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COLLABORATING WITH ECONOMISTS

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The study of crime has long been a multi-disciplinary enterprise. Half of the faculty in criminology departments have been trained in other disciplines. Although economics is not yet part of the standard lineup, economists are now a growing presence in the study of crime. A simple sign of this influence is the February 2004 issue of *Criminology*, which had two articles with lead authors who have Ph.D.'s in Economics (Cook and Ludwig 2004, Cohen et al. 2004). Economists are also showing up regularly on National Research Council panels. The research of John Lott, an economist at the American Enterprise Institute, on "right-to-carry" gun laws has created a whole new literature on gun control.

The two authors of this article are part of this growing presence. Bushway has a Ph.D. in Public Policy and Economics and Reuter has a Ph.D. in Economics. Naturally, we believe that the increased presence of economics in criminology and of crime in economics is a positive development that should be formally encouraged. Indeed we have started a new program at the University of Maryland aimed at encouraging the integration of the two disciplines (www.popcenter.umd.edu/criminologyandeconomics) through courses, seminars, summer institutes and increased formal and informal dialogue.

Despite our enthusiasm, we are painfully aware of the arrogant and condescending attitude many (but not all) economists take towards criminology and criminologists. It never ceases to amaze us when yet another economist announces that he has solved a longstanding question in the study of crime without bothering to read the existing literature, understand the data, or investigate the institutions involved. A prominent example of poor research practices by economists is the unquestioned use of county-level UCR data, despite the fact that the UCR data was not originally intended for use at this level. Other examples include confusion between the adult and

juvenile justice systems and testing models of individual behavior with aggregate data. Criminologists worried about the "takeover" of criminology should find solace in the fact that compelling answers to the questions which make criminology fascinating will only come through full engagement with these questions.

Economists have made their biggest contribution to the study of crime when they apply their approach to topics like deterrence, which fall well within their substantive tradition. They interpret criminal justice penalties as proxies for prices that help drive labor market decisions (crime or work). Consider, for example, the study of the deterrent impact of more police. Steve Levitt (Chicago) has a series of methodologically strong papers on the impact of the number of police and police practices on crime, using carefully selected Instrumental Variables (e.g., Levitt, 1997; Levitt and Ayres, 1998); his work is featured prominently in the recent NRC panel policing report (Skogan and Frydl 2004). Longitudinal panels and economic methods also feature prominently in the ongoing debate over the impact of the COPS funding initiative on both policing levels and crime at the local level. Bill Evans, an economist at Maryland, has an important working paper that advances the debate using models from public financing, as well as careful thinking about the nature of the funding process to provide new (and better) estimates of the impact of COPS on crime (Evans and Owens, 2004). A new generation of economists working on crime topics have found homes in interdisciplinary policy schools (e.g., Brian Jacob [Harvard], Jeff Kling [Princeton], Jens Ludwig [Georgetown], Justin McCrary [Michigan], Stephen Raphael [Berkeley], Anne Piehl [Harvard]), a fact which may explain their increased willingness to cite criminology papers and

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WESTERN SOCIAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION, CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND CRIMINOLOGY SECTION, April 16-16, 2005, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Contact Dennis Catlin: Dennis.Catlin.nau.edu

UNITED NATIONS 11th WORLD CRIME CONGRESS, April 18-25, 2005, Bangkok, Thailand. For further information contact Dr. Cindy Smith at cjsmith@ubmail.ubalt.edu or Dr. Nancy Grosselfinger: grosselfinger.un@hotmail.com

CRIMINAL EXPLOITATION OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN: ROLE FOR THE POLICE, Bangkok, Thailand, April 18-25, 2005. Held in conjunction with 11th U.N. Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice. Contact: Horace Judson, Judsonh@gram.edu

NATIONAL COMM. ON CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE and ACADEMY OF CORRECTIONAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS MEETING, "Updates in Correctional Health Care", April 9-12, 2005, Flamingo Hotel, Las Vegas. For more information, log on to www.ncchc.org

1ST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE EUROPEAN AND INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH GROUP ON CRIME, ETHICS AND SOCIAL PHILOSOPHY (ERCES), April 20-22, 2005, St. Petersburg, Russia. For further details, see <http://ercesinternational.tripod.com>.

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF VICTIMOLOGY 3RD AMERICAN SYMPOSIUM ON VICTIMINOLOGY, April 27-30, 2005, California State University at Fresno, "Victimology Across the Americas." Contact Thomas Underwood at 785/231-1010, Ext 1242 or at thomas.underwood@washburn.edu

GLOBAL STUDIES ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2005, May 12-15, "Crosscurrents of Global Social Justice: Class, Gender, and Crime, University of Tennessee, Knoxville. <http://www.net4dem.org/mayglobal>

RURAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE AT ALFRED UNIVERSITY CONFERENCE, "Crystal Opportunities: Building Resiliency in Youth At-Risk," May 18-20, 2005. Radisson Hotel, Corning, New York. For further details, www.ruraljustice.org.

WHAT WORKS WITH WOMEN OFFENDERS: A Cross National Dialogue About What are Effective Responses to Female Offenders, June 20-22, 2005, Monash University Australia's Italian Centre, Prato, Tuscany, Italy. <http://www.med.monash.edu.au/socialwork/conference>

BRITISH SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY, July 2005, University of Leeds, Leeds, UK www.britisocrim.org/

9TH INTERNATIONAL FAMILY VIOLENCE RESEARCH CONFERENCE, July 10-13, 2005, Sheraton Harborside, Portsmouth, NH. Frl.conference@unh.edu; www.unh.edu/frl/conferences

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY FOURTEENTH WORLD CONGRESS OF CRIMINOLOGY, August 6-12, 2005, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, University of Pennsylvania. www.crim.upenn.edu/2005/english.html

14TH WORLD CONGRESS OF CRIMINOLOGY, August 7-12, 2005, Philadelphia, PA, "Preventing Crime and Promoting Justice: Voices for Change" www.worldcriminology2005.org

EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY, August 31-September 3, 2005. For meeting logistic matters contact: eurocrim@cicero.law.uj.edu.pl

12TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL POLICE EXECUTIVE SYMPOSIUM, September 5-9, 2004, Prague, Czech Republic. Contact: Dilip Das, dilipkd@aol.com

8TH ANNUAL CRIME MAPPING RESEARCH CONFERENCE, September 7-10, 2005, Savannah Westin Golf & Spa Resort, Savannah, Georgia. Contact Ron Wilson: Ronald.Wilson@usoj.gov

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE VENEZUELAN CRIMINOLOGY FORUM, November 3-5, 2005, Island of Margarita, Venezuela. Contact: Chris Birkbeck at Birkbeck@ula.ve. Forum web page is www.venecrim.com

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AROUND THE ASC

Professors **JEFFREY FAGAN** of Columbia University and **CHRIS MAXWELL** of Michigan State University will be the Guest Editors for a special issue of Public Health Reports on Intimate Partner Violence.

JOHN LAUB and **ROBERT SAMPSON** have won the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Outstanding Book Award for 2005 for *Shared Beginnings, Divergent Lives: Delinquent Boys to Age 70*.

publish in criminology outlets.

