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EDUCATION

- 1998 Ph.D., Criminology and Criminal Justice, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL.
- 1995 M.S., Criminology and Criminal Justice, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL.
- 1993 B.A. (cum laude) Journalism, University of Georgia, Athens, GA.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2014-present PROFESSOR, Department of Government and Justice Studies, Appalachian State University
- 2011-2014 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, Department of Government and Justice Studies, Appalachian State University
- 2008-2011 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, Department of Government and Justice Studies, Appalachian State University
- 2004-2008 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, Criminal Justice Program, Department of Human Services, Bowling Green State University
- 1998-2004 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, Criminal Justice Program, Department of Human Services, Bowling Green State University
- 1996-1998 GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR, School of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Florida State University
- 1995-1996 GRADUATE STUDENT INTERNSHIP SUPERVISOR, School of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Florida State University
- 1995 RESEARCH ASSISTANT and EDITOR, Research Network, Tallahassee, Florida
- 1992-1993 NEWS WRITER, EDITOR, and ANNOUNCER, WUGA-FM, Athens, Georgia

COURSES TAUGHT

Undergraduate Courses

- Criminal Courts/Judicial Process
- Procedural Rights/Criminal Procedure
- Research Methods
- Drugs, Crime, and Criminal Justice
- Crime News: Criminal Justice in the Media
- Independent Study – First Amendment Law
- Senior Seminar in Criminal Justice (race, class, gender concentration)
- Constitutional Law (including Honors)
- Law and Society/Civil Rights and Liberties
- The Fourth Amendment (Honors)
- The First Amendment (Honors)
- Writing in Criminal Justice
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis
- Criminal Law
- Law and Legal Issues in DC - Study Away
- Current Legal Issues in Criminal Justice (Honors)
- Issues in Judicial Politics
- Security and Intelligence in DC - Study Away
- Federal Courts: Law and Practice

Graduate Courses

- Criminal Justice Processes and Institutions
- Seminar in Criminal Justice Legal Issues
- Race, Gender, and Diversity Issues in Criminal Justice
- Court Administration
- The Criminal Court
- Directed Research
- Master's Thesis
- Capstone Director

STUDENT COMMITTEES

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| 2024 | Thesis Director |
| | ● Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director -Topic: Police Use of Force Against Minorities |
| 2023-2024 | Thesis Director |
| | ● Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director -Topic: LGBTQ+ Global Movement |
| 2023-2024 | Thesis Director |
| | ● Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director -Topic: Rural Indigent Defense |

- 2023 Dissertation Committee Member
- PsyD Candidate
 - Topic: Relationship Between CJ Involvement and Suicide
- 2023 Thesis Director
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Jury Nullification
- 2021-2022 Thesis Director
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Whistleblowing
- 2020-2021 Thesis Director
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Issues in Criminal Justice Reform
- 2020-2021 Thesis Director
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Second Amendment
- 2020-2021 Thesis Director
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: The Fourth Amendment and Technological Privacy
- 2020-2021 Capstone Reader
- Graduate Capstone Reader
 - Topic: Transitions to Community Living
- 2019-2020 Thesis Director
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Women on the USSC
- 2019-2020 Thesis Director
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Indigent Defense in NC

- 2018-2019 Thesis Reader
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Reader
-Topic: Drunkorexia
- 2017 Capstone Director
- Graduate Capstone Direction
-Topic: Use of Private Counsel in Rural NC
- 2016-2017 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
-Topic: Voting Rights and Voter ID Laws
- 2016-2017 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
-Topic: Human Trafficking
- 2015-2016 Thesis reader
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis
-Topic: Human Trafficking
- 2015-2016 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
-Topic: Mapping Transgressions: The Road to Privacy
- 2015-2016 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
-Topic: Decriminalized Sex Work: A Deliberation
- 2014-2015 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
-Topic: Do Students Know Their Fourth Amendment Rights?
- 2013-2014 Thesis advisor
- Masters Thesis Director
-Topic: Eyewitness Testimony and Wrongful Convictions

