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Education

Ph.D. in Civil Engineering, University of Colorado Denver Secondary Concentration in Mathematical and Statistical Sciences	May 2018
M.A. in Geography & Planning, West Chester University Graduate Certificates in GIS and Urban and Regional Planning	December 2013
B.A. in Engineering Studies, Lafayette College Minor in Environmental Science	December 2009

Academic Experience

University of New Mexico

Associate Professor	June 2024-Present
Co-Director: New Mexico Transportation Center	March 2024-Present
UTC Director: USDOT Center for Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety	February 2023-Present
Assistant Professor	August 2018-June 2024

University of Colorado Denver

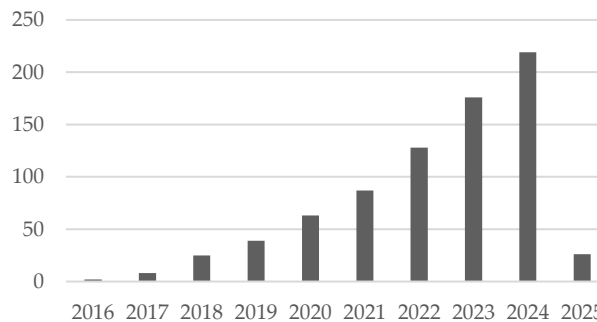
Research Assistant	September 2014-August 2018
Adjunct Professor	January 2015-May 2015

West Chester University

Adjunct Professor	January 2018-May 2018
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Refereed Journal Publications (underline indicates that author is/was my student; * indicates funded)

	All	Since 2020
Citations	789	703
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- 2024
1. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, B.N. Janson, and W.E. Marshall. (2024). Estimating Lives Saved and Serious Injuries Reduced by Bicycle Helmet Use in Colorado, 2006-2014. *International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*. (Accepted).
 2. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and B.A. Woods*. (2024). Changes in Crash Types and Contributing Factors After Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Infrastructure Installation in Albuquerque, New Mexico. *Multimodal Transportation*. (Accepted).
 3. K. Habib, L.L. Losada-Rojas, and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2024). Review of the Impacts of Human Factors on Cycling: Workload, Behavior, and Perception. *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*. 03611981241242766.
 4. A.R. Joshi*, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and L.L. Losada-Rojas. (2024). Bus Rapid Transit as Arterial Corridor Traffic Calming: The Relationship Between Transit Infrastructure and Vehicle Operating Speeds. *Traffic Injury Prevention*. (In Press).
 5. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, R.B. Osofsky, W. Simon, J. White, T. Reed, R. Clark, J. Paul, S. West, and R. Miskimins. (2024). Database integration identifies the effects of signalized street crossings on pedestrian injury. *Journal of Surgical Research*, 296: 281-290.
 6. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2024). Traffic Safety for All Road Users: A Paired Comparison Study of Small & Mid-Sized U.S. Cities with High/Low Bicycling Rates. *Journal of Cycling and Micromobility Research*, 2: 100010.
 7. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and A.I. Barney. (2024). Analyzing Access to Parks and Other Green Spaces on Walking, Biking, and Driving Networks Through a Socioeconomic Lens. *Local Environment*, 29(5): 663-679.
- 2023
8. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2023). U.S. Road Safety During COVID-19: Motorist, Pedestrian, and Bicyclist Fatality Trends. *International Journal of Disaster Resilience in the Built Environment*. 10.1108/IJDRBE-09-2022-0091.
 9. O. Sanchez Rodriguez* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2023). Longitudinal Spatial Trends in U.S. Pedestrian Fatalities, 1999-2020. *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*. 2678(5): 904-916.
 10. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2023). Impacts of COVID-19 on motor vehicle crash frequency and severity by functional classification and land use context. *Transactions on Transport Sciences*, 14(3): 32-37.
 11. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2023). Longitudinal Bicyclist, Driver, and Pedestrian Perceptions of Autonomous Vehicle Communication Strategies. *Journal of Traffic and Transportation Engineering*, 10(1): 31-44.
- 2022
12. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2022). U.S. Vision Zero Cities: Modal Fatality Trends and Strategy Effectiveness. *Transportation Letters: The International Journal of Transportation Research*, 1-12.

13. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, R.E. Gutierrez*, and P.A. Singleton. (2022). Shedding Light on the Pedestrian Safety Crisis: An Analysis Across the Injury Severity Spectrum by Lighting Condition. *Traffic Injury Prevention*, 23(7): 434-439.
14. E. Bia* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2022). The Impact of Bus Rapid Transit Construction and Infrastructure on Traffic Safety: A Case Study from Albuquerque, New Mexico. *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*, 2676(9): 110-119.
15. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and R.B. Osofsky. (2022). Police-Reported Pedestrian Collision Crash Matching and Injury Severity Misclassification by Body Region in New Mexico, USA. *Accident Analysis and Prevention*, 167: 106573.
16. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and S. Shafique*. (2022). Pedestrians' Perceptions of Autonomous Vehicle External Human-Machine Interfaces. *ASCE-ASME Journal of Risk and Uncertainty in Engineering Systems, Part B: Mechanical Engineering*, 8(3): 034501.
17. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2022). Residential Development Patterns and Child Pedestrian Injury Rates. *Journal of Transportation Safety & Security*, 14(1): 67-82.
- 2021 18. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2021). Bicycling Facility Inequalities and the Causality Dilemma with Socioeconomic/Sociodemographic Change. *Transportation Research Part D: Transport and Environment*, 97: 102920.
19. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and M.G. Abadi. (2021). Nighttime Pedestrian Fatalities: A Comprehensive Examination of Infrastructure, User, Vehicle, and Situational Factors. *Journal of Safety Research*, 79: 14-25.
20. B. Long* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2021). Spatial Equity Analysis of Nighttime Pedestrian Safety: The Role of Land Use and Alcohol Establishments in Albuquerque, NM. *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*, 2675(12): 622-634.
- 2020 21. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2020). Is Bicycling Getting Safer? Bicycle Fatality Rates (1985-2017) Using Four Exposure Metrics. *Transportation Research Interdisciplinary Perspectives*, 8: 100219.
22. M.C. Cruz* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2020). Emergency Response Times for Fatal Motor Vehicle Crashes, 1975-2017. *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*, 2674(8): 504-510.
23. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2020). Quantifying Suppressed Child Pedestrian and Bicycle Trips. *Travel Behaviour and Society*, 20: 91-103.
24. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2020). Validation of Bicycle Level of Traffic Stress (LTS) and Perceived Safety for Children. *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*, 2674(4): 397-406.
- 2019 25. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2019). Suppressed Child Pedestrian and Bicycle Trips as an Indicator of Safety: Adopting a Proactive Safety Approach in Denver, Colorado. *Transportation Research Part A: Policy and Practice*, 124: 128-144.