The potential value of the economists in crime comes from two inherent strengths of economics – a formal

theory of human behavior and strong analytical thinking, which includes a heavy emphasis on causal modeling. A detailed description of how economic theory and its concepts can be useful in criminology has been offered by McCarthy (2002). No less a criminological theorist than Hirschi has argued that the economic rational choice model is compatible with existing criminological theory. Such theoretical application need not be particularly high-tech. There are several excellent examples where careful application of straightforward economic thought has made a contribution in the criminology literature, including Cook's description of the supply and demand of criminal opportunities (Cook 1986), and Fagan and Freeman's description of the choice between legal and illegal work (Fagan and Freeman 1999).

Such contributions can be made by criminologists. Entry into standard micro-economic thought costs nothing more (or less) than a rigorous intermediate micro-economics class such as that taught in business and policy schools, which requires no linear algebra and very little calculus. The potential benefit to this type of investment for criminologists is high. Not only will criminologists have better access to the economics literature, criminologists could potentially become major players in areas thought the sole domain of economics. The most prominent candidate is cost benefit analysis, which is increasingly valued by policy makers and funding agencies in the field of criminal justice, reflecting the contemporary emphasis on accountability in government generally. Mainstream economists do not get rewarded for answering substantively important questions (amazing as that may seem) so the field is wide open. For example, much more needs to be done to create valid estimates of the costs of crime (Cohen et al. 2004). There is also a need for valid estimates of true social costs of various criminal justice interventions. Economists doing work on incarceration seem content to do cost benefit analysis using only the cost of housing someone in prison, virtually ignoring all of the social costs discussed in criminology (e.g. Rose and Clear, 1998). Criminology and criminal justice researchers have both an opportunity and an obligation to more fully understand the costs and benefits of crime and criminal justice intervention.

Analytically, economists have long had a special focus on identifying the true causal impact of a given variable. This history can be traced back to attempts to estimate supply and demand equations, which form the basis of microeconomic theory. One form of this approach involves writing down structural equations based on explicit microeconomic theory and then estimating certain parameters, based on functional form and exclusion restrictions. The analog in criminology is structural equation (LISREL) models. The common critique of this approach is that the assumptions required to estimate the models are atheoretical and hard-to-assess.

As a result of these problems, there has been a movement in economics away from these types of structural models towards models which focus on the need to control for selection, or omitted variable bias. We believe this emphasis on "identification" in economics is a good thing for criminology. In their excellent review of instrumental variable techniques written for a general audience, prominent economists Joshua Angrist and Alan Krueger conclude with the following statement :

The application of instrumental variable methods depends mostly on the gritty work of finding or creating plausible experiments that can be used to measure important ... relationships - what statistician David Freedman (1991) has called "shoe-leather" research. Here the challenges are not primarily technical in the sense of requiring new theorems or estimators. Rather progress comes from detailed institutional knowledge and the careful investigation and quantification of the forces at work in a particular setting (Angrist and Krueger 2001 p. 83).

This statement describes precisely what criminologists value and are good at doing. Criminologists have much better substantive and institutional knowledge in the area of crime and criminal justice and are generally better at developing their own data than economists. To speed up the process of adopting the approach described by Angrist and Krueger, criminologists can work with economists when they wish to tackle difficult causal questions with observational data. What is needed are a few humble economists who understand that they can learn from criminologists and a few criminologists who are not intimidated by the more mathematical approach of economists. The study of crime could benefit a great deal from such collaborations.

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DIVISION OF CRITICAL CRIMINOLOGY

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The American Society of Criminology
requests nominations for
ASC Undergraduate Student Minority Scholar/Mentor Research Grants

Deadline for nominations: May 1, 2005

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 1, 2005 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.

ASC will allocate up to 12 awards, with up to 4 awards given each year for the next three years. Students selected for this award will receive:

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- 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
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- 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.
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In this proposal, the faculty member should do the following:

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- 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, 2005 to:

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2005-2006 ASC ELECTION OF OFFICERS

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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 2005-2006 election:

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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 -- 43 nominations. Active members may suggest additions to the slate if such additions are received by March 31, 2005. 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 April 15, 2005. Please forward your nominations by March 31 to the ASC Executive Office, 1314 Kinnear Road, Suite 212, Columbus, Ohio 43212-1156.

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As many of you are aware, ASC has entered into an agreement with Blackwell to not only publish *Criminology*, and *Criminology & Public Policy*, but to also digitalize our journals. We scoured the ASC archives for extra copies of old journals and sent them on to Blackwell to be scanned. Unfortunately, we only have one copy of a number of issues. The digitalization/scanning process destroys journals, and we do not feel we can send/destroy our only print copy. So, this is a generic request to the ASC membership at largewe would really appreciate it if some could donate any the following issues "to science," so that they can be digitalized. The needed issues are as follows

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The ASC email mentoring program is available to all **ASC students**, so that you may make use of our many willing criminologists who can help answer your research, theoretical, and career questions. It is spam-free, thanks to our new password system. (If you don't know Sutherland's first name, I don't know what to say....)

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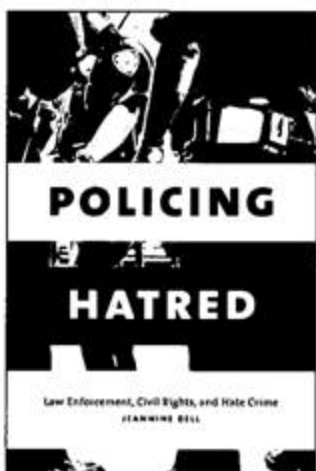
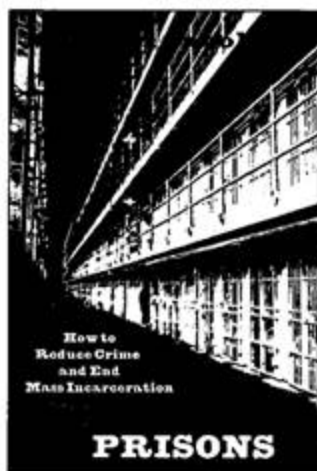
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DOUGLAS A. SMITH
1954-2004



On December 18, 2004, Professor Douglas Smith unexpectedly passed away following a heart attack. After receiving a BA in 1978 from Florida Atlantic University, MA (1980) and Ph.D. (1982) in sociology from Indiana University (where he also minored in mathematical statistics), Doug joined the faculty at the University of Maryland in the Department (at that time Institute) of Criminology and Criminal Justice. He was tenured and promoted in 1987 and promoted to Full Professor in 1991.

From his co-authored 1978 piece on "The myth of social class and criminality" with Charles Tittle and Wayne Villmanez (published in *American Sociological Review* while he was an undergraduate) to a recent paper identifying the limitations of tobit models with former University of Maryland student Bobby Brame (*Sociological Methods and Research*, 2003), Doug knew his way around significant criminological research questions better than most. In his stellar career, he brought unique skills to such varied and important topics as police discretion, defensive weapon ownership, initiation and continuance of the criminal career, and tests of criminological theory (labeling and deterrence). Using the Police Services data, Doug was one of the first to bring rigorous quantitative analysis to the subject of police decision-making, identifying important gender and race effects as well as neighborhood effects on police decisions to arrest. And, although he claimed not to be a theorist, colleagues and students knew that to be a carefully cultivated ruse. In his calm and patient manner, Doug would ask question after question until many a self-described theorist was left wondering who the actual theory expert was.

