Scenes From Atlanta

Top: The opening session. Above left: Travis Hirschi delivers first Plenary Address. Above right: Lloyd Ohlin passes the gavel to incoming president, Don Gottfredson. Below right: The convention site.

Schwendingers Honored By SSSP


The Awards Committee wrote: "This groundbreaking work in the study of delinquency is both comprehensive and stimulating. Its incorporation of concepts from structuralist political economic theory and subcultural theory in the analysis of delinquency represents an important step in the reintegration of macro and micro levels of critical inquiry in the social sciences.

The historical, qualitative and quantitative evidence provided in the book lends considerable support to a new theory of delinquency and provides a model for future researchers. The work should redirect the study of juvenile delinquency for many years."

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AROUND THE ASC

Gregg Barak, formerly of Aurora College, Aurora, Illinois, can now be found at the Department of Criminal Justice, Alabama State University, Montgomery, Alabama.

Donald L. Blazieck has been appointed Chairperson of the Department of Administration of Justice, at Wichita State University, Wichita, Kansas.

Alfred Blumstein has been named Dean of the School of Urban and Public Affairs at Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Blumstein is currently Chairman of the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency, and was recently appointed by Governor Dick Thornburgh to the Pennsylvania Commission on Sentencing.

William Chambliss, President-Elect of the ASC, has moved from the University of Delaware to George Washington University, in Washington, D.C., where he has taken up the duties of Chairperson of the Department of Sociology.

Steven Edwards, formerly of the University of Alaska is now Assistant Professor in the School of Justice Administration, College of Urban and Public Affairs, at the University of Louisville.

CALL FOR PAPERS

Congress on Law and Psychiatry to be held in Amsterdam


Persons interested in presenting papers should submit their abstracts by February 1, 1987. Abstracts and any enquiries should be addressed to: Dr. Frans Koenraadt, Secretary General, Thirteenth International Congress on Law and Psychiatry, Januskerkhof 16, 3512 EM Utrecht, The Netherlands.

To the Editor:

I'm not sure I'd want a speech of mine remembered more for whom I attacked than for what I said, but I can't see where Jackson Toby gets off taking the moral high ground against John Irwin (The Criminologist, May-June 1986). Toby's critique isn't even very good criminalology.

I don't know where Toby's apolitical, disciplined evidence is that we live in a 'democracy' where the moral superiority of people who have not been convicted or imprisoned is established. I have noticed that 'democracy' tends to be most loudly proclaimed in defense of despotism, while where democracy is firmly established, people are engaged in criticizing and reforming their governments.

If Toby believes that genuine democracy and justice bring out the best in people, as I do, he must despair, as I also do, that this 'democracy' of ours finds it necessary to cage and kill its own citizens in such world leading proportions.

I believe in deterrence theory. Apparently Toby believes in some other kind of theory that projects order and decay to prevail where state power ensures that the rich get richer and the poor get prison. By contrast, deterrence theory predicts that the group who least perceive themselves liable to punishment will most offend the law. Since it is virtually by definition true that a society's power elite will be least likely to suffer the blows of state power, deterrence theory makes them odd-on favorites to commit the most crime and most serious crime without even recognizing most of their own murders and thefts.

But perhaps deterrence theory is wrong, and if so, I wish Toby would explain his radical alternative rather than casting stones at someone for having had the misfortune of doing time. I'm not sure whether there is a just God. Regardless, my political instincts are conservative. I distrust big government. I think government does a particularly rotten job of hurting people. Perhaps I'm being unfair, but I doubt that I'll change this premise until I meet someone closer to God than me who tells me that God really has blessed the American governments and damned their prisoners. Why can't I believe that Jackson Toby is that person?

Hal Pepinsky

1987-88 Slate of Officers

Charles Wellford, executive secretary of the Society, announced that following the recent call for nomination of officers by the ASC Nominations Committee, the following slate of officers was approved by the ASC Executive Board for the 1987-88 election:

President-Elect
Joan McCord, Drexel University
Barbara Raffel Price, John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Vice President-Elect
Ronald Chilton, University of Massachusetts
Marvin Krohn, State University of New York at Albany

Executive Counselor
Robert Crutchfield, University of Washington
Theodore Ferdinand, Southern Illinois University
Rosemary Gartner, University of Iowa
Ruth Peterson, Ohio State University

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NOMINATIONS FOR ASC FELLOWS

The ASC Fellows Committee, chaired by Joan McCord, invites nominations. Nominees should be members in good standing who have achieved distinction in criminology.