26. W.E. Marshall and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2019). Why are Bike-Friendly Cities Safer for All Road Users? *Journal of Transport & Health*, 13: 285-301.
27. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2019). An Equity Analysis of Proactively- Vs. Reactively-Identified Traffic Safety Issues. *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*, 2673(7): 596-606.
28. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2019). Advancing Healthy Cities Through Safer Cycling: An Examination of Shared Lane Markings. *International Journal of Transportation Science and Technology*, 8(2): 136-145.
- 2018 29. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2018). Spontaneous Order of Pedestrian and Vehicle Intersection Conflicts in the Indian Context. *Transportation Research Part F: Traffic Psychology and Behaviour*, 55: 451-463.
- 2017 30. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and M. Katirai. (2017). Pedestrian Crossing Behavior in Relation to Grouping and Gender in a Developing Country Context. *Journal of Global Epidemiology and Environmental Health*, 1: 37-45.
31. W.E. Marshall and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2017). Assessing Equity and Urban/Rural Road Safety Disparities in the US. *Journal of Urbanism*, 10(4): 422-441.
32. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (2017). Redefining the Child Pedestrian Safety Paradigm: Identifying High Fatality Concentrations in Urban Areas. *Injury Prevention*, 23: 364-369.
- 2016 33. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2016). Pedestrian Age and Gender in Relation to Crossing Behavior at Midblock Crossings in India. *Journal of Traffic and Transportation Engineering*, 4(3): 345-351.
- 2015 34. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and M. Katirai. (2015). Commute Mode and Mental Health in Major Metropolitan Areas. *Transportation Letters: The International Journal of Transportation Research*, 7(2): 92-103.

Research Reports

- 2024 1. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2024). *Countermeasures to Improve Pedestrian Safety on Arterials*. New Mexico Department of Transportation. R922070.
2. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2024). *NMDOT Pedestrian Safety on Arterials*. Center for Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety, University Transportation Centers Program, University of New Mexico, 23UNM01.
3. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2024). *Pedestrian vs. Bicyclist Fatality Patterns of Geographic/Demographic Shift*. Center for Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety, University Transportation Centers Program, University of New Mexico, 23UNM02.
- 2023 4. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (2023). *Countermeasures to Improve Pedestrian Safety on Arterials*. Transportation Consortium of South-Central States, University Transportation Centers Program, Louisiana State University, 22SAUNM18.

- 2022 5. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (2022). *COVID-19 and Traffic Safety: Exploring Exposure, Crash Frequency and Severity, and Roadway and Network Design.* Transportation Consortium of South-Central States, University Transportation Centers Program, Louisiana State University, 21SAUNM02.
- 2021 6. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (2021). *Autonomous Vehicle Communication Strategies Modeled in Virtual Reality.* Transportation Consortium of South-Central States, University Transportation Centers Program, Louisiana State University, 20ITSUNM03.
- 2020 7. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and G. Rowangould. (2020). *ABQ Streets Project: Creating Alternative Residential Street Designs.* Transportation Consortium of South-Central States, University Transportation Centers Program, Louisiana State University, 19PPUNM01.
8. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (2020). *Enhancing Evaluation of Wildlife Detection Systems.* Transportation Consortium of South-Central States, University Transportation Centers Program, Louisiana State University, 19SAUNM03.
- 2019 9. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, W.E. Marshall, and B. Janson. (2019). *Redefining the Child Pedestrian Safety Paradigm.* Mountain Plains Consortium, University Transportation Centers Program, North Dakota State University, MPC-515.
10. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, W.E. Marshall, and B. Janson. (2019). *Reassessing Child Pedestrian Mode Choice & Safety via Perceived Parental Risk.* Mountain Plains Consortium, University Transportation Centers Program, North Dakota State University, MPC-557.

Publications

1. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (2018). A Call for Proactive Road Design. *Vision Zero Cities: International Journal of Traffic Safety Innovation*, ed. 3.
2. Transportation Alternatives Data Exchange. (2014). *Transportation Alternatives and Transportation Enhancements 2013 Spending Report.* Washington, DC: Federal Highway Administration.

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Invited for Revision

1. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, O.S. Rodriguez*, L.L. Losada-Rojas, R.J. Schneider, and X. Gu. Longitudinal Geographic/Demographic Shifts in U.S. Bicyclist Fatalities 2001-2020. *Journal of Planning Education and Research.*
2. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and L.L. Losada-Rojas. The Impact of Communication Technologies on Emergency Notification and Response Times for Fatal Rural and Urban Motor Vehicle Collisions. *International Journal of Emergency Services.*

Under Peer Review

3. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. The Impact of Low-Stress Bicycle Facilities on Bicycle Commuting. *Nature Cities.*

4. L.L. Losada-Rojas, Y.T. Chaves Lasso, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and Y. Lin. Statistical And Spatial Analysis of Pedestrian and Bicyclist Crashes on Arterials Roads. *Accident Analysis & Prevention*.
5. M.G. Abadi, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and D. Maas. Pedestrian Response to Leading Pedestrian Intervals: The Role of Visual and Audible Cues in Start-Up Time and Walking Speed. *Journal of Transportation Engineering, Part A: Systems*.
6. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and O. Tafoya*. Longitudinal Pedestrian Safety Trends for Passenger Cars, Pickup Trucks, and SUVs: A 2015-2022 Study of Texas. *BMJ Public Health*.

Drafted and Under Internal Review

7. Y.T. Chaves Lasso, W. Simon, S. Sheets, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and L.L. Losada-Rojas. Impact of Access Management on Arterial Road Crashes: A Case Study of Albuquerque, New Mexico.
8. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and O. Tafoya*. Pedestrian Safety and Vehicle Design: Longitudinally Examining Changes in Height and Weight of SUVs and Pickup Trucks.
9. A.R. Joshi* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. Defining User Personas for Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Riders.
10. A.R. Joshi* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. Bus Fare-Free Programs and Transit Ridership: A Case Study of Boston.
11. R.J. Schneider, X. Gu, K. Nelson, and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. Neighborhood-Level Shifts in US Fatal and Severe Pedestrian Crashes during the 2010s.
12. N. Ahangarfabrik, M. Honey, M. Swayne, B. Appleyard, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and M. Carbajal. Evaluating California's Active Transportation Program: The Safety Benefits of Safe Routes and Crossings to School Projects in Santa Cruz, CA.

Conference Presentations (underline indicates that author is/was my student; * indicates funded)

- 2025
1. Y.T. Chaves Lasso, W. Simon, S. Sheets, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and L.L. Losada-Rojas. (January 2025). Impact of Access Management on Arterial Road Crashes: A Case Study of Albuquerque, New Mexico. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
 2. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and O. Tafoya*. (January 2025). Pedestrian Safety and Vehicle Design: Longitudinally Examining Changes in SUV and Pickup Truck Front-End Height. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
 3. M.G. Abadi, J. Nguyen, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and D. Maas. (January 2025). Is a 3-Second Leading Pedestrian Interval Effective? Exploring the Influence of Signal Configurations and Audio Cues on Pedestrian Behavior. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.