It was this level of quantitative and theoretical sophistication that led to Doug being named Editor-in-Chief of *Criminology*; a mere six years post Ph.D. The editorship was an honor and commitment that Doug took seriously. During his tenure, the journal published the best work in the field whether statistical, theoretical, or policy related. His successor, Charles Tittle claimed that under Doug's editorship "the journal made giant strides in excellence, reputation, and efficiency." Part of Doug's legacy then lies in the high standards and enduring quality that he brought to *Criminology*. Of equal importance, however, is a body of highly regarded published work. Cohn and Farrington (1998), for example, found that among criminology and criminal justice faculty, Doug Smith was the fourth most-cited criminologist.

Doug's legacy also lies in the thousands of undergraduates who were introduced to criminology through his "introductory" classes and the hundreds who took MA and doctoral statistics from the master. To the undergraduates, he was a legend in sweats and an NRA hat. On an informal (and unauthorized) UMD student evaluation site, students described him as "awesome, eloquent, and concise." They noted that while he never read from notes, his lectures were full of useful and interesting information. Doug's graduate-level statistics courses were challenging and difficult, but well worth the effort. In the face of some resistance by faculty and students, Doug took on the task of teaching statistics because he believed it was the right thing to do. He crafted his courses as carefully as he did his research. As many of his former students can testify, Doug could explain a statistical problem in as many different ways as it took for one to finally grasp the point. Early on, students would tell stories of Doug's lectures where he would talk, write formulae, and use the eraser moving across the blackboard in constant motion. It is a rare skill set, but most of Doug's students probably can still use Gauss. His effectiveness as a teacher made it difficult to get a hold of him sometimes, as many graduate students were often lined up outside his office waiting for his time. As a result he often left campus late at night so that he could meet with each student, despite the fact that he lived in another state and it took a substantial amount of time to get to his home. During the past five years, after Doug recovered from life-threatening bladder cancer, he recommitted himself to what he enjoyed most *working with students. He gave an incredible amount of time to the graduate students, and one of his main concerns became contributing to the academic growth of the graduate students that passed through the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice. He cared for them professionally, and personally* they will always remember his encouraging words and his innovative teaching methods, such as the infamous "Wheel of Woe."

A comment by one of Doug's students was shared with his colleagues and friends at a Memorial Service, held on January 25th at the University of Maryland. The student said, "WOW... if all professors were like Dr. Smith, college would be one helluva better place." We couldn't agree more. University of Maryland was one helluva better place because Doug Smith was on the faculty.

Doug is survived by his wife Beverly J. (Ward) Smith, a son Sean, from a previous marriage, and sister Sharon.

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CONTEMPORARY JUSTICE REVIEW

CALLS FOR PAPERS

Drugs, Healing, and the Expansion or Repression of Human Consciousness

The editors of Contemporary Justice Review would like to invite scholars from all disciplines and endeavors to submit an essay title/abstract for a special issue on Drugs, Healing, and the Expansion or Repression of Human Consciousness.

We are looking for original articles on the value of drugs such as marijuana, LSD, mescaline, and related hallucinogens for healing personal ills and developing social consciousness. This would include anthropological research on the long-held value of hallucinogens in community rituals. Of particular interest is the history of LSD from valued change agent (with prisoners, for example) to felonious legal substance despite evidence to support its healing properties for depression and other psychological ailments (cf. the life of actor Cary Grant).

Authors might wish to examine the CIA's research on LSD in the Fifties to determine its value as a pharmacological weapon in the cold war as well as the campaign of both the CIA and FBI to suppress the use of consciousness-expanding drugs by subcultures in the Sixties.

Articles might also focus on U.S. policies to control and suppress the production of drugs in foreign countries while failing to provide alternative economic incentives (cf. Bolivian peasants) and, in some instances, competing with a country's economy so as to make the production of drugs a necessity (cf. the "food for peace" program). In this regard authors might wish to expand upon the writings of Noam Chomsky regarding the "war on drugs" as a method of population control and an ally to terrorism. New York's Rockefeller Drug Laws might serve as a domestic example.

We welcome contextual work on the role of pioneers in the experimentation of consciousness-expanding drugs such as Albert Hoffman, Timothy Leary, Allen Ginsberg, Alfred Lindesmith, Howard Becker, and Aldous Huxley. Relatedly this might include analyses of the work of social scientists (e. g. criminology, sociology, criminal justice, and psychology) which supports the state in the suppression of drugs rather than "communities" exploring the value of drugs as a source of pleasure, consciousness-expansion, and pain relief. Some scholars might like to critically examine the kinds of projects for which universities and other institutions are currently being funded by governments.

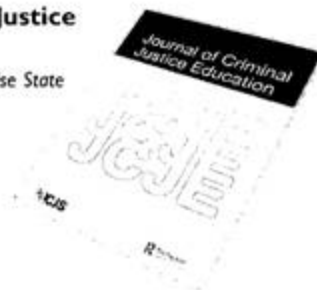
Other areas of interest are: an analysis of the speciousness of the origin and continuing rationale for government-sponsored "just say no" programs; the pros and cons of the limited, legal use of marijuana in the Netherlands; the denial of marijuana to medical patients who choose to self-manage their pain and suffering; and the government's threat to doctors who suggest marijuana as a valuable alternative to commercially-produced analgesics. In all the above areas, reviews of important books and films are also welcome as submissions.

Titles and abstracts should be sent to CJR Assistant Editor, Diane Simmons Williams at <dsw27@earthlink.net> by June 15, 2005. Inquiries about other proposals might be made of Diane or CJR Editor-in-Chief, Dennis Sullivan (gezellig@global2000.net). Notification of acceptance will be made by July 15, 2005. The finished essays (circa 25 typed double-spaced pages or fewer) will be due January 31, 2006 for inclusion in upcoming issues of CJR.

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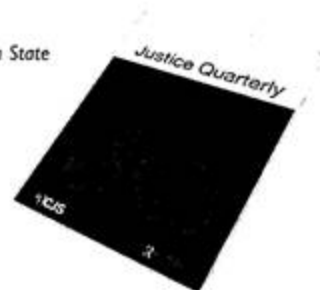
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IN MEMORIAM

ROBERT J. McCORMACK, JR.
1931-2005



Bob McCormack, whose full life was emblematic of a generation of criminologists with two 20-year criminal justice careers, died unexpectedly on January 13 of natural causes. He was 73 years old, and is survived by his wife, Inge, with whom they recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, six children, and seven grandchildren. He had served in the Marines, had been a New York City policeman, after which he had an academic career, mostly at The College of New Jersey. At his written request, he was buried with military honors with a Marine Color Guard at a Veterans Memorial Cemetery in New Jersey. At the funeral service in St. Benedicts Catholic Church in the Bronx, New York, his pallbearers were a ceremonial unit of the New York Police Department, with a bagpiper. In reviewing his life, many of us will see familiar strains of our profession.