- 2013-2014 Thesis reader
- Masters Thesis reader
 - Topic: Police Perception of the Effectiveness of Megan's Law Against Sex Offenders
- 2013 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Wrongful Convictions
- 2013 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Jury Nullification
- 2012-2013 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Judicial Selection
- 2012-2013 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: USSC and Public Opinion
- 2012-2013 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis Director
 - Topic: Sexual Harassment Laws
- 2012 Thesis reader
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis reader
 - Topic: Student Political Knowledge
- 2012 Thesis reader
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis reader
 - Topic: Investigating Sex Trafficking
- 2011 Thesis reader
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis reader
 - Topic: North Carolina's Habitual Offender Statute

- 2010 Thesis reader
- Master's thesis reader
-Topic: Psychopathy and Corporate Crime
- 2010 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis director
-Topic: Issues with Eyewitness Testimony: A Case Study
- 2010 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis director
-Topic: From Declaration to Ratification: The Role of the States in the Founding of America
- 2009 Thesis reader
- Master's thesis reader
-Topic: Drug Courts
- 2009 Thesis advisor
- Undergraduate Honors Thesis director
-Topic: Exonerations and Commutations on North Carolina's Death Row
- 2006-2007 Major professor - BGSU
- Master's comprehensive exam preparation
 - Grading of substantive area comprehensive exam
-Topic – Federal Drug Sentencing
- 2005-2006 Thesis advisor - BGSU
- Master's thesis director
-Topic – Abolishing the Death Penalty in China
- 2005-2006 Major professor - BGSU
- Master's comprehensive exam preparation
 - Grading of substantive area comprehensive exam
-Topic – Race and Juvenile Justice

- 2004-2005 Major professor - BGSU
- Master's comprehensive exam preparation
 - Grading of substantive area comprehensive exam
 - Topic – Victim's Rights in the Criminal Justice System
- 2004-2005 Thesis reader - BGSU
- Master's thesis reader
 - Topic – Racial Composition of Juries and Effects on Non-Capital Felony Case Outcomes
- 2003-2004 Major professor - BGSU
- Master's comprehensive exam preparation
 - Grading of substantive area comprehensive exam
 - Topic – Race and Drug Sentencing
- 2001-2002 Major professor – BGSU
- Master's comprehensive exam preparation
 - Grading of substantive area comprehensive exam
 - Topic – Priority Prosecution
- 2001-2002 Major professor - BGSU
- Master's comprehensive exam preparation
 - Grading of substantive area comprehensive exam
 - Topic – Jury Trials

OTHER TEACHING ACTIVITIES

- 2023 Supervisor, Research Assistant, Dept. of Psychology
- 2010-present Pre-Law Advisor, Department of Government and Justice Studies
- 2010 Author, chapter slides for *Criminal Justice: The Essentials, 2nd Edition*, Oxford University Press
- 2008-15 Grading of courts-related comprehensive exam questions for master's students in criminal justice at ASU
- 2007 Reviewer, On-line course development, MacGraw-Hill Publishers
- 2007 Author, Instructor's Manual, *Criminal Justice: The Essentials*, Oxford University Press

- 2005 Facilitator, Student Workshop - BGSU
- Topic – “How to Write a Resume”
- 2003 Author, “Writing for CRJU Majors” (also “GERO Majors” and “SOWK Majors”)
- Manuals highlighting basic writing skills adopted by all programs in the Department of Human Services at BGSU
- 2003 Instructor, Summer Honors Institute, Office of Gifted Programs, BGSU
- Topic – “Appeal: Judgment and Ethics in the American Criminal Justice System”
- 2002-2008 Grading of general area of comprehensive exams for all master’s students in criminal justice at BGSU
- 2000-2002 Development of Master’s Program in Criminal Justice, BGSU
- Creation of curriculum
 - New course preparation (CRJU 501, CRJU 630, CRJU 650)
- Fall 2001 Independent Study - BGSU
- Topic – “The Constitution and the Criminal Justice System”
- Spring 2000 Independent Study - BGSU
- Topic – “Free Speech and the Criminal Justice System”

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Constitutional law and civil liberties
- Criminal law and procedure
- The court system
- Civil asset forfeiture
- Race, class, gender issues in the administration of justice