- 2024 4. J.J. Rawson*, L.L. Losada-Rojas, K. Habib, and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (July 2024). Understanding Naturalistic Cyclist Stress & Mental Workload: A Human Factors Analysis. Poster. *TRB Conference on Advancing Transportation Equity*: Baltimore, MD.
5. A.R. Joshi* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (July 2024). Equitable Access to Transit: A Case Study of Fare-Free Bus Routes in Boston. Poster. *TRB Conference on Advancing Transportation Equity*: Baltimore, MD.
6. A.R. Joshi* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (July 2024). Unveiling Transit Decisions: Exploring the Influence of User Personas on Mode Choice and Equity in Public Transportation. Poster. *TRB Conference on Advancing Transportation Equity*: Baltimore, MD.
7. Y. Chaves, L.L. Losada-Rojas, and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (June 2024). Exploring the Role of Arterial Road Characteristics on Pedestrian and Bicyclist Crashes. Poster. *ASCE International Conference on Transportation and Development*: Atlanta, GA.
8. O. Tafoya* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2024). Pedestrian Safety and Vehicle Design: Are SUVs and Pickup Trucks to Blame? Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
9. K. Habib, L.L. Losada-Rojas, and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2024). A Review of the Impacts of Human Factors on Cycling: Workload, Behavior, and Perception. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
10. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2024). Someone Call 911! The Impact of Communication Advances on Emergency Notification and Response Times for Fatal Rural/Urban Motor Vehicle Collisions. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
11. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2024). Traffic Safety in New Mexico. Lectern. *New Mexico Paving & Transportation Conference*: Albuquerque, NM.
- 2023 12. O. Sanchez Rodriguez* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2023). Longitudinal Spatial Trends in U.S. Pedestrian Fatalities, 1999-2020. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
13. A.J. Barney and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2023). Analyzing Access to Parks and Other Green Spaces on Walking, Biking, and Driving Networks Through a Socioeconomic Lens. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
14. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2023). Automated Vehicle Noise Enforcement: Opportunities and Challenges. Lectern. *New Mexico Paving & Transportation Conference*: Albuquerque, NM.
- 2022 15. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (October 2022). Next Steps for Making your Community More Walkable. Lectern. *American Planning Association – New Mexico Chapter Annual Meeting*: Albuquerque, NM.
16. E. Bia* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2022). The Impact of Bus Rapid Transit on Traffic Safety: A Case Study from Albuquerque, New Mexico. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.

17. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, B. Janson, and W.E. Marshall. (January 2022). Adapting a Bicycle-Specific Helmet Effectiveness Factor (HEF) from the Motorcyclist Literature. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
- 2021 18. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (November 2021). Why Cities with High Bicycling Rates are Safer for All Road Users: An Analysis of Mid-Size Cities. LECTERN. *International Cycling Safety Conference*: Lund, Sweden.
19. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (November 2021). Is Bicycling Getting Safer? Bicycle Fatality Rates (1985-2017) Using Four Exposure Metrics. LECTERN. *International Cycling Safety Conference*: Lund, Sweden.
20. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and S. Shafique*. (August 2021). Pedestrians' Perceptions of Autonomous Vehicle External Human-Machine Interfaces. LECTERN. *Bridging Transportation Researchers Conference*: Remote.
21. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (August 2021). Why Cities with High Bicycling Rates are Safer for All Road Users: An Analysis of Mid-Size Cities. LECTERN. *World Symposium on Transport and Land Use Research*: Portland, OR.
22. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and S. Shafique*. (June 2021). Autonomous Vehicle Communication Strategies Modeled in Virtual Reality: Perceptions and Behaviors of Pedestrians and Human Drivers in Relation to External Human-Machine Interfaces. LECTERN. *Tran-SET Conference*: Jonesboro, AR.
23. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and S. Shafique*. (January 2021). Pedestrians' Perceptions of Autonomous Vehicle External Human-Machine Interfaces. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
24. B. Long* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2021). Spatial Equity Analysis of Nighttime Pedestrian Safety: The Role of Land Use and Alcohol Establishments. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
25. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, R.E. Gutierrez*, and P.A. Singleton. (January 2021). The Role of Lighting Condition Across the Pedestrian Injury Severity Spectrum. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
26. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (January 2021). The (In)Equitable Distribution of Bicycling Facilities & the Causality Dilemma with Socioeconomic Change. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
27. M.C. Cruz* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2021). Public Art and Transportation. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
- 2020 28. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (September 2020). Autonomous Vehicle Communication Strategies Modeled in Virtual Reality. LECTERN. *Tran-SET Conference*: Albuquerque, NM.
29. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and D. Hadwiger. (September 2020). Enhancing Evaluation of Wildlife Detection Systems. LECTERN. *Tran-SET Conference*: Albuquerque, NM.

30. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and G. Rowangould. (September 2020). ABQ Streets Project: Creating Alternative Residential Street Designs. Lectern. *Tran-SET Conference*: Albuquerque, NM.
31. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (January 2020). Implementing Vision Zero: A Proactive Methodology for Building Communities for Kids. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
32. M.C. Cruz* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2020). Emergency Response Times for Fatal Motor Vehicle Crashes, 1975-2017. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
33. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (January 2020). Is Bicycling Getting Safer for Adults? Age-Specific Bicycle Fatality Rates from Four Exposure Metrics, 1985-2017. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
34. T. Moe* and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2020). Proactively Analyzing Nighttime Pedestrian Fatalities. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC
35. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (January 2020). Validation of Bicycle Level of Traffic Stress (LTS) and Perceived Safety: A Study of Children in Denver. Lectern. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
36. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and J. Hirsch. (January 2020). Enhancing Evaluation of Wildlife Detection Systems. Lectern. *New Mexico Paving & Transportation Conference*: Albuquerque, NM.
- 2019 37. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and S. Shafique*. (August 2019). Impact of Autonomous Vehicle-to-Pedestrian Communication on Safety Perceptions and Behavior. Poster. *Association of Pedestrian & Bike Professionals' Seminar*: Portland, OR.
38. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (August 2019). Adopting Proactive Indicators of Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety. Lectern. *Association of Pedestrian & Bike Professionals' Seminar*: Portland, OR.
39. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (June 2019). Implementing Vision Zero: Cities for Kids. Lectern. *Congress for the New Urbanism (Invited)*: Louisville, KY.
40. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (April 2019). Impact of Autonomous Vehicle-to-Pedestrian Communication on Safety Perceptions and Behavior. Lectern. *Lifesavers National Conference on Highway Safety (Invited)*: Louisville, KY.
41. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2019). An Equity Analysis of Proactively- vs. Reactively-Identified Traffic Safety Issues. Lectern. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
42. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (January 2019). Adopting Proactive Indicators of Traffic Safety. Lectern. *New Mexico Paving & Transportation Conference*: Albuquerque, NM.

- 2018 43. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (October 2018). Suppressed Child Pedestrian Trips as an Indicator of Safety: Adopting a Proactive Safety Approach in Denver. Lectern. *Walk21 Conference (Invited)*: Bogotá, Colombia.
44. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (October 2018). Suppressed Bicycling Trips: A Proactive Safety Analysis of Children Biking to School. Lectern. *International Cycling Safety Conference (Invited)*: Barcelona, Spain.
45. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (September 2018). So Unsafe, It Seems Safe: Proactively Assessing Bicycle and Pedestrian Safety via Perceived Risk. Poster. *Walk Bike Places*: New Orleans, LA.
46. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (July 2018). So Unsafe, It Seems Safe: Reassessing Safety via Perceived Risk. Webinar. *ITE Webinar Series*.
47. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (May 2018). Exploring Neglected Safety Equity Issues. Lectern. *Congress for the New Urbanism*: Savannah, GA.
48. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (April 2018). Does a Lack of Casualties Mean That You Are Safe? Using Parental Perceptions and Mode Choice to Explore Child Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety to School. Lectern. *Lifesavers National Conference on Highway Safety (Invited)*: San Antonio, TX.
49. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (February 2018). Parental Perceptions and Mode Choice to Explore Child Pedestrian & Bicyclist Safety. Poster. *Active Living Research Conference*: Banff, Alberta, Canada.
50. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (February 2018). The Relative (In)effectiveness of Bicycle Sharrows on Safety Outcomes. Poster. *Active Living Research Conference*: Banff, Alberta, Canada.
51. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (January 2018). Age-Specific Bicycling Safety Trends, 1985-2015. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
52. K. Nordback, S. Kothuri, B. Lan, G. Gibson, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and W.E. Marshall. (January 2018). Bicyclist Safety Performance Functions for Road Segments in a U.S. City. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
53. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and M. Katirai. (January 2018). Pedestrian Crossing Behavior in Relation to Grouping and Gender in a Developing Country Context. Lectern. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
54. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2018). Suppressed Child Pedestrian and Bicycle Trips as an Indicator of Safety: Adopting a Proactive Safety Approach in Denver. Lectern. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
- 2017 55. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (September 2017). The Relative (In)Effectiveness of Bicycle Sharrows on Safety Outcomes. Lectern. *International Cycling Safety Conference*: Davis, CA.

56. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (September 2017). Redefining Safe Streets Through a New Child Pedestrian Demand/Exposure Model. Lectern. *Walk21 Conference*: Calgary, Alberta, Canada.
57. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (September 2017). Are Our Cities Making Our Roads Unsafe? The Impact of Land Use Configurations on Child Pedestrian Injuries. Poster. *Walk21 Conference*: Calgary, Alberta, Canada.
58. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (September 2017). So Unsafe, It Seems Safe: Improving Child Pedestrian Safety Analyses with Latent Demand. Poster. *National Walking Summit*: St. Paul, MN.
59. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (August 2017). So Unsafe, It Seems Safe: Reassessing Safety via Perceived Risk. Poster. *ITE Annual Meeting (Invited)*: Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
60. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (April 2017). Are Our Cities Making Our Roads Unsafe? The Impact of Land Use Configurations on Child Pedestrian Crashes. Poster. *Transportation Research Forum*: Chicago, IL.
61. G. Gibson, K. Nordback, S. Kothuri, **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**, and W.E. Marshall. (January 2017). Motorist-Cyclists Crash Data Needs in U.S. Communities. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
- 2016 62. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (December 2016). Redefining the Child Pedestrian Safety Paradigm: Identifying High-Fatality Concentrations Around Parks. Lectern. *University Transportation Center Spotlight Conference*: Washington, DC.
63. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (December 2016). Relative (In)effectiveness of Bicycle Sharrows on Ridership and Safety Outcomes. Lectern. *University Transportation Center Spotlight Conference*: Washington, DC.
64. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (December 2016). Motorist–Cyclist Crash Data Needs in U.S. Communities. Lectern. *University Transportation Center Spotlight Conference*: Washington, DC.
65. B. Janson, W.E. Marshall, and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak.** (December 2016). Estimating Lives Saved and Injuries Reduced by Bicycle Helmet Use in Denver. Poster. *University Transportation Center Spotlight Conference*: Washington, DC.
66. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (September 2016). Redefining the Child Pedestrian Safety Paradigm: Identifying High Fatality Concentrations in Urban Areas. Lectern. *Pro Walk/Pro Bike/Pro Place*: Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
67. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (September 2016). The Relative (In)Effectiveness Of Bicycle Sharrows On Safety Outcomes. Lectern. *Pro Walk/Pro Bike/Pro Place*: Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
68. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (February 2016). Redefining the Child Pedestrian Safety Paradigm: Identifying High Fatality Concentrations Around Parks. Poster. *Active Living Research Conference*: Clearwater Beach, FL.

69. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (February 2016). The Relative (In)Effectiveness of Bicycle Sharrows on Ridership and Safety Outcomes. Poster. *Active Living Research Conference*: Clearwater Beach, FL.
70. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (January 2016). Relative (In)Effectiveness of Bicycle Sharrows on Ridership and Safety Outcomes. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
71. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and M. Katirai. (January 2016). Understanding Pedestrians' Proclivity for Risk: Case Study of Bangalore, India. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
- 2015 72. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (September 2015). Child Pedestrian Safety: Examining Opportunities for Improvements around Parks. Poster. *Association of Pedestrian & Bike Professionals' Seminar*: St. Louis, MO.
73. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and W.E. Marshall. (July 2015). Spontaneous Order of Pedestrian and Vehicle Interactions in Shared Spaces. LECTERN. *ITE Western District Meeting*: Las Vegas, NV.
74. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and M. Katirai. (July 2015). Commute Mode and Mental Health in Major Metropolitan Areas. LECTERN. *ITE Western District Meeting*: Las Vegas, NV.
75. W.E. Marshall and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (May 2015). The American Story of Inequitable Road Safety Outcomes. LECTERN. *Congress for the New Urbanism*: Dallas, TX.
76. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (April 2015). Locating and Addressing our Child Pedestrian Fatalities within Denver. Poster. *Spring Transportation Symposium*: Denver, CO.
77. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (January 2015). Motorized Two-Wheelers in Indian Cities: Case Study of Pune. Poster. *Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting*: Washington, DC.
- 2014 78. A. Mahendra, R. Chanchani, and **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (September 2014). Motorized Two-Wheelers in Indian Cities: A Boon, a Bane, or Both? Webinar. *World Resources Institute Webinar Series*: Bangalore, India.
- 2013 79. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak** and M. Katirai. (October 2013). Commute Mode and Mental Health in Major Metropolitan Areas. LECTERN. *Pennsylvania Geographical Society Annual Meeting*: Pittsburgh, PA.
80. **Nicholas N. Ferenchak**. (July 2013). Transportation Alternatives Certificate of Excellence. LECTERN. *Transportation Alternatives Professional Seminar*: Greenville, SC.

Academic Honors

UNM CCEE - Fall 2024 Best Paper Award	November 2024
UNM CCEE - Stamm Award for Outstanding Research	May 2024
UNM School of Engineering - Early Career Research Excellence Award	April 2024
Albuquerque 40 Under 40 Honoree	March 2024
UNM Ovation Award for Research & Scholarship	September 2023
UNM CCEE - Stamm Award for Outstanding Research	May 2023

USDOT Sec. Pete Buttigieg and US Sens. Heinrich and Lujan Roundtable	April 2023
ITE Mountain District Outstanding Transportation Educator Award	June 2021
UNM School of Engineering - Junior Faculty Teaching Excellence Award	April 2020
Lee Schipper Memorial Scholarship Honorable Mention	August 2018
German Academic Exchange Service Scholarship Selection	April 2018
Eisenhower Best Presentation Award at Transportation Research Board	January 2018
FHWA Eisenhower Graduate Transportation Fellow	December 2017
Eno Future Leaders Development Conference Fellow (<i>Tom Larson Fellow</i>)	June 2017
National Walking Summit Scholarship	April 2017
CO/WY ITE Leadership Scholarship	December 2015
FHWA Eisenhower Graduate Transportation Fellow	July 2015
Association of Pedestrian & Bicycle Professionals' Seminar Paper Award	July 2015
ITE Western District Student Paper Award	May 2015
Congress for the New Urbanism Scholarship	March 2015
CO/WY ITE Graduate Scholarship	December 2014

Funding Secured

(Total project funding = \$17,778,362; Share I manage = \$15,598,795; My research = \$5,481,795)

