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## EDUCATION

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<b>Ph.D., <i>Criminal Justice</i></b> , Texas State University	<b>Expected May 2028</b>
<b>M.Sc., <i>Psychology</i></b> , Universidade Federal do Paraná (Brazil)	<b>2023</b>
<b>Post-Graduate Diploma, <i>Law Applied to Policing</i></b> , Supremo College (Brazil)	<b>2024</b>
<b>Post-Graduate Diploma, <i>Military History</i></b> , Unisul (Brazil)	<b>2022</b>
<b>B.S., <i>Physical Education</i></b> , Uninter (Brazil)	<b>2021</b>
<b>B.S., <i>Public Safety</i></b> , Academia Policial Militar do Paraná (Brazil)	<b>2010</b>

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Policing, police training, use of force, police TTPs (tactics, techniques, and procedures)

## FIELD EXPERIENCE

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<b>Brazilian State Police Department</b> <b>(Military Police of the State of Paraná)</b>	<b>April 2008 – February 2025</b>
<i>Cadet/Aspirant-Officer</i>   Basic and field training	
<i>2nd Lieutenant</i>   Shift coordinator and company subcommander	
<i>1st Lieutenant</i>   Company (district) commanding officer	
<i>Captain</i>   Company (district) commanding officer	

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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<b>Texas State University</b>	<b>August 2024 – present</b>
<i>Doctoral Assistant</i>   School of Criminal Justice and Criminology	
<b>Universidade Tecnológica Federal do Paraná (Brazil)</b>	<b>July 2021 – present</b>
<i>Researcher</i>   TFESP Research Group	
<b>Universidade Federal de Uberlândia (Brazil)</b>	<b>January 2025 – present</b>
<i>Researcher</i>   Research Group - Public Policies and Evidence	

**PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS**

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\*Undergraduate students

**Eleuterio, J.**, Millani, V.N.\*, & Müller, T.S (2025). Effects of safety belt use in police vehicles on the response time of police officers in an ambush: a study using single case experimental design. *Brazilian Journal of Public Safety [Revista Brasileira de Segurança Pública]*, 19(1), 394–411. DOI: 10.31060/rbsp.2025.v19.n1.1932

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha, J.** , Silva, D.A.\*, & Zingraff, R. (2025). The presence of a female officer is not significantly associated with the likelihood of a suspect resisting arrest or assaulting a police team in a southern Brazilian state: results from a case-control study. *Women & Criminal Justice*. DOI: 10.1080/08974454.2025.2460984

Ziel-Beltrão, R. \*, **Eleuterio-da-Rocha Neto, J.**, & Freire, F.D. (2025). Skill Decay Of A Standing Handcuffing Technique On Brazilian Police Officers. *Journal of Motor Learning and Development*. DOI: 10.1123/jmld.2024-0003

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha, Neto, J.**, Freire, F. D., & B.A. Strapasson (2024). In-hand handgun retention: A crossover RCE comparing two techniques. *Journal of Criminal Justice*, 93, 102220–102220. DOI: 10.1016/j.jcrimjus.2024.102220.

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha, Neto, J.** (2022). Operant And Respondent Conditioning In Police Training For The Use Of Force: Possibility Of An Evidence-Based Return To Traditions. *Revista SUSP*, 1(2), p. 234–251. DOI: 10.56081/2763-9940/revsusp.v1i2.a12.

**Eleuterio, J.** (2020). Paraná State military and the Brazilian Expeditionary Force: from 1942 to 1951. *Revista Brasileira De História Militar*, 11, 96–112.

**Eleuterio, J.** (2025). Police Science and Feyerabend's Perspective on Scientific Knowledge. *Journal of Science and Policing [Revista Ciência & Polícia]*, 11(1), 9–21.

Paulo, A.C., Rodacki, A.L., **Eleuterio-da-Rocha, J.**, Sielski Marquardt, T., Caldeira Jr., C., Rezende, E., & Rodacki, C.L. (2025). Strength of Kicks from a Detainee Inside the Restraint Cage of a Police Vehicle. *Journal of Science and Policing [Revista Ciência & Polícia]*, 11(1), 22–35.