FUNDED PROJECTS

- 2009-2010 **Marian Williams**, Jefferson Holcomb (ASU) and Tomislav Kovandzic (UT Dallas).
- “Policing for Profit: The Abuse of Civil Asset Forfeiture.” Funding awarded by the Institute for Justice
- 2000 Steven Lab, William King, **Marian Williams**, Glenn Shields, and Sarah Chard (all at BGSU)
- “Evaluation of Violence Against Women: Appalachian Domestic Violence Program.” Grant awarded by the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services
- 2000 Jefferson Holcomb and **Marian Williams**
- “Wrongful Convictions – The Innocence Project.” Private funding by the Anderson family of Maumee, Ohio
- 2000 **Marian Williams**
- “Implementing Domestic Violence Prevention in Appalachia.” American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. Travel grant funded by BGSU
- 1999 **Marian Williams**
- “Race and the Use of the Death Penalty in Ohio.” American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Toronto, Ontario. Travel grant funded by BGSU

UNFUNDED PROJECTS

- 2007 Steven Lab, Melissa Burek, Christopher Schreck, **Marian Williams**
- “Protecting Our Youth: Identifying the Significance of Factors That Insulate Against Violent Victimization Relative to Population-Specific Characteristics.” Grant proposal submitted to the Centers for Disease Control and National Center for Injury Prevention and Control

- 2004 Steven Lab, **Marian Williams**, and Glenn Shields
- “Prosecutorial Decision-Making in Domestic Violence Cases: A Qualitative and Quantitative Assessment” Grant proposal submitted to the National Institute of Justice
- 1999 Jeff Holcomb, Glenn Shields, Steven Lab, and **Marian Williams**
- “A Modified Therapeutic Community: Evaluation and Assessment.” Grant proposal submitted to the National Institute of Justice

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- Lab, S., **Williams, M.**, Holcomb, J., King, W., Burek, M., & Buerger, M. (2021). *Criminal justice: The essentials*. 6th edition. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Lab, S., **Williams, M.**, Holcomb, J., Burek, M., King, W., & Buerger, M. (2018). *Criminal justice: The essentials*. 5th Edition. New York: Oxford University Press
- Lab, S., **Williams, M.**, Holcomb, J., Burek, M., King, W., & Buerger, M. (2015). *Criminal justice: The essentials*. 4th Edition. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Lab, S., **Williams, M.**, Holcomb, J., Burek, M., King, W., & Buerger, M. (2013). *Criminal justice: The essentials*. 3rd Edition. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Lab, S., **Williams, M.**, Holcomb, J., Burek, M., King, W., & Buerger, M. (2011). *Criminal justice: The essentials*. 2nd Edition. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Lab, S., **Williams, M.**, Holcomb, J., Burek, M., King, W., & Buerger, M. (2008). *Criminal justice: The essentials*. 1st Edition. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Williams, M.** (2004). *Ohio criminal law*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Lab, S., **Williams, M.**, Holcomb, J., King, W., & Buerger, M. (2004). *Explaining criminal justice*. Los Angeles: Roxbury.

Williams, M., King, W., & Holcomb, J. (2001). *Criminal justice in Ohio*. Boston, MA: Allyn and Bacon.

Book Chapters and Re-Printed Works

Williams, M. (2021). The courts in a color-blind society. In M. Robinson (Ed.), *Race, ethnicity, crime, and justice* (pp. 153-175). Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press.

Williams, M. (2016). The courts in a color-blind society. In M. Robinson (Ed.), *Race, ethnicity, crime, and justice*. (pp. 143-163). Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press.

Williams, M. & Holcomb, J. (2012). The interactive effect of victim race and gender on racial disparity findings in death penalty research. In C. Spohn and C. Hemmens (Eds), *Courts: A text/reader*. 2nd Edition (p. 466-479). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Williams, M., & Holcomb, J. (2009). The interactive effect of victim race and gender on racial disparity findings in death penalty research. In C. Spohn and C. Hemmens (Eds.), *Courts: A text/reader*. 1st Edition (p. 475-489). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Shields, G., King, W., **Williams, M.**, Chard, S., & Lab, S. (2004). Evaluating media strategies in rural communities: The Appalachian Domestic Violence Project. In L. Scales and C. Streeter (Eds.), *Rural social work: Building and sustaining community assets* (p. 317-327). Pacific Grove, CA: Brooks/Cole.

