Escolar University, Philippines
- 06/2012 - 04/2013 **Social Science Instructor**
De La Salle Lipa, Philippines
- 11/2011 - 04/2012 **Social Science Instructor**
First Asia Institute of Technology and Humanities, Philippines

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (GOVERNMENT SERVICE)

- 01/2018 - 03/2018 **Project Development Officer**
Public-Private Partnership Center, Philippines
- 11/2016 - 12/2016 **Head, Gubernatorial Management Staff**
Office of Governor Ramil L. Hernandez, Laguna Province, Philippines
- 08/2014 - 12/2017 **Project Manager**
Development Academy of the Philippines, Philippines
- 04/2014 - 07/2014 **Project Development Officer**
Office of the Presidential Adviser on the Peace Process, Philippines
- 02/2014 - 03/2014 **Trade and Industry Development Specialist**
Center for International Trade Expositions and Missions, Philippines
- 05/2013 - 02/2014 **Monitoring and Evaluation Officer**
Department of Social Welfare and Development, Philippines

INTERNSHIPS

- 06/2016 – 10/2016 Philippine Political Science Association, Philippines
- 04/2013 - 05/2013 United Nations Volunteers, Papua New Guinea
- 01/2011 - 04/2011 Senate Economic Planning Office, Philippines
- 01/2010 - 04/2010 Yuchengco Center, De La Salle University, Philippines
- 09/2009 - 12/2009 DLSU Jesse M. Robredo Institute of Governance, Philippines

RESEARCH INTERESTS

1. Feminist International Relations
2. Southeast Asia
3. Critical Security Studies
4. The Politics of Communication
5. Art and International Relations

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATION

Hernandez, S.M.F. (2022). The 2022 Russian Invasion of Ukraine and the West Philippine Sea Disputes: Unexplored Parallels on Regional Hegemony. *Plaza Miranda 11*. Center for Liberalism and Democracy.

Hernandez, S.M.F. (2022). The State of Creative Activism in Southeast Asia and the 2021 Myanmar Crisis. *Kyoto Review of Southeast Asia Issue 31*. Kyoto University.

Hernandez, S.M.F. (2021). The 2002 Bali Terror Attacks Aftermath: How Southeast Asia Became a Breeding Ground for Terrorism. *Journal of Asia Pacific Studies 11(2)*.

Hernandez, S.M.F. (2016). The 'ASEAN Way' and the South China Sea Disputes: Institutional Design and Cooperation in Regional Security Issues. *Southeast Asia Research Center Working Paper Series, No. 184*. City University of Hong Kong.

RESEARCH/CONFERENCE GRANTS

04/2024 **ISA SAN FRANCISCO 2024 CONVENTION TRAVEL GRANT**
International Studies Association, United States

10/2019 **ROCCA FUND GRANT**
The Asia Foundation, United States

06/2016 **SOUTHEAST ASIA RESEARCH CENTRE (SEARC) FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM**
City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

12/2023 **Women, Peace, and Security in the Global South: A Southeast Asian Perspective** (Paper)
ISA-Global South Caucus Conference, Thammasat University, Bangkok, Thailand

- 10/2023 **A (Cyber)World Safe for Women: A Feminist Analysis of Cybersecurity in the Philippines** (Paper)
COHASS Conference, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- 08/2023 **Theory-Praxis Nexus on Peacebuilding: The Role of Academia in Community-Based Programs on Counterterrorism and Countering Violent Extremism in the Philippines** (Paper)
International Conference on Academia and Community Engagement (In-ACE), Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- 02/2023 **Charlie Chaplin Revisited: *The Great Dictator* and the Rise of Illiberal Populist Leaders** (Paper)
16th DLSU Arts Congress, Manila, Philippines
- 10/2019 **17 Years After the 2002 Bali Bombings: How Southeast Asia Became a Breeding Ground for Terrorism** (Paper)
Asian Political and International Studies Association (APISA) Conference 2019, Bangkok, Thailand
- 07/2019 **The 'ASEAN Way' and the South China Sea Disputes** (Paper)
2019 International Studies Association-Asia Pacific Conference, Singapore
- 07/2016 **Peace in Southeast Asia: ASEAN or Balance of Power?** (Paper)
10th International Conference on Philippine Studies, Dumaguete City, Philippines
- 06/2016 **International Relations in Asia: Quo Vadis? Philippine IR?** (Roundtable Participant)
2016 International Studies Association Asia-Pacific Conference, Hong Kong
- 06/2016 **Networks in Asia: Opportunities for Small and Medium Powers?** (Roundtable Chair)
2016 International Studies Association Asia-Pacific Conference, Hong Kong
- 03/2016 **The US Pivot to Asia and Threats to Potential Chinese Hegemony** (Paper)
2nd UP CSSP Graduate Studies Conference, Quezon City, Philippines

