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WHAT IS THE ROLE OF CRIMINOLOGISTS IN INFORMING UNITED NATIONS PUBLIC POLICY?

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As I sit in the annual United Nations Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (Crime Commission)¹ meetings in the conference room of the UN building in Vienna, Austria, I feel the magical energy of high level bureaucrats drafting crime resolutions using the consensus model. Most of the week is filled with discussion among the representatives of the 40 Member States, as well as country representatives that attend as spectators, about whether the word *invite* should replace *encourage* in the opening paragraphs of the draft resolution.² This negotiation, however trivial it seems, is very important to ensure support and the resulting action by the countries throughout the world. This level of word-smithing is even more amazing to me when I look around the theatre style room at the roughly 100 countries represented at a typical meeting, each wearing a headset and listening to or speaking one of six official UN languages. The interpreters, two to a booth, are housed in the glass enclosed private boxes over-looking the floor from the second level of the theatre. Which word will interpret the best? Which word will give each country the same meaning and the same feeling? Which word will elicit the response intended?



In the halls surrounding this semi-circular room, the non-governmental organizations (NGOs), representing civil society, discuss their latest report or program, while standing in line at the coffee bar with a representative from one of the Member States who (they think) might agree to request the selected word be enhanced by adding *strongly* to *encourage*. Each NGO is an advocate for an agenda, a bias, to promote resolutions that will favor their constituency. Each government official has an agenda, a bias, to find consensus that favors their citizens. But, who is promoting data driven policy?

In a perfect world, crime theory would allow policy makers to anticipate crime and know what to do about it before it happens. They would not need researchers to translate the volumes of literature on each topic because the theory would be the summary. In a slightly less perfect world, policy makers would anticipate crime and actively seek out the prominent researchers on each topic to provide guidance and wisdom on prevention and intervention prior to developing a resolution. Researchers would develop theories that would not only explain crime globally, but identify potential crime, conduct research, and enable the development of prevention and intervention models that account for the intended and unintended consequences of particular policies. This would permit policy makers and researchers ample opportunity to examine a problem from all angles before making a final policy decision; thereby avoiding policies that create new problems or are not effective in reducing the current problem. When an inadequate policy is implemented, it takes years to adjust it, leaving victims of unintended consequences in the wake; thus the importance of basing policy on good research. However, the world is not perfect, nor slightly less than perfect. Therefore, someone needs to assemble the volumes of knowledge into something that is usable by policy makers to create data driven policy.

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CRIME IN RURAL COMMUNITIES: THE IMPACT, THE CAUSES, THE PREVENTION, November 30th to December 1st, 2006, The University of New England, Australia. For information: <http://www.ruralfutures.une.edu.au/rurcrime/conference.htm>

SOCIAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE, PUNISHMENT: THE U.S. RECORD, The New School in New York City on November 30-December 1, 2006. Please visit www.socres.org/punishment for more information.

THIRD ANNUAL SCoPiC CONFERENCE 2006 December 6-8, 2006, Cambridge, United Kingdom

THE FOURTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CULTURE CONFLICT, CRIME, TERRORISM AND POLITICAL VIOLENCE December 10-13, 2006, Nazareth, Israel, www.isas.co.il/conflict2006 Deadline for abstracts: March 15, 2006 Contact: Aryeh Lewis 972-2-6520574 (p) 972-2-6520558 (f) meetings@isas.co.il

30TH ALL INDIA CRIMINOLOGY CONFERENCE, January 18 - 20, 2007, Calcutta, India, contact: S. Latha Indian Society of Criminology lathasubramanian@gmail.com

CRIME SCENE RECONSTRUCTION AND COLD CASE INVESTIGATION, January 29-30, 2007, at George Mason University. More info: 703-993-8335, www.ocpe.gmu.edu

THE MISCARRIAGES OF JUSTICE: CURRENT PERSPECTIVES CONFERENCE Central Missouri State University, Warrensburg, MO, USA, February 19-21, 2007. Contact: Don Wallace (P): 660/543-8913 wallace@cmsu1.cmsu.edu

ACADEMY OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SCIENCES March 13 - 17, 2007 Seattle, Washington

CRIME, LAW AND JUSTICE IN CHINESE SOCIETIES: GLOBAL CHALLENGES, LOCAL RESPONSES March 17-18, 2007, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. For additional information, visit www.cuhk.edu.hk/law/.

9th CRIME MAPPING RESEARCH CONFERENCE, March 28 - March 31, 2007, Omni William Penn Hotel, Pittsburgh, PA. For more info: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/nij/maps>

14TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL POLICE EXECUTIVE SYMPOSIUM, April 8-12, 2007, Dubai

JUSTICE STUDIES ASSOCIATION Ninth Annual Conference, Salve Regina University Newport, R.I., June 7-9, 2007. For more information visit <http://www.justicestudies.org/>

NORTH AMERICAN CORRECTIONAL & CRIMINAL JUSTICE PSYCHOLOGY CONFERENCE June 7-9, 2007, Ottawa, Canada

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON RESTORATIVE JUSTICE June 24-27, 2007 Schreiner University, Kerrville, Texas

EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY August 2007, Bologna, Italy

THE SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF SOCIAL PROBLEMS (SSSP) 57th Annual Meeting, August 10-12, 2007, Roosevelt Hotel, New York, NY For more info., please visit <http://www.sssp1.org/index.cfm/m/23>

8TH NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PREVENTING CRIME October 3-5, 2007, Hilton Atlanta in Atlanta, Georgia www.ncpc.org/NationalConference2007

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AROUND THE ASC

J. Mitchell Miller has accepted the position of Professor and Chair of the Department of Criminal Justice at the University of Texas at San Antonio. The *Journal of Criminal Justice Education* has been relocated to UTSA from the University of South Carolina where Miller was on the faculty from 1996-2006.

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Expecting policy makers to assemble and digest the volumes of academic literature is problematic for two reasons. First, much of the high quality research is held only in the peer reviewed journals that are full of academic jargon, statistics, and difficult to obtain. This is particularly true in a global society where reports are written in various languages, albeit more dominant in English, across the almost 200 member nations in the UN. Secondly, many of the cutting edge research reports are housed in government offices and not easily obtainable. These reports are more likely to be in the native language of the country, including those languages outside the six UN languages.

This problem begs for a discussion of the research community's responsibility. Is it within the purview of the field of international criminology/criminal justice to research policy relevant issues? Should we do more than pure research? If so, is it our responsibility to make that research accessible to outside readers?³ The ASC has taken a position on this issue and developed its second journal, *Criminology and Public Policy*. However, a review of the topics included in the journal reveals a focus on crime issues that have been researched for many years (i.e., prison population growth). The legislation is already passed, the policies are in place, and the research lags behind. This does not make this research unimportant, but it is reactive instead of proactive.

Is it possible for researchers to be on the cutting edge of a new crime problem? This question has been discussed peripherally in the crime literature for many years. Blumer (1971) suggests that researchers do not become aware of social problems until government or civil society raise awareness about them. According to Blumer's model, this results in researchers entering the process at the third stage of problem definition, which is often too late to impact the initial legislation⁴. In this model it is more likely that the researcher will be called in to conduct a program evaluation years after the program has been in operation, but little to no data have been collected. To research a problem before the legislation means the researcher must be involved at the level of initially identifying the problem.

In the international arena, there is at least one way for researchers to anticipate the up-coming legislative topics and to begin their research at least one year prior to the sessions of the Crime Commission. For many years, a summary report has been posted on the web page of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) under the Crime Commission (see, for example, http://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/crime_cicp_commission.html). In this final report of the session, the work for the next Commission meeting is outlined. For example, the Commission meeting in 2005 (E/2005/30) summary report identified that the topics of discussion for spring of 2006 included economic crime with an emphasis on money-laundering and the financing of terrorism and combating transnational crime (http://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/crime_cicp_commission_session_15.html, E/2006/30, E/CN.15/2006/20).

If this information has been available to researchers for many years, why have more not taken advantage of it? Why is this issue so important today? The first question might be answered by examining the number of researchers who have been interested in international issues. The ASC membership has remained relatively constant with approximately 20 percent of its membership being non-US citizens. Currently the ASC membership is 2993, with 678 non-US citizen members. The number of US and international members conducting international research is small, which results in a small number of protégé being developed in the area. However, as the world shrinks, more crime is linked to its international dimensions, and criminology/criminal justice education fully integrates the international and transnational nature of crime, this number should increase.

The second question is more complex. Recent changes in the Crime Commission working structure have raised concern among civil societies. Two of the three Crime Commission working groups appear to have changed in the overall structure. Although this happened over time, the retirement of Executive Director Eduardo Vetere of the Secretariat of the Crime Commission focused attention on the structure as the field waited for his replacement to be announced.

Three main groups participate in the Crime Commission work; the Secretariat, Member States, and non-governmental organizations (NGOs). The Secretariat staff is primarily composed of business-oriented professionals (i.e., MBA, PhD. in Economics), although there continue to be some crime experts. In the past, the Secretariat employed numerous well known criminologists (i.e., Gerhard Mueller) and the research division of the UNODC was vibrant with specialists who informed the Member States on many topics. But, as we fast forward to 2006, we find a different Secretariat. Under this new *lean and mean* business model structure, the Secretariat is planning the *Think Tank* model. In this model, the UNODC will have the specific expertise of a limited number of staff and fill in the gaps with consulting experts as funding permits.

Secondly, 40 of the 191 UN Member States are elected to serve on the Crime Commission for two year terms. They are composed of primarily foreign ministry political types that address all topics (i.e., professional law makers, general foreign policy). Some do have expertise in criminology, but the vast majority does not and does not have the funding to hire consultants to review documents for them prior to or at the Crime Commission meetings.

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Finally, the NGOs represent civil society, some of whom have criminology expertise, others of whom have extensive expertise in related issues (i.e., victimology). These groups are the topical experts upon whom the Member States rely. NGOs sometimes participate behind the scenes (i.e., in the hallway) as discussed previously, helping Member States draft legislation, encourage grass roots topics to be considered on the Commission floor and they have some ability to speak from the floor after all Member States have completed their comments.

In addition to these three groups, there are other groups, such as intergovernmental groups, the fourteen institutes, and special experts called upon for their expertise and perspectives. Many of these experts are known to and members of the ASC. However, the pool is limited to funding availability and the perspective presented can be narrowly focused. Under the current conditions, the concern was eloquently posed by the US representative in the closing comments of one of the key sessions at the 2006 Crime Commission meeting. The representative pleaded with the NGO community to be active in informing the Member States in the details of the issues because often the representatives lack criminology/criminal justice expertise. It is this plea, from the US delegation, that makes the issue so timely. It is the first time the NGOs have heard the US support their involvement.

If Member States are relying on the expertise of the NGO community, what information will they learn? Who are these NGOs and what are their biases? NGOs include a variety of organizations, such as the World Society of Victimology, Pax Romano, and the Soroptimists. In fact, there are over 1500 NGOs with special consultative status to the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) of the UN (See http://www.unodc.org/unodc/ngos_database.html for a brief description of their missions). Some are more active than others, but each brings its own bias and advocacy agenda. Not all bias is negative to the process. The ASC has this consultative status, reported in the November 2003 Criminologist, and it has a biased agenda. This ASC agenda is found in the second section entitled *Purpose and Objectives* of the ASC Constitution (<http://www.asc41.com/const.htm>). The ASC's bias stems from our purpose of disseminating knowledge from research results. We want policy to be based on this knowledge.

In response to the question, "Why is this issue so important today?" I offer the following thoughts: The Secretariat of the UNODC and the related staff are primarily business people, ensuring the work is completed in a timely and efficient manner. Many of the Member States are developing recommendations for crime related resolutions to ECOSOC without the benefit of crime expertise input from the Secretariat or from their own ranks. This results in the majority of the expertise coming from the NGO community. Recognizing that the majority of the NGOs are advocates for a specific cause, if the general attending group of NGOs provides guidance to the Member States, the results will be biased toward their agenda. The direction of the bias can be anticipated by the list of regular attendees found at the end of each report on the Crime Commission (See, for example, http://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/crime_cicp_commission_session_15.html, E/2006/30, E/CN.15/2006/20).

Attendance at the Crime Commission in Vienna each year yields a much clearer understanding of what is said, by whom, and in response to whom. This interaction places the data in context. While supporting the Member States to develop resolutions begins long before the Crime Commission meeting, attendance is an important dimension for each stakeholder. First, as the word-smithing occurs, the meaning of the resolution can be changed considerably. Having crime experts in attendance allows Member States immediate or last minute consultation. However, this generally does not occur unless personal rapport has been fully developed between the representative of the Member State and the NGO participant. Second, merely having the presence of civil society provides one check and balance on the governmental process. Finally, having NGO statements offers moral and technical support to the Secretariat personnel. Thus, the NGO community must attend and participate in the process to fully support the process. The nature of participation is dependent on the mission of each NGO.

The ASC takes very few policy positions, most notably limited to the death penalty at this time. However, the Member States do not want opinions or NGO policy statements from the supporting NGOs. Instead, they want reliable research results in a usable format. One good example of how this has been implemented occurred in 2004. The papers published on the death penalty in *Criminology and Public Policy* were reproduced for the Member States for the 2004 Crime Commission meeting. The presence of these papers, along with other informal discussions by ASC members attending the meeting, resulted in the discussion of the death penalty being allowed to occur on the Crime Commission floor. The Member States were informed and it was evident that they had received and at least perused the documents, albeit doubtful they had time to read them. These documents were peer reviewed journal articles, not opinion or advocacy papers, bundled in a package with the ASC policy paper summary. It is this unbiased knowledge that the ASC promotes. It is unimportant that the ASC takes a position on the death penalty. What was important was the research evidence that the ASC members could provide to the Member States so they could make informed decisions.

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If the ASC – the world's largest and most productive group of criminologists - does not offer the Member States and Secretariat unbiased research results in a format that is easily digestible, then who will? And with what result? I suggest it will be the biases of those who regularly attend and have developed a rapport with the delegates of the Member States. These same organizations will provide the technical assistance to developing countries. Researchers who are interested in learning more will find informative sessions at the annual ASC meetings.

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¹ The development and history of the Crime Commission is detailed in Roger S. Clark's 1994 book, *The United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Program Formulation of Standards and Efforts at their implementation* (University of Pennsylvania Press: PA).

² See Merry (2006) for a detailed account of word-smithing in the Commission on the Status of Women, which is very similar to the events in the Crime Commission.

³ The Office of Justice Programs suggests that it is our responsibility in remarks given April 13, 2000 at the Tenth United Nations Conference in Vienna (<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/nij/international/uncongre.html>).

⁴ See Smith, 2005 for an example and more detailed discussion.

New Editor Sought for *Criminology*

The American Society of Criminology invites applications for the position of Editor of Criminology, one of its official journals. The new Editor will be responsible for three volumes beginning with the February 2009 issue. It is anticipated that manuscript submissions will transfer to the new Editor by December 2007.

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DIVISION NEWS

DIVISION OF CRITICAL CRIMINOLOGY

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Official Journal of the Division on Women and Crime of the American Society of Criminology

Feminist Criminology – an innovative new journal that is dedicated to research related to women, girls, and crime within the context of a feminist critique of criminology – will unveil its premier issue in January 2006. Published quarterly by Sage Publications as the official journal of the Division on Women and Crime of the American Society of Criminology, this international publication focuses on research and theory that highlights the gendered nature of crime. The feminist critique of criminology incorporates a perspective that the paths to crime differ for males and females. Therefore, research that uses sex as a control variable often fails to illuminate the factors that predict female criminality. **Feminist Criminology** provides a venue for articles that place women in the center of the research question, answering different questions than the mainstream approach of controlling for sex.