Nominations should be accompanied by a description of the grounds for the nomination and, when possible, a resume. Please send your nominations to the ASC Executive Office, 1314 Kinneir Road, Suite 212, Columbus, OH 43212, before January 15.


Lists of the nominees and the supporting documents will be circulated among the members of the Fellows Committee. Each member of the committee will then select up to five candidates from the list. Candidates who have received the broadest endorsement from the committee will be recommended to the Executive Board. The Executive Board elects Fellows.

NOTICE

ASC Telephone Number Changed
Effective November 17, the ASC Executive Office telephone will be:
(614) 292-9207

SERIES ON GRADUATE PROGRAMS
GRADUATE STUDIES IN CRIMINOLOGY
The Centre for Criminological Research
The Department of Sociology, University of Alberta

Unique opportunities for graduate study, including research and teaching, are available at The University of Alberta in the field of criminology. An M.A. (Corrections) is available non-thesis on a full or part-time basis. A research oriented M.A. is also available. The Ph.D. degree in Sociology (Criminology Specialization) is also open to qualified applicants. Graduates in criminology from this department are probably more numerous in academic posts in Canadian universities, and in federal and provincial government positions, than from any other Canadian university. Assistantships are available for entering graduate students. The current value of assistantships ranges from $7464.00 to $8978.00 (Canadian). Students are automatically considered for assistantships, based upon qualifications, after acceptance to the program. Students are normally required to provide 12 hours per week upon assignment to a designated faculty member from September 1 to April 1, as either a research or teaching assistant. A limited number of spring and summer intersession assistantships are also available. Senior doctoral candidates, after completion of course requirements may become eligible for sessional teaching in the Department of Sociology. Small grants to assist thesis research are also available, through the Centre for Criminological Research. The Centre is affiliated with The Population Research Laboratory in the Department of Sociology. Excellent computer facilities are available through numerous terminals in the main Sociology building. The University operates an AMDahl 5860 computer. The Faculty of Law Library has extensive holdings in law and criminology. The Stanley Taylor Memorial Library is housed within the Department of Sociology. There is an extensive microfiche collection, primarily of US materials.

The faculty in criminology is composed of: James Creechan, (Ph.D. Arizona); Thomas Fleming, (Ph.D. London School of Economics); Jim Hacker, (Ph.D. Washington); Timothy Hartnagel, (Ph.D. Indiana); Robert Silverman, (Ph.D. Pennsylvania), and Gwynn Nettler, Professor Emeritus, (Ph.D. Stanford). In addition, professors in several disciplines use the facilities of the Centre for Criminological Research. For further information write: Dr. Herbert Northcott, Associate Chairperson, Graduate Admissions, Department of Sociology, University of Alberta, Edmonton T6G 2H4, Alberta, Canada.

SLATE

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In accordance with the ASC Constitution, this slate must now be presented to the ASC active membership. Active members may place additional candidates for each office on the ballot if such candidates receive nominations from two percent of the membership. 27 nominations.

Active members may suggest additions to the slate if such additions are received by February 1, 1987. If any active member receives the required percentage of nominations, his/her name will be placed on the ballot that will be submitted to the membership February 15, 1987.

Please forward your nominations by February 1 to the ASC Executive Office, 1314 Kinneir Road, Suite 212, Columbus, Ohio 43212.

AROUND THE ASC

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Peter Lupsha, professor of political science at the University of New Mexico, has been selected to a three-year term on the executive board of the Section on Criminal Justice Administration of the American Society for Public Administration.

Richard T. Rilieff has moved from the Department of Criminal Justice at Wayne State University to the Department of Criminal Justice at Georgia State University, Atlanta.

Kevin Wright, Director of the Center for Education and Social Research, and Coordinator of the Criminal Justice Program at the SUNY Binghamton has been named the W. K. Kellogg National Fellowship Program.
Eastern Michigan University

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY: The Department of Sociology invites applications for a tenure-track position in its criminology/criminal justice program at the Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, or Professor rank. Ph.D. in sociology with a specialty in criminology and the ability to teach courses dealing with organizations and crime, the sociology of law, and other advanced criminology courses required. Assistant Professor candidates should have teaching experience and a well-defined potential for scholarly research. Associate Professor candidates should have a record of distinguished teaching, and a well-established research record, including scholarly publications in relevant areas. Candidates for the Professorship should have a record of distinguished teaching, a recognized record of quality research, and service to the profession commensurate with the rank. In all cases, the candidates must, at a minimum, meet the qualifications for promotion to that rank as listed in the Eastern Michigan University Sociology Department Evaluation Document.