Bob was born in 1931 into a large Irish American family in the Bronx. Six family members were either in the police or fire departments. His father was a fireman, probably from whom he inherited his spirit of public service. He was the oldest of five children and at 14 began studying to be a Jesuit Priest at an Irish Christian Brothers Academy, which he remembered fondly and the brothers he said were great teachers. Why did he not become a Priest? He discovered girls, so says his wife.

Shortly after The Academy he and his friends enlisted in the Marines and his stint included 14 months in the Korean War. Upon discharge, he married Inge in 1954, and began both his college education at CCNY and his 20-year life as a policeman. He started as a beat patrolman in Harlem, then did accident investigations, and finally became an administrator of a program exchanging New York cops with those from other cities. All the while he was going to school, reading late into the night in a little room in his basement next to the coal chute, as he raised six children, all within 11 years in age. He did not particularly like being a policeman. He was working for all those years toward another career.

After getting his B.A. in Business Administration from Baruch College, which took 11 years, he won an award for a year's study at the University of California at Berkeley, where he moved his entire family in 1967. That was a time when if you weren't wearing a peace symbol you were inappropriately dressed. That was the only year throughout his education when he was a full time student, and it produced a Master of Criminology, and a devotion for the field. He loved Berkeley, was greatly stimulated, but had to come back to his police job. His doctoral program was in Sociology at Fordham, also at night, spreading out his papers on the kitchen table in the Bronx apartment after a day "on the job."

He retired from the NYPD as a Lieutenant in 1976 at the age of 45 and started his "real life" at John Jay College of Criminal Justice in New York as Director of the Criminal Justice Center. There he wore many hats, including teacher. From 1979 to 1983 he taught at Temple University in Philadelphia, and then he went to what was called Trenton State College (which changed its name to College of New Jersey in 1997), where he stayed until retired in 2003. In 1992 he became chair of the Department of Law and Justice, and built a premier academic department with 300 majors and seven full time faculty. He created a Criminal Justice Center there (the second one for him), and he was especially proud of his Joint Degree Program with Rutgers. He loved CNJ, gave it his full energy and devotion, but found time to publish two books, two book chapters, guest edited two journals, six articles, four book reviews, two newsletter articles, and wrote numerous papers.

His service to the profession was enormous. A partial list includes being a consultant on six projects in New Jersey Criminal Justice, the ACJS Executive Board, Chairing the International Section of ACJS, President of the New Jersey Association of Criminal Justice Educators, his institution's Faculty Senate, and countless fellowships, grants, and editorial boards; and he was also in The Alliance of NGO's (non-governmental organizations) in the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Section. He was a voracious traveler, which included China, Yugoslavia, Austria, and the Netherlands, all in international criminology related ventures. He was planning to go to Thailand in April.

Bob McCormack was a consummate intellectual, always a student, learning, listening, observing, whether it was Harlem, Height Ashbury, a Marxist country, or his own classroom. In spite of a prodigious work ethic, he always had time to listen. He was a kind, supportive, empathetic man, and when he made a friend it was for life. Many of us are very fortunate that we had him as a friend and colleague for the time that we did. He left the world a better place.

Mike Israel

BUREAU OF JUSTICE STATISTICS

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SPECIFICATIONS FOR PAPERS

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Jo-Ann Della-Giustina, "Gender, Race, and Class as Predictors of Femicide Rates: A Path Analysis," Chaired by Maureen O'Connor, February 2005, City University of New York.

MaDonna R. Maidment, "Doing Time on the Outside: Transcarceration and the Social Control of Criminalized Women in the Community," January 2005, Carleton University.

2004

Kevin Buckler, "an Examination of Print Media in the Reporting of Homicide," Chaired by Lawrence Travis, September 2004, University of Cincinnati.

Eric Jefferis, "Criminal Places: A Multi-Level Study of Residential Theft," Chaired by Lawrence Travis, August 2004, University of Cincinnati.

Edith Linn, "What Works for Me? Arrest Decisions as Adaptive Behaviors," Chaired by Warren Benton, October 2004, City University of New York.

Hillary Potter, "Intimate Partner Violence Against African American Women: The Effects of Social Structure and Black Culture," Chaired by Joanne Belknap, November 2004, University of Colorado-Bolder.

Richard G. Wright, "Protection or Illusion? A Policy Analysis of Federal and Massachusetts Sex Offender Legislation," Chaired by Carole Upshur, December 2004, University of Massachusetts-Boston.

2003

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Introduction to CrimeStat 3.0

June 20–22, 2005

This course introduces participants to the basics of CrimeStat 3.0, a full-featured Windows-based spatial statistics program that provides statistical tools to aid law enforcement agencies and criminal justice researchers in their crime mapping efforts. This program produces output for use with geographic information systems (GIS) and can be linked with the crime mapping efforts of police departments. The course will cover computing spatial dimensions, distance measures, and several "hot spot" methods including fuzzy mode, nearest neighbor, risk-adjusted nearest neighbor, and K-means clustering. This intensive workshop will also offer opportunities for hands-on computing experiences using NACJD data or data from related agency or research projects. Participants will also learn how to produce results in CrimeStat and import them to ArcGIS for further analysis or presentation. Enrollment in the course is limited. Applications must include a vita and cover letter describing the applicant's background and interest in using CrimeStat in their agency or research.

Quantitative Analysis of Crime and Criminal Justice Seminar

June 27–July 22, 2005

This four-week seminar introduces participants to major surveys sponsored by the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS). The seminar focuses on innovative applications of survey methods and incident-based data in criminal justice. Each participant will design and conduct a quantitative research project. Applicants must show evidence of intellectual interest in and commitment to this substantive area. Stipend support for those admitted is provided by BJS.

For more information, contact the ICPSR Summer Program
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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION GRANT

Title: Competition in the Mathematical, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (MSBS).

Full Proposal Deadline(s): April 05, 2005.

Synopsis of Program:

This solicitation invites submission of research proposals for projects that advance the mathematical or statistical foundations of research in the social, behavioral, or economic sciences. The resulting research is expected both to further understanding of social and/or behavioral science phenomena and to address a topic of interest to the mathematical sciences. Proposals for workshops or symposia that foster the interaction of social, behavioral, and/or economic scientists with mathematicians and/or statisticians also are welcome.

Award Information:

Anticipated Type of Award: Standard Grant.

Estimated Number of Awards: 9 to 15 - (6 to 10 research awards and 3 to 5 facilitation awards).

Anticipated Funding Amount: \$3 million. Approximately \$3 million will be obligated for new awards in FY 2005, subject to availability of funds.

For more information, please see the competition's website at:

http://www.nsf.gov/pubsys/ods/getpub.cfm?ods_key=nsf05542

or contact Dr. Cheryl Eavey at ceavey@nsf.gov.

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ANNUAL MEETING HOMICIDE RESEARCH WORKING GROUP *Theme: Homicide Research: Past, Present and Future*

June 3-6, 2005 - Orlando, Florida

Submissions are due by March 31, 2005. Submissions should include a title and abstract (indicating whether it is a regular paper or work in-progress), as well as complete contact information, and should be sent to: Thomas Petee, Department of Sociology, 7030 Haley Center, Auburn University, Auburn, AL 36849; E-mail: peteeta@auburn.edu www.icpsr.umich.edu/HRWG/meetings/index.html.