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Confessions of a Dying Thief: Understanding Criminal Careers and Illegal Enterprises**DARRELL STEFFENSMEIER**

Darrell Steffensmeier received his MA and Ph.D degrees from the University of Iowa and is a Professor Sociology and Crime/Law/Justice at Pennsylvania State University. He is past president of the International Association for the Study of Organized Crime, recipient of Distinction in the Social Sciences award of The Pennsylvania State University and a Fellow of the American Society of Criminology. He has authored articles on a range of law/criminology topics in *American Sociological Review*, *American Journal of Sociology*, *Social Forces*, *Criminology*, and other social science and criminology journals. He is co-author of *Examining Deviance Experimentally* and author of *The Fence: In the Shadow of Two Worlds* which received the Outstanding Scholarship Award from the Crime and Delinquency Division of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. He also served as project director, chief analyst, and writer for the Pennsylvania Crime Commission's report, *Organized Crime in Pennsylvania—A Decade of Change: The 1990 Report*. His current research and writing focuses on applying multiple methods and data sources into examinations of the effects of gender, age, and race-ethnicity on patterns and trends in crime; further developing (with colleagues) the “focal concerns” theory of case-process decision making and the “gendered paradigm” of female offending; and expanding upon key themes raised in *Confessions of a Dying Thief*. Additional info: *Conducted research and published on range of law/criminology topics* – this includes: gender and crime, age and crime, race and crime, criminal careers and life-course criminality, trade in stolen goods, organized crime and illegal enterprise, communities and crime, cross-national crime, and trends in the Nation's crime rate; and the effects of gender, age, and race-ethnicity on criminal punishment and case-process decision making.

**JEFFERY ULMER**

Jeffery T. Ulmer is Associate Professor of Sociology and Crime, Law, and Justice at Penn State University. He earned his Ph.D in sociology in 1993 from Penn State University, and spent six years as an assistant professor of sociology at Purdue University before returning to Penn State in 2000. He has published 27 refereed journal articles, including seven in *Criminology*, on topics such as courts and sentencing, criminological theory, symbolic interactionism, recidivism, fear of crime, criminal enterprise, and the integration of ethnographic and quantitative methods. In addition, he is the author of *Social Worlds of Sentencing: Court Communities Under Sentencing Guidelines* (1997 State University of New York Press), and editor of three volumes of *Sociology of Crime, Law, and Deviance*. He is currently involved in a large quantitative and qualitative research project on federal courts and sentencing, funded by the National Science Foundation

RUTH SHONLE – CAVAN YOUNG SCHOLAR AWARD RECIPIENT
(Sponsored by Prentice-Hall)



TRAVIS PRATT

Travis Pratt received his PhD from the University of Cincinnati in 2001 and is currently an Associate Professor and Director of the Program in Criminal Justice at Washington State University. His contributions to the field are primarily related to correctional policy (both institutional and community corrections, with a focus on correctional rehabilitation), the integration of individual and community-level explanations of criminal behavior, and the systematic organization of criminological knowledge. He has published over forty peer-reviewed articles and book chapters, and his work has appeared in a number of leading journals in criminal justice and criminology, including *Criminology*, *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*, *Justice Quarterly*, and *Crime and Justice: A Review of Research*, among others.

GENE CARTE STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION AWARD RECIPIENTS
(Sponsored by McGraw-Hill)

First Place

Katherine A. Johnson, University of Nebraska-Lincoln,
“Predicting the Acquisition of Self-Control Over Time: Stability and Change.”

Second Place

Sonja Siennick, Pennsylvania State University
“The Timing and Mechanisms of the Offending-Depression Link.”

Third Place

Stacey J. Bosick, Harvard University
“Investigating Unorthodox Declines in Self-Reported Criminality.”

NOMINATIONS FOR 2007 ASC AWARDS

The ASC Awards Committee invites nominations for the following awards, to be presented at the Annual Meeting. **In submitting your nominations, provide the following supporting materials: a letter evaluating a nominee's contribution and its relevance to an award, and the nominee's c.v. (short version preferred) by March 1 to the appropriate committee chair.** The awards are:

EDWIN H. SUTHERLAND AWARD, which recognizes outstanding scholarly contributions to theory or research in criminology on the etiology of criminal and deviant behavior, the criminal justice system, corrections, law or justice. The distinguished contribution may be based on a single outstanding book or work, on a series of theoretical or research contributions, or on the accumulated contributions by a senior scholar.

Committee Chair:	JEFFREY FAGAN School of Law Columbia University 435 W. 116 th Street New York, NY 10027	212-854-2624 (P) 212-854-7946 (F) af45@columbia.edu
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AUGUST VOLLMER AWARD, which recognizes a criminologist whose research scholarship has contributed to justice or to the treatment or prevention of criminal or delinquent behavior, either through a single outstanding work, or a series of theoretical or research contributions, or on the accumulated contributions by a senior scholar.

Committee Chair:	BARRY KRISBERG National Council of Crime & Delinquency 1970 Broadway, Suite 500 Oakland, CA 94703	510-208-0500 (P) 510-208-0511 (F) bkrisberg@aol.com
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HERBERT BLOCH AWARD, which recognizes outstanding service contributions to the American Society of Criminology and to the professional interests of criminology.

Committee Chair:	RICHARD BENNETT Department of Justice, Law & Society American University 4400 Massachusetts Avenue Washington, D.C. 20016	202-885-2956 (P) 202-885-2907 (F) Bennett@american.edu
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THORSTEN SELLIN & SHELDON AND ELEANOR GLUECK AWARD, which is given in order to call attention to criminological scholarship that considers problems of crime and justice as they are manifested outside the United States, internationally or comparatively. Preference is given for scholarship that analyzes non-U.S. data, is predominantly outside of U.S. criminological journals, and, in receiving the award, brings new perspectives or approaches to the attention of the members of the Society. The recipient need not speak English. However, his/her work must be available in part, at least, in the English language (either by original publication or through translation).

Committee Chair:	GERBEN BRUINSMA NSCR & Leiden University P.O. Box 792 2300 AT, Leiden The Netherlands	31-71-527-8527 (P) 31-71-527-8537 (F) Bruinsma@nscr.nl
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RUTH SHONLE – CAVAN YOUNG SCHOLAR AWARD (Sponsored by Prentice-Hall) This Award will be given to recognize outstanding scholarly contributions to the discipline of criminology by someone who has received the Ph.D., MD, LLD, or a similar graduate degree no more than five years before the selection for the award (for this year the degree must have been awarded no earlier than May 2002). The Award may be for a single work or a series of contributions, and may include co-authored work.

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Committee Chair: **CASSIA SPOHN** 602-543-0023 (P)
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OTHER ASC AWARDS

(Nomination submission dates and rules may differ)

OUTSTANDING ARTICLE AWARD honors exceptional contributions made by scholars in article form. The award is given annually for the peer-reviewed article that makes the most outstanding contribution to research in criminology. The 2007 Award Committee will consider articles published during the 2005 calendar year. The committee will consider all articles published during 2005 in *Criminology* and *Criminology & Public Policy*. To nominate articles appearing in other journals, please send full citation information for the article and a brief discussion of your reasons for the recommendation to the Article Award Committee Chair, noted below. The Executive Board may decide not to give an Article Award in a given year. The deadline for nominations is **March 1**.

Committee Chair: **CHRISTOPHER UGGEN** 612-624-4016 (P)
University of Minnesota 612-624-7020 (F)
Department of Sociology Uggen001@umn.edu
267 19th Avenue, #909
Minneapolis, MN 55455

MICHAEL J. HINDELANG AWARD is given annually for a book, published within three (3) calendar years preceding the year in which the award is made, that makes the most outstanding contribution to research in criminology. For this year, the book must have been published in 2004, 2005, or 2006. To be considered, books must be nominated by individuals who are members of the American Society of Criminology. The Committee will not consider anthologies and/or edited volumes. To nominate a book, please send the title of the book, its authors, the publisher, the year of the publication, and a brief discussion of your reasons for the recommendation to the Hindelang Award Committee Chair, noted below. The Executive Board may decide not to give the Hindelang Award in a given year. The deadline for receiving nominations is **February 15**.

Committee Chair: **BARRY FELD** 218-743-3118 (P)
University of Minnesota Law School 612-625-2001 (F)
229 19th Avenue South feldx001@umn.edu
Minneapolis, MN 55455

ASC FELLOWS The title of "Fellow" is given to those members of the Society in good standing who have achieved distinction in the field of criminology. The honorary title of "Fellow" recognizes persons who have made a scholarly contribution to the intellectual life of the discipline, whether in the form of a singular, major piece of scholarship or cumulative scholarly contributions. Longevity alone is not sufficient. In addition, a Fellow must have made a significant contribution to the field through the career development of other criminologists and/or through organizational activities within the ASC. Newly designated Fellows will be recognized at the upcoming Annual Meeting. In your nominating letter, please describe the reasons for your nomination and include a copy of the nominee's curriculum vitae (or make arrangements to have it sent to the Committee Chair). All materials should be sent to the Committee Chair, noted below. Any questions should be directed to the Committee Chair. The deadline for nominations is **March 1**. A list of ASC Fellows can be found at www.asc41.com/felsnom.html.

Committee Chair: **JAMES JACOBS** 212-998-6213 (P)
Center for Research in Crime & Justice 212-995-4692 (F)
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40 Washington Square South, Room 322
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UNDERGRADUATE FELLOWSHIP FOR ETHNIC MINORITIES

The ASC Minority Scholars/Mentors Research Grant program was established by the American Society of Criminology in order to increase the number of scholars in criminology and criminal justice who are members of historically disadvantaged and under-represented ethnic and racial groups. Undergraduate students who are members of these under-represented ethnic and racial groups and are near the end of their sophomore year of study are eligible. The goal of this initiative is to facilitate the advancement of academically talented students into graduate (especially doctoral) study in criminology (or criminal justice). Faculty members who are mentoring students will co-apply for the grant with the student. Applications are submitted during the student's sophomore year, with funding beginning in the student's junior year. Nominations must be received by May 1st preceding the student's junior year. Grantees will be selected by the Board of the American Society of Criminology, upon the recommendation of the Ad Hoc Committee on Minority Scholar/Mentor Research Grants. Grantees receive \$10,000 in research scholarship funds, which is divided into awards of \$5,000 for the student during his or her Junior and Senior years of undergraduate study. Grantees also receive a grant of up to \$1,500 to support travel to the annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology during November of the student's Senior year of undergraduate study. At that annual meeting, the student will present a research paper (developed during in the previous year) under auspices of a faculty mentor (who may be a co-author). Awardees begin their work on the paper during the junior year of study.

Students selected for this award will receive:

\$5,000 research grant each year for the junior and senior year of study

Up to \$1,500 travel grant to attend the annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology

Guidance in the development of a research paper on a topic in criminology

Guidance in the scholarly area of criminology

Guidance in the application process for graduate school

The mentoring relation is expected to involve the following areas:

Mentoring the student in a collaborative research project that will yield a paper presented at the ASC meeting in the student's senior year.

Mentoring the student in the field of criminology during the student's two years of funding. This might involve weekly meetings, readings/independent study courses, courses, work on other projects, or attendance at local criminology conferences.

Mentoring of the student that will facilitate the student's preparation for and successful application to graduate study in criminology/criminal justice.

The proposal to ASC for the award is a collaborative effort. The primary criteria for allocating the awards are (1) the student's potential for completing doctoral work in criminology and (2) the quality of the proposed mentoring relationship. In this proposal, the faculty member should do the following:

Provide a written recommendation for why the potential grantee has the academic potential and career aspirations to successfully complete graduate study in criminology (or criminal justice) leading the student into an academic (or related) career.

Provide student transcripts and any other supporting materials demonstrating the student's promise as a scholar (these may include ACT, SAT, and/or GRE scores).

Provide a description of the proposed collaborative research project that will result in a presentation at the ASC meeting in the student's senior year.

Provide a description of other mentoring activities and proposed contact with the student over his or her junior and senior years.

In this proposal, the student should do the following:

Provide a personal statement on his or her career goals in criminology.

Provide a statement on how the Mentoring Grant would enable the student to focus more time on his or her academic work and better achieve his or her career goals (e.g., lessen time spent on a job).

Nomination proposals should be sent **by May 1** to:

Committee Chair:

TODD R. CLEAR

Chair Minority Scholar/Mentor Committee

John Jay College of Criminal Justice

899 10th Avenue

New York, NY 10019

212-237-8470 (P)

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GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP FOR ETHNIC MINORITIES

Eligibility: The fellowships are designed to encourage African American, Asian American, Latino, and Native American students to enter the field of criminology and criminal justice. Applicants need not be members of the American Society of Criminology. Individuals studying criminology or criminal justice issues are encouraged to apply. The recipients of the fellowships must be accepted into a program of doctoral studies. Generally three (3), \$6,000 fellowships are awarded each year.

Application Procedures: A complete application package must be sent to the Committee Chair no later than **March 1**. A complete application must contain (1) up-to-date curriculum vita; (2) indication of race or ethnicity; (3) copies of undergraduate and graduate transcripts; (4) statement of need and prospects for financial assistance for graduate study; (5) a letter describing career plans, salient experiences, and nature of interest in criminology and criminal justice; and (6) three letters of reference.

The Society reserves the right not to award the fellowships in a given year.

Committee Chair:	RONET BACHMAN Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice University of Delaware 329 Smith Hall Newark, DE 19717	302-831-3267 (P) 302-831-2607 (F) ronet@udel.edu
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GENE CARTE STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION, Sponsored by McGraw-Hill

This award is given to recognize outstanding scholarly work of students.

Eligibility: Any student currently enrolled on a full-time basis in an academic program at either the undergraduate or graduate level. Persons who are previous first place prize winners of this competition are ineligible.

Paper Specifications: No paper may be submitted to more than one ASC student competition for the same year. Any paper that has previously won any prize in any ASC competition is ineligible for submission to another ASC competition. Papers may be conceptual and/or empirical but must be directly related to criminology. Papers must be typewritten, double-spaced on 8-1/2x11 white paper, and no longer than 7,500 words. The CRIMINOLOGY format for the organization of text, citations and references should be used. Authors' names, departments and advisors (optional) must appear **ONLY** on the title page, since papers will be evaluated anonymously. The next page of the manuscript should include the title and a 100-word abstract. The author must submit **EIGHT** copies of the manuscript, accompanied by a letter indicating the author's enrollment status and co-signed by the dean, department chair or program director.

Judging Procedures: The Student Awards Committee will rate entries according to criteria such as the quality of the conceptualization, significance of the topic, clarity and aptness of methods, quality of the writing, command of relevant work in the field, and contribution to criminology.

Awards: The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place papers will be awarded prizes of \$500, \$300, and \$200, respectively and will be eligible for presentation at the upcoming Annual Meeting. The 1st prize winner will also receive a travel award (generally hotel accommodations) to help defray costs for attending the Annual Meeting. The Committee may decide that no entry is of sufficient quality to declare a winner. Fewer than three awards may be given. Prize-winning students will be acknowledged at the Annual Meeting Awards Ceremony.