Eastern Michigan University is located in an area with an unusually large number of leading institutions of higher education, major public and private sector organizations, and recreational facilities. Salaries are highly competitive and the employee benefits package is one of the finest in the nation. The Sociology Department and the University as a whole are actively seeking outstanding candidates. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Applications must be postmarked no later than January 20, 1987. Send vitae, teaching evaluations, and the names and addresses of three references to: Position Soc., Dr. Jay Weinstein, Sociology Department Head, c/o Human Resources, P.O. Box 920, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI 48197.

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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Crime and Delinquency Division of the Society for the Study of Social Problems is inviting nominations for the Division’s 1987 Award for Outstanding Scholarship. The award is given to work that makes a significant contribution to the sociological understanding of crime and delinquency. Works published in 1986 are eligible for the 1987 award. The deadline for nominations is April 15, 1987. Assuming that the quality of the nominated work merits it, the Division will announce the winner of the 1987 award at the Division Business Meeting in Chicago. Please send nominations to Marvin Krohn, Department of Sociology, State University of New York at Albany, Albany, NY 12222.

SUNY Conference Announced

The Department of Sociology at the State University of New York at Albany will sponsor a conference entitled “Theoretical Integration in the Study of Deviance and Crime: Problems and Prospects” on May 7th and 8th, 1987 on the SUNY campus. The conference will deal with issues regarding theoretical integration at the micro-level, macro-level and cross-level. The invited participants are Ronald L. Akers, Travis Hirschi, Terence Thornberry, Walter Gove, Ronald Farrell, Margaret Farnsworth, Robert Bursik, Charles Wellford, Victoria Swigeri, Thomas Bernard, Charles Tittle, Jack Gibbs, Robert Meier, John Hagan, Craig Little, James Short, Peggy Giordano and Roland Clifton.

To maintain a collegial atmosphere and to facilitate dialogue we will limit the conference to no more than 130 people. The deadline for registrations is March 1, 1987 but we will accept reservations on a first-come basis. The registration fee (including breakfast and lunch on both days and a party-buffet on May 7th) is $35.00 with a $20.00 optional fee for a bound copy of the conference proceedings. Checks should be made payable to Research Foundation of SUNY and sent to Marvin Krohn, Department of Sociology, State University of New York at Albany, Albany, NY 12222.

Eugenio Zaffaroni Honored by ASA

Three years ago, the ASA Criminology Section initiated the annual presentation of an award to a Latin American criminologist who had made outstanding contributions to the discipline. The idea behind the award is to encourage scholarly exchange and communication between all Americans—North, South, and Central. To promote this ideal, the award includes a monetary prize which may be used by the recipient to defray part of the expense of attending the annual ASA meetings and presenting a special lecture. Last year the award was presented to Professor Rosa Del Olmo of the Central University of Venezuela, Caracas. Out of a very distinguished group of Latin American criminologists, this year’s Award Committee chose Professor Eugenio Raul Zaffaroni.

Professor Zaffaroni received a law degree from the Universidad Nacional de Buenos Aires in 1963 and a doctorate in Judicial and Social Sciences from the Universidad Nacional del Litoral in 1964. He is currently a member of the Law and Social Sciences Faculty at the Universidad Nacional de Buenos Aires. He also serves as a judge for the Argentine National Court of Appeals.

From 1969 to the present he has written and edited numerous books and articles and is recognized in Latin America as a leading figure in the development of critical criminology. Among his recent works is a book titled “Political Crime in Latin America.” His recent articles include works titled “The Evolution of the Theory of Crime,” “Considerations about the Figure of the ‘Agent Provocateur’,” and “Crime and Development in Latin America.” Professor Zaffaroni has travelled and lectured widely, and is fluent in Italian, Portuguese, English, and Spanish.

In addition to his scholarly achievements, Professor Zaffaroni is recognized by many of his colleagues as a courageous human being who challenged the policies of the military regime in Argentina during the worst period of repression.

Congratulations to Eugenio Zaffaroni, a fine scholar and colleague.

Latin American Scholar Committee—Gary LaFree (Chair), Bill Chambliss, Joe Shelley, Marjorie Zatz.

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William McDonald
Institute of Criminal Law and Procedure
Georgetown University Law Center

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Samuel Kinzer
Professor of Political Science
University of Minnesota

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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.