NMDOT Pedestrian Outreach Program – 24UNM02 (PI) CPBS & NMDOT: \$173,908	June 2024-May 2025
Bicycle Level of Traffic Stress at Intersections – 24UNM01 (PI) CPBS: \$292,938	June 2024-May 2025
Pedestrian vs. Bicyclist Fatality Patterns of Geographic/Demographic Shift – 23UNM02 (PI) CPBS: \$129,888	June 2023-May 2024
NMDOT Pedestrian Safety on Arterials – 23UNM01 (PI) CPBS & NMDOT: \$120,000	June 2023-May 2024
FHWA Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship – UNM Local Competition (PI) US DOT: \$25,500	August 2024-July 2025
Center for Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety (CPBS) (Center Director) US DOT: \$10,000,000 + \$5,000,000 non-federal (\$4,950,000 UNM share)	June 2023-May 2028
NCHRP 07-31: DOT & Tribal Active Transport Data: Practices, Sources, and Gaps (co-PI; PI: Jennifer Dill, Portland State University) NCHRP: \$800,000 (\$46,780 UNM share)	April 2023-October 2025
NCHRP 17-115: Guide for Marked Crosswalk Design, Spacing, Placement, and Safety (SME; PI: Sarah Worth O'Brien, University of North Carolina) NCHRP: \$500,000 (\$13,573 UNM share)	April 2023-April 2026
Countermeasures to Improve Pedestrian Safety on Arterials (PI) Tran-SET UTC & NMDOT: \$115,000	April 2022-September 2023

Pedestrian Infrastructure & ADA Compliance: Leveraging Spatial Technology (co-PI; PI: Wesley Marshall, University of Colorado Denver)
Mountain-Plains Consortium UTC: \$257,822 (\$20,000 UNM share) January 2022-June 2023

COVID-19 and Traffic Safety: Role of Infrastructure and Exposure (PI)
Tran-SET UTC: \$50,000 August 2021-December 2022

NCHRP 17-97: Strategies to Improve Pedestrian Safety at Night (SME; PI: Kristof Devastey, Toole Design)
NCHRP: \$500,000 (\$6,142 UNM share) June 2021-June 2024

The (In)Equitable Distribution of Quality Bicycling Infrastructure (Co-PI; PI: Wesley Marshall, University of Colorado Denver)
TriDurLE UTC: \$50,000 (\$20,000 UNM share) June 2021-May 2022

Enhancing National Rail Safety: Modeling Grade Crossing Treatments in Virtual Reality (PI)
Federal Railroad Administration: \$100,000 September 2020-May 2022

Autonomous Vehicle Communication Strategies Modeled in Virtual Reality (PI)
Tran-SET UTC: \$60,000 August 2020-February 2022

Autonomous Vehicle Communication Strategies Modeled in Virtual Reality (PI)
Research Allocations Committee: \$1,300 November 2019-April 2021

ABQ Streets Project: Creating Alternative Residential Street Designs (co-PI; PI: Greg Rowangould, University of New Mexico)
Tran-SET UTC: \$50,000 August 2019-February 2021

Enhancing Evaluation of Wildlife Detection Systems (PI)
Tran-SET UTC: \$40,000 August 2019-February 2021

Balloon Fiesta Transportation Analysis and Planning Assistance (Co-PI; PI: Claude Morelli, University of New Mexico)
Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta: \$64,500 January 2019-August 2019

Dwight D. Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship (PI)
FHWA: \$11,500 December 2017-December 2018

Pedestrian Safety: Latent Demand & Exposure Modeling (Author & Researcher)
Mountain-Plains Consortium UTC (#557): \$75,000 December 2017-March 2019

Redefining the Child Pedestrian Safety Paradigm (Author & Researcher)
Mountain-Plains Consortium UTC (#515): \$67,740 August 2016-September 2018

Dwight D. Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship (PI)
FHWA: \$35,500 July 2015-July 2016

Leadership Positions

TRB Bicycle Transportation Committee (ACH20)
Committee Member April 2021-Present

TRB Pedestrian Committee (ACH10)	March 2018-Present
<i>Committee Research Coordinator</i>	March 2020-Present
<i>Committee Member</i>	August 2020-Present
<i>Paper Review Coordinator</i>	
Council of University Transportation Centers (CUTC)	
<i>UNM Representative</i>	June 2023-Present
NMDOT Pedestrian Safety Task Force	
<i>Member</i>	November 2022-Present
TRB Transportation-Related Noise and Vibration Committee (AEP80)	
<i>Committee Volunteer</i>	October 2022-Present
Institute of Transportation Engineers	
<i>Student Chapter: Faculty Advisor</i>	May 2019-Present
MRCOG Regional Transportation Safety Action Plan	
<i>Technical Team</i>	July 2023-August 2024
Albuquerque Bikeways and Trail Facilities Master Plan	
<i>Stakeholder Advisory Committee</i>	January 2023-January 2024
ABQ RIDE Forward Network Plan	
<i>Stakeholder Advisory Committee</i>	September 2022-December 2023
TRB Bicycle and Pedestrian Data Subcommittee (ACP70-3)	
<i>Communications Manager</i>	June 2017-June 2022
BikeABQ	
<i>Board Member at Large</i>	January 2022-April 2022
Congress for the New Urbanism	
<i>Research Paper Call Lead</i>	October 2017-November 2020
Young Professionals in Transportation	
<i>International Board: Director of Programs</i>	October 2016-October 2018
Institute of Transportation Engineers	
<i>Student Chapter: Vice President</i>	December 2014-March 2016
Women's Transportation Seminar	
<i>Student Chapter: Vice President</i>	January 2015-March 2016
Research Panel Service	
TRB Commercializing Technology for Safe Transportation Workshop	October 2024-Present
BTSCR-09: Influence of Infrastructure Design on Distracted Driving	Sept. 2018-Apr. 2022

Courses Taught

1. Transportation Engineering (CE 382) Fall 2023
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.73/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.73/5.00
2. Study Abroad: Transportation Systems in the Netherlands (CE 491/598) Summer 2023
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.93/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 5.00/5.00
3. Urban Transportation Planning (CE 481/581) Spring 2023
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.70/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.90/5.00
4. Surveying and Geomatics (CE 283) Spring 2022
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.75/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.63/5.00
5. Transportation Engineering (CE 382) Fall 2021
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.94/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.94/5.00
6. Urban Transportation Planning (CE 481/581) Fall 2021
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 5.00/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.91/5.00
7. Surveying and Geomatics (CE 283) Spring 2021
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.82/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 5.00/5.00
8. Transportation Engineering (CE 382) Fall 2020
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.76/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.88/5.00
9. Transportation Safety (CE 491/598) Spring 2020
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.64/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.72/5.00
10. Transportation Engineering (CE 382) Fall 2019
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 4.94/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.94/5.00
11. Transportation Safety (CE 491/598) Spring 2019
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 5.00/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 5.00/5.00
12. Highway & Traffic Engineering (CE 482/582) Fall 2018
Instructor's Overall Effectiveness: 3.67/5.00
Comfort Approaching Instructor: 4.33/5.00