Submission Deadline: Papers must be submitted with a postmarked on or before **April 15** to:

Committee Chair:	NANCY RODRIGUEZ Dept. of Criminology & Criminal Justice Arizona State University West 4701 W. Thunderbird Road Glendale, AZ 85306	602-543-6601 (P) 602-543-6658 (F) Nancy.rodriguez@asu.edu
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IN MEMORIAM

Dennis "Denn" Roncek

It is with deepest regret that the School of Criminology and Criminal Justice at the University of Nebraska at Omaha announces the passing of Professor Dennis "Denn" W. Roncek August 28, after a long, courageous battle with cancer.

Professor Roncek received his Ph.D. from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in Sociology and became a member of UNO's School of Criminology and Criminal Justice in 1994. He was well known for his research in environmental criminology, particularly for his work on the relationship between urban structures and crime on city blocks. He also published numerous articles on statistical procedures and analysis, and was recognized for his innovative and creative approaches to solving complex statistical problems.

During his time at UNO, Professor Roncek taught all of the graduate statistics courses in the School of Criminal Justice. He was known for being an instructor dedicated to student progress, and for always providing an open door and an open ear to students, staff and fellow faculty. He was awarded the Annual Faculty Member of the Year Award in 2003 and 2005 by the Graduate Student Organization, which is presented faculty members who provide guidance, encouragement and who set an example for students in their goal of continued education in attaining their M.S., M.A., or Ph.D.

Professor Roncek is survived by his loving wife, Susan, an enrollment specialist in the UNO Office of Undergraduate Admissions, one son, Douglas, and two daughters, Jennifer and Andrea.

The family requests memorials to the American Cancer Society or the Boy Scouts of America. Sympathy cards can be sent to the family at 3225 S.112th Street, Omaha, NE 68144.

Call for Nominations

Florida State University College of Criminology and Criminal Justice

**Gordon P. Waldo Fellowship
\$20,000 per year plus tuition waivers**

The **Gordon P. Waldo Fellowship** is intended to recruit top students across the country into a career in criminological research that informs and influences public policy. The award will go to a highly motivated doctoral student with the intellectual curiosity necessary to challenge popular ideas about the causes, consequences, and control of crime.

Faculty can nominate students at www.criminology.fsu.edu/waldofellow. The nomination deadline is November 30.

JSA PRESENTS AWARDS AT 2006 CONFERENCE

At their Eighth Annual Conference held at the University of California, Berkeley from June 8-10 Justice Studies Association presented awards to social justice activist Medea Benjamin and social justice songsters Pat Humphries and Sandy Opatow. Benjamin was presented with the 2006 Noam Chomsky Award and Humphries and Opatow with the JSA Social Activist Award.

Medea Benjamin, a tireless advocate for social justice for more than 20 years, is a co-founder of the international human rights organization Global Exchange and the high-profile women's peace group CODEPINK. She has been described as "one of America's most committed—and most effective—fighters for human rights" by New York *Newsday*, and called "one of the high profile leaders of the peace movement" by the *Los Angeles Times*, in June of 2005 Benjamin was one of 1,000 exemplary women from 140 countries nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize.

During the 1990s, Benjamin focused her efforts on tackling the problem of unfair trade as promoted by the World Trade Organization. Widely credited as the woman who brought Nike to its knees and helped place the issue of sweatshops on the national agenda, Benjamin was a key player in the campaign that won a \$20 million settlement from 27 US clothing retailers for the use of sweatshop labor in Saipan. She also pushed Starbucks and other companies to start carrying fair trade coffee. In January 2005 she organized a trip to the Iraq-Jordan border with parents of fallen US soldiers, to take \$650,000 worth of humanitarian aid to refugees from war-torn Fallujah.

Pat Humphries and **Sandy Opatow** are two of the most renowned songsters of peace and justice concerns in North America. They travel the globe inspiring action to social justice at the most basic levels of community. Roots Magazine has described them as "An acoustic, insightful delight in the tradition of Seeger and Guthrie." "If I Give Your Name," by Sandy and Pat was a Grand Prize Winner (one of 24,000 entries) in the Folk Category of the prestigious John Lennon Songwriting Contest (<http://www.jlsc.com>). The song sheds light on the silent suffering of family members of undocumented workers lost on 9/11 in the World Trade Center.

Those who have heard them sing at JSA conferences and at the 2006 ASC meeting in Toronto have described their performance as transforming. Their website for a catalog of their CD's and bookings is <http://www.pathumphries.com/>; they are magicians of the spirit without turning a slight of hand or word.

STUDENT FELLOWSHIP ONE YEAR MASTERS PROGRAM IN CRIMINOLOGY Centre of Criminology *University of Toronto* Canada

The Centre of Criminology at the University of Toronto invites applicants to its Masters program. The Centre of Criminology has available a *fellowship* for *international* students from outside Canada. This fellowship covers tuition fees and provides \$13,000 (CAN) for living expenses (approximate value of scholarship=\$28,000). The Centre of Criminology is a leading, interdisciplinary graduate Centre for the study of crime, criminal justice, social regulation and the interaction between law and society. Emphasis is placed on examining these issues from both national and international perspectives. The Centre takes a broad view of criminological and socio-legal research and welcomes applicants from any field within the social sciences and humanities. The Centre offers both a Masters and a Doctoral program.

For additional information about the Centre of Criminology's Masters and Doctoral programs, including information about application procedures and deadlines, please consult our website at <http://www.criminology.utoronto.ca>. You can also contact the Graduate Coordinator, Scot Wortley via email at scot.wortley@utoronto.ca or by phone at 416-978-7124 (ext. 228).

List of Ph.D Graduates in Criminal Justice, Criminology and Related Fields

Frank Butler. "God's Gonna Trouble the Waters: Social Ethics, Religious Organizations, and Crime Policy," Chaired by Alan Harland, May 2005, Temple University.

Robert D'Ovidio. "Crime.com: Does Crime Have a New Face?" Chaired by George Rengert, August 2004, Temple University.

Lillian P. Dote. "Citizen Willingness to Serve: Explaining Attitudes Toward Jury Service in Philadelphia," Chaired by Ralph B. Taylor, May 2006, Temple University.

Timothy C. Hart, "Respondent Fatigue in Self-Report Victim Surveys: Examining a Source of Nonsampling Error from Three Perspectives," Chaired by Thomas Mieczkowski, April 2006, University of South Florida.

Matthew J. Hickman. "Self-reported and Official Police Problem Behavior: Identifying the Role of Individual, Context, and Data," Chaired by Ralph B. Taylor, May 2005, Temple University.

Brian A. Lawton. "Levels of Nonlethal Force Reported by Philadelphia Police Officers: Officer, Citizen, and Contextual Influences," Chaired by Ralph B. Taylor, May 2006, Temple University

Patrick N. McGrain "An Examination of Therapeutic Engagement in a Prison-Based Drug Treatment Therapeutic Community," Chaired by Wayne N. Welsh, January 2006, Temple University.

Jeffrey D. Monroe. "Brady Gun Policy and Disaggregated Homicide Rates," Chaired by George Rengert, August 2004, Temple University.

Mary E. Poulin. "Improving Outcomes for Girls in the Juvenile Justice System: The Need for Classification," Chaired by Philip Harris, January 2005. Temple University.

Earl Anthony White, "The Phenomenological Essences of The Arrested Males In Their Relationship With Their Parents," Chaired by Timothy Emerick, March, 2006, Capella University

2007 ANNUAL FULBRIGHTERS CONFERENCE IN PANAMA

Fulbright grantees, alumni and friends are invited to the Fulbright Academy's 2007 Fulbrighters in Science Conference. This 3½ day conference will be held in Panama City, Panama in March 2007.

The 3½ day conference will have panels and discussions on many topics, including criminology. Alumni from the region and around the world are involved in the planning. If you would like to propose a panel, please visit the Academy's website.

If you would like to propose a panel, help with the planning or sponsor the conference, please contact us at info@FulbrightAcademy.org. The conference language is English.

Situated at Central America's narrowest point, Panama City has been a center for the movement of people and goods between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans for centuries. The Academy's program will include private tours of parks, scientific research stations, and the Panama Canal.

For more information regarding the 2007 Panama conference, go to:
www.fulbrightacademy.org/page/70998 **Bosnia Fulbright Criminology Award**
http://www.cies.org/award_book/award2007/award/Cri7234.htm

THE STOCKHOLM PRIZE IN CRIMINOLOGY

The Stockholm Prize in Criminology is awarded for outstanding achievements in criminological research or for the application of research results by practitioners for the reduction of crime and the advancement of human rights.

The objectives of The Stockholm Prize in Criminology are to promote the development of

- improved knowledge on causes of crime on an individual and structural level
- more effective and humane public policies for dealing with criminal offenders
- greater knowledge of alternative crime prevention strategies inside and outside the judicial system
- policies for helping the victims of crime
- better ways to reduce the global problem of illegal or abusive practices that may occur in the administration of justice.

The main donor is The Jerry Lee Foundation of Philadelphia, in collaboration with the University of Pennsylvania. Other donors are: The Japanese Correctional Association, The Hitachi Mirai Foundation and Söderberg foundations of Sweden

The prize selection is conducted by a jury, an independent international body that selects and appoint the prize recipient(s) from the nominations submitted. The jury consists of distinguished criminologists and practitioners of criminology, such as internationally recognised scholars and law enforcement officials and former prize recipients. The jury has chosen Lawrence Sherman University of Pennsylvania (USA), and Jerzy Sarnecki Stockholm University to co-chair the jury.

The jury agreed on following **definition of criminology**: *Criminology is the integrated, multidisciplinary study of the causes, predictions, and control of crime and other harmful behaviour constituting a breach of societal norms at a local, national, of international level. Criminology is guided by a commitment to human rights, democracy and equality.*

Criminological study includes, but is not limited to the following:

- The character of crime and other harmful behavior that breaches societal norms, such as its extent and the nature of variations in the distribution of such behaviour.
- The causes of crime and other harmful behavior that breaches societal norms, as well as of law-abiding behavior, from the individual to the structural levels.
- The politics of crime control including processes of criminalization, decriminalization, and other political processes related to punishment, treatment and other measures associated with the prevention of crime and responses to crime and other harmful behavior that breaches societal norms.
- The criminal justice system, including the work of policing, prosecution, defense, courts, prison, community supervision, other correctional efforts, and alternatives to criminal justice.
- Other societal institutions, groups, processes, and programs that work with crime-related questions, including the prevention of crime and the prevention of injustice.
- Victimology, including the study of victimization processes and societal efforts to provide reconciliation, redress and assistance to the victims of crime and of other harmful behavior.

In addition to the jury there is a **steering body** for strategic decision-making and financial management. The steering body decides on donor-related and financial issues.

2006 winners of The Stockholm Prize in Criminology are John Braithwaite and Friedrich Lösel. For their achievements in developing theory and evidence on the prevention of repeat offending, John Braithwaite of the Australian National University and Friedrich Lösel of Cambridge University in the UK have been awarded the Stockholm Prize in Criminology. They share the prize of one million SEK.

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The 2006 Prize was presented to the winners during a ceremony at the City Hall in Stockholm on June 16, 2006, as part of the first three-day annual **Stockholm Criminology Symposium**, hosted by the Swedish National Council for Crime Prevention and the Stockholm University in conjunction with the International Society of Criminology and national societies of criminology from.

The Symposium 2006 was held June 15th-17th on the Stockholm University campus, in collaboration with the University. The theme for the symposium was "Recognizing Knowledge to Reduce Crime and Injustice".

Distinguished criminologists, widely recognized for their contributions within the field of criminology, were present to hold plenary speeches. Participants from Societies of Criminology as well as International Society of Criminology also attended.

Each year, the jury invites nominating bodies from around the world to suggest candidates for the prize.

The Prize Office received **nominations** until April 15, 2006 for the 2007 award. The nomination period for the 2008 award will be between January 1st and April 15, 2007. The jury reserves the right not to accept nominations that arrive late or are incomplete.

All nominations made in 2005 and 2006, will be considered for a Prize award in both 2007 and 2008.

Nominations may be made by: three individual criminologists, any society of criminology, or other organizations applying or producing criminology.

The **winner/winners of The Stockholm Prize in Criminology for 2007** will be announced in the latter months of 2006.

For more information: <http://www.criminologyprize.com/>

Data Analysis Workbooks for use in your Classroom

Then National Consortium on Violence Research (NCOVR) at Carnegie Mellon University provides various data workbooks for use by students. The workbooks introduce students to data resources available on the web and to basic statistical data analysis techniques. Problem sets in each workbook provide students with an opportunity to apply the techniques to real-world data.

VIOLENCE IN THE U.S. — DATA WORKBOOKS

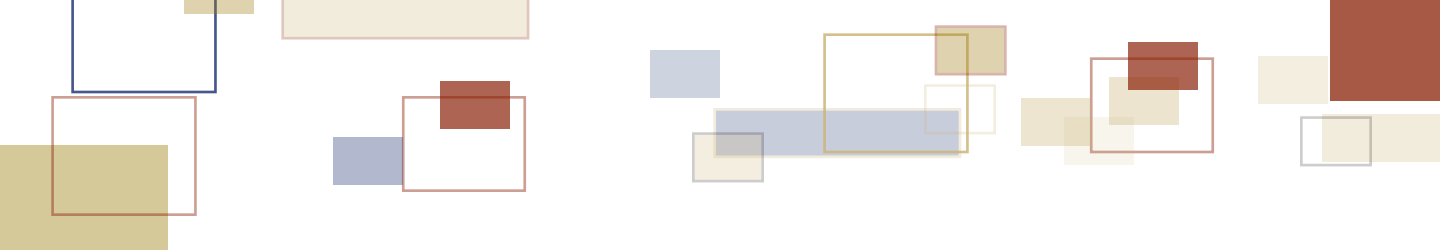
INTRODUCTION

The Violence in the United States Workbooks provide students with an opportunity to explore various features of violent offending in the United States using a number of national data resources. The aim is to introduce students to data resources available on the internet and provide hands on experience in basic data analysis. Each workbook introduces a violence-related topic, provides links to online data, and provides a series of problem sets based on that data.

Data and analyses are organized around individual violence topics.

- Counts and Population Rates
- Gender and Violence (forthcoming)
- Youth Violence (forthcoming)
- Communities and Violence (forthcoming)
- Violence and the Criminal Justice System—From Incident to Arrest

Access workbooks from NCOVR website at: <http://www.ncovr.heinz.cmu.edu/Docs/workbooks.htm>



ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Science Research

Seminar on Quantitative Analysis of Crime and Criminal Justice

June 25–July 20, 2007

ICPSR's world-class Summer Program in Quantitative Methods is a comprehensive, integrated program of studies in research design, statistics, data analysis, and social methodology. In 2007, the National Archive of Criminal Justice Data (NACJD) is once again sponsoring its seminar in criminal justice data use.

This four-week seminar introduces participants to major surveys sponsored by the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS), such as the Uniform Crime Reporting System and the National Incident-Based Reporting System. The seminar focuses on innovative applications of survey methods and incident-based data in criminal justice. Issues of data collection and analysis are covered in depth. Each participant will design, conduct, and present a quantitative research project. The course is designed for early-career faculty and professionals as well as for graduate students in the social sciences who are comfortable with data analysis software and quantitative research.

