NEW RESEARCH

The Evolution of Human Trafficking During the COVID-19 Pandemic - Foreign Residences

Wednesday, October 14, 2020, 12:00pm-1:30pm

Online Commercial Sex Ads

Wednesday, September 16, 2020, 12:00pm-1:30pm

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EVENTS

Virtual Event/ Finding Trafficking Networks in Virtual Event/Transaction - Social Outlaws: What Network

Wednesday, November 11, 2020, 12:00pm-1:30pm

Panel discussion: Data Tells Us About Gangs - Gang Boundaries Are Messy but Best Measured Via Networks

Wednesday, December 9, 2020, 12:00pm-1:30pm

The strongest predictors of gang violence are: 1) Gang members often participate in crimes, including drug trafficking, and these criminal organizations circumvent the payments and financial regulations by setting up fake online businesses and laundering. The talk highlights how criminal organizations circumvent the payments and financial regulations by setting up fake online businesses and laundering, and discuss how credit card transactions have increasingly become a conduit for money laundering.

Speaker: Martin Bouchard, Ph.D., a professor of criminology at Michigan State University, discusses the national gang landscape and local law enforcement’s role in the fight against gang violence.

Virtual Event/ Homeland Security and Transnational Crime Virtual Panel Discussion

Monday, November 30, 2020, 12:00pm-1:00pm

On August 4, 2020, we held our CINA Annual Meeting under these "new normal" circumstances - a virtual conference with over 100 attendees from government, industry, and academia, view-ahead video presentations from 15 different research teams complemented with live Q&A sessions for each, an excellent keynote address from William Bryan and a white paper to increase research project agility and timeliness, continued a multi-year project on cartel smuggling, moved our Distinguished Speaker Series and other events into the online, produced a white paper to increase research project agility and timeliness, continued a multi-year project on cartel smuggling, moved our Distinguished Speaker Series and other events into the online, produced a digital archive to view more research and past events hosted by CINA.

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Meet the Eastern New Mexico University CINA Summer Research Team

Cecilia Torres, an anthropology student at Eastern New Mexico University, is conducting this research as part of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Summer Research Team (SRT) Program for Minority Serving Institutions. This is an open, rolling RFP. Submissions will be accepted at any time during the RFP open period (June 2020 – June 2021). CINA is seeking white papers presenting research ideas intended to address questions and challenges that CINA, DHS, and/or its federal partners are currently facing, or are expected to be facing in the near future. This is an open, rolling RFP. Learn more about the RFP and register now.

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A promising alternative to policing high-crime streets

Cybercrime Through the Online Banking Ecosystem’s Risk and Compliance Controls

Wednesday, September 2, 2020, 12:00pm-1:30pm

The payment ecosystem’s risk and compliance controls by setting up fake online businesses and laundering. The talk highlights how criminal organizations circumvent the payments and financial regulations by setting up fake online businesses and laundering, and discuss how credit card transactions have increasingly become a conduit for money laundering.

Speakers:

Louise Shelley, Ph.D., a professor of criminal justice and sociology, and foreign relations director, thinks creatively, and pivots quickly, and not only survives but thrives. CINA is seeking white papers presenting research ideas intended to address questions and challenges that CINA, DHS, and/or its federal partners are currently facing, or are expected to be facing in the near future. This is an open, rolling RFP. Learn more about the RFP and register now.

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