Academic Presentations

Guest Lecture: CEE 6240 (Urban Transport Planning): <i>Utah State University</i>	April 11, 2024
Guest Lecture: ENGR 108 (CEE Seminar): <i>Utah State University</i>	April 11, 2024
Guest Lecture: CRP 543 (Transport Planning): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	April 13, 2023
Guest Lecture: CE 160 (Civil Eng. Design): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	March 23, 2023
Guest Lecture: CE 160 (Civil Eng. Design): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	November 1, 2022
Guest Lecture: CE 160 (Civil Eng. Design): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	March 24, 2022
Guest Lecture: CE 160 (Civil Eng. Design): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	September 28, 2021
Guest Lecture: CE 691 (Graduate Seminar): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	September 1, 2021
Guest Lecture: CRP 543 (Transport Planning): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	April 27, 2021
Guest Lecture: CE 691 (Graduate Seminar): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	February 10, 2021
Guest Lecture: CE 160 (Civil Eng. Design): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	February 2, 2021
Guest Lecture: CE 691 (Graduate Seminar): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	September 9, 2020
Guest Lecture: CRP 543 (Transport Planning): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	November 20, 2019
Guest Lecture: CE 691 (Graduate Seminar): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	November 20, 2019
Guest Lecture: CRP 543 (Transport Planning): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	November 20, 2018
Guest Lecture: CE 691 (Graduate Seminar): <i>University of New Mexico</i>	September 12, 2018
Guest Lecture: PLN 320 (Land Use Planning): <i>West Chester University</i>	October 4, 2017

Students Advised – Faculty Advisor

	Graduated	In Progress	Dropped Out
PhD	0	2	2
MS	6	2	1
BS	5	1	0

PhD Students

1. Ana Lucaci: PhD Civil Engineering. Anticipated Graduation May 2028.
2. Ashish Joshi: PhD Civil Engineering. *Identifying and Addressing Barriers to Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Utilization: A Case Study of Albuquerque Rapid Transit*. Anticipated Graduation May 2025 [has passed comprehensive exam, has published 1 paper, and has authored 2 other papers under peer review].
3. Sheheryar Shafique: PhD Civil Engineering. *Usability of External Human-Machine Interfaces in Autonomous Vehicle-Human Road User Interactions*. Dropped Out in December 2021 [had passed comprehensive exam, was PhD candidate, and had published 1 paper. Had family health issues associated with COVID and was unable to continue with his PhD.].
4. Fausto A.R. Bravo: PhD Civil Engineering. *Can Planning Improve Transportation in Ecuador? Comparison to Transportation Planning in The United States*. Dropped Out in December 2021 [had passed comprehensive exam and was a PhD candidate. Support was discontinued by government of Ecuador during COVID].

MS Students

5. Benson Long: MS Civil Engineering. Anticipated Graduation May 2026.
6. James Rawson: MS Civil Engineering. Anticipated Graduation May 2025.
7. Olivia Tafoya: MS Civil Engineering. *Longitudinal Pedestrian Safety Trends by Vehicle Type and Model: A 2015-2022 Study of Texas*. Graduated December 2024.
8. Ossiris Sanchez Rodriguez: MS Civil Engineering. *Longitudinal Spatial Trends in U.S. Pedestrian and Bicyclist Fatalities*. Graduated with Distinction in May 2024.
9. Martina Mercure: MS Civil Engineering. *The Relationship Between Bus Rapid Transit and Traffic Safety*. Graduated May 2023.
10. Maria C. Cruz: MS Civil Engineering. *The Impact of Murals on Traffic Safety: A Behavior and Crash Analysis*. Graduated December 2022.
11. Max H. Dowis: MS Civil Engineering. Dropped Out in December 2021.
12. Amir Tarighi: MS Civil Engineering. *Nighttime Pedestrian Fatalities Across the United States and Their Relationship with Built Environment and Socioeconomic Factors: GIS-Based Analysis and Assessment*. Graduated May 2021.
13. Risa E. Gutierrez: MS Civil Engineering. *Evaluating Public Transit Accessibility in Albuquerque, New Mexico: A Fixed-Route Bus Service Analysis*. Graduated December 2020.

BS Students (each has published a peer-reviewed research paper)

14. Brady A. Woods: BS Civil Engineering. *Crash Types and Contributing Factors on Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Infrastructure in Albuquerque, New Mexico*. Anticipated Graduation May 2026.
15. Olivia Tafoya: BS Civil Engineering, TRB Minority Student Fellowship. *Pedestrian Safety and Vehicle Design: Are SUVs and Pickup Trucks to Blame?* Graduated December 2023.
16. Ossiris Sanchez Rodriguez: BS Civil Engineering, TRB Minority Student Fellowship. *Longitudinal Spatial Trends in U.S. Pedestrian Fatalities, 1999-2020*. Graduated May 2023.
17. Esther Bia: BS Civil Engineering, TRB Minority Student Fellowship. *The Impact of Bus Rapid Transit Construction and Infrastructure on Traffic Safety: A Case Study from Albuquerque, New Mexico*. Graduated December 2022.
18. Benson Long: BS Civil Engineering, TRB Minority Student Fellowship. *Spatial Equity Analysis of Nighttime Pedestrian Safety: The Role of Land Use and Alcohol Establishments in Albuquerque, NM*. Graduated December 2021.
19. Maria C. Cruz: BS Civil Engineering, TRB Minority Student Fellowship. *Emergency Response Times for Fatal Motor Vehicle Crashes, 1975-2017*. Graduated May 2021.

Students Advised – Dissertation/Thesis Committee

1. Ankit Aryal: MS Civil Engineering. Anticipated Graduation May 2025. Principal Advisor: Dr. Lisa L. Losada-Rojas, University of New Mexico.

2. Adrianna Fragozo: MS Civil Engineering. Anticipated Graduation May 2025. Principal Advisor: Dr. Lisa L. Losada-Rojas, University of New Mexico.
3. Yully Chaves Lasso: MS Civil Engineering. *Understanding the Relationship Between Arterial Road Features and Vulnerable Road Users, A Case Study of Albuquerque, New Mexico*. Graduated July 2024. Principal Advisor: Dr. Lisa L. Losada-Rojas, University of New Mexico.
4. Kristal Metro: PhD Civil Engineering. *Workforce Resiliency for Construction Careers in State Departments of Transportation*. Anticipated Graduation May 2024. Principal Advisor: Dr. Susan Bogus Halter, University of New Mexico.
5. Gena Robertson: MS Civil Engineering. *Field Evaluation of E-ticketing Technologies for Efficient Asphalt Delivery Ticket Collection and Quantity Calculation*. Graduated August 2023. Principal Advisor: Dr. Susan Bogus Halter, University of New Mexico.
6. Abiral Dulal: MS Civil Engineering. *Exploring the Relationship Between Traffic Operations and Vehicles Emissions at An Isolated Signalized Intersection*. Graduated May 2021. Principal Advisor: Dr. Haobing Liu, University of New Mexico.
7. Alexis Corning-Padilla: MS Civil Engineering. *Evaluating Sustainable & Equitable Financing for Pedestrian Infrastructure Maintenance and How the Quality of Pedestrian Infrastructure Affects the Choice to Walk*. Graduated August 2019. Principal Advisor: Dr. Greg Rowangould, University of New Mexico.
8. Razieh Nadafianshahamabadi: PhD Civil Engineering. *Long-Range Transportation Plan Efficacy in the Creation of Sustainable Regional Transportation Systems*. Graduated May 2019. Principal Advisor: Dr. Greg Rowangould, University of New Mexico.
9. Julia L. Seymour: MS Civil Engineering. *Evaluating Transportation Project Forecasts and Travel Demand Model Inaccuracies*. Graduated May 2019. Principal Advisor: Dr. Greg Rowangould, University of New Mexico.