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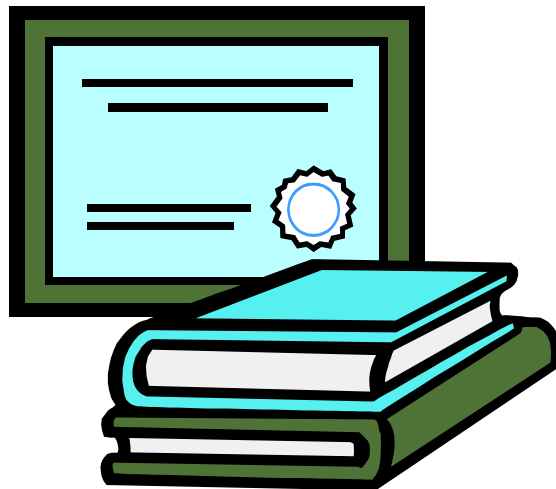
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POSITION ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CRIMINOLOGIST will regularly feature in these columns position vacancies available in organizations and universities, as well as positions sought by members of the Society. A charge of \$150.00 with the absolute maximum of 250 words allowed will be made. A charge will of \$75.00 will be charged to institutional members of ASC to place a position announcement in the newsletter. **It is the policy of the ASC to publish position vacancies announcements only from those institutions or agencies which subscribe to equal education and employment opportunities and those which encourage women and minorities to apply.** Institutions should indicate the **deadline** for the submission of application materials. To place announcements in THE CRIMINOLOGIST, send all material to: American Society of Criminology, 1314 Kinnear Road, Suite 212, Columbus, OH 43212-1156. Telephone (614)292-9207, Fax (614)292-6767, or e-mail asc@osu.edu. When sending announcements, please include a phone number, fax number and contact person in the event we have questions about an ad. The Professional Employment Exchange will be a regular feature at each Annual Meeting. Prospective employers and employees should register with the Society no later than three weeks prior to the Annual Meeting of the Society. The cost is \$100 to register online at www.asc41.com/employpg.html. Dr. Ken Adams (kenadams@mail.ucf.edu) is in charge of the website Employment Exchange.

AUGUSTA STATE UNIVERSITY. The Department of Sociology, Criminal Justice, and Social Work invites applications for a tenure track assistant professor position to teach criminal justice courses beginning Fall 2007. Minimum qualifications include a PhD in Criminal Justice, Criminology, Sociology, or a closely related field. Experienced candidates or ABD's, who can document imminent completion, will be considered. Candidates should demonstrate a strong commitment to undergraduate teaching, community relations, excellence in research, and collegiality. Applicants should submit: Curriculum Vitae, three letters of reference, evidence of teaching and research effectiveness, and a letter of application describing teaching and scholarly interests; finalists will be asked to provide transcripts. Screening will begin October 16, 2006, and continue until the position is filled. Send applications to Dr. Kim Davies, Chair, Department of Sociology, Criminal Justice, and Social Work, 2500 Walton Way, Augusta, GA 30904. Augusta State University is an Affirmative Action/ Equal Opportunity institution and strongly encourages applications from women and minority candidates.

BALL STATE UNIVERSITY Assistant Professor, Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology: Tenure-track position available August 17, 2007. Responsibilities: teaching general undergraduate and graduate courses in criminal justice and criminology, research, and service. Minimum qualifications: Ph.D. in criminal justice, criminology, or sociology; one year of full-time teaching experience at the college or university level with student and faculty evaluations submitted; evidence of scholarly work. Preferred qualification: one year of full-time employment in the criminal justice/social services field. Send letter of application; vita; official transcripts; contact information for three references; student and peer teaching evaluations; and publications, presentations, or other examples of scholarly work to: Chair, Search Committee, Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology, Ball State University, Muncie, IN 47306. (Fax: 765.285.5912) Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. (www.bsu.edu) Ball State University is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer and is strongly and actively committed to diversity within its community.

BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA Department of Sociology, Social Work and Criminal Justice, Tenure-Track, Assistant Professor Position: Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania invites applications for a permanent tenure track position at the Assistant Professor level in our criminal justice program beginning August 2007. AA# 45-5-240. Although areas of specialization are open, we prefer a candidate who can develop one or more police courses, who has some applied criminal justice experience, and who provides evidence of effective teaching. Finalists for this position must communicate effectively and must complete an interview process and a teaching demonstration. Recommendation for hiring is needed by the majority of the regular, full-time dept. faculty. An ability to work with diverse populations is preferred. Qualifications: Ph.D. in hand or in progress (with contingency contract) required. Send cover letter, curriculum vitae, contact information for three professional references, and evidence of teaching excellence to: Leo Barrile or Pamela Donovan, Co-Chairs, Search & Screen Committee, Criminal Justice Program, Department of Sociology, Social Work & Criminal Justice, Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania, Bloomsburg, PA 17815-1301. We will begin reviewing applications on November 3, 2006. Position will remain open until filled. Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania encourages applications from historically under-represented individuals, women, veterans, and persons with disabilities and is an Affirmative-Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH. The Criminal Justice Department invites applications for two tenure-track Assistant Professor positions for 2007-2008. Areas of specialization include Juvenile Justice/Crime Causation and Criminal Justice System/Courts. Applicants must possess an earned doctorate in Criminal Justice, Criminology, or a related discipline. ABDs will be considered, but doctorate must be granted before Aug. 27, 2007. The department has particular interest in those prepared to teach in two or more of the following areas: application of ethics to components of the criminal justice system or law and the courts, juvenile delinquency and juvenile justice, victimology, policing, court systems, probation and parole, counter-terrorism and security. Review of applications will begin October 2. Submit letter of application addressing qualifications, professional resume (including email address), three letters of recommendation, evidence of teaching effectiveness if available, and an official transcript from the institution awarding highest degree (at time of appointment) to: Connie Ireland, Search Committee Chair, Department of Criminal Justice, California State University, Long Beach, 1250 Bellflower Blvd., Long Beach, CA 90840-4603 (cireland@csulb.edu). In addition to meeting fully its obligation of nondiscrimination under federal and state law, CSULB is committed to creating a community in which a diverse population can learn, live, and work, in an atmosphere of tolerance, civility, and respect for the rights and sensibilities of each individual, without regard to economic status, ethnic background, political views, or other personal characteristics or beliefs. California State University, Long Beach is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

CANISIUS COLLEGE The Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice (situated in a College of Arts and Sciences) invites applications for a newly created, tenure-track position in criminal justice at the rank of Assistant Professor to begin Fall, 2007. Duties will include teaching courses in criminal justice and criminology including introduction to criminal justice, and other criminal justice courses in the candidate's areas of specialization. In addition, the faculty member will be expected to participate in research, advising, intern supervision and community service. Ph.D. in criminal justice or a related social science area is preferred but we will also consider advanced ABDs. Canisius College is an independent, co-educational comprehensive university conducted in the Catholic and Jesuit tradition (see www.canisius.edu). Candidates should send a statement of teaching and research interests, curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to Professor Patricia E. Erickson, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Anthropology, Sociology, and Criminal Justice, Canisius College, 2001 Main Street, Buffalo, New York 14208. Review of applications will begin November 15, 2006 and continue until the position is filled. Canisius College is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Qualified candidates from underrepresented groups are encouraged to apply.

CARTHAGE COLLEGE Carthage College invites applications for a renewable multi-year appointment at the assistant or associate rank in sociology/criminal justice. The successful candidate will hold a Ph.D. in sociology or criminal justice (closely related fields also will be considered, as well as those holding an M.A.) by June 2007 and demonstrate enthusiastic commitment to teaching undergraduate students and faculty-student research within a small liberal arts college environment. The successful candidate will teach courses in: (1) criminology/criminal justice—courses could include criminology, introduction to criminal justice and juvenile delinquency; (2) core curriculum studies within the college's Heritage seminars program. Opportunities to teach/develop courses in other areas of interest within the field of criminal justice may be available. Situated on the shore of Lake Michigan, midway between Milwaukee and Chicago, Carthage offers quick urban access from the relaxed environment of a small city. Predominantly Midwesterners, students come from approximately half of the United States and from every inhabited continent. Founded in 1847, Carthage is affiliated with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Send cover letter outlining teaching and scholarly interests, three letters of recommendation, teaching evaluations, curriculum vitae, and any supporting documents to: Professor William Miller, Chair, Division of the Social Science, Carthage College, Kenosha, WI 53140-1994, wmiller@carthage.edu

DELAWARE STATE UNIVERSITY Delaware State University invites applications for a tenure-track position at the Assistant or Associate Professor level in the Department of Sociology/Criminal Justice. Qualifications: Earned doctorate in Criminal Justice content area. Responsibilities: Teach courses in Criminal Justice; advise students; engage in productive scholarly activities (research; publication, grants seeking); serve on departmental senate and university committees. Beginning Date: January 15, 2007 Rank and Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and experience. Applicants must submit a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, college transcripts and three letters of reference not later than December 1st to Dr. Lee Streetman, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Sociology, Delaware State University, 1200 North DuPont Highway, Dover, DE 19901. Delaware State University is a historically black, 1890 land-grant institution, located in Dover, Central Delaware within two hours drive from Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, DC and within three hours from New York City. The University is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer.

FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY Department Chair Position – Fayetteville State University invites applications for the position of Chair of the Department of Criminal Justice to begin August 2007. Fayetteville State University is a constituent institution of the University of North Carolina and the second-oldest public institution of higher education in the state. Fayetteville is ideally located between the Blue Ridge Mountains and beautiful Carolina beaches, each easily accessible. The Department of Criminal Justice serves approximately 400 undergraduate majors in its undergraduate program and 20 graduate students in its new Master of Science program. The Department seeks a committed scholar, exceptional teacher, and an energetic administrator capable of providing leadership for a vibrant and growing department engaged in a variety of innovative initiatives. Applicants must have a Ph.D. in criminal justice, criminology or closely related field and demonstrate active disciplinary involvement in criminal justice/criminology with respect to teaching, research, service, and involvement in the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences and/or the American Society of Criminology. Salary and rank are negotiable and commensurate with qualifications and experience. Preference will be given to those candidates who have administrative experience, demonstrated publication record, and ability to obtain external funds. Review of applications will begin December 1, 2006 and continue until the position is filled. To apply, send a letter of application, current curriculum vita, official graduate and undergraduate transcripts, and three letters of reference to: Dr. David Barlow, Dean, College of Basic and Applied Sciences, Fayetteville State University, 1200 Murchison Rd., Fayetteville, NC 28301-4298.

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY The Florida State University College of Criminology and Criminal Justice invites applications for the position of Director of the Center for Criminology and Public Policy Research. The mission of the Center is to promote the role of research in public policy. The director, who reports to the Dean of the College, is responsible for day-to-day coordination and operation of the Center's multiple functions and activities. Specific duties include hiring of Center personnel, pursuit of external research funding and direct involvement in the conduct of research, human resources, strategic planning, budgeting and purchasing. The director maintains frequent contact with the Dean, College faculty and graduate students. The position is not externally funded and the salary is competitive. Requirements include a Ph.D. in criminology or a related field; a record or externally funded research, publications, and administration of research projects. Women and minority candidates are strongly encouraged to apply. Applicants should submit a curriculum vita, a brief statement of relevant background and experience, and three letters of recommendation. Please send your application materials to Thomas G. Blomberg, Dean and Sheldon L. Messinger Professor of Criminology, Florida State University, 634 West Call Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32306-1127. Florida State University is an Equal Opportunity Employer, committed to excellence through diversity. FSU complies with the Disabilities Act and is a public records agency pursuant to Chapter 118, Florida Statutes.

GEORGIA COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY The Department of Government and Sociology at Georgia College & State University invites applications for a tenure-track position in criminal justice, beginning August 1, 2007. The appointment will be at an advanced rank. A doctorate in criminal justice or a related field is required; a Ph.D. is preferred. GCSU is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Institution, with a strong commitment to diversifying the faculty and student body. The successful candidate will be the coordinator of the department's criminal justice programs, which include both bachelor's and master's degrees. The successful candidate for the position should be a generalist able to teach a variety of courses at both the graduate and undergraduate level such as criminological theory and research methodology. The coordinator's responsibilities involve schedule planning, student recruitment, graduate admissions and advising. The coordinator must have the research and methodological skills necessary to supervise master's theses and other research projects. The position is for the academic year, but includes a summer salary supplement for program administration. Effective teaching, advising, scholarly activity, and service are required for tenure. Review of applications will begin November 15, 2006, and will continue until the position is filled. An application package consists of a letter of application, a synopsis of research interests, a curriculum vita, and three current letters of recommendation including contact information. Send materials to Dr. Charles Ubah, Chair of Criminal Justice Search Committee, Department of Government and Sociology, Georgia College & State University, CBX 018, Milledgeville, GA 31061. For more information, please visit: www.gcsu.edu/facultyjobs/

HOLY FAMILY UNIVERSITY Holy Family University invites applications for a FT Asst Professor of Criminal Justice to begin in Jan or Aug 2007. Responsibilities include teaching general courses in law enforcement/ corrections & courses in the candidate's area of specialty. Will advise students, participate on committee's & have a strong commitment to the undergrad & grad curriculum. A doctoral degree in criminal justice or criminology is reqd with evidence of successful teaching in higher ed. Submit cover letter, CV, statement on teaching & research interests, grad transcripts & 3 letters of recommendation to: Holy Family University, 9801 Frankford Ave., Criminal Justice Search, c/o Dean, School of Arts & Science, Phila., PA 19114 or email to awebster@holyfamilly.edu EOE

LONGWOOD UNIVERSITY The Department of Sociology, Anthropology & Criminal Justice Studies at Longwood University invites applications for an assistant professor of criminology and criminal justice. This is a full-time, tenure-track position beginning Fall 2007. Applicants must possess a Ph.D. in Criminology, Criminal Justice, Sociology, or a related discipline. ABD with a firm defense date will be considered. While areas of specialization are open, the department is particularly interested in applicants with expertise in law enforcement, law, or the courts. Undergraduate teaching is the primary emphasis of the department and Longwood University. Applicants, however, should be willing to teach in the master's degree program -- sociology with concentration in criminal justice. Review of applications begins November 1, 2006. To apply send a letter of application, vita, statement of teaching philosophy and research goals, transcripts, and contact information for three references to: Search Committee Chair – Criminology & Criminal Justice, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice Studies Longwood University, 201 High Street, Farmville, VA 23909. A diversified workforce is an important part of our strategic plan. EOE/AA

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO The Department of Criminal Justice, Loyola University Chicago (LUC), invites applications for a tenure-track position at the rank of Assistant Professor, beginning August 2007. The department is located on LUC's vibrant downtown campus and has approximately 300 undergraduate majors and 70 master's students. Candidates for the position must hold a Ph.D. in Criminology, Criminal Justice, Political Science, Psychology, Justice Studies, Sociology, or a related field. Strong preference will be given to candidates with a degree in Criminal Justice or Criminology. Also preferred are candidates who clearly demonstrate the potential for excellence in research and teaching and have a record of (or clear potential for) distinguished scholarship, grant-funded research, and student mentorship. Experience working or conducting research in the criminal justice system is desirable. Successful applicants will have the ability to teach an array of courses across a variety of criminal justice topics. Applicants who can contribute to LUC's interdisciplinary programs, such as Women's Studies, International Studies, or Black World Studies, are especially welcome. Review of applications will commence on October 23, 2006 and continue until the position is filled. Candidates must provide a letter of application detailing experience and interests; a copy of their current Curriculum Vitae (CV); sample publications; and three letters of recommendation. Candidates must also register their application and submit an electronic CV and cover letter at www.careers.luc.edu. Additional application materials should be sent to: David E. Olson, Ph.D., Chairperson, Department of Criminal Justice, Loyola University Chicago, 820 North Michigan Avenue-Room 923, Chicago, Illinois 60611. LUC, is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer with a strong commitment to diversifying its faculty.