There will be no charge for placing such announcements. For those agencies or persons not wishing to have their identities known, arrangements can be made for a box number and all appropriate inquiries will be forwarded accordingly.

It is the policy of this journal to publish free-of-charge position vacancy announcements only from those institutions or agencies which subscribe to equal educational and employment opportunities and those which encourage women and minorities to apply.

Institutions should indicate the deadline for submission of application materials.

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. Appropriate forms may be obtained by writing to the ASC offices in Columbus, Ohio.

To place announcements in The Criminologist, send all materials to: Hugh Barlow, Editor, THE CRIMINOLOGIST, Dept. of Sociology/Social Work, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, IL 62026.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY, School of Public and Environmental Affairs announces three tenure-track positions. Its Fort Wayne campus is searching for an Assistant Professor with a background in criminal justice or related field, and an interest in applied statistics. The successful candidate will teach courses in the American Criminal Justice System and Foundations of Criminal Justice, as well as basic quantitative analysis. The Northwest Campus is looking for an Assistant or Associate Professor with teaching strengths in criminology, corrections and research methods, with some background in public administration. The South Bend campus seeks an Assistant Professor with substantial background in criminal justice, but the successful candidate will also be expected to teach introductory courses in public affairs, public management or a related field, and must have basic quantitative skills. Applicants should send a curriculum vitae to John L. Mikesell, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 47405; closing date is January 15, 1987.

INTER-UNIVERSITY CONSORTIUM FOR POLITICAL AND SOCIAL RESEARCH—position to supervise technical support staff for computerized personnel management and related computer-readable datasets. Process complex datasets, including surveys and other collections produced by Federal government agencies. Oversee compilation of quality control and analysis reports, C-JAIN Newsletter, and conduct data analysis as needed. Provide technical and substantive consulting assistance to the criminal justice research community. Qualifications for the position: Masters of Science (or equivalent) in criminal justice required. Knowledge of criminal justice-related data bases, research applications, and data software is necessary, particularly SPSS, SAS, or ODSYS. Excellent communication skills in criminal justice beyond the masters level is desirable. Experience in supervising technical and clerical staff is very desirable. The Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research is located at the Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. The position is associated with the National Criminal Justice Archive and Information Network which is supported by the Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice. Closing date is April 15, 1987. Contact: Victoria Schneider, Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research, P. O. Box 1248, Ann Arbor, MI 48106 (313/763-5010).

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences seeks an Assistant Professor of Criminology to begin August 1, 1987. Ph.D. or equivalent terminal academic degree such as the DPA or Ed.D. preferred. A J.D. degree will not suffice. Substantial background or work experience in law enforcement at the Federal, state or local level, and demonstrated abilities in the areas of teaching, research and service focused around law enforcement in the Criminal Justice system. Potential for research must be demonstrated. Tenure-earning position. Beginning salary range of $20,000-$24,000 (9-month contract). Respond by January 30, 1987, by sending information to: Leonard Terriko, Faculty Recruitment Committee, Department of Criminology, University of Southern California, 601 University Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90089. Note: As required by Florida law, all information submitted by candidates is a matter of public record and may be reviewed upon request from interested parties.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA, Florida Mental Health Institute, a mental health training and research center has a tenure track faculty position opening for Chairperson of the Department of Crime and Delinquency. Applicants should possess a Ph.D. in Psychology, Criminal Justice or a closely related field and have extensive mental health related administrative experience. Duties include responsibility for the department’s mental health and mental retardation service programs and for tenure track faculty, in grant supported positions and direct service and training staff. The Department of Crime and Delinquency currently has eight full-time and four part-time faculty members and eight support staff. The department’s programs include approximately $500,000 in externally funded grants and contracts and is responsible for approximately $250,000 of FMH’s operating budget. Appointment will be made at the Associate or Full Professor level, with 12 month salary from $40,000, negotiable, depending upon experience and qualifications. Available August 1, 1987. Letter of application and names of three references should be sent to: Dr. Max C. Derthe, Chairperson, Search Committee, Deputy Director for Programs, Florida Mental Health Institute, University of South Florida, 15901 North Dale Mabry Highway, Tampa, FL 33612. Application deadline is January 30, 1987. 

NOTE: According to Florida law, applications and meetings regarding the same are open to the public. The University of South Florida is an equal opportunity/employer.