Student Awards

Benson Long: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2024
Dimitri Kittrell: Dr. Jerry Hall Memorial Scholarship	September 2024
Ashish Joshi: American Public Transportation Foundation Scholarship	August 2024
Brea Jarrell: Dr. Jerry Hall Memorial Scholarship	December 2023
Ossiris Sanchez Rodriguez: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2023
Brea Jarell: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2023
Olivia Tafoya: TRB Minority Student Fellowship	May 2023
Ossiris Sanchez Rodriguez: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2022
Jennifer Restrepo: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2022
Martina Mercure: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2022
Ossiris Sanchez Rodriguez: TRB Minority Student Fellowship	May 2022
Maria C. Cruz: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2021
Sheida Carugati: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2021
Esther Bia: TRB Minority Student Fellowship	May 2021
Travis Moe: Dr. Jerry Hall Memorial Scholarship	December 2020

Maria C. Cruz: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2020
Benson Long: TRB Minority Student Fellowship	May 2020
Travis Moe: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2019
Risa Gutierrez: Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship	November 2019
Maria C. Cruz: TRB Minority Student Fellowship	May 2019

Workshops Attended

National Science Foundation Day-New Mexico: <i>University of New Mexico</i>	August 29, 2018
Integrating Bike-Ped Topics into University Courses: <i>Portland State Uni.</i>	June 19-20, 2018

Books Citing Research

1. B. Appleyard and D. Appleyard. (2020). *Livable Streets 2.0, 1st Edition*. Elsevier, Amsterdam, Netherlands.
2. J. Speck. (2018). *Walkable City Rules: 101 Steps to Making Better Places*. Island Press, Washington, DC.

Selected News & Press

1. Public News Service. (November 2024). "NM researcher studies why pedestrian, bicyclist deaths are on the rise" By Roz Brown. <https://www.publicnewsservice.org/2024-11-22/urban-planning-and-transportation/nm-researcher-studies-why-pedestrian-bicyclist-deaths-are-on-the-rise/a93705-1>
2. UNM Newsroom. (November 2024). "'It's (Probably) Not Rocket Science' podcast explores road safety on two feet" By Carly Bowling. <http://news.unm.edu/news/its-probably-not-rocket-science-podcast-explores-road-safety-on-two-feet>
3. Strong Towns. (October 2024). "'Do Bike Lanes Reduce Congestion' Is the Wrong Question" By Emma Durand-Wood. <https://www.strongtowns.org/journal/2024/10/3/do-bike-lanes-reduce-congestion-is-the-wrong-question>
4. Streetsblog USA. (October 2024). "Should We Stop Calling Bike Lanes 'Bike Lanes'?" By Kea Wilson. <https://usa.streetsblog.org/2024/10/01/should-we-stop-calling-bike-lanes-bike-lanes>
5. KRQE News. (October 2024). "Albuquerque city councilor tests out noise cameras" By Jessica Barron. <https://www.krqe.com/news/albuquerque-metro/albuquerque-city-councilor-tests-out-noise-cameras/>
6. Government Market News. (August 2024). "Bus rapid transit can improve road safety, study shows" By Keaton Peters. <https://govmarketnews.com/bus-rapid-transit-can-improve-road-safety-study-shows/>
7. KOB. (July 2024). "UNM professor creates noise tracker to crack down on noise pollution" By Alika Medina. <https://www.kob.com/new-mexico/unm-professor-creates-noise-tracker-to-crack-down-on-noise-pollution/>

8. UNM Newsroom. (July 2024). "UNM professor creates technology to track loud vehicles" By Alexa Skonieski. <https://civil.unm.edu/news/2024/07/unm-professor-creates-technology-to-track-loud-vehicles.html>
9. Tech Times. (July 2024). "This 'NoiseTracker' Can Call Out Drivers Whose Cars Cause Too Much Noise Pollution" By John Lopez. <https://www.techtimes.com/articles/306232/20240701/noisetracker-call-out-drivers-whose-cars-cause-much-noise-pollution.htm>
10. City Desk ABQ. (July 2024). "Battling loud cars with technology" By Rodd Cayton. <https://citydesk.org/2024/battling-noisy-cars-with-technology/>
11. New Mexico Sun. (June 2024). "UNM professor develops technology to monitor loud vehicles" By New Mexico Sun. <https://newmexicosun.com/stories/661374695-unm-professor-develops-technology-to-monitor-loud-vehicles>
12. KRQE News. (June 2024). "UNM professor researching traffic noise in Albuquerque" By Curtis Segarra. <https://www.krqe.com/news/albuquerque-metro/unm-professor-researching-traffic-noise-in-albuquerque/>
13. Houston Public Media. (June 2024). "'Not surprising' — experts react to report showing fewer crashes on Houston's 11th Street after redesign." By Dominic Anthony Walsh. <https://www.houstonpublicmedia.org/articles/news/transportation/2024/06/24/491610/houston-11th-street-redesign-fewer-crashes-report/>
14. KUNM. (June 2024). "Let's Talk NM: Bicycle Safety." By Kaveh Mowahed. <https://www.kunm.org/show/lets-talk-new-mexico/2024-06-02/lets-talk-about-bicycling-safely>
15. The Potrero View. (May 2024). "High-Tech Solution to Reducing Noise Pollution" By Mark Steensland. <https://www.potreroview.net/high-tech-solution-to-reducing-noise-pollution/#:~:text=Noise%20cameras%2C%20as%20well%20as,rely%20on%20angry%20citizen%20complaints.>
16. Albuquerque Journal. (March 2024). "Does Albuquerque have the worst drivers?" By John Leacock. https://www.abqjournal.com/business/is-it-true-we-have-the-worst-drivers/article_0e0a5a60-d698-11ee-a627-13923ab11fc3.html
17. Momentum Mag. (February 2024). "Study shows bicycle-friendly cities are safer for all road users even drivers." By Ron Johnson. <https://momentummag.com/study-shows-bicycle-friendly-cities-are-safer-for-all-road-users-even-drivers/>
18. KOB. (February 2024). "New Mexico has highest rate of pedestrian deaths for fifth year in a row." <https://www.kob.com/news/top-news/new-mexico-has-highest-rate-of-pedestrian-deaths-for-fifth-year-in-a-row/>
19. Los Alamos Daily Post. (January 2024). "US Senator Martin Heinrich Cosponsors Legislation to Improve Roadway Safety in New Mexico with 'Complete Streets Act'." By