MERCER UNIVERSITY, Atlanta, GA – Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice. Mercer University's College of Continuing and Professional Studies would like to invite applications for a full-time faculty position teaching in the undergraduate criminal justice program and the graduate program in public safety leadership offered by the Department of Counseling and Human Sciences. The position is a tenure track appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor. Primary duties include teaching a seven course load, academic advising, teaching during the evening and Saturdays and requires travel between the Regional Centers and the Macon Campus. Doctoral work must be in the areas of criminal justice administration or public administration with a minimum of six courses in criminal justice. For complete announcement and to apply online, please access <https://www.mercerjobs.com> <<https://www.mercerjobs.com/>>. AA/EOE/ADA

MINOT STATE UNIVERSITY The Criminal Justice Department at Minot State University is seeking to fill two positions at the assistant or associate rank as well as one position at the associate or full professor level (with the latter position probably becoming departmental chair). All three are tenure track positions. PhD or equivalent is required, although ABDs will be considered for the two junior level positions. The Department has approximately 250 undergraduate majors, an active master's degree program, and offers doctoral level courses in criminal justice as part of a PhD program with the University of North Dakota. Fields of interests are open, and may extend to sociology, psychology, and political science as long as there is some focal interest in criminal justice/criminology. Salaries are competitive. Applications should be sent to Dr. Lee Ellis, Search Committee Chair, Department of Criminal Justice, Minot State University, Minot, ND 58707 or lee.ellis@minotstateu.edu. Candidates will begin to be considered November 1, but the search will continue until all three positions are filled. Application material should contain a letter outlining major teaching and research interests, curriculum vitae, and email addresses of at least three references. Objective evidence of teaching capabilities should also be included if at all possible. Minot State is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer.

NIAGARA UNIVERSITY The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice at Niagara University, a private Catholic institution sponsored by the Vincentian community, which offers a Masters degree in Criminal Justice Administration and a Bachelors degree in Criminology and Criminal Justice, seeks two tenure track Assistant Professors for fall 2007. The areas of specialization are open although we are especially interested in scholars who focus on policing, illicit drugs, juvenile justice, crime mapping and analysis, race and gender issues, or comparative criminal justice. Responsibilities include teaching undergraduate and graduate courses in areas of criminal justice or criminology, an active program of research leading to published articles, and service to the University, the profession and the community. Qualifications include: Ph.D. in Criminology, Criminal Justice, or a closely related discipline (at time of appointment), and demonstrated potential for excellence in teaching and research. Applications received by November 1, 2006 will receive full consideration, but all applications will be reviewed until positions are filled. Send letter of application, curriculum vitae, evidence of teaching and research, and three letters of recommendation to: David Taylor, Search Committee Chair, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice PO Box 1941 Timon Hall Niagara University, NY 14109 or fax: 716-286-8079. To learn more, visit <http://www.niagara.edu>. The university occupies a lovely campus overlooking the Niagara River gorge in close proximity to Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Toronto, Canada. Niagara University is an AA/EOE. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. A copy of the Student Right to Know Annual Security Report is available at: <http://www.niagara.edu/safety>.

SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY Saint Louis University, a Catholic, Jesuit institution dedicated to student learning, research, health care, and service is seeking applicants for a tenure track appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor in the Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice to begin fall 2007. The department seeks a candidate whose area of expertise is criminology or criminal justice. Areas of specialization are open, but the department has interests in the following areas: methodology (quantitative and/or qualitative), theory, corrections, race, gender, gangs, class, and comparative criminology. Responsibilities include conducting and publishing research, professional service, and teaching undergraduate and graduate students. Ph.D. is preferred, but ABD will be considered. The Sociology and Criminal Justice department currently has 13 full-time faculty members, over 200 undergraduate majors and is a thriving part of a doctoral/research extensive university. Saint Louis University is ranked as one of the top 5 Catholic universities in the country. All applications must be made online at <http://jobs.slu.edu>; applications must include a curriculum vitae and cover letter. Send three letters of recommendation by post to: Dyan McGuire, Search Committee Chair, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice, Saint Louis University, 3500 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108. Review of the applications will begin on December 1, 2006 and applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Saint Louis University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer (AA/EOE) and encourages nominations of and applications from women and minorities.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS COLLEGE The Division of Social Sciences invites applications for Assistant Professor of Criminology/Sociology, tenure-track. Position will begin Fall 2007, but the search will remain open until a successful candidate is identified. The chosen candidate will be expected to take an active role in the growth of the criminal justice major. Directions in which the Division wishes to expand the major may include but are not limited to: terrorism, policing, domestic violence, and comparative criminology. Minimum qualifications for the position are a Ph.D. in criminology/criminal justice or sociology and college level teaching experience. The course load is 4 three-credit sections per semester and may include introductory sociology or research methods. The successful candidate should approach criminology from a critical perspective and have a background in sociological or criminological theory; and in qualitative field methods and ethnography or in quantitative research methods and applied research. Priority will be given to candidates who demonstrate they can combine applied and theoretical emphases in their teaching. St. Thomas Aquinas College is an equal opportunity employer. Candidates representing diverse ethnic and cultural backgrounds are encouraged to apply. The College is a private, independent college. Its location, 20 minutes by car northwest of New York City, provides exciting opportunities for living and research. Please send curriculum vitae, cover letter, 3 letters of reference, sample syllabi, and a Statement of Teaching Philosophy by November 30, 2006 to: Dr. Joseph Coyne, Chair, Division of Social Sciences, St. Thomas Aquinas College, 125 Route 340, Sparkill, NY 10976.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY – EDWARDSVILLE Two tenure track Assistant Professor of Sociology and Criminal Justice Studies positions in the Criminal Justice Program beginning Fall 2007. Ph.D. in Criminal Justice or closely related field required (ABD very near completion may be considered). Specialization for position #1 is probation/parole/corrections, with subspecialty in race and gender issues in criminal justice. The area of specialization for position #2 is policing, with subspecialties in the areas of guns, violence, terrorism and/or gangs. Duties for both positions include teaching at the undergraduate level, research, and service. The department has fourteen tenure-line faculty and two instructors and offers an undergraduate major in Criminal Justice Studies, undergraduate and graduate majors in Sociology, an undergraduate applied sociology option, and work is under way toward development of a masters program in Criminal Justice Studies. For more information, visit www.siu.edu/SOCIOLOGY/. Send cover letter, transcripts, CV, writing sample, and 3 letters of recommendation to Criminal Justice Studies Search Committee, Position #1 and/or #2, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice Studies, Box 1455-E, SIUE, Edwardsville, Illinois, 62026-1455. Application review begins on November 13, 2006 and will continue until the positions are filled. SIUE is a state university - benefits under state sponsored plans will not be available to holders of F1 or J1 visas. Applicants may be subject to a background check prior to an offer of employment. SIUE offers equal employment opportunity without regard to race, color, creed or religion, age, sex, national origin, or disability.

SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA UNIVERSITY The Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice invites applicants for a tenure-track Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice in the Department of Sociology & Criminal Justice beginning Fall 2007. Qualifications include a Ph.D. degree in Criminal Justice or Sociology, with a specialization in Criminology, or a field closely related to criminal justice at the time of appointment. The position will involve teaching undergraduate and graduate students, service on departmental and university committees, student advising, and maintaining a program of scholarly research. Preference will be given to generalist or persons with demonstrated research and teaching interest in the fields of gender and deviance or law and the courts. Additionally, applicants must be committed to working with diversity. Salary is commensurate with experience and qualifications. To ensure consideration, application materials must be received by January 19, 2007. Send letter of application, resume, three current letters of reference, and a copy of ALL transcripts (originals required upon employment) to: Dr. John Boulahanis, Chair, Search Committee, Sociology & Criminal Justice Department, Southeastern Louisiana University, SLU 10686, Hammond, LA 70402. Southeastern is an AA/ADA/EEO Employer.

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT FREDONIA Criminal Justice: The Criminal Justice Program at SUNY Fredonia invites applications for the position of Assistant Professor Criminal Justice, tenure-track (salary competitive). The successful candidate should have a Ph.D. (ABDs will be considered) in criminal justice or a terminal degree in another relevant field and be able to teach courses in at least two of the following areas: Crime Theory, Police Science, Corrections, Security, and/or Criminal Investigations. Candidate should be prepared to participate in the broad range of activities including research, student advisement, and committee work. Starting date is Fall 2007. Application procedure available at: <http://www.fredonia.edu/humanresources/faculty.htm> An affirmative action/equal opportunity employer, SUNY Fredonia encourages and actively seeks applications from minorities, women, and people with disabilities. Review of applications will commence on November 3, 2006 and continue until the position is filled. www.fredonia.edu

TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY Department of Criminal Justice: Assistant/Associate Professor - Job Description: Teach introductory criminal justice courses and upper division and graduate criminal justice courses in area(s) of specialization. Engage in student advisement, academic citizenship, research, and public service. Provide active support for the mission and goals of the department, college, and university. Minimum Requirements: A Ph.D. in criminal justice, criminology, or closely related field. ABD candidates with completion date by time of appointment will be considered. Candidates must provide evidence of the ability for effective teaching and scholarly productivity. Also, candidates must demonstrate a commitment to student advisement and student development activities. Please scan a copy of your transcript into the system. If you have problems attaching any of your documents, please call the Human Resources Office at 615-963-5285.

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA The Department of Criminal Justice at The University of Alabama seeks to fill a *tenure track position with rank open* (assistant professor, associate professor, or full professor, depending on credentials) to teach courses at the baccalaureate and master's levels and conduct research in criminology, beginning August 16, 2007. The successful applicant will have a doctoral degree in Criminology or a related field. Preference will be given to applicants who have two or more years of work experience, successful experience in teaching in higher education, successful experience in research and scholarly publication, and successful experience in obtaining research grant / demonstration funding in the area of criminology. Interested individuals should submit a current vita and the names of three references to David L. Klemmack, Search Chairperson, Box 870320, Department of Criminal Justice; The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL 35487-0320, telephone: 205-348-7795, fax: 205-348-7178, email: cjdept@cj.as.ua.edu. Review of applications will begin December 1, 2006, and continue until the position is filled. *The University of Alabama is an Equal Employment/Equal Education Opportunity Institution, Affirmative Action employer. Applications are solicited from women and minority candidates.*

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA The Department of Criminal Justice at The University of Alabama seeks to fill a *tenure track, assistant professor* position to teach courses at the baccalaureate and master's levels and conduct research in law enforcement/ homeland security beginning August 16, 2007. The successful applicant will have a doctoral degree in Criminal Justice or a related field. Preference will be given to applicants who have two or more years of work experience, successful experience in teaching in higher education, successful experience in research and scholarly publication, and successful experience in obtaining research grant / demonstration funding in the areas of law enforcement/ homeland security. Interested individuals should submit a current vita and the names of three references to David L. Klemmack, Search Chairperson, Box 870320, Department of Criminal Justice, The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL 35487-0320, telephone: 205-348-7795, fax: 205-348-7178, email: cjdept@cj.as.ua.edu. Review of applications will begin on December 1, 2006, and continue until the position is filled. *The University of Alabama is an Equal Employment/Equal Education Opportunity Institution, Affirmative Action employer. Applications are solicited from women and minority candidates.*

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO AT COLORADO SPRINGS The Graduate School of Public Affairs is currently recruiting applicants for an associate professor position for the school's Master of Criminal Justice and Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice programs in Colorado Springs. This person will direct the school's new BA in Criminal Justice program and will work closely with Denver faculty on undergraduate program development and implementation for both campuses. This position will also involve efforts toward student recruitment and the establishment of working relationships with local and state criminal justice agencies throughout the state of Colorado. See <http://web.uccs.edu/affirm/job%20announce/430308-GSPA-CJ.htm> for a more complete job description. Candidates should have a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, Criminology, Public Administration or Policy or a related field, and have earned tenure at an accredited university. Candidates must also show strong accomplishment in research and teaching and demonstrate a track record or strong potential in funded research. Salary is competitive; position starts August 13, 2007. Consideration of completed applications begins on December 1, 2006, and will continue until the search is completed. Completed applications must include a letter summarizing qualifications, a curriculum vitae, three recommendation letters, and evidence of proficiency in teaching and research. Send applications to: Angela Gover, Associate Professor, Criminal Justice Search Committee Chair, Graduate School of Public Affairs, University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, 1420 Austin Bluffs Parkway, Colorado Springs, CO 80918. The University of Colorado at Colorado Springs is committed to diversity and equality in education and employment.

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI - ST. LOUIS The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice invites applications for the position of Assistant Professor, to begin August 15, 2007. Candidates from all substantive areas will be considered. The successful candidate must have the Ph.D. at the time of appointment, outstanding promise as a research scholar, and demonstrated teaching effectiveness. The department provides an active, theoretically and methodologically diverse research environment, with strong support for research scholars beginning their careers. Applicants should submit a letter of interest, vita, and three letters of reference. Review of applications will begin on November 13, 2006 and continue until the position is filled. The University of Missouri-St. Louis is an affirmative-action equal opportunity employer committed to excellence through diversity. Please send application materials to: Richard Wright, Professor and Chair, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice University of Missouri-St. Louis One University Boulevard St. Louis, MO 63212-4499