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FOUNDATION FOR THE DEFENSE OF DEMOCRACIES

The Foundation for the Defense of Democracies has begun accepting applications for its Academic Fellows anti-terrorism training program. This program provides university professors with a detailed understanding of the terror threat that faces our nation and sister democracies. Centered on a 10-day course taught in conjunction with the Jaffee Center for Strategic Studies at Tel Aviv University, the program takes place entirely in Israel.

Participants interact with academics, diplomats, military and intelligence officials, and politicians from Israel, Jordan, India, Turkey and the United States. They also visit military bases, border zones and other security installations to learn the practical side of deterring terrorist attacks. All expenses are paid by FDD. For more information please visit: http://www.defenddemocracy.org/programs/programs_list.htm?attrib_id=7403 or call Gina Grandinetti at 202-207-0190.

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: Sarah Hall, ASC, 1314 Kinnear Road, Suite 212, Columbus, OH 43212-1156. Telephone (614)292-9207, Fax (614)292-6767. 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.

AUBURN UNIVERSITY

Auburn University invites applications for a tenure-track position at the rank of Assistant Professor in the Criminology and Criminal Justice Program to begin August 16, 2005. This position will involve teaching courses in the areas of Criminology/Criminal Justice and Sociology. The successful candidate will be expected to develop and to maintain a strong program of research. Additionally, the successful candidate will be expected to actively participate in advising majors. Preference will be given to those candidates holding the PhD in Sociology at the time of appointment, but ABD will be considered. The candidate selected for this position must be able to meet eligibility requirements to work in the United States at the time appointment is scheduled to begin and must be able to communicate in the language in which courses are to be taught. Salary is competitive. Auburn University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are especially encouraged to apply. Auburn University is Alabama's largest public university, with an enrollment of approximately 24,000 students. The Criminology and Criminal Justice Program is located in the Department of Sociology, and serves approximately 400 majors. **Review of applications will begin on March 21, 2005.** Send Curriculum Vitae, official transcripts, the names, addresses, phone numbers, and e-mail addresses of three professional references, and any other appropriate material to: Greg S. Weaver, Criminology and Criminal Justice Search Committee, Department of Sociology, 7030 Haley Center, Auburn University, Auburn, AL 36849-5209.

JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY

The Department of Criminal Justice invites applications for the position of Department Head. Duties: Teaching and research; representing the department and its faculty; managing the departmental budget; planning curriculum; managing the departmental office and personnel; providing leadership and support to faculty members in their teaching, research and service commitments; and accepting other duties as may be assigned by the dean of the college or by University policy. Qualifications: Candidates must have a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice or a closely related doctorate with five or more years of tenure line faculty teaching and research in a regionally accredited college or university. Candidates must also have an overall teaching and scholarly publication record that merits an appointment at a senior rank. Salary: Commensurate with rank and experience. Send application (available on our web site at <http://www.jsu.edu/dept/hr/jobs.html>), curriculum vitae, copies of transcripts, and names/addresses/phone numbers of at least three references to Jacksonville State University, Human Resources, 700 Pelham Road North, Jacksonville, Alabama 36265. Applicants selected for an interview will be required to supply official transcripts and current letters of reference. Minority applicants are strongly encouraged to apply. Reference number 20382. An EO/AA Employer.

PENN STATE CAPITAL COLLEGE

Penn State Capital College, School of Public Affairs, invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant/Associate Professor in Criminal Justice, beginning August 2005 at Penn State Harrisburg. Candidates for Associate must have a substantial publication record and experience attracting external funding. The School seeks a Corrections specialist able to teach statistics. A Ph.D. in criminal justice or related social science discipline is required. The Juris Doctor is not a substitute for the Ph.D. Faculty are expected to advise and mentor students, serve on master's committees, pursue scholarly research, participate in program governance, and provide service to the university, the community, and the profession. Faculty may be required to teach at either or both Capital College locations. For information about the Harrisburg campus visit <http://www.cl.psu.edu>. Applicants for the position should forward letter of application indicating interest for the position, curriculum vitae, and three letters of professional reference to: Harrisburg Criminal Justice Search Committee Chair, c/o Mrs. Dorothy J. Guy, Director of Human Resources, Box ASC, Penn State Capital College, 777 W. Harrisburg Pike, Middletown, PA 17057. Application review will begin immediately and continue

POLICE EXECUTIVE RESEARCH FORUM

The Police Executive Research Forum (PERF), a non-profit organization dedicated to improving policing, is seeking a Director of Research. The Research Unit at PERF conducts social science and other projects related to law enforcement. With the support of a staff of 14, the primary responsibility of the Director of Research is designing, funding and completing those projects. Applicants should have at least 10 years of experience conducting law enforcement research, recognition in the field, experience obtaining external funding from federal agencies and other entities, and strong managerial skills. A Ph.D. is preferred. Appointment will begin in late summer or early fall of 2005. Salary range is \$90,000 to \$130,000 depending on credentials. PERF has excellent benefits and is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants should send a letter of interest, curriculum vitae and the names and addresses of at least three references to: Gail Love, Police Executive Research Forum, 1120 Connecticut Ave. NW Suite 930 Washington, DC 20036, 202-466-7820

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SETON HALL

Assistant Professor, The Department of Sociology and Anthropology. Seton Hall University, the nation's oldest Diocesan University, is seeking to fill a tenure-track Assistant Professorship beginning September 1, 2005. Candidate will assist the Department in expanding its Criminology offerings and will teach introductory and advanced courses in the Sociology/Anthropology of Crime. Preference will be given to candidates with demonstrated expertise in quantitative research methods and teaching ability in one or more of the following: comparative criminology, crime as a cross-cultural and global phenomenon, urban/suburban crime, organizational crime/RICO, hate crime, cyber crime, and gender based crime. Doctoral Degree in Criminology or in Sociology or Anthropology with expertise in Criminology required. Successful candidate will demonstrate a passion for teaching, collegiality, and concern for students, and will engage in committee work and scholarly activity. The teaching load is twelve credits with a regular 3 credit research reduction each semester. Summer teaching and research grants often available. The University is committed to diversity and located approximately 30 minutes outside of NYC. Candidates should send letter of intent, curriculum vitae, 3 letters of recommendation, and evidence of scholarship and teaching skills to: Professor Anthony Haynor, Chair, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Seton Hall University, 400 So. Orange Avenue, South Orange, NJ 07079. **Screening will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.** Visit our website: www.shu.edu. Seton Hall is a mission-centered Catholic Diocesan University and Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Assistant Professor of Sociology (Tenure Track). **Requirements:** Completion of the Ph.D. in Sociology with a specialization in criminal justice, criminology, or related field. Applicant should have strengths in one or more of the following areas: Applied research, juvenile justice and crime, criminal justice reform and international-comparative human rights. Teaching and research experience is preferred. The applicant should provide supporting materials of scholarship (e.g., presentations at professional meetings, published books, and published papers in professional journals). **Field of Work and Duties:** This tenure track position requires teaching one graduate level criminal justice course and two undergraduate sociology courses per semester. Consideration for tenure is based on teaching, publication in peer-reviewed journals and/or books, community and university service. **Department of Sociology and Master of Science in Criminal Justice Program:** The Program houses both the Center for Restorative Justice and the Center for Crime and Justice Policy Research. Within the Department of Sociology the Center for Women's Health and Human Rights has also been recently added. All three centers promote research along with academic dialog between the community and an active, progressive faculty. **Date Position is Available:** Sept. 2005. **Annual Salary:** Competitive. Applicants should send a letter of interest, CV, writing samples, and provide three letters of reference evaluating their scholarly achievement and potential. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. All materi-

als related to research and teaching. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. All materials should be addressed to: Donald Morton, Department of Sociology, Suffolk University, 41 Temple Street, Boston, MA 02114. Suffolk University is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-FLINT