NIAGARA UNIVERSITY, Criminology and Criminal Justice Program has a one and one half year part-time option at the Assistant Professor of Instructor level, beginning January 1, 1987 until June, 1988. Teaching responsibilities include courses in Research Methods, the Courts, Corrections, and Juvenile Justice. Qualifications include a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, Criminology, or related discipline. ABD near completion will be considered. College teaching experience preferred. A letter of application, vita, and three letters of reference should be forwarded to Nancy E. McGlinn, Ph.D.: Chairperson, Criminology and Criminal Justice Program; Niagara University, Niagara University, New York 14109. The deadline is November 15, 1986. or until the position is filled.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI—ST. LOUIS. The Administration of Justice Department invites applications for a tenure track position at the rank of Assistant Professor. The appointment will begin with the fall, 1987 semester. The Ph.D. is required, though exceptional master’s degree candidates will be considered. The Department is particularly interested in individuals with expertise in the area of policing or corrections. Applicants must demonstrate a commitment to scholarly research, teaching, and service. Send resume and three letters of recommendation to: Professor Scott H. Decker, Chair, Administration of Justice, University of Missouri-St. Louis, 8601 Natural Bridge Road, St. Louis, MO 63110. Deadline for applications is January 8, 1987.

ST. JOHN’S UNIVERSITY: The Department of Sociology and Anthropology invites applications for a tenure-track position at the Associate or Assistant Professor level with a specialization in Criminal Justice, beginning September, 1987. First consideration will be given to those with full-time experience in an applied setting in the criminal justice area. A Ph.D. in sociology, criminology or criminal justice is required. Ability to teach graduate and undergraduate courses in one of the following areas is desirable: methods and statistics, sociology of organizations, and social welfare system. Send letter of application, vita, and three letters of recommendation to: Brian J. O’Connor, Chairperson, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Jamaica, NY 11439. The deadline for application is January 19, 1987. St. John’s especially invites applications from minorities and women.


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Call for Papers

The Journal of Quantitative Criminology is a refereed publication of research in crime and justice from such diverse fields as sociology, psychology, economics, statistics, geography, political science, and engineering. The journal invites papers that apply quantitative techniques of all levels of complexity to substantive, methodological, or evaluative concerns of broad interest to the criminological community. Manuscripts may vary considerably in length. Detailed presentations of original research, brief methodological critiques, and papers that explore new directions for studying criminological topics are all welcome. The journal makes no page charges. Send all submissions (in quadruplicate), requests for style guides, and inquiries to the editor: James Alan Fox, College of Criminal Justice, Northeastern University, Boston, MA 02115.


Subscription: Volume 2, 1986 (4 issues) Institutional rate: $50.00 in the US/$57.00 elsewhere Personal rate: $25.00 in the US/$30.00 elsewhere

Volume 3, 1987 (4 issues) Institutional rate: $60.00 in the US/$68.00 elsewhere Personal rate: $25.00 in the US/$30.00 elsewhere

Write to the Sample Copy Dept. for a free examination copy!
UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM, Department of Criminal Justice, seeks a tenure track assistant professor to teach criminal law, evidence and procedure. Other areas are open. Prefer candidates with both a Ph.D. and J.D. Ph.D.'s with competence in criminal law and J.D.'s with capacity for conducting empirical research will be considered. Deadline: January 15, 1987. Starting salary $30,000, depending on qualifications. Teaching load: 4 courses per quarter, with summer teaching for extra compensation. Send vita and three letters of recommendation to Charles Lindquist, Department of Criminal Justice, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama 35294.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY, BLOOMINGTON, Department of Criminal Justice seeks an assistant professor (tenure funding) to teach courses in theories of crime, criminology, and white collar crime. We are a multidisciplinary department and welcome applicants from a variety of fields. A Ph.D. and evidence of potential are required. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply. Send a letter describing your work and scholarly plans, as well as a vita and three letters of recommendation to: Ellen Dowery, Chair, Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University, 302 Sycamore, Bloomington, IN 47405. Application deadline is February 1, 1987.

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK COLLEGE AT BROCKPORT, Department of Criminal Justice, seeks faculty to teach criminal justice and related courses. Responsibilities include teaching a 9-hour instruction load, student advisement, participation in department and school governance activities. Candidates must have competence to teach a variety of courses in the law enforcement specialization. A Ph.D. is required, but specialization in addition to previous teaching experience. Send resume, listing references and evidence of scholarship to: Mr. Edward Kelly, Assistant to the President, 4th Floor, Administration Building, SUNY College at Brockport, Brockport, NY 14420. Deadline January 31, 1987.

NORTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY, Criminal Justice Program, has a tenure track assistant professor position beginning Fall, 1987. The successful candidate will teach introductory and advanced undergraduate courses in criminal justice, delinquency, corrections, and/or probation/parole. Completed Ph.D. by appointment date, and evidence of teaching excellence, scholarship, and publications desirable. Send vita, transcripts of all college work and three letters of recommendation to: Matt Eichor, Director, Criminal Justice, Northeast Missouri State University, Kirksville, MO 63501.

OLD DOMINION UNIVERSITY, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice, has a tenure track assistant professor position available September, 1987. Specialization areas should include some component of the criminal justice system (e.g., police, corrections, criminal justice policy making or the role of minorities in the system). Ph.D. or ABD considered. Send vita and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Charles N. Trenchard, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice, Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA 23568. Application deadline is November 7, or until position is filled. Women and minorities especially encouraged to apply.

SAVANNAH POLICE DEPARTMENT has reopened its search for a Director of Training. The successful candidate must be able to assess the department's needs, establish in-service training and professional development goals, and design, implement, and evaluate methods of reaching those goals. The police department is fully committed to employee training and development at all levels of the organization. A master's degree and significant law enforcement experience/expertise are required. A grade degree and teaching/training experience preferred. Salary is in the $30,000 range, depending on qualifications and experience. Contact: Dr. Dennis J. Kenney, Savannah Police Department, 8032 Savannah, Georgia 31401. Deadline open until position is filled.

NORTHEASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY, Criminal Justice Program, has a tenure-track assistant professor position beginning Fall, 1987. Teach courses in female criminality, women and the criminal justice system, issues in rape and domestic violence. Salary negotiable. A Ph.D. degree and significant law enforcement experience/expertise are required. A grade degree and teaching/training experience are preferred. Send vita and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Donald Conroy, Chair, Department of Criminal Justice, Northeastern Illinois University, 5500 N. St. Louis Ave., Chicago, IL 60625.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF PRISONS, seeks a Research Analyst for a medium security federal prison in Phoenix, Arizona. Applicant must be under age 35 and a U.S. citizen. Emphasis is on institutional-based issues related to prison operations (staff or inmates), and the researcher will be fully responsible for developing and implementing research projects. M.A. or Ph.D. in social sciences required, with training/experience in research design and analysis. Familiarity with IBM PCs and/or mainframe is an advantage. Contact: Helene C. Cooney, Facilities Operations, 1301 Shoreway Rd, Belmont, CA 94002.
WORKSHOP ON THE DESIGN AND USE OF THE NATIONAL CRIME SURVEY


To be held July 6-17, 1987, at the University of Maryland in College Park, the workshop will feature:

- Lectures by a distinguished faculty of fourteen statisticians and social scientists;
- The latest technical information on the design, collection, and analysis of the NCS;
- Hands-on instruction in the analysis of NCS data;
- A stipend of $1,000 plus travel and subsistence expenses.

The program for the workshop will introduce participants to both the methodology of the NCS and its substantive use. Topics to be covered include conceptual issues in measuring victimization, the design of the NCS [past, present and future], data collection procedures, file structure and software, estimation procedures, error properties, risk-assessment, longitudinal analysis, multi-level analysis and typology construction.

The workshop is designed to stimulate the use of the NCS by providing the necessary technical information and an opportunity for the exchange of ideas among users of the survey. Computing facilities and instruction will be available so that participants can use the data during the workshop.

TOPICS AND INSTRUCTORS

Conceptual Issues in Measuring Victimization
Albert D. Biderman, American University
Colin Loftin, University of Maryland

History of the NCS
Wesley G. Skogan, Northwestern University
Richard Dodge, Bureau of Justice Statistics

NCS Design
Helen Montaglioni, Bureau of the Census

Redesign of the NCS
Bruce Taylor, Bureau of Justice Statistics

NCS Data Management
Victoria Schneider, University of Michigan
Marshall DeBerry, Jr., Bureau of Justice Statistics
Laura Patterson, University of Maryland

Graphics and Exploratory Data Analysis
Alan Gelfand, University of Connecticut
James Garofalo, SUNY-Albany

Use of NCS for Estimation
Charles H. Alexander, Bureau of the Census

Error Properties of the NCS
Robert Groves, University of Michigan
Elizabeth Martin, Bureau of the Census