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA WILMINGTON University of North Carolina Wilmington Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice invites applications for two tenure-track assistant professors in criminal justice beginning August 2007. The Department has over 20 full-time faculty members, roughly 350 majors, and offers bachelors degrees in sociology, criminal justice, and a developing concentration in public sociology. Planning is underway for an MA program to begin Fall 2007. Located on a beautiful 640-acre campus in an historic port city five miles from the Atlantic Ocean, UNCW is a growing comprehensive university committed to teaching, scholarship, and service. The university currently enrolls 12,000 undergraduate and graduate students. *Position 1 (Ref#6111):* generalist in criminology/criminal justice with specialization in corrections. *Position 2 (Ref#6788):* specialist in social policy. Secondary specializations for both positions are generally open, however preference given to one or more of the following teaching interests: juvenile justice, criminal justice administration, comparative criminology, research methods/statistics, law and society. Candidates must have a Ph.D. in sociology, criminology or criminal justice at time of appointment. Strong research skills are required, and interest in obtaining external funding is preferred. Review of applications begins on December 1, 2006. For online application instructions, please visit <http://consensus.uncw.edu>. Criminal background checks will be conducted on finalists prior to offers of employment. UNCW is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are especially encouraged to apply.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA The University of Southern Indiana seeks to fill a tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor level in Criminal Justice starting August 2007. USI, a growing institution with over 10,000 students, is looking for a highly motivated individual with an active research program who is committed to undergraduate teaching. Teaching and research specializations are open, but preference will be given to candidates who have expertise to teach some combination of courses in Corrections, Law Enforcement, or Administration of Justice. PhD or ABD in Criminal Justice or Criminology required. Send letter of interest, curriculum vitae, sample course syllabi (if available), a completed USI faculty/administrative application form (available for downloading at <http://www.usi.edu/HR/Employ/docs/02-5050%20Faculty%20App.pdf>) and contact information including e-mail addresses of three professional references to Todd Schroer, CJ Search Committee Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, IN 47712. Review of applications will begin Nov 17 and continue until the position is filled.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT ARLINGTON The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice at the University of Texas at Arlington seeks to fill a new *tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor rank*, starting August 2007. An earned Ph.D. in criminology/criminal justice or closely related discipline is required at time of appointment. ABDs will be considered; particularly those in the final completion stages of their dissertation. Candidates should have a demonstrated commitment to research, teaching, service and potential for or record of funded research activity. Applicants must be qualified to teach CRCJ undergraduate and graduate courses with area of specialization open. UT Arlington is a Carnegie I doctoral extensive university located in the heart of the Dallas/Ft. Worth Metroplex which offers access to a wide array of federal, state, and local agencies. With over 500 majors, The CRCJ Department is one of the fastest growing units on campus and offers a bachelor's degree program with approximately 400 students, a master's degree program with approximately 100 students as well as an online completion degree. Please send a letter of intent, curriculum vitae, representative copies of publications, and three letters of reference to: John W. Stickels, Search Chair, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, The University of Texas at Arlington, Box 19595, Arlington, TX 76019-0595. Review of applications will begin on November 15, 2006 and continue until the position is filled. Please address inquiries to jstickels@uta.edu or call 817/272-3318. Electronic applications will not be accepted. The University of Texas at Arlington is an Equal Opportunity & Affirmative Action Employer.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT ARLINGTON The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice (CRCJ) at the University of Texas at Arlington (UT Arlington) invites applications for a new *tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor rank*, starting August 2007. *Specialty in Race and Crime, Minorities and the Law, Minority Issues in Criminal Justice, or Latin American Issues in Criminal Justice is preferred.* An earned Ph.D. in criminology/criminal justice or closely related discipline is required at time of appointment. JD's and ABD's close to completion of the dissertation will be considered. Candidates should have a demonstrated commitment to research, teaching, service and grantsmanship. UT Arlington is located in the heart of the Dallas/Ft. Worth Metroplex with a population of five million. UT Arlington is part of the UT System with a population of approximately 25,000 students, 25% of whom are minorities. In addition, the Metroplex area offers access to a wide array of federal, state, and local law enforcement, court, and correction agencies. Please send a letter of intent, curriculum vitae, representative copies of publications, and three letters of reference to: Rhonda R. Dobbs, Search Chair, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice The University of Texas at Arlington Box 19595 Arlington, TX 76019-0595. Members of under-represented groups are encouraged to apply. No electronic applications will be accepted. Review of applications will begin on November 15, 2006 and continue until the position is filled. Please address inquiries to rdobbs@uta.edu or call 817/272-3318. The University of Texas at Arlington is an Equal Opportunity & Affirmative Action employer.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT DALLAS The Criminology Program invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position at the Assistant Professor level to begin Fall 2007. We seek to hire a scholar to join a growing undergraduate and graduate program in Criminology. We are seeking a broadly trained criminologist with strong demonstrated skills in quantitative methods to work with graduate students. The candidate should also have a demonstrated proficiency in the core areas of criminology such as causes and correlates, social control, race and ethnicity, gender, criminal careers, victimization and child maltreatment, and crime and justice policy. Applicants must hold a Ph.D. in Criminology, Criminal Justice, or an allied discipline and must have (or demonstrate the potential for developing) a strong publication and teaching record, an active research agenda, and be committed to the aggressive pursuit of external funding for their research. The screening process will begin in November and continue until the position is filled. For informal inquiries *only* (no e-mail applications) contact marquart@utdallas.edu. Applicants should send a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, and the names of five references; finalists will be asked to provide additional materials related to research and teaching. All materials should be addressed to: Academic Search #3001, The University of Texas at Dallas, P.O. Box 830688---AD 42, Richardson, TX 75083-0688. *Indication of sex and ethnicity for affirmative action statistical purposes is requested as part of the application but not required. UTD is an AA/EO Employer and strongly encourages applications from candidates who would enhance the diversity of the university's faculty.*

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO University of Texas at El Paso Criminal Justice Program invites applications for a tenure-track position beginning August 2007. Though areas of specialization are open, we will give preference to candidates with scholarly research and teaching interests in one or more of the following areas: criminology, deviance, law and justice, social control, homeland security. Successful candidates should have strong quantitative skills and demonstrate the potential for developing a productive research program. UTEP is classified as a Carnegie Research Intensive institution. Successful candidates will complement and contribute to the University's mission as it moves toward Research Extensive status. Applicants are expected to have a PhD in Sociology, Criminology, Criminal Justice, or related field conferred by August 23, 2007. The Criminal Justice Program has over 700 undergraduate majors it is seeking to develop an MA program. A letter of interest and Curriculum Vitae, along with names and contact information of three references should be sent to: Ted Curry, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Sociology & Anthropology Department, Criminal Justice Program, University of Texas at El Paso, 500 W. University, El Paso TX 79968. Review of applications will begin December 11, 2006 and will continue until the position is filled. For further information you may contact Dr. Curry at: trcurry@utep.edu.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MILWAUKEE, Helen Bader School of Social Welfare, Department of Criminal Justice seeks an Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice in a tenure track position. **POSITION DESCRIPTION:** The Helen Bader School of Social Welfare announces a tenure-track position in the Criminal Justice Department at the assistant professor rank, beginning in August 2007. Preference will be given to applicants demonstrating interest and expertise in research, teaching and community service focusing on one or more of the following areas: (1) Specialization in criminological theory, juvenile justice, courts and/or criminal justice policy. Responsibilities will include teaching in the graduate and undergraduate programs, conducting an active agenda of scholarship, and participating in professional and community service activities. **QUALIFICATIONS:** The qualified applicant will hold a Ph.D. in criminal justice, criminology or a related field. ABD will be considered if completion of the degree is imminent. **SALARY:** Competitive and negotiable. **STARTING DATE:** August 2007. **APPLICATION PROCESS:** Send letter of interest, vita, and three letters of recommendation to: Stan Stojkovic, Dean, Helen Bader School of Social Welfare, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, P.O. Box 786, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53201. Inquiries may be directed to: Rick Lovell, Chair, Department of Criminal Justice (414) 229-6874, rlovell@uwm.edu. **APPLICATION DATE:** Review of applications will begin on November 15, 2006 and continue until the position has been filled. The University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee is an affirmative action, equal employment opportunity employer. Please visit the UWM website at <http://www.uwm.edu>. For the UWM Campus Security Report, see <http://www.uwm.edu/Dept/OSL/CleryAct/CleryAct.html>, or call the Office of Student Life, Mellencamp Hall 118 at (414) 229-4632 for a paper copy.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-PARKSIDE The Criminal Justice Department at University of Wisconsin-Parkside invites applications for two (2) full-time tenure track assistant professor positions beginning August 2007. **Required Qualifications:** A doctorate degree in criminal justice, criminology, or a closely related field by the time of appointment. (A law degree is not appropriate for this position). ABD will be considered for a one-year terminal appointment as a Lecturer with conversion to tenure-track Assistant Professor if all requirements for the Ph.D. have been successfully completed by June 2008. Demonstrated promise as a scholar. Academic experiences and interests in culturally diverse groups. Previous experience interacting with a diverse and multi-cultural population. **Required for Position #1:** Prior teaching experience and ability to teach police, (police organization, police discretion, police subculture, private security, criminal investigation), police administration and/or race, crime & law. **Required for Position #2:** Prior college-level teaching experience and ability to teach corrections, court process and/or research methods. Representatives from UWP will be attending the MCJA meetings in Chicago, Illinois and the ASC meetings in Los Angeles to promote both positions. Applications received by December 4, 2006 will receive full consideration; the position will remain open until filled. For more information, link to: <http://oldweb.uwp.edu/academic/criminal.justice/> or <http://www.uwp.edu/departments/human.resources/unclassified.positions/> Professor Susan R. Takata, Chair, Criminal Justice Search Committee, Department of Criminal Justice, University of Wisconsin, Parkside, 900 Wood Road, Box 2000, Kenosha, WI 53141-2000, E-mail: takata@uwp.edu, telephone: (262) 595-3416, FAX: (262) 595-2471. UW-Parkside is an AA/EEO employer D/M/V/W

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES

POSITION: Open rank position in Forensic Mental Health. **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** Earned Ph.D. in psychology, sociology, criminal justice or closely related field from an accredited university. The candidate must be a specialist in forensic mental health as evidenced by a strong record of teaching and peer reviewed publications in this area. Preference will be given to candidates with success at obtaining external funding. ABD will be considered if candidate has expertise in the area of forensic mental health and demonstrates the potential for scholarly research aimed at grant seeking and peer reviewed publishing. Doctorate is required for tenure and appointment at the Associate or Full rank. Candidates must demonstrate proficiency in oral and written communication. Candidates must also demonstrate an ability and interest in working in a multiethnic, multicultural environment. **POSITION:** Open rank position in Policing. **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** Earned doctorate in criminal justice or closely related field from an accredited university. The candidate must be a specialist in policing as evidenced by a strong record of teaching and peer reviewed publications in this area. Preference will be given to candidates with success at obtaining external funding. ABD will be considered if candidate has expertise in the area of policing and demonstrates the potential for scholarly research aimed at grant seeking and peer reviewed publishing. Doctorate is required for tenure and appointment at the Associate or Full rank. Candidates must demonstrate proficiency in oral and written communication. Candidates must also demonstrate an ability and interest in working in a multiethnic, multicultural environment. **SALARY RANGE:** Initial salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. **REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:** Please send a cover letter and vita outlining teaching, research and grant experiences, three letters of recommendation and an official transcript from institution awarding highest degree. Employment is contingent upon proof of eligibility to work in the United States and completion of the University's Application for Academic Employment form. **APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Review of applications will begin on: **November 1, 2006** Applications, required documentation, and/or requests for information should be addressed to:

Search Committee
School of Criminal Justice and Criminalistics
California State University, Los Angeles
5151 State University Drive
Los Angeles, CA 90032-8163
(323) 343-4610

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BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE

Department of Criminal Justice, Assistant Professor (Tenure track)
(Requisition # 0344)

Responsibilities: In a Criminal Justice Department with a Social Justice orientation, duties consist of teaching core curriculum courses, including undergraduate and graduate courses, advising students and participating in departmental activities such as program review, curriculum development, and the development of research opportunities for students. **Qualifications:** Prefer Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, but will consider candidates with Ph.D. in Criminology, Sociology, or a closely related field. A law degree is not considered an appropriate terminal degree for this position. Doctoral students who are ABD and who will complete the dissertation by June 1, 2007 will also be considered. We seek candidates with a solid commitment to teaching and demonstrated abilities in research and publication. Candidates who can teach a variety of criminal justice courses are strongly encouraged to apply. Applicants should be strongly committed to excellence in teaching and advising, and to working in a multicultural environment that fosters diversity. They should also have an ability to use technology effectively in teaching and learning, the ability to work collaboratively, evidence of scholarly activity, and a commitment to public higher education. **Preferred Qualifications:** Specialization in the area of cyber crime, research methods or data analysis would be considered a plus. **Special Instructions to Applicants:** Applicants are required to provide a writing sample, a statement of teaching philosophy and interests, and complete the three references requested in the on-line application. **SALARY:** Salary will be based on qualifications. **Appointment/Start Date:** Fall 2007 **Application Process: Please apply online at:** <http://www.bridgew.edu/HR/Joblist/> For more information on Bridgewater State College, please visit www.bridgew.edu **Bridgewater State College is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer that actively seeks to increase the diversity of its workforce.**

BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE

Department of Criminal Justice, Assistant Professor (Tenure track)
(Requisition # 0322)

Responsibilities: In a Criminal Justice Department with a Social Justice orientation, duties consist of teaching core curriculum courses, including undergraduate and graduate courses, advising students and participating in departmental activities such as program review, curriculum development, and the development of research opportunities for students. **Qualifications:** Prefer Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, but will consider candidates with Ph.D. in Criminology, Sociology, or a closely related field. A law degree is not considered an appropriate terminal degree for this position. Doctoral students who are ABD and who will complete the dissertation by June 1, 2007 will also be considered. We seek candidates with a solid commitment to teaching and demonstrated abilities in research and publication. Candidates who can teach a variety of criminal justice courses as well as research methods and data analysis are strongly encouraged to apply. Experience in Geographic Information Systems (GIS) applications, grant writing and/or administering grant funded projects is a plus. Applicants should be strongly committed to excellence in teaching and advising, and to working in a multicultural environment that fosters diversity. They should also have an ability to use technology effectively in teaching and learning, the ability to work collaboratively, evidence of scholarly activity, and a commitment to public higher education. **Special Instructions to Applicants:** Applicants are required to provide a writing sample, a statement of teaching philosophy and interests, and complete the three references requested in the on-line application. **SALARY:** Salary will be based on qualifications. **Appointment/Start Date:** Fall 2007 **Application Process: Please apply online at:** <http://www.bridgew.edu/HR/Joblist/> For more information on Bridgewater State College, please visit www.bridgew.edu **Bridgewater State College is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer that actively seeks to increase the diversity of its workforce.**

BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE

Department of Criminal Justice, Assistant or Associate Professor (Tenure track)
(Requisition # 0323)

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE

Lecturer with Potential Security of Employment

The School of Social Ecology at the University of California, Irvine seeks candidates for the position of Lecturer with Potential Security of Employment (Lecturer PSOE) to join the faculty in UCI's highly-ranked Department of Criminology, Law & Society. Lecturer PSOE is a full-time faculty position designed for individuals who wish to focus their careers on teaching, professional activities, and University and public service. These individuals are not evaluated on their research. Lecturers PSOE are members of the University of California Academic Senate and have all the usual benefits of Senate membership, such as eligibility for UCI's attractive faculty housing programs, medical and retirement benefits. Like assistant professors, Lecturers PSOE are evaluated for reappointment and merit salary increases every two years and within eight years (or less) are evaluated for promotion to Lecturer with Security of Employment (Lecturer SOE), which has the permanence of a tenured position.

The School is seeking someone to teach a wide variety of criminology and law and society courses. In addition, the individual will be expected to teach a required interdisciplinary, undergraduate research and writing course, which features experiential learning, observation, assessment and evaluation. More information about the School of Social Ecology and the Department of Criminology, Law and Society can be found at <http://www.seweb.uci.edu/index.uci>.

Candidates must have a doctoral degree in a relevant field and evidence of teaching excellence.

Applications must be uploaded electronically and should include: a curriculum vita, evidence of teaching performance (including detailed syllabi for courses previously taught), and three letters of recommendation. Please refer to the following web site for instructions on how to apply: <http://www.seweb.uci.edu/employment/faculty.uci>

To receive full consideration, applications must be received by January 5, 2007. The University of California has an active career partner program, is an equal opportunity employer committed to excellence through diversity, and has an ADVANCE Program for Faculty Equity and Diversity.

**UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT CHAIR**

**Department of Criminal Justice and Legal Studies
College of Health and Public Affairs**

The University of Central Florida (UCF) invites nominations and applications for the position of Chair of the Department of Criminal Justice and Legal Studies. The university seeks an innovative, energetic leader to build on the existing strengths of the Department in teaching, research and service. Candidates must have an outstanding record of teaching and scholarly achievement commensurate with a tenured faculty appointment at the rank of Full Professor; an earned doctorate in Criminal Justice or in a related field appropriate to the disciplines in the Department, and effective communication skills and administrative experience, preferably in a multidisciplinary environment. It is preferred that applicants possess a strong background in budgetary and enrollment management; graduate program experience, and contracts and grant activities. The Department has significant interaction with and strong support from Central Florida's law enforcement, legal, and professional communities and has developed numerous partnerships with local, state and regional agencies. Successful candidates will have the ability to communicate and collaborate with internal and external stakeholders and to sustain and expand upon the Department's community partnerships. Prior experience as a department chair or senior academic administrator with experience with branch campuses and distance learning is desirable.