The University of Michigan-Flint Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice invites applications for a tenure-track position at the Assistant or Associate Professor level beginning Fall 2005. A Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, Sociology, or related discipline with evidence of specialization in criminology is required at the time of appointment. The ideal candidate should have an active research agenda in corrections or social control from a critical perspective and be qualified to teach some combination of Introduction to Criminal Justice, Punishment and Social Control, Introduction to Corrections, Correctional Practices, Juvenile Delinquency, Youth Gangs, and Elite Deviance. Send a letter expressing your interest, qualifications, and a brief statement of research plans. Also, enclose curriculum vita, evidence of teaching excellence, and arrange to have three reference letters sent to the address below. Review of applications begins January 3 and continues until the position is filled. Mail your materials to: Dr. Beverley Smith, Chair, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice, University of Michigan – Flint, 522 French Hall, 303 East Kearsley, Flint, Michigan 48502-1950. The University of Michigan is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer.

UNIVERSITY OF SCRANTON

The Department of Sociology/Criminal Justice (situated in the College of Arts and Sciences) invites applications for a tenure track position at the assistant professor level. Applicants should be qualified to teach Introduction to Criminal Justice, Criminology, and other criminal justice related courses. The other substantive areas of competence could include, but are not limited to the following: juvenile delinquency; gender/race and criminal justice; substance abuse. Competency in computer applications, and the ability to teach Sociology/Social Work courses a plus. Ph. D in criminal justice or criminology is desired. Candidates should provide evidence of effective teaching, a solid research agenda and commitment to university, professional, and community service. Start September 1, 2005. Competitive salary and benefits. The University of Scranton is a broadly regional institution of 4,800 undergraduate and graduate students located in northeastern Pennsylvania near the Pocono Mountains. Recognized nationally for the quality of its education, Scranton is one of 28 Jesuit colleges and universities in the United States. It is committed to providing liberal arts education and strong professional and preprofessional programs in the context of Ignatian educational principles, especially the care and development of the whole person. The University is proud of its mission in the Catholic and Jesuit tradition and spirit, and the successful candidate must be able to support this mission enthusiastically through his or her work in their chosen discipline. Send c. v. with cover letter, and names of three references to: Dr. Harry R. Dammer, Chair, Department of Sociology/Criminal Justice, The University of Scranton, Scranton, PA 18510-4605. Applications accepted until position is filled. The University of Scranton is an AA/EO Employer/ Educator. Minority persons, women and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply. For more information see our University of Scranton Criminal Justice/Sociology web page at <http://academic.scranton.edu/departments/scj/>

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS – PAN AMERICAN

The University of Texas-Pan American (UTPA) invites nominations and applications for the position of Dean, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences. The College of Social and Behavioral Sciences consists of six departments: Criminal Justice, Military Science, Political Science, Psychology-Anthropology, Public Administration Program, and Sociology. The College offers five bachelors and four masters' degree programs. For more information, please go to <http://panam4.panam.edu/~csbs/>.

Responsibilities: Provide leadership in the college consistent with an atmosphere of collegiality and shared governance. The Dean is expected to provide an environment for teaching excellence, faculty scholarships and professional services; promote research opportunities for faculty within the college and university. Administrative support and guidance are expected in the areas of curriculum and program development, accreditation, fiscal management, personnel, and student program management. The Dean, who reports to the Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs, has an active role in coordinating fundraising efforts and in the development of institutional policy as a member of the Dean's Council. **Qualifications:** The Dean, who must have an earned doctorate in one of the disciplines represented by the College departments, is the chief academic leader for the college and is responsible for the daily operation of all college functions. Candidates should be tenureable in one of the disciplines represented by the College departments. Candidates must have demonstrated administrative experience as department chair or above. Preference will be given to candidates with a minimum of five years of administrative experience. This experience should include demonstrated effectiveness in budgeting, personnel, and planning. Candidates are expected to provide an articulated vision for the growth and development of the college to include excellence in teaching, leadership ability, and have a record of scholarly activity. Candidates must have experience in at least two of the following areas: new degree implementation, curriculum development, faculty development and evaluation, and fundraising. The college is especially interested in candidates who have demonstrated competence in graduate degree development, research, and grantsmanship. It is desirable that candidates be familiar with student recruitment and retention, student improvement and academic achievement, teacher preparation and issues in distance education/web-based learning. Candidates should have a demonstrated interest in multicultural issues and experience with consensus-building among various groups in an

academic setting. **Salary:** *Competitive and commensurate with experience and credentials.* The University is a comprehensive regional university serving the lower Rio Grande Valley, located in Edinburg, Texas. The university is in close proximity to Mexico and South Padre Island, home of the University's Coastal Studies Laboratory. UTPA is the fifth largest component of the University of Texas System and the 10th largest public university in Texas. Enrollment numbers consist of 17,000 students, 85% of whom are Hispanic and many are first-generation college students. Applications and nominations for this position will be accepted and evaluated until filled. Review of applications will begin December 15, 2004 with an expected appointment date of July 1, 2005. Please send applications and nominations to: The University of Texas-Pan American, c/o Office of the Provost, 1201 W. University Drive, Edinburg, Texas 78541. Your application should include a letter of interest, indicating how you meet the requirements, current vitae, and a list of five references. Letters of reference will be requested at a later date. EEO-AA employer, women, minorities, and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply. Note: This position is security-sensitive and subject to Texas Education Code 51.215, which authorizes the employer to obtain criminal history record information. Texas law requires faculty members whose primary language is not English to demonstrate proficiency in English.

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AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY

2005 ANNUAL MEETING — TORONTO

FAIRMONT ROYAL YORK HOTEL

November 15-19

Theme: The Interdisciplinary Roots and Branches of Criminology

Co-Chairs: Frankie Bailey and Colin Loftin
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FOURTEENTH WORLD CONGRESS OF CRIMINOLOGY

August 6-12, 2005

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- * Social activities designed to provide ample opportunities to meet new colleagues

Please join in the preparations for making the 14th World Congress of Criminology a global and intellectually most vibrant experience. Papers may be delivered in the ISC official languages: English, Spanish and French, or in any other language common to one workshop. We would like to encourage our colleagues to organize sessions and bring their networks to Philadelphia. For further information and pre-registration please visit the website www.crim.upenn.edu/2005.html or contact the local organizers at 2005@sas.upenn.edu. For suggestions for contributions to the program contact: Professor Susanne Karstedt at s.karstedt@crim.keele.ac.uk - or - Professor Lawrence Sherman at lws@sas.upenn.edu.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PRISON AND SOCIETY

April 19-22, 2005, The Hai Tian Hotel
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The Tripartite Organizing Committee of China Prison Society, The Society of Rehabilitation and Crime Prevention, Hong Kong, and Shandong Prison Bureau is pleased to announce that the captioned conference will be held in the city of Qingdao, Shandong Province of China between 19th and 22nd of April, 2005. The theme of the Conference is "Prison and Society" which comprises three sub-themes: prison management; community corrections and rehabilitation of offenders; and relations between crime and society.