## SUBMITTED MANUSCRIPTS

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\*Undergraduate students

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha Neto, J.** (*submitted in October 2024*). Psychophysiological effects of combat stress: intent and other considerations regarding the legal analysis of police use of force. *Brazilian Journal of Criminal Sciences*.

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha Neto, J.** (*submitted in April 2025*). The Lawfulness of Officer-Involved Shootings in the Military Police of the State of Paraná (Brazil, 2010–2023): Legal Outcomes and Distribution *Policing and Society*.

Del Colle, H.A\*, & **Eleuterio-da-Rocha Neto, J.** (*R&R in April 2025*). Police officers with supplemental training in muay-thai and Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu performed better in a simulated call. *Policing: An International Journal*.

## MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

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\*Undergraduate students

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha Neto, J., & Strapasson, B.A.** *Police Use of Force Training: Integrated Review of the Literature*.

## BOOK CHAPTERS

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**Eleuterio, J.** (2025). Experimentos Em Populações Policiais Com Foco Na Execução E No Treinamento De Atividades Relativas Ao Policiamento Ostensivo: Uma Análise Dos Métodos Utilizados [Experiments Involving Police Populations Focused on Patrol Activities: An

Examination of Research Methods]. In Ramiro Jr., L. (Ed.). *Ciência, Polícia e Inovação: 1º Fórum Internacional de Ciências Policiais [Science, Policing, and Innovation: 1st Brazilian International Conference on Police Sciences]*. Rio de Janeiro: FAPERJ.

## TEXTBOOKS

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**Eleuterio, J.** (2020). *Si vis pacem: tópicos sobre combate e treinamento policial [topics on combat and police training]*. Campinas: Primeira Edição.

**Eleuterio, J.** (2020). *Brio e Vocação: expedicionários na Polícia Militar do Paraná (e curiosidades do período de 1942 a 1956)[Bravery and Vocation: Expeditionary Soldiers in the Military Police of the State of Paraná (and Fun Facts from the Period of 1942 to 1956)]*. Campinas: Primeira Edição.

## CONFERENCES

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**Eleuterio-da-Rocha, Neto, J., Strapasson, B.A., Millani, V.\*, Silveira, L., & O'Neill, J.** (2025, May [to be]). A Methodological Innovation To Enhance Police Research on Street-Level Issues: A Case for Single-Case Experimental Designs Based on Five Experiments. *9th Annual American Society of Evidence-Based Policing Hybrid Conference*, Tucson, USA.

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha, Neto, J., & Strapasson, B.A.** (2023, May). Handgun retention techniques: measuring efficacy. *7th Annual American Society of Evidence-Based Policing Hybrid Conference*, Las Vegas, USA.

**Eleuterio, J.** (2024, March). Defining objectives for police training. *1st International Forum of Police Science*, Brazil.

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha, Neto, J., & Strapasson, B.A.** (2021, June). A New Interpretation About the Termination of Skinner's Project Pigeon. *53rd Annual Meeting of Cheiron, the International Society for the History of the Behavioral and Social Sciences*, USA.

**Eleuterio-da-Rocha, Neto, J.,** Marquardt, T., Rodacki, A.L., Caldeira, Jr., C., Resende, E., Rodacki, C.L., & Paulo, A.C. (2021, November). Establishing Parameters For Manufacturing Wear-Resistant Restraint Cages For Police Cruisers. *1st International Seminar of Editors and Researchers on Public Safety*, Brasília, Brazil. <https://dspace.mj.gov.br/handle/1/7999>.

## REPORTS

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Pirog, F., & **Eleuterio-da-Rocha, J.** (Eds.). (2023). *Police Arrest and Self-Defense Manual [Manual de Defesa Policial]*. Policia Militar do Parana.

## AD-HOC REVIEWS

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Policing – An International Journal Of Police Strategies & Management; Police Practice and Research; Acta Comportamentalia – Revista Latina de Análisis del Comportamiento; Revista Interação em Psicologia (Brazil); Revista do Instituto Brasileiro de Segurança Pública (Brazil).