The Department is housed in the College of Health and Public Affairs and occupies a state of the art facility with access to fully equipped multimedia classrooms. With 35 full-time and 30 adjunct faculty members, the Department offers both BA and BS degrees and minors in criminal justice and legal studies, with programs located on multiple campuses, including a virtual campus. Its 1700 undergraduate majors have opportunities for internships and advanced undergraduate research in the Honors in the Major program. Nearly 200 students participate in its Masters in Criminal Justice program, and seven certificate programs. Additionally, the Department offers graduate courses in criminal justice and legal studies for candidates in the Ph.D. program in Public Affairs.

The productive and diverse faculty has received national and regional recognition for their outstanding scholarly research. According to a survey in the Journal of Criminal Justice, the Department ranked among the top academic institutions in the nation in the publication of criminal justice research findings. The Legal Studies program has also been identified as a leading program that has consistently attracted and cultivated a diverse student population for success in law schools, graduate studies, and the legal profession. Collaborating with other university departments, the Department has garnered substantial external grants, including grants that involved interdisciplinary collaboration.

The University of Central Florida (UCF) is a doctoral intensive, metropolitan research university with over 45,000 students; it is the second largest public university in the state and the seventh largest in the nation. Along with its dramatic increase in enrollment has been a corresponding increase in average SAT/ACT scores and GPAs of incoming freshmen (for Fall 2005 1178/25 and 3.62). The University offers an impressive range of doctoral programs and the building of a medical school has been approved. Located in the dynamic city of Orlando, the university offers a vibrant academic community and many attractive new facilities. Its faculty also enjoy the region's mild climate, natural beauty, area attractions, numerous cultural activities, major and minor league sport franchises, and nearby beaches.

Consideration of applications will begin November 1, 2006, and continue until the position is filled. Please send curriculum vita and names, addresses and telephone numbers of at least three professional references to:

Department of Criminal Justice and Legal Studies
Attn: Chair Search Committee
c/o Ms. Kathi Harris
P.O. Box 162200
HPA 1 - Room 365
University of Central Florida
Orlando, FL 32816
Tel. 407-823-6060 Fax 407-823-5821
Email kharris@mail.ucf.edu

UCF is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer. The university makes selection materials available for public review in accordance with Florida statute. Please consult the UCF website: www.ucf.edu or Department website: <http://www.cohpa.ucf.edu/crim.jus/>.

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SUBMISSIONS: All abstracts must be submitted [here](#). On the site you will be asked to indicate the type of submission you wish to make. Your choices are the following:

Panel Submissions: For a panel, you must submit titles and abstracts for all papers and all author information together. In order to encourage more interaction with session audiences, each panel should contain either four (4) papers or three (3) papers and a discussant.

Individual Paper Presentations: Submissions for a regular session presentation may take one of two forms. First, you may submit a title and abstract and approximately 5 pages of your paper (a brief description of theory, methods, and findings). These presentations will be given priority in scheduling and panel composition. Second, you may submit a title and abstract (approximately 200 words). In the latter case, you must indicate whether you prefer to present your paper in a standard panel or in a roundtable.

Poster Presentations: Require only the submission of a title and abstract. Posters should display data, policy analysis, or theoretical work in a visually appealing poster format to encourage interactive communication. All poster sessions will be held late Thursday afternoon.

Roundtable Sessions: These sessions consist of three to six presenters on related topics. ASC provides no AV equipment for these sessions, which are generally less formal than standard panels. If you expect large attendance for a session, a thematic panel might provide a better setting.

APPEARANCES ON PROGRAM

You may submit **ONLY ONE FIRST AUTHOR PRESENTATION** and make only one other appearance as either a chair or discussant on a standard panel. Appearances on the program as a co-author, a poster presenter, or a roundtable participant are unlimited.

The meetings are Wednesday through Saturday. Participants should plan to attend the entire time. ASC cannot honor personal preferences for day and time of panel presentations.

Program participants are expected to pre-register for the meetings by September 30th, 2007. Pre-registration materials will be sent to you by September 2007. Failure to pre-register may result in the removal of your paper from the program.

Only papers that are original and have not been published or presented elsewhere may be presented. Submissions are interpreted as meaning that the proposed presentation satisfies these conditions.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

March 16, 2007 is the absolute deadline for thematic panels or regular panel presentations. Any submissions after that date can be considered only for poster or roundtable sessions, and may not be included in the printed program.

ABSTRACTS

All submissions must include abstracts. For regular submissions, abstracts are limited to 200 words and should describe the general theme of the presentation and where relevant, the methods and results. The fuller submissions should be approximately five pages and briefly describe the theoretical issues, methods, and findings of your research.

EQUIPMENT

LCD projectors will be available for all panel and paper presentations to facilitate computer-based presentations (especially Power Point). However, presenters will need to bring their own personal computers or arrange for someone in your panel to bring a personal computer. In addition, all meeting rooms for paper and panel sessions will include overhead projectors. Please note that ASC cannot provide either LCD or overhead projectors for roundtable sessions.

GUIDELINES FOR ONLINE SUBMISSIONS

When you go online to submit your paper or panel, you will need to select a single sub-category in one of 27 broader categories listed below. Your choice will be important in determining the kind of panel on which you are placed, and it will also assist the program chairs in avoiding time conflicts for panels on similar topics to the extent possible.

Here are a few guidelines that may help you in selecting the most appropriate category and subcategory:

1. Please go through the entire list of categories, noting the sub-categories within each category, before making your selection. If you review the entire list, you are more likely to find your best fit than if you select the first category that seems appropriate.
2. In making your selection, focus on the aspect of your paper that you would describe as your primary concern in selecting the broad category. For example, if you would like to present a paper titled, "Police Responses to Domestic Disturbances in African American Neighborhoods," you might submit under:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Sub-Category</u>
Policing (XVIII)	Problem-Oriented or Community Policing(73)
Women (VII)	Gender and Victimization (30)
Race/Ethnicity (VIII)	Race/Ethnicity & Offending/Victimization (31)
Social Institutions (VI)	Communities (23)
Violence (XIII)	Intimate Violence (55)
Victimization (XVI)	Victim-Related Programs and Policies (66)

The most important choice for you is the choice of broad category. As the author of the paper, you should consider whether you are most interested in interacting with scholars who are involved in research on policing, on women, on race/ethnicity, on social institutions, on criminal justice policy, or on violence. Your broad category choice will determine the pool of papers into which your paper goes for panel formation, and therefore the kind of researchers with whom you will be presenting. The broad categories will also be considered when scheduling panels, in order to avoid having too many similar panels scheduled at the same time. Therefore, category selection is important even if you are submitting a fully formed panel. The sub-categories will be used to help program committee members refine the fit for panels.

3. If you find a category on the list that seems to be the appropriate choice for your paper, but do not find a sub-category that seems to fit, then you should choose "other" within the broad category. When your abstract is reviewed, your paper will be assigned to an appropriate panel within that category.

2007 Program Categories

Category I: Etiological Theory

1. Strain and Anomic Theories
2. Social Learning/Differential Association
3. Social Bonds and Self Control Theories
4. Psychological Theories
5. Integrated Theories
6. Labeling and Shaming
7. Feminist Theories

Category II: Life Course Theories

8. Risk and Protective Factors
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Category IV: Critical Criminologies

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- 75. Prosecution and Plea Bargaining
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Category XX: Capital Punishment

- 80. Fairness and Wrongful Convictions
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- 82. Emerging Legal Issues
- 83. Deterrence and Death Penalty

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- 84. Collateral Effects of Imprisonment
- 85. Women in Prison
- 86. Race & Ethnicity in Prison
- 87. Prisons
- 88. Jails
- 89. Correctional Management and Administration

Category XXII: Community Corrections

- 90. Supervision in the Community
- 91. Intermediate and Community Sanctions
- 92. Release and Revocation Decisions
- 93. Re-entry Programs

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- 94. Causes of Delinquency
- 95. Trends and Patterns
- 96. Interventions
- 97. Juvenile Correctional Institutions
- 98. Policy Changes and Proposals

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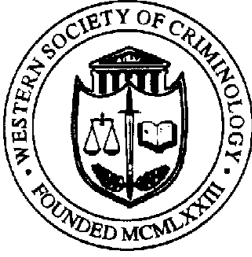
- 104. Interventions
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These submissions will be placed on the appropriate panel or a panel entitled:
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CONFERENCE REGISTRATION!

All conference participants need to make reservations by January 18, 2007. Information about the Radisson Fort McDowell Resort & Casino can be found on the hotel website (www.radisson.com/ftmcdowellaz) or by calling 1-800-333-3333 or directly at 480-836-5300. To receive the conference rate of \$145+tax, you need to indicate that you are with the Western Society of Criminology Annual Conference. If you are making reservations via the web, to receive the conference rate, you will need to enter the following code: WESSOC.

STUDENTS

The Western Society of Criminology provides several opportunities for students in conjunction with the annual conference, including travel money and a paper competition. Please see the following for requirements and application information.

June Morrison Scholarship Fund: The WSC offers five (\$100) student scholarships for participation in our annual conference. WSC student members who have had their papers selected for presentation are eligible to apply, and the funds are awarded on a first-come, first served basis. Applications must be received by January 1, 2007, and information can be obtained by consulting *Student Information*, which is in the *Conference* section of the WSC website (www.sonoma.edu/cja/wsc/wscpages/conference.htm)

Miki Vohryzek-Bolden (MVB) Student Paper Competition: Students are eligible to complete in a Student Paper Competition sponsored by WSC. One undergraduate and one graduate student paper (either sole authored or co-authored) will be selected. Papers co-authored by faculty will not be considered. Appropriate types of papers include but are not limited to policy analyses, original research, literature reviews, position papers, theoretical papers, and commentaries. Students selected for this award will be recognized at the conference and will receive a cash award and registration reimbursement. Information can be obtained by consulting *Student Information*, which is in the *Conference* section of the WSC website (www.sonoma.edu/cja/wsc/wscpages/conference.htm).

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CONTEMPORARY JUSTICE REVIEW: ISSUES IN CRIMINAL, SOCIAL, AND RESTORATIVE JUSTICE**NEW!**

“Unorthodox Criminologists and Their Criminologies”

The editors of *Contemporary Justice Review* are pleased to announce a Call for Papers that would provide a portrait of a contemporary person who through her or his life challenged existing definitions of crime, social harms, and justice. We would hope the articles would weave in, whenever applicable, quotations or references from that person's writings, speeches, and actions illustrating how this “Unorthodox Criminologist” offered conceptions of harm and well-being that varied from those of the state, the market, the media, conventional paradigms of criminology, and the “managers” of primary social institutions. Of course we are interested in as well the reactions of such institutions to the actions of these “criminologists” who challenged not only their practical but also assumptive world. In some instances it might be appropriate to compare the writings and other actions of these criminologists to their contemporary academic counterparts, weighing in on the significance of each for the well-being of individuals and communities throughout the globe. Among the personages who might be written about are: Nelson Mandela, Jane Addams, Aung San Suu Kyi, Russell Means, Dorothy Day, Peter Kropotkin, Rosa Parks, Gandhi, Noam Chomsky, Howard Zinn, Cesar Chavez, Malcolm X, Arundhati Roy, Philip and Daniel Berrigan, Frank Tannenbaum, Angela Davis, Denise Levertov, and Emma Goldman. Clearly these are only a few among many possibilities. Ironically the works, actions, and overall lives of such people rarely make their way into conventional criminology, criminal justice, and sociology courses or texts, the choice more often than not for academic perspectives that support the opposite. In part, therefore, we view these portraits as potential course materials for teachers and students at all levels of learning, the people chosen for portraits serving as demonstration projects for the lives of us all. Those wishing to focus on a group instead of an individual may do so by highlighting the work, for example, of Food Not Bombs, EarthFirst!, the Catholic Worker, PETA, National Coalition for the Homeless, the Shakers, and National Lawyers Guild. For those with an interest in the media, it is possible to provide an historical analysis of the origins, positions, and impact of alternative media criminologies such as “Democracy Now,” *Mother Jones Magazine*, *Sojourners Magazine*, *The New York Review of Books* among others. In each of the articles the editors will look for how well authors have kept center stage the stories of these persons and groups and demonstrated how such lives and actions show the human community ways to heal from and prevent the damage we do when we show our least favored selves to each other.

Titles and abstracts should be sent to *CJR* Assistant Editor, Diane Simmons Williams at dsw27@earthlink.net by October 1, 2006 [extended to **December 15, 2006**]. Inquiries about proposals might be made of Diane or *CJR* Editor-in-Chief, Dennis Sullivan (dsullivan6@nycap.rr.com). Notification of acceptance will be made by December 31, 2006. The finished essays should be no more than 30 typed double-spaced pages and will be due July 4, 2007 for inclusion in upcoming issues of *CJR*.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE POLICY REVIEW**NEW!**

Submission Deadline: May 1, 2007

Criminal Justice Policy Review (SAGE Publications) is a multidisciplinary peer-reviewed journal publishing articles written by scholars and professionals committed to the study of criminal justice policy through experimental and non-experimental approaches. The journal is published quarterly and accepts appropriate articles, essays, research notes, and book reviews. It also provides a forum for occasional special issues on notable topics in crime and justice. The journal appeals to criminologists, criminal justice researchers, sociologists, public administrators, scholars, and practitioners with an interest in criminal justice policy. For general information about Criminal Justice Policy Review, please go to <http://cjp.sagepub.com>.

The journal is currently soliciting manuscripts for a special issue on the “accountability” movement in juvenile justice. During the 1990s, following a number of years of rising juvenile violent crime rates, significant public and political attention was directed at juvenile court reform. Increasing public protection and youthful offender accountability became the prominent goals of many pieces of federal and state legislation. Manuscripts considered for publication in this special issue could focus on a variety of topics, including (but not limited to): (1) subjecting serious and violent juvenile offenders to adult court prosecution; (2) expanding the graduated sanctions available to juvenile courts; (3) holding parents responsible for their child's actions; (4) establishing appropriate juvenile drug testing policies and procedures; and (5) improving juvenile record-keeping systems to parallel those for adult offenders.

For style and submission guidelines for Criminal Justice Policy Review, please go to <http://www.hhs.iup.edu/cr/CJPR>. For additional information, contact Phil Stinson, Managing Editor of Criminal Justice Policy Review, at p.m.stinson@iup.edu or (724) 357-1247.

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CRIME, LAW AND JUSTICE IN CHINESE SOCIETIES: GLOBAL CHALLENGES, LOCAL RESPONSES **NEW!**

March 17-18, 2007, The Chinese University of Hong Kong. Jointly organized by the School of Law and Department of Sociology of CUHK, this international conference will be a good occasion for scholarly presentations and exchanges on topics relating to crime, law and justice in mainland China, Hong Kong, Macau, Taiwan and other Chinese societies. One-page abstracts are due December 20, 2006. If accepted, your paper is due February 1, 2007. Please submit the abstract with contact information to Mark S. Gaylord, School of Law, at markgaylord@cuhk.edu.hk or Sara Zhong, Department of Sociology, at sarazhong@cuhk.edu.hk. For additional information, visit www.cuhk.edu.hk/law/.