The Tripartite Organizing Committee cordially invites all academics, practitioners, and professionals of correctional and related organizations to take part in this worldly event in the city of Qingdao to discuss and exchange experiences and to look for further improvement of the corrections and rehabilitation services.

Detailed information about the Conference can be accessed through the website: <http://www.sracp.org.hk/conference>. Should you have any inquiries, please contact Miss Sally Lam: Email : conference@sracp.org.hk; Tel : (852)2527 4018 ; Fax : (852)2865 3565. Address : The Society of Rehabilitation and Crime Prevention, Hong Kong, Room 605, Duke of Windsor Social Service Building, 15 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong.

CALL FOR PAPERS

PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS

ISSUE ON INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE

Public Health Reports is inviting papers for a special issue on Intimate Partner Violence. Guest Editors Jeffrey Fagan, Columbia University and Chris Maxwell, Michigan State University will guide manuscript selection. They are looking for manuscripts that advance theory and knowledge on the determinants and control of intimate partner violence. This includes epidemiological trends, legal and social responses to victims and perpetrators, interventions, treatments for violent spouses and their partners, and basic knowledge about the antecedent causes and comorbid conditions. Articles providing new perspectives from historical research on intimate partner violence also are welcome. Articles in Public Health Reports are typically between 2500-3000 words. Longer manuscripts, when reasonable, will be considered. All manuscripts reviewed and approved by the Guest Editors and the Public Health Reports Editorial Committee will be sent for external peer review.

The submission deadline for manuscripts is June 1, 2005. The publication date is planned for early 2006. Manuscripts can be sent electronically to the Editor of Public Health Reports, Robert Rinsky, at Robert.Rinsky@cchmc.org or by mail to Public Health Reports, 8190 Beechmont Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45255.

Public Health Reports is a peer reviewed journal of the United States Public Health Service and the Association of Schools of Public Health. It is widely distributed internationally, and is indexed by MEDLINE/Index Medicus, Current Contents, EMBASE/Excerpta Medica, Pais International, and LexisNexis. More information about the journal is available at www.publichealthreports.org.

If you have any questions about this special issue please contact: Jeffrey Fagan (212-854-2624, jaf45@columbia.edu).

If you have any questions about Public Health Reports please contact: Editor, Robert Rinsky (513-636-0257, robert.rinsky@cchmc.org) or Special Projects Editor, Marla Kahn (617-731-4088, marla.kahn@verizon.net).

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A CRITICAL JOURNAL OF CRIME, LAW AND SOCIETY

The *Justice Professional* has been replaced by *A CRITICAL JOURNAL OF CRIME, LAW AND SOCIETY*, a refereed journal published quarterly by Routledge, Francis and Taylor Group. It is housed at the C. W. Post Campus of Long Island University, Department of Criminal Justice. The journal publishes articles that deal with substantive criminal justice and criminological issues, inviting both qualitative and quantifiable papers. We welcome all articles relevant to areas of criminal justice as well as areas of public administration and public affairs. Literature review, summary report of innovative research projects, and research notes are all considered as well. MANUSCRIPT Typewritten, double spaced manuscripts must be submitted in quadruplicate (three blind copies) and sent to: Roslyn Muraskin, Ph.D., Editor, A Critical Journal of Crime, Law and Society, C.W.Post Campus – Post Hall 3C3, 720 Northern Blvd., Brookville NY 11548. An abstract of not more than 100 words, as well as a brief biographical statement describing the author's current affiliation and rank should accompany the manuscript along with the article on disk in Word. *A CRITICAL JOURNAL* regards submission to the journal as a commitment to publish herein. Permission for use of copyright material is the responsibility of the author. Manuscripts should not exceed 20 typewritten double spaced pages. All footnotes, references, tables, figures, illustrations must be camera ready on an eight and one half by eleven wide paper. Footnotes and bibliographic citations must follow the journal style based upon that followed the American Psychological Association (APA). Since manuscripts are sent out anonymously for editorial evaluation, the authors' name should appear on a separate cover sheet. Electronic copies are accepted and should be sent to Roslyn.Muraskin@liu.edu.

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JOURNAL OF CONTEMPORARY CRIMINAL JUSTICE

The Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice invites individuals to submit manuscripts for consideration for inclusion in a planned special issue on the topic, *Prosecuting Change, Changing Prosecutors*. The Guest Editor encourages submissions dealing with either the prosecution of emerging crime problems (e.g., terrorism) or changes in the role of the American prosecutor (e.g., from traditional to community prosecution). Inquiries about the appropriateness of topics should be directed to John L. Worrall, JCCJ Guest Editor, via email at (jworrall@csusb.edu) or telephone (909-880-7741). 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 January 1, 2006.** Please send four manuscript copies, along with the manuscript on disk, to John L. Worrall, Department of Criminal Justice, California State University San Bernardino, 5500 University Parkway, San Bernardino, CA 92407-2397.

JOURNAL OF CONTEMPORARY CRIMINAL JUSTICE

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The *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice* invites individuals to submit manuscripts for consideration for inclusion in a planned special issue on the topic, Criminal Justice in Latin America. The Guest Editor encourages submissions on all aspects of the subject, but is especially interested in manuscripts that consider Latin American criminal justice systems in comparative perspective. Inquiries about the appropriateness of topics should be directed to Christopher Birkbeck, JCCJ Guest Editor, via e-mail (birkbeck@ula.ve). 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 January 15, 2006.** Please send four manuscript copies, along with the manuscript on disk, to Christopher Birkbeck, School of Criminology, Universidad de Los Andes, Apartado 730, Mérida 5101, Venezuela.

JOURNAL OF CONTEMPORARY CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Special Issue: *Methods of Comparative Research in Crime and Justice (May 2006 issue)*

The *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice* invites individuals to submit manuscripts for consideration for inclusion in a planned special issue on the topic, Methods of Comparative Research in Crime and Justice. The Guest Editor encourages submissions on all aspects of the subject, including but not limited to comparative research design, measurement and issues of conceptual equivalence, language and translation impediments, research ethics and innovative comparative research techniques.

Inquiries about the appropriateness of topics should be directed to Rosemary Barberet, JCCJ Guest Editor (rbarbere@polsoc.uc3m.es). 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 July 1, 2005.** Please email the manuscript as an attachment to Rosemary Barberet at rbarbere@polsoc.uc3m.es.