INVITED LECTURES/INTERVIEWS/PRESENTATIONS

- 05/2023 **The State of Creative Activism in Myanmar and the 2021 Crisis** (Guest Lecturer)
FISIP, Universitas Airlangga, Surabaya, Indonesia

- 08/2022 **Russia vs. Ukraine: Impact on the Region's Political Economic Order (Panelist)**
Center for Liberalism and Democracy, Philippines
- 12/2021 **Entropa: The Politics of Art (Speaker)**
American Studies Society, De La Salle University, Manila, Philippines
- 04/2021 **Conflicts, Security, and Diplomacy: The International Relations of Southeast Asia (Guest Lecturer)**
University of Makati and Philippine Councilors League Legislative Academy
- 04/2021 **The Myanmar Crisis Episode (Podcast Interviewer)**
European Studies Society, De La Salle University, Manila, Philippines
- 03/2021 **Combatting Politicization and Ensuring Equity for the Global Distribution of the COVID-19 Vaccine and the Myanmar Crisis (Panelist)**
De La Salle Model United Nations, Manila, Philippines
- 03/2021 **The 2021 Myanmar Coup d'etat and ASEAN's Non-Interference Principle**
The LaSallian, De La Salle University - Manila, Philippines
- 12/2020 **Foreign Policy Analysis for DLSU Model United Nations (MUN) Training**
De La Salle University - Manila, Philippines
- 10/2020 **Empirical Observations from the Tourism Industry of Southeast Asia**
St. Scholastica's College, Manila, Philippines
- 11/2019 **World Universities Association for Community Development (WUACD) International Summit (Panelist)**
Universitas Airlangga, Surabaya, Indonesia
- 09/2019 **United Nations and Countries of the World (Guest Teacher)**
Mind at Work Tutorial and Learning Center, Quezon City, Philippines
- 11/2018 **Module on Philippine Constitution and Philippine Public Administration**
Philippine Foreign Service Officer Examinations Review Course
Philippine Women's University, Manila, Philippines
- 06/2017 **How to Write a Good Undergraduate Social Science Thesis?**
College of Liberal Arts Festival Symposium Series
De La Salle University – Manila, Philippines

- 01/2016 **The Bottomline Episode on Kalayaan Group of Islands (Reactor)**
ABS-CBN News and Public Affairs, Quezon City, Philippines
- 09/2013 **Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program: An Overview (Resource Speaker)**
Training Course/Orientation for Municipal Links and Social Welfare Assistants
DSWD, Manila, Philippines
- 08/2013 **The Use of Social Welfare Indicators to Evaluate the Impact of Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (Resource Speaker)**
Training Course on Social Welfare Indicators for Municipal Links
DSWD, Manila, Philippines

LIST OF COURSES TAUGHT/DEVELOPED

National University, Philippines

- Understanding the Self

De La Salle University - Manila, Philippines

- Introduction to Global Society
- The Contemporary World
- The Filipino and ASEAN
- International Sports
- International Political Economy
- Comparative Politics and Government of Southeast Asia
- Foreign Policy Analysis
- Political Art in Modern Southeast Asia
- Southeast Asian Foreign Policy
- ASEAN and the World
- Introduction to Southeast Asian Politics
- Foreign Policy Analysis
- Introduction to Southeast Asian Studies
- International Organizations and Development

University of the Philippines Open University, Philippines

- Politics and Governance Dynamics in ASEAN
- Comparative Study of the Political, Economic, and Social Systems of ASEAN

University of Santo Tomas, Philippines

- Philippine Government and Constitution
- The Contemporary World

Philippine Women's University - Helena Z Benitez School of International Relations and Diplomacy, Philippines

- Gender and Development
- Consular and Diplomatic Affairs
- Peace and Security Studies
- Philippine Constitution and Philippine Public Administration

Centro Escolar University, Philippines

- Seminar on Research Methods in International Studies
- China-Southeast Asian Relations
- Parliamentary Practices and Procedures
- Seminar on Philippine Political Development
- Comparative Politics
- Introduction to International Relations
- Qualitative and Quantitative Political Analysis
- Readings in Philippine History
- Life, Works, and Writings of Dr. Jose Rizal
- Applied Economics
- Special Topics in International Relations
- Peace and Security Studies
- China-Southeast Asia Relations