THE JOURNAL OF ETHNICITY IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE SPECIAL EDITION **NEW!**

Editor: Janice Joseph, Ph.D., Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, Pomona

The Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice invites scholars to submit manuscripts for a special issue of its journal on **Blacks, Crime, and Justice**, focusing on policing, courts, and corrections. Four copies of the manuscript should be submitted. The manuscript should be approximately 20-25 pages double-spaced with a one-inch margin on all four-sides and should include an abstract of 100 words, a title page, and a brief biographical sketch of author(s). References, citations, and general style of manuscripts for this Journal should follow the APA style (as outlined in the latest edition of the Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association). References should be double-spaced and placed in alphabetical order. The use of footnotes within the text is discouraged. Words should be underlined only when it is intended that they be typeset in italics. We would like to encourage international scholars to submit manuscripts to this special issue. **The deadline for submissions is July 15, 2007.** All manuscripts submitted for publication to the Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice are peer-reviewed. Please send manuscripts to: **Dr. Shaun L. Gabbidon, School of Public Affairs, Penn State Harrisburg, 777 W. Harrisburg Pike, Middletown, PA 17057**, slg13@psu.edu. The Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice is indexed in Criminal Justice Abstracts, Social Services Abstracts, Sociological Abstracts, and other major abstracting and indexing services.

JOURNAL OF CONTEMPORARY CRIMINAL JUSTICE **NEW!**

Special Issue: *Evidence-Based Practices for Responding to Victimization* (May 2008 issue)

The Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice invites individuals to submit manuscripts for consideration for inclusion in a planned special issue on the topic, Evidence-Based Practices for Responding to Victimization. This volume will focus on assessments of programs developed for the purpose of assisting persons with some of the consequences of victimization. Such research may include programs designed to alleviate emotional distress, provide financial assistance, prevent re-victimization, or inhibit retaliatory offending. It may also include assessments of efforts to involve victims in the criminal justice system -- for example, through victim impact statements, restorative justice panels, or statements at parole board hearings. Inquiries about the appropriateness of topics should be directed to Janet Lauritsen, JCCJ Guest Editor, via email (at Janet_Lauritsen@umsl.edu) or telephone (314-516-5427).

All manuscripts will be peer reviewed. Manuscripts should be no more than 25 typed, double-spaced pages including tables, figures and references. Manuscripts must be received no later than September 1, 2007. Please send four manuscript copies, along with the manuscript on disk, to Janet Lauritsen, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Missouri-St. Louis, One University Boulevard, St. Louis, MO 63121.

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NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON RESTORATIVE JUSTICE **NEW!**

“Real Life, Real Problems, Real Answers”

June 24-27, 2007, Schreiner University, Kerrville, Texas

We invite you to participate in a national conference on restorative justice to be held on the campus of Schreiner University in Kerrville, Texas, about 80 miles from the San Antonio International Airport in the beautiful Texas Hill Country. The conference will bring together academicians, educators, community leaders, politicians, practitioners, judges, policymakers, faith leaders, and concerned citizens to explore the application of restorative justice principles and practices within communities to meet local needs. Keynote speakers for the conference will include some of the leading scholars in the field – Howard Zehr, Mark Umbreit, Gordon Bazemore, Kay Pranis, Elaine Enns, Ched Myers, Mike Dooley, and Leigh Garrett.

This is a unique opportunity to meet and learn from leading researchers, educators, and practitioners of restorative justice. For detailed information about the conference see www.restorativejusticenow.org.

Scholars from any field are welcome to submit a proposal for a paper of original scholarship related to one of the following broadly defined areas:

- Teaching Restorative Justice Principles and Practices
- Restorative Justice as Community Crime Prevention
- Restorative Justice as an Alternative to Traditional Justice
- Restorative Justice as Correctional Treatment
- Restorative Justice as Reentry Preparation and Support
- Repairing Harms: Victims and Restorative Justice

Specific panels will be developed based on those proposal selected for presentation at the conference.

Paper proposals must include the following information: author(s), contact information (mail, phone, e-mail address), working title, and an abstract of 150 words or less. Paper proposals must be submitted electronically to Dr. Michael J. Gilbert, Coordinator of the Research and Teaching Track, at mgilbert@utsa.edu. He may also be contacted at (210) 458-2683.

Key dates:

Proposals must be submitted by:	December 1, 2006
Notifications of Acceptance:	January 31, 2007
Submission of Working Papers:	May, 18, 2007

All conference papers must be submitted as “working papers” by **May 18, 2007**, so that they may be provided to panel chairs. Working papers may be collected into a proceedings document as part of the record for the conference.

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EUROPEAN CONSORTIUM OF POLITICAL RESEARCH (ECPR)

Deadline for submission of abstracts to individual panels: 19 January 2007

The European Consortium of Political Research (ECPR) is organising its fourth General Conference in Pisa in September 2007. The ECPR's standing group on organised crime is hoping to organise a section entitled "Representing a crisis: organised crime between new and old threats" which will oversee panels on different aspects of organised crime" ('The Measurement and Methodology involved in the study of Organised crime', 'Mafias in the World', 'Balkan' organised crime groups, organised crime in context: socio-cultural factors fostering 'Balkan criminality', 'The Sex Trade and other forms of Modern Slavery', 'Changing Perceptions of Criminal Organisations', 'Prevention of Organised Crime and Corruption: International Efforts in post-Communist Countries', 'Organised crime and the 'new order' within the global political arena'). If you are working in one of these areas and would like to offer a paper to one of these panels, please visit our special newsletter where all the information about the panels and conference is provided and explained: http://members.lycos.co.uk/ocnewsletter/2006/SGOC_SE-june2006.pdf If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact: Felia Allum (ECPR SGOC co-convenor, mlsfsa@bath.ac.uk)

JUSTICE SYSTEM JOURNAL

The *Justice System Journal*, sponsored by the National Center for State Courts, will be publishing a special issue on aspects of capital punishment; the likely publication date is late 2008. The journal's editors would be interested in receiving proposals –from academics and practitioners alike– for possible articles for that special issue. A list of possible topics appears below; most relate to courts and actors in the courts, but suggestions for other topics will be considered. The journal does not publish normative or philosophical work nor extended analyses of case law. There are no restrictions on the types of methodology used, but use of elaborate statistics in the final articles is discouraged. Prospective authors are reminded that, although academics read the *Justice System Journal*, the journal's primary audience is court administrators and other court practitioners. We specify no particular manuscript length but would prefer that articles be no longer than thirty (30) double-spaced pages, inclusive of tables and references; use of footnotes should be minimal. The likely deadline for submission of manuscripts will be early 2008. Anyone interested should communicate by e-mail with the present editor-in-chief, at wasb@albany.edu, and should indicate the proposed topic. It is preferable that prospective authors send a brief proposal/abstract/precis approximately two paragraphs in length, which should also indicate the proposed length of the article manuscript. An initial inquiry about topic appropriateness may be made and is welcomed. Prospective authors should provide some information about their training and experience. Stephen L. Wasby, Editor-in-Chief, *Justice System Journal*, Professor of Political Science Emeritus, University at Albany – SUNY; Robert M. Howard, Associate Editor-designate, Associate Professor of Political Science, Georgia State University, Atlanta

Capital punishment special issue - topics

- *Juries in death penalty cases*: difficulties in selecting capital juries, deliberations by capital jurors, psychological effects on jurors, race in capital juries
- *Judges in capital cases*: problems in managing capital cases, effect of changes in judge sentencing (*e.g.*, *Ring v. Arizona*), challenges to judges in capital cases, Are there "hanging" judges?, effects on judges' lives
- *Courts and capital cases*: special processes for handling (*e.g.*, the Ninth Circuit death penalty en banc), impact on: consumption of time; other caseload effects, problems with proportionality review, use of expert witnesses, the role of victims and victim impact statements, media problems, how to deal with public, difficulties on appeal: massive records, stay requests (including last-minute), collateral attacks (*e.g.*, AEDPA effects on fed court oversight of state capital cases), undoing wrongful convictions
- *Lawyers and capital cases*: private attorneys handling capital cases, special (dedicated) trial defense units, special (dedicated) appellate defense, the pro se capital defendant, prosecution of capital cases, who does it, and is it specialized?, plea bargaining and the death penalty, procedures used in decision to pursue death penalty
- *The Law of Capital Punishment*: Has the law of capital punishment distorted criminal procedure?, changes in the law of capital punishment
- *Judicial - Executive - Legislative interaction*: the role of clemency and moratoria

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SOUTHWEST JOURNAL OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

The Southwest Journal of Criminal Justice (SWJCJ) is now accepting manuscripts for consideration. We are interested in receiving submissions of original work that have not been previously published. Diversity in theoretical and methodological approaches is encouraged as is the submission of policy-related research. The SWJCJ is the online, refereed journal of the Southwest Association of Criminal Justice, a regional affiliate of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Authors need not be members of the Southwest Association of Criminal Justice to submit a manuscript for consideration. Previous issues of the journal and submission information are located at <http://swjcyjcenter.org/>. Inquiries may be directed to the editors at swjcyj@shsu.edu.

ICONS OF CRIME FIGHTING

Dr. Jeff Bumgarner of Texas Christian University is looking for chapter authors for *Icons of Crime Fighting* to be published by Greenwood Press in 2007. The publication will be a 2-book set comprised of 24 chapters in total, with each chapter approximately 10,000-12,000 words in length. Every chapter will present a balanced examination of an iconic individual or group of individuals in American crime fighting. The list of chapter topics is pre-set and covers a period of time from the 19th Century to the present day. Most of those profiled in the publication are from the later half of the 20th Century. The idea for the publication originated with the publisher; as such, Greenwood Press is firmly committed to bringing this project to completion. Anyone interested in learning more about the opportunity to publish in this edited work should contact Dr. Bumgarner at 817-257-6420 or j.bumgarner@tcu.edu

POLICE PRACTICE AND RESEARCH: An International Journal

Manuscripts are solicited for *Police Practice and Research: An International Journal*, which is published in five issues per volume. The journal presents current and innovative police research, as well as operational and administrative practices from around the world. Articles and reports are sought from practitioners, researchers, and others interested in developments in policing, analysis of public order, and the state of safety as it affects the quality of life everywhere. The journal seeks to bridge the gap in knowledge that exists regarding who the police are, what they do, and how they maintain order, administer laws, and serve their communities. Attention is also focused on specific organizational information about the police in different countries and regions, and periodic special issues are devoted to studying police policies and practices regarding a particular topic or issue. The editors aim to improve cooperation between those who are active in the field and those who are involved in academic research, as such a relationship is essential for innovative police work. To this end, the editors encourage the submission of articles co-authored by police practitioners and researchers that highlight a particular subject from both points of view. **Submission of Manuscripts:** Manuscripts should be electronically submitted to: Associate Managing Editor Hasan Buker (hasanbuker@wsu.edu). Manuscripts should normally be no more than 25 typed pages (Word, Times New Roman, 12 Font, Double-Spaced) in English. The manuscript should be accompanied by an abstract of no more than 100 words, up to six key words, and a brief biographical sketch. For complete Notes for Contributors, one should refer to www.tandf.co.uk/journals or visit www.ipes.info **EDITOR-IN-CHIEF**, Dilip K. Das, Department of Criminal Justice, Grambling State University, Grambling, LA 71245, USA; dilipkd@aol.com; Tel (318) 274-2520; Fax (318) 274-3101. **MANAGING EDITOR:** John A. Eterno, Department of Criminal Justice, NYPD Captain (Ret.), Malloy College, Rockville Center/NY 11571-5002, USA; jeterno@molloy.edu

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JUSTICE STUDIES ASSOCIATION 2007 CONFERENCE

The members of the Justice Studies Association are pleased to announce that their Ninth Annual Conference will be held at Salve Regina University, Newport, Rhode Island from June 7-9, 2007. The theme of this year's conference is "The Poor in the Lap of Luxury: Responding to Inequalities." We welcome diverse participants: activists, care providers, policy-makers, and scholars from all academic disciplines. Those who have an interest in making a presentation are invited to submit a proposal before March 1, 2007. Participants are invited to make presentations on any topic dealing with poverty and the impact of being poor in an affluent society. We are particularly interested in reflections on these themes from the perspective of social, economic, political, restorative, and transformative justice. Presentations can focus on either the theoretical and/or the practical and might address:

- Investigations into the use of demonstration projects, peaceful conflict resolution measures, peace studies, and restorative justice practices to address issues of poverty, policy formation, access to resources, public voice, meanings of citizenship, and collaborative and cooperative social dynamics;
- Reflections on the effects of the criminal justice system on the well-being of the poor and the extent to which law alleviates or connives at the pain and suffering of the poor;
- Efforts to reveal and/or relieve the harm and suffering caused by poverty, racism, sexism, classism, homophobia, and oppressions of many in their struggle to survive and flourish;
- Themes reflecting visions of society in which poverty is eliminated through the creation of just social arrangements which might include the development of intentional communities; and
- Narratives (historical and personal) describing the struggle of the poor to survive in a world in which they are structurally excluded from their needs being met.

Each JSA conference has at least one keynote speaker and includes the presentation of the annual Noam Chomsky Award. Past speakers and awardees include: Daniel Berrigan and Liz McAllister, Arundanti Roy, and Medea Benjamin. At least one of the conference's sessions consists of a panel of activists from the host community who address key justice concerns in their town or area, especially how they are addressing these concerns through social and restorative justice measures. Those interested in making a presentation should send a title and abstract of approximately 200 words to: Robin A. Robinson, Department of Sociology/Anthropology, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, 285 Old Westport Rd., No. Dartmouth, MA. 02747 or to rrobinson@umassd.edu before **March 1, 2007**. Additional information might be obtained by contacting JSA President Susan Krumholz E-mail: skrumholz@umassd.edu, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth. For more information about Justice Studies Association feel free to visit the association's website at <http://www.justicestudies.org/>

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CONTEMPORARY JUSTICE REVIEW

The editors of *Contemporary Justice Review* would like to invite its readers, scholars from all disciplines, activists, practitioners of justice, and others interested in issues of justice to submit film reviews for publication in the journal. Reviewers might select any film that deals with issues of justice defined in the broadest sense. This might include films that depict people having their rights, needs, and well-being denied by others--individuals, the state, and corporate institutions. It might also include films that demonstrate how people's needs are met and personal well-being fostered through alternative primary social institutions such as the family, school, and community. Authors might also wish to examine the *oeuvre* of a particular director, illustrating the extent to which that director's work contributes to a sense of justice as equality, human development, and personal well-being. Or several films might be compared for how they differentially depict people being marginalized and denied voice, or on the contrary, included and listened to. This might involve clarifying the effects of popular culture and the media on how we view certain aspects of justice as important and others not. *CJR* has a keen interest in offering its readers insights into life portrayed in international films, especially those that bring to light the effects of globalization, oppressive regimes, and nation-state terrorism on the quality of life of individuals, families, schools, the workplace, and neighborhoods. With respect to harm, some of the reviews might deal with how a particular film casts some people as worthy victims--that is, people worthy of our attention--and others as not. Reviewers should keep in mind that the purpose of the reviews is not primarily to offer pedagogical tools to teachers but simply to clarify and expand upon particular aspects of justice within films. However, reviewers might choose to demonstrate how a particular film could be valuable to teachers for use in a classroom to illustrate a particular aspect of justice. The length of reviews should be between 750 and 1500 words. Longer reviews will be considered from time to time as Review Essays. For additional information on review specifications, please contact:

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CONTEMPORARY JUSTICE REVIEW

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