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CRIMINAL LAW BULLETIN

The *Criminal Law Bulletin* is a journal addressing legal aspects of criminal justice, including policing, adjudication, corrections, and delinquency. The journal welcomes manuscripts by researchers, practitioners, and advanced graduate students. The 2003 volume included articles by James Jacobs, William Bowers, and Hans Toch. Manuscripts of varying lengths (3,000-10,000 words) are published in 6 issues per year. Submissions should be sent on an IBM-compatible disk in WordPerfect or Microsoft Word format, double spaced, with any tables or charts at the end of the copy, and accompanied by a hard copy to: James E. Robertson, Editor-in-Chief & Professor of Corrections, 113 Armstrong Hall, Minnesota State University, Mankato, MN 56001; or, preferably, e-mailed to: james.robertson@mnsu.edu (please remember to include your name, title, affiliation, address, daytime telephone number, fax number and e-mail address). References and citations should conform to either the Uniform System of Citation (*The Bluebook*) or the *Chicago Manual on Style*. The *Criminal Law Bulletin* is published by West Group and marks its 40th anniversary in 2004.

JOURNAL OF CRIME AND JUSTICE

The *Journal of Crime and Justice*, the official journal of the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association, is soliciting manuscripts with original scholarship in the area of crime and criminal justice. *JC&J* welcomes qualitative and quantitative empirical work, theoretical commentaries, and book reviews. The emphasis of the journal is on quality and interest to criminologists as well as practitioners. If you would like to have your work considered for publication in the *JC&J*, please submit a cover letter, four copies of your manuscript, and a \$10 check made out to the Journal of Crime and Justice to: Christopher J. Schreck, Editor, Journal of Crime and Justice, Department of Criminal Justice, Rochester Institute of Technology, 1 Lomb Memorial Drive, Rochester, NY 14623. For more information about the *Journal of Crime and Justice*, please visit the Journal's Homepage at: www.rit.edu/~cjsgej.

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JOURNAL OF CONTEMPORARY CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Special Issue: **Occupational Stress in Criminal Justice**

(February 2006 issue)

The *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice* invites submissions to be considered for inclusion in a planned special issue on Occupational Stress in Criminal Justice. The issue encourages manuscripts on a broad range of topics which exam the situational constraints of the work and/or the structural arrangements of the workplace as causes of occupational stress among criminal justice professionals; coping strategies by workers and/or agency adaptations to workplace stressors; and the physical, psychological and behavioral effects of stress on the individual and/or the costs of stress to the organization. Manuscripts may focus on professionals working in the areas of policing, courts and court administration, institutional corrections, community corrections, or other agencies and services that are affiliated with the criminal justice system or serve criminal justice clients. Inquiries about the appropriateness of topics should be directed to John Hepburn, JCCJ Guest Editor, via e-mail (John.Hepburn@asu.edu) or telephone (480 965-7085). All papers will be peer reviewed. Manuscripts should be no more than 30 typed, double-spaced pages including tables, figures and references. **Manuscripts must be received no later than April 15, 2005.** Please send four manuscript copies, along with the manuscript on disk, to John Hepburn, JCCJ Guest Editor, School of Justice and Social Inquiry, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ 85287-0403.

JOURNAL OF CONTEMPORARY ETHNOGRAPHY

Scott A. Hunt is the editor-elect for the *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*. *JCE* publishes theoretically, methodologically, and substantively significant studies based upon participant-observation, unobtrusive observation, intensive interviewing, and contextualized analysis of discourse as well as examinations of ethnographic methods. Submissions from all substantive areas and theoretical perspectives are welcomed. Email manuscript submissions (in Word or WordPerfect format) may be sent to sa-hunt00@uky.edu. Hardcopy submissions and all other correspondence should be sent to Scott A. Hunt, Editor, *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky 40506-0027. A processing fee of US \$10 must be submitted via a check or money order made payable to the *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*.

ANNALS OF THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCE *DEMOCRACY, CRIME AND JUSTICE*

Special Issue Editors: Susanne Karstedt, Keele University, UK, and Gary LaFree, University of Maryland, USA
This volume seeks to consolidate and advance the study of democracy, crime and justice. We invite contributions from criminology, political science, sociology and related disciplines that explore the reciprocal connections between democratic institutions and processes and criminal behavior and criminal justice institutions. We seek broad coverage of these topics but with an emphasis on cross-national comparative approaches and democracies in transition. We plan to solicit both empirical and theoretical papers, and seek both cross-national comparative and case studies from both mature and newly emerging democracies and for a range of crime types and criminal justice institutions.

The following questions suggest the breadth of topics to be addressed: Under what circumstances does the transition to democracy initiate a wave of crime and corruption? Is democracy, especially in the context of market economies, inherently criminogenic? How do responses to crime in both established and transitional democracies undermine civil liberties and affect public demands for restrictive changes in democratic institutions? How can transitional countries develop new democratic institutions and yet meet public demands for safety and security? How can criminal justice innovations (e.g., community crime prevention, restorative justice) be used to strengthen democracies? What new roles can communities develop for providing the moral order on which democracies rely and on which they thrive? How can principles of democratic governance be transferred to the supra- and international level in an increasingly globalized security environment? How do democratic states preserve and defend justice in the face of increasing threats from transnational crime and terrorism?

The editors plan to use the 14th World Congress of Criminology [Philadelphia, USA, 7-12 August 2005 (www.worldcriminology2005.com)] as an opportunity to identify papers for the volume.

Timetable and deadlines: We plan to have a final list of contributors by **November 30, 2005** and final manuscripts by **June 30, 2006**. Final acceptance of all manuscripts will be made by the Editors of the *Annals*. **For more information, contact the special issue editors:** Susanne Karstedt: s.karstedt@keele.ac.uk or Gary LaFree: glafree@msn.com

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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://www.cj.txstate.edu/swacjindex.html>. Inquiries may be directed to the editor at jon_sorensen@pvamu.edu.

JOURNAL OF ETHNICITY IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

The Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice Special Edition

The *Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice* invites scholars to submit manuscripts for a special issue of its journal on **Crime And Criminal Justice Issues In The Caribbean**, focusing on policing, courts, corrections, race, gender and ethnicity issues, and crime prevention strategies and programs. 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. **The deadline for submissions is September 15, 2005.**

All manuscripts submitted for publication to the *Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice* are peer-reviewed. Please send manuscripts to: Dr. Janice Joseph, Criminal Justice Program Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, P.O. Box 195, Pomona, New Jersey 08240; josephj@stockton.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.

NIJ/MAPS SIXTH ANNUAL STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION

NIJ's MAPS program is now accepting papers for the Sixth Annual Student Paper Competition, which is established to recognize important work in the field of spatial analysis of crime and criminal behavior. Papers may be theoretical or empirical in nature, but must directly address the use of spatial data analysis in the study of crime or criminality. There will be three separate competitions, one for Ph.D. students one for M.A. & M.S. students and one for B.A. & B.S. students.

The three winners will be invited to present their papers at the Eighth Annual Crime Mapping Research Conference in Savannah, Georgia, September 7 - 10, 2005. The National Institute of Justice will reimburse travel, lodging, and conference registration fees for the three winners. **The deadline for student papers is 5pm EST, April 25, 2005.** Student Paper submission guidelines are available at the MAPS website: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/nij/maps/savannah2005/index.html>

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