- Carol Clark. <https://ladailypost.com/u-s-sen-martin-heinrich-cosponsors-legislation-to-improve-roadway-safety-in-new-mexico-with-complete-streets-act/>
20. The New York Times. (December 2023). "Why Are So Many American Pedestrians Dying at Night?" By Emily Badger, Ben Blatt, and Josh Katz. https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2023/12/11/upshot/nighttime-deaths.html?campaign_id=9&emc=edit_nn_20231211&instance_id=109847&nl=the-morning®i_id=122596514&segment_id=152282&te=1&user_id=68ef7ba9bc9f960802ddb76f15067e8c
 21. WalletHub. (October 2023). "Best & Worst Cities to Drive in 2023." By Adam McCann, https://wallethub.com/edu/best-worst-cities-to-drive-in/13964#expert=Nick_Ferenchak
 22. The Manila Times. (September 2023). "A Painted Bike Lane Is Not Safe." By Robert Y. Siy, <https://www.manilatimes.net/2023/09/09/business/top-business/a-painted-bike-lane-is-not-safe/1909167>
 23. U.S. News & World Report. (June 2023). "Danger Afoot: U.S. Pedestrian Deaths at Highest Level in 41 Years." By Denise Mann, <https://www.usnews.com/news/health-news/articles/2023-06-22/danger-afout-u-s-pedestrian-deaths-at-highest-level-in-41-years>
 24. MedicineNet. (June 2023). "Danger Afoot: U.S. Pedestrian Deaths at Highest Level in 41 Years." By Denise Mann, www.medicinenet.com/pedestrian_deaths_at_highest_level_in_41_years/news.htm
 25. Scripps News. (June 2023). "Researchers look to AI to reduce pedestrian and bicyclist fatalities." By Maya Rodriguez, <https://scrippsnews.com/stories/researchers-look-to-ai-to-reduce-pedestrian-and-bicyclist-fatalities/>
 26. Lex18 Lexington. (June 2023). "Researchers look to AI to reduce pedestrian and bicyclist fatalities." By Maya Rodriguez, <https://www.lex18.com/researchers-look-to-ai-to-reduce-pedestrian-and-bicyclist-fatalities>
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Outreach Activities

Center for Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety - Webinar Series: Leader	May 2024-Present
Center for Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety - Newsletter: Leader	May 2023-Present
New Mexico Summer Transportation Institute: Organizer	2019-Present
New Mexico Paving & Transportation Conference: Organizer	2019-Present
New Mexico Transportation Safety Summit: Organizer	May-August 2024
Urban Land Institute: Safe Streets for All – Pedestrian & Bike Safety: Speaker	October 2024
Story Riders Community Bike Group: Participant & Supporter	July 2024
NM LTAP Workshop on Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety: Leader	June 2024
Albuquerque Public Schools Vision Zero Seminar: Speaker	May 2024
New Mexico Crash Data Mapping Portal: Organizer	April 2024
MRCOG/NM LTAP Planning/Designing for Pedestrian Safety Workshop: Speaker	May 2023
Bridging Transportation Researchers Conference: Moderator	August 2021
Tran-SET UTC Conference: Organizer	August 2019-September 2020
Future City Competition (Middle School City Design Competition): Judge	January 2019

University Service

UNM School of Engineering Open House: Participant	2019-Present
TRB Minority Student Fellows Program: Organizer & Faculty Advisor	2018-Present
UNM CCEE Graduate Committee: Member	2018-Present
Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship @ UNM: Leader & Faculty Advisor	2018-Present

UNM Engineers Without Borders DOE Solar Decathlon: Advisor	October 2022-May 2023
Search Committee Member: Transportation Engineering	September 2021-May 2022
UNM Civil Engineering Open House: Organizer	October 2020
Search Committee Member: Transportation Engineering	September 2019-March 2020
Search Committee Member: Environmental Engineering	September 2019-March 2020
Search Committee Member: Structural Engineering	September 2019-March 2020
Search Committee Member: Construction Engineering	September 2019-March 2020

Journal Reviews

Applied Geography
 International Journal of Child Care and Education Policy
 International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion
 International Journal of Sustainable Transportation
 Journal of Safety Research
 Journal of Transport and Land Use
 Journal of Transport Geography
 Journal of Transportation Safety & Security
 Journal of Urban Mobility
 Journal of Urban Planning and Development
 Technological Forecasting & Social Change
 Traffic Injury Prevention
 Transport Reviews
 Transportation
 Transportation Research Interdisciplinary Perspectives
 Transportation Research Letters
 Transportation Research Part A: Policy and Practice
 Transportation Research Record
 Travel Behaviour and Society
 Urban Design International
 Urban, Planning and Transport Research

Patents

Nicholas N. Ferenchak. Patent #17328327: Self-Contained Autonomous Vehicle Noise Pollution Detection and Recording Device. (Granted January 2024).

Professional

Professional Certification

Professional Engineer (PE #25737)
State of New Mexico

August 2019

Engineer Intern (EI #5142)
State of Delaware

September 2016

Professional Experience

- Not-A-Loud LLC: *Albuquerque, NM* December 2019-Present
Founder of company developing and implementing automated vehicle noise enforcement systems.
- McMahon Associates: *Exton, PA* June 2016-June 2017
Produced innovative multimodal transportation solutions out of the Traffic Department as both a transportation engineer and transportation planner.
- World Resources Institute: *Bangalore, India* June 2014-September 2014
Defined key performance indicators for EMBARQ India to ensure that all populations have safe access to transportation facilities. Created a report on motorized two-wheelers in India.
- National Transportation Alternatives Clearinghouse: *Washington, DC* May 2013-July 2014
Provided bicycle and pedestrian guidance for the Transportation Alternatives Program.
- Jeppesen: *Englewood, CO* February 2014-June 2014
Created digital navigation tools in a GIS SDE environment.
- Chester County Planning Comm.: *West Chester, PA* April 2013-December 2013
Aided with a grant program, transit plan, and bicycle and pedestrian circulation plan.
- The Rails-to-Trails Conservancy: *Washington, DC* May 2013-August 2013
Created an objective measurement tool through GIS, dependent on measures of connectivity, which accounts for the benefits of trail systems.
- Valley Forge Transportation Management Assoc.: *Wayne, PA* October 2012-May 2013
Investigated a park and ride system for the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation.
- Lafarge: *Whitehall, PA* June 2010-August 2012
Analyzed chemical and physical properties of cements, raw materials, and fuels.

Professional Projects

East-West Trail: Plan & Conceptual Designs
East Whiteland Township Official Map: Functional Classification Recommendations
East Whiteland Township Transportation Impact Fee Study: Transportation Impact Analysis
Exeter Traffic Calming: Study & Alignment Recommendations
Malvern Multimodal Study: Inventory & Public Input
Paoli Pike Trail Master Plan: Public Input, Inventory, & Conceptual Designs
Twelve Multimodal Transportation Fund Grant Applications

Professional Honors

Marshall Planning Award - Chester County Association of Township Officials	March 2013
Planning Award Recognition - PA State Senator Andrew Dinniman	March 2013
Planning Award Recognition - PA State Representative Duane Milne	March 2013

Professional Grants Secured

(Successful grants I wrote with McMahon Associates for planning/design/construction of transportation projects)

Abington Complete Streets Plan	November 2017
<i>PA DCED Multimodal Transportation Fund</i>	\$1,000,000
New Garden Township Intersection Realignment	November 2017
<i>PA DCED Multimodal Transportation Fund</i>	\$600,000
Northampton Township Richboro Sidewalk Connections	November 2017
<i>PA DCED Multimodal Transportation Fund</i>	\$500,000
Towamencin Township SR 0063 Improvement Project	November 2017
<i>PA DCED Multimodal Transportation Fund</i>	\$825,000
Easttown Adaptive Traffic Signal System	June 2017
<i>PennDOT Automated Red Light Enforcement Grant</i>	\$553,329
Philmont Avenue SEPTA Parking Garage	February 2017
<i>PennDOT Multimodal Transportation Fund</i>	\$2,000,000

Professional Memberships

Institute of Transportation Engineers	August 2018-Present
<i>Mountain District: New Mexico Chapter</i>	