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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| <b>Texas State University</b>  | 2024–2025   |
| <i>Teaching Assistant</i>   ALERRT Center / School of Criminal Justice and Criminology   |             |
| <i>Course:</i> Active Shooter Response Experiential Learning   |             |
| <br><b>Universidade Cândido Mendes (Brazil)</b>  | 2025        |
| <i>Lecturer</i>   UNIPOL (University of Policing)  |             |
| <i>Courses:</i> Principles of Police Training; Combat & Police Training (online, asynchronous)   |             |
| <br><b>Polícia Militar do Paraná</b>   | 2012 – 2024 |
| <i>Instructor Officer for Basic and In-Service Training</i>   Directorate of Education and Research  |             |
| <i>Courses:</i> Criminal Analysis; Stop, Question, and Frisk Techniques; Arrest and Self-Defense Skills; Tactical driving; Basic firearms training (pistol). |             |
| <br><b>Universidade Tecnológica Federal do Paraná (Brazil)</b>   | 2024        |
| <i>Lecturer</i>   TFESP Extension Project  |             |
| <i>Course:</i> Self-Defense and Use of Force for Law Enforcement Officers  |             |
| <br><b>Universidade Federal do Paraná (Brazil)</b>   | 2022        |

## SUPERVISED WORKS

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Millani, V.N. (2023). *Uso do cinto de segurança na atividade policial militar: aspectos táticos [Seatbelt use on policing: tactical aspects]*. [Bachelor's Thesis – Paraná State University / Guatupê Military Police Academy (Brazil)]. Pergamum.  
<https://biblioteca.unespar.edu.br/acervo/207764>.

Ziel-Beltrão, R. (2023). *Influência do lapso temporal de treinamento sobre as técnicas de algemamento [Influence of the time lapse since training on handcuffing techniques]*. [Bachelor's Thesis – Paraná State University / Guatupê Military Police Academy (Brazil)]. Pergamum. <https://biblioteca.unespar.edu.br/acervo/207767>.

Del Colle, H.A. (2024). *Análise Do Desempenho Dos Cadetes, Com E Sem Experiência Em Artes Marciais, Em Ocorrências Simuladas [Performance Analysis of Police Cadets, With and Without Martial Arts Experience, in Simulated Incidents]*. [Bachelor's Thesis – Paraná State University / Guatupê Military Police Academy (Brazil)]. Pergamum.  
<https://biblioteca.unespar.edu.br/acervo/212439>.

## HONORS, AWARDS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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**Doctoral Assistantship**, ALERRT Center, Texas State University starting June 2025

**Texas State Graduate Merit Scholarship**, The Graduate College, Texas State University 2024

**Doctoral Assistantship**, School of Criminal Justice and Criminology, Texas State University 2024

**Commendation from the Legislative Assembly of the State of Paraná** 2014  
for distinguished police services

**Commendation from the Legislative Assembly of the State of Paraná** 2018  
for distinguished police services

**Unit Medals** for relevant police services:

- Directorate of Personnel

- 12th Police Battalion
- 20th Police Battalion

## **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

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35th Crisis Negotiation Competition & Seminar <i>Texas State University</i>	2025
Volunteer Coach (Brazilian Jiu-jitsu) for youth <i>The Kalahari Project (NGO, Brazil)</i>	2016-2017

## **PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

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CITI Training – Human Research, Human Subject Protection Training (Basic Course) <u>Police Management</u>	2024
Community Policing Training Course (Military Police of the State of Paraná, Brazil)	2021
Community Policing Instructors Course (Ministry of Justice, Brazil)	2013
<u>Tactical Skills</u>	
Submission and Control Tactics (Military Police of the State of Mato Grosso, Brazil)	2022
Tactical First Aid Course, Persys Medical Training Center (USA)	2014
CATI Training Program (USA): Breaching; Active Shooter Response; Low Light Tactics; Rifle Marksmanship; CQB; Airplane Assault	2014
V.I.P. Security Training, Ministry of Justice (Brazil)	2013
Explosive Breaching, TEES Brazil School	2012
Anti-Bomb Operations and Post-Explosion Investigation, TEES Brazil School	2012
Class 3 Blaster Certification, Geominas (Brazil)	2011
Reserve Officers Training Course – Field Artillery (Brazilian Army)	2007

## **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP**

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Brazilian Institute for Public Safety (Police Science Section)  
 American Society of Evidence-Based Policing  
 Instituto Arrecife (Brazil, as collaborating researcher)