Risk Assessment
James Lepkowski, University of Michigan
Michael Hough, Home Office, Research and Planning Unit, London

Longitudinal Analysis
Diane Griffin Saphire, Trinity University
David Cantor, Westat

Multi-Level Analysis
John Leheczyk, Carnegie-Mellon University
Mark Schervish, Carnegie-Mellon University
Robert Sampson, University of Illinois

Typology Construction
Uwe Koehn, University of Connecticut
James Lynch, American University

HOW TO APPLY

Applicants should have a Ph.D. or comparable degree in statistics or one of the social sciences, and a professional commitment to examine the NCS data in future research. An intensive small group environment is planned so that the number of openings is limited. To insure consideration resumes and a letter describing interest in the survey should be sent as soon as possible to:

Colin Loftin
Institute of Criminal Justice and Criminology
University of Maryland
College Park, Maryland 20742
(301) 454-5129

Deadline for applications is March 1, 1987.
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BALL STATE UNIVERSITY—Dept. of Criminal Justice & Criminology. Tenure track position at assistant professor level (available pending budgetary approval). Normal teaching load will consist of a 12-hour load in criminal justice. While position is open, preference will be given to applicants who will be able to teach judicial process of adult and juvenile offenders, and introduction to criminology courses in criminal justice policy, or courts. A doctorate in Criminal Justice, Criminology, Sociology, or a related field is required. ABG will be considered if completed within one year of appointment. Evidence of college or university teaching and research is required. Salary is dependent upon qualifications. Deadline Date: January 15, 1987. Contact: Search Committee, Dept. of CJC, No. 246, Ball State University, Muncie, IN 47305.

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-Omaha. Seeks candidates to fill assistant-level tenure-track position beginning August 1987. A Ph.D. in criminal justice or related field, or a J.D. with a Master's Degree (with thesis) in criminal justice or a related field is required. Applicants with A.B.D. status will be considered. Duties include undergraduate and graduate instruction, university/community service, and criminal justice research. Areas of specialization will be considered, however, applicants will be given special consideration if they can teach some of the following: Minories and Criminal Justice, Introduction to Criminal Justice, Statistics, Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, and law enforcement courses. Review of applications will begin on January 15, 1987, and continue until the position is filled. A letter of application, three letters of recommendation, and a current vitae should be sent to Vincent J. Webb, Chair, Department of Criminal Justice, University of Nebraska at Omaha, Omaha, NE 68182. Minorities, women, handicapped persons, and Vietnam-era veterans are encouraged to apply.

GRAMBLING STATE UNIVERSITY, Criminal Justice Department announces a tenure track position at the Assistant Professor level, beginning Spring, 1987. Qualifications include earned Ph.D. in criminal justice or related field, teaching experience at the university level, and a record of research and/or professional experience in criminal justice is desirable. ABG with significant progress on the dissertation and a record of scholarly research will be considered. Salary is $24,000-29,000 for nine months, and there are opportunities for summer teaching. Teaching responsibilities will include both undergraduate and graduate level courses. Grambling State University is a predominantly black university, with a student enrollment of over 5,200. The criminal justice program is the largest on the campus and has been rated as the best in the State of Louisiana. Apply, with complete resume, copy of transcripts, and three letters of recommendation, to P. Ray Kedia, Chairman, Screening Committee, Department of Criminal Justice, Grambling State University, P. O. Drawer J, Grambling, LA 71245.

COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA, CALIFORNIA, is seeking applications from qualified individuals for the position of Chief Probation Officer. The position is responsible for planning, organizing, coordinating and directing the programs and activities of the Probation Dept. subject to the Superior Court determination of policy. Qualified applicants will possess a Bachelors Degree with major work in public or business administration, probation services, or other related administration of justice fields and a minimum of 5 years broad and extensive administrative and management experience in a large and complex organization in probation, corrections or administration of justice. Salary: $65,820 to $74,404 annually plus approx. 9% safety retirement contribution plus performance adjustments are available up to $84,032.00. Comprehensive executive management benefit package. Applications are being accepted through December 1986. For application and further information contact: Santa Clara County Personnel Dept., 70 W. Hedding St., East Wing, 8th Floor, San Jose, CA 95110 (408)229-4335.

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY School of Criminal Justice announces a faculty vacancy starting in the 1987-88 academic year. Academic rank, tenure status and salary are negotiable. Ph.D. is preferred. Qualified ABG’s will be considered if completion of the degree is imminent.

