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## Education

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- 2029 **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.), Criminal Justice and Criminology**  
CUNY Graduate Center ▪ New York, NY
- 2020 **Master of Arts (M.A.), Criminal Justice**  
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice ▪ New York, NY  
Thesis: “An Analysis of the Parental Structure and Involvement on Subsequent Delinquency.” (Advisor: Dr. Kevin Wolff)  
Overall GPA: 3.70
- 2018 **Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), Criminology**  
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice ▪ New York, NY  
Major GPA: 3.78      Minor GPA: 3.83      Overall GPA: 3.68

## Areas of Focus

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Criminological Theory, Quantitative Methods, Juvenile Justice, Adolescent Offending, Developmental Criminology, Applied Research, Bail Reform

## Publications and Reports

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### Research Reports

Simonds, R., **Villavicencio, B.**, & Hwang, J. (2024). Upcoming Research On How Travel Time Affects Missed Court Appearances. New York: NYC Criminal Justice Agency, Inc.

Topel, D., Gewirtz, M., & **Villavicencio, B.** (2023). Mapping Bail Practices in the Context of Neighborhood Poverty Levels in New York City. New York: New York City Criminal Justice Agency, Inc.

Gewirtz, M. & **Villavicencio, B.** (2023). The Third Year of Raise the Age. New York: New York City Criminal Justice Agency, Inc.

## Conference Presentations

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### Paper Presentations

- 2025 **Villavicencio, B.** *Reducing Juvenile Delinquency through Social Control: A Study of Institutionally-Based Influences*, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Denver, Colorado.
- 2023 Bergin, T., Simonds, R., & **Villavicencio, B.** *The Impact Pretrial Detention Revisited: Collateral Consequences & Invisible Groups*, American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, November.
- 2023 Topel, D., & **Villavicencio, B.** *Understanding & Addressing the Needs of the Pretrial Population in New York City*. American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, November.
- 2023 Sharps, D., **Villavicencio, B.**, & Robinson, N. *Enhancing Pretrial Outcomes: Voluntary Support Services to Address Pretrial Needs*. National Association of Pretrial Service Agencies, New Orleans, September.

### Research Grants

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- 2024 **A Temporal-Spatial Analysis of the Distance to Court and FTA in Marginalized Communities**  
**Role:** Co-Investigator (PI: David Topel)  
**Funding:** Microsoft/Urban Institute (\$40,000)

### Research and Professional Experience

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- 2024-2025 **Graduate Research Assistant** under Dr. Amy Adamczyk  
CUNY Graduate Center ▪ New York, NY
- 2023-2024 **Research Analyst**, *Research and Evidence-Based Practice (R-EBP)*  
NYC Criminal Justice Agency ▪ New York, NY
- 2019-2020 **Graduate Research Assistant** under Dr. Kevin Wolff  
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice ▪ New York, NY
- 2019 **Undergraduate Research Assistant** under Dr. Amy Adamczyk  
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice ▪ New York, NY
- 2019 **Research Assistant**, *Center for Sentencing and Corrections (CSC)*  
Vera Institute of Justice ▪ New York, NY
- 2018 **Research Assistant** under Dr. Jason R. Silva  
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice ▪ New York, NY

## Honors and Awards

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- 2025 **Conference Presentation Support Award**, CUNY Graduate Center.  
Amount awarded: \$300
- 2025 **Criminal Justice-PhD University Conference Fellowship**. CUNY Graduate Center.  
Amount awarded: \$1,500.
- 2024 **Fellowship for Racial Injustice and Inclusive Criminology (RJIC)**. CUNY Graduate Center.  
Amount awarded: \$2,500.
- 2024 **Criminal Justice PhD 5-Year Fellowship**. CUNY Graduate Center.  
Amount awarded: \$150,000.

## Academic Service

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- 2025-  
Present **Faculty Mentor**  
Department of Sociology ▪ CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice
- 2025-2026 **Chair for Strategic Planning**  
Criminal Justice Doctoral Student Association (CJDSA)  
CUNY John Jay College/CUNY Graduate Center ▪ New York, NY

## Professional Affiliations

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American Society of Criminology (ASC)  
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (ACJS)

## Academic Appointments

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- 2025 **Visiting Professorship**, *M.A. Program in Criminology and Prevention Policies*  
Universidad Centroamericana José Simeón Cañas ▪ San Salvador, El Salvador
- 2019-Present **Adjunct Lecturer**, *Department of Sociology*  
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice ▪ New York, NY
- 2024 **Guest Lecturer** for Senior Seminar in Criminology (SOC 440)  
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice ▪ New York
- 2023 **Guest Lecturer** for Introduction to Criminal Justice Practice  
St. John's University ▪ Queens, NY
- 2022 **Adjunct Lecturer**, *Department of Sociology and Behavioral Sciences*  
CUNY Hostos Community College ▪ Bronx, NY

## **Courses Taught**

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### **Graduate level**

Theories of Criminal Behavior

### **Undergraduate level**

Introduction to Sociology (SOC 101)

Criminology Theory (SOC 203)

Social Stratification and Inequality (SOC 232)

Victimology and Justice (SOC 236/CRJ 236)

Youth, Crime, and Justice (SOC 309)

Senior Seminar in Criminology (SOC 440)