De La Salle Lipa, Philippines

- Philippine History
- Life, Works, and Writings of Dr. Jose Rizal
- Philippine Government and Constitution

First Asia Institute of Technology and Humanities, Philippines

- Philippine History
- Life, Works, and Writings of Dr. Jose Rizal
- Philippine Government and Constitution
- Sociology and Anthropology

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

International Studies Association (2016 - present)
Philippine Political Science Association (2015 - present)
Philippine International Studies Organization (founding member)

ACADEMIC SERVICE (THESIS MENTORSHIPS AND PANELS)

Thesis Mentorships

- July 2022: Thesis Adviser, *Cultural Diplomacy and Reputational Security: An Analysis of the Filipino Erasmus Program Experience to Poland* (Barretto, J., et al., Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Major in European Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- October 2021 - present: Thesis Adviser, *The Evolution of Digital Diplomacy: How Filipino Diplomats Engage the Diasporic Community* (Racelis, D., et al., Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Major in European Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- October 2021: Thesis Adviser, *The End of an Era: Effects of the 2005 Immigration Control Act on the Social Conditions of Filipino Entertainers in Japan* (Siy, D., et al., Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Major in Japanese Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)

Thesis Committee Memberships

- July 2022: Thesis Reader, *Applying the Democratic Peace Theory to India-Pakistan Relations* (Manalo, T., et al., Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Major in European Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- July 2022: Thesis Reader, *The Shrinking Space of Media during COVID-19: A Perspective of Journalists in the Philippines* (Bagalawis, C. & Villanueva, R., Bachelor of Arts in Southeast Asian Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- July 2022: Thesis Reader, *A Comparative Study on the Media Coverage of Climate Change in the UK and PH and its Impacts on the Youth's Climate Literacy* (Moreno, K., et al., Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Major in European Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- July 2022: Thesis Reader, *A Comparative Analysis of the Effectiveness of Philippines and Thailand's Gastrodiplomacy to the United Kingdom* (Gopez, H., et al., Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Major in European Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- February 2022: Thesis Reader: *On the Protection of the Mamanwa Communities' Cultural Rights: The UNDRIP's (In-) Action* (Gaddi, N.R.M., Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Major in European Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- September 2021: Thesis Reader, *State-Ethnic Conflicts in Southeast Asia: Identifying and Assessing the Drivers in the Philippines, Thailand, and Indonesia; 1960s-2010s* (Tabamo, R. & Arcega, E., Bachelor of Arts in Southeast Asian Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- September 2021: Thesis Reader, *Duterte's Populist Language and Leadership: Impact on Women in Politics in the Philippines (2016-2020)* (Palenzuela, A., et al., Bachelor of Arts in Southeast Asian Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)
- January 2021: Thesis Committee Member, *The Rights of Indigenous People in ASEAN: A Comparison of the Policies of Malaysia and the Philippines* (Gabrielle E. Pineda, Master in ASEAN Studies, University of the Philippines Open University)

- July 2020: Thesis Committee Member, *Status, Prospects, and Challenges of International Mobility of Students in ASEAN: The Philippine Experience* (Medardo B. Bombita, Master in ASEAN Studies, University of the Philippines Open University)
- January 2020: Thesis Committee Member, *Treaty Commitment Preferences: The Case of the Philippines on the Proposed ASEAN Extradition* (Kieren Roevi A. Batiles, Master in ASEAN Studies, University of the Philippines Open University)
- November 2019: Thesis Committee Member, *The Rise of Populism: Its Role and Effects on Brexit and the US-Philippines Alliance* (Jason B. Bitantes, MA International Studies, De La Salle University - Manila, Philippines)
- July 2019: Thesis Reader, *Norm Circulation and Responsibility to Protect: A Comparative Study on ASEAN's Response Towards the 2008 Cyclone Nargis and 2013 Typhoon Haiyan Crisis* (Timothy Joseph Henares, Bachelor of Arts in International Studies Major in European Studies, De La Salle University - Manila)

ACADEMIC SERVICE (ADMINISTRATIVE AND COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS)

- October 2021-December 2022: Quality Assurance Team Member, Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges and Universities (PAASCU) Resurvey Visit (De La Salle University - Manila, Philippines)
- April 2021-present: Reviewer, *Journal of Management and Development Studies* (University of the Philippines Open University)
- October 2020-December 2022: Service Learning Coordinator of the International Studies Department for External Relations and Lasallian Mission (De La Salle University - Manila, Philippines)

LANGUAGES

English, Tagalog, Kapampangan, Spanish, Bahasa Indonesia, Arabic