Minority group candidates and females are strongly encouraged to apply. A commitment to the land-grant philosophy and the goals of a professional school is required.

A specialization in law enforcement is required and agency experience is preferred. The person will teach at both the graduate and undergraduate levels and supervise graduate thesis and dissertation work. Applicants should present clear evidence of their potential for conducting and synthesizing law enforcement research.

Effective date of the appointment is to be negotiated. The position is a nine month tenure stream appointment.

Applications must include a vita, a transcript, a statement of professional interests and three letters of reference. The application deadline is February 1, 1987. All application materials should be forwarded to: Erit Bechman, Ph.D., School of Criminal Justice, Michigan State University, 560 Baker Hall, East Lansing, MI 48824-1118

THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA Department of Management is accepting applications for faculty members (rank open, tenure, and tenure track). Of special interest are persons with strong interests in public policy, including health and criminal justice policy, but other areas will also be considered. A Ph.D. from a relevant discipline is required. Rank and responsibilities are to exercise a leadership role in one's respective areas. The department is within the College of Business and Public Administration and grants degrees in a variety of public and private sector programs. Faculty represent most social science disciplines. Submit vita and three letters of reference, no later than December 15th to: Dr. Margaret Neale, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Management and Policy, The University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona 85721.

NORWICH UNIVERSITY. The Department of History and Government invites applications for an anticipated tenured track position as an Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice, starting in September, 1987. An earned doctorate in Criminal Justice, Criminal Justice or Sociology is required by time of appointment. The successful candidate should have a specialty in the area of criminal court systems. Additional areas of teaching expertise would be some combination of the following: Juvenile Justice, Law and Society, Race and Minority Relations, and Introductory Sociology. College teaching experience is preferred, but not required. Criminal Justice is one of the largest programs on campus with over 155 majors and 2.5 full-time faculty. Norwich University, founded in 1819, has over 1700 students enrolled in 44 different degree programs located on the University’s two campuses—a military campus in Northfield and a civilian campus in neighboring Montpelier. Send letter of application, vita and three letters of reference to: Professor Stanley K. Sherroock, Chair, Search Committee, Department of History and Government, Norwich University, Northfield, VT 05663. Closing date for applications is December 15, 1986.

New NSF Funding for Law and Social Science

The Law and Social Science Program at the National Science Foundation continues to support social scientific studies of law, legal process, and law-like systems of rules. The program has an "open window" for investigator-initiated research reflecting diverse theoretical perspectives, methods, and contexts for study. This includes theoretically driven research on crime and criminal justice processes. For example, studies of social control, patterns of discretion in sentencing, compliance and deterrence, procedural justice, and regulatory enforcement are among the many areas that receive program support.

The next target date for submission of proposals is January 15, 1987, for funding to commence as early as July-August 1987. Funds are available ($1.85 million—estimate for FY 1987), and proposals from the ASC community are welcome. For further information on application procedures, write or call Dr. Felice J. Levine, Program Director, Law and Social Science Program, National Science Foundation, Washington, D.C. 20550; (202) 357-9567.
Joint Funding Announced by NIDA and OJJDP Research Applications Encouraged

Joint funding of research on drug abuse among ethnic and minority juvenile populations has been announced by the National Institute on Drug Abuse and the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. A budget of $500,000 has been established for new projects in FY 1987. Research applications are encouraged in the following areas:

- The interrelationship of risk factors related to both criminal behavior and drug abuse
- Intergenerational traits associated with drug abuse

February 1 is the deadline for FY 1987 awards. Interested persons should contact Catherine Bell or Pamela Swain:

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Research on Career Criminals Discussed at National Academy of Sciences Conference*

Around 200 academicians, criminal justice practitioners and policy makers attended a recent conference on "Criminal Careers and Career Criminals" held at the National Academy of Sciences, September 8-9. Attorney General Edwin Meese announced the establishment of a Criminal Justice Research and Development Board to improve liaison with both academicians and practitioners, and to coordinate and assess research activities at the Department of Justice.

The main business of the conference was discussion of a report released by the National Research Council Panel on Research on Criminal Careers chaired by Alfred Blumstein. The report recommended longer prison sentences for convicted career criminals, the greater use of juvenile offender records to identify career criminals, and greater attention to offender drug use in pretrial decision-making and in sentencing.

Discussion ranged from whether probability theory can be reconciled with decisions on individual behavior, to whether it is ethical to make sentencing decisions about individuals based on the predictive validity of aggregate data on career criminals.


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