Book Reviews

Williams, M. (2013). Book review. [Review of *Murder stories: Ideological narratives in capital punishment*. by P. Kaplan]. *Criminal Justice Review* 38, 405-407.

Williams, M. (2005). Book review. [Review of *Debating the death penalty: Should America have capital punishment? The experts on both sides make their case*, by H. Bedau & P. Cassell]. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 28, 138-143.

Reports and Manuals

Williams, M., Holcomb, J., Kovandzic, T., & Bullock, S. (2010). *Policing for profit: The abuse of civil asset forfeiture*. Washington, DC: Institute for Justice.

Williams, M. (2003). *Writing for CRJU, GERO, and SOWK majors*.
Department of Human Services, Bowling Green State University.

Lab, Steven, Shields, G., King, W., **Williams, M.**, & Chard, S. (2001).
*Evaluation of Ohio Appalachian domestic violence project: Final report
and executive summary*. Columbus, OH: Ohio Office of Criminal Justice
Services.

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Williams, M. (in press). Disparities in capital sentencing. *The Oxford
research encyclopedia of criminology and criminal justice*. New York,
NY: Oxford University Press.

Williams, M. (2022). The right to counsel in pretrial proceedings. In J. Copp, S.
Demuth, and C. Scott-Hayward (Eds.), *Handbook on pretrial justice* (pp.
130-143). New York: Routledge.

Williams, M. (2020). Megan's Law. In Crank, B., & Marcum, C. (Eds.),
Controversial issues in criminal justice: An active learning approach.
(pp. 185-202). San Diego, CA: Cognella Academic Publishing.

Williams, M. (2019). Timbs. In Klein, D., & Marietta, M. (Eds.),
SCOTUS 2019. New York, NY: Palgrave Macmillan.

Williams, M. (2019). Disparities in capital sentencing. In Pontell, H. &
Spohn, C. (Eds.). *The Oxford research encyclopedia of criminology and
criminal justice*. New York, NY: Oxford University Press.

Holcomb, J., **Williams, M.**, Hicks, W., Kovandzic, T., Bisaccia-Meitl, M.
(2018). Civil asset forfeiture laws and equitable sharing activity by the
police. *Criminology & Public Policy*, 17, 101-127.

Williams, M. (2017). The effect of attorney type on bail decisions. *Criminal
Justice Policy Review*, 28, 3-17.

Williams, M. (2016). From bail to jail: The impact of jail capacity on bail
decisions. *American Journal of Criminal Justice*, 41: 484-497.

Williams, M. (2016). Gender and the death penalty in comparative perspective.
In Naples, N., Hoogland, R., Wickramasinghe, M, & Wong, W. (Eds.),
Encyclopedia of gender and sexuality studies (p. 1-2). Hoboken, NJ:
Wiley-Blackwell.

- Williams, M.** (2016). Juries. In W. Jennings, G. Higgins, D. Khey, & M. Maldonado-Molina (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of crime and punishment* (p. 1-4). Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.
- Williams, M.** (2015). The courts in a color-blind society. In M. Robinson (Ed.), *Race, ethnicity, crime, and justice* (p. 143-168). Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press.
- Williams, M.** (2014). Coerced confessions. In B. Arrigo (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of criminal justice ethics* (p. 144-145). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications .
- Bradbury, M., & **Williams, M.** (2013). Diversity and citizen participation: The effect of race on juror decision-making. *Administration and Society, 45*, 563-582.
- Williams, M.** (2013). The effectiveness of public defenders in four Florida counties. *Journal of Criminal Justice, 41*, 205-212.
- Holcomb, J., Kovandzic, T., & **Williams, M.** (2011). Civil asset forfeiture, equitable sharing, and policing for profit in the United States. *Journal of Criminal Justice, 39*, 273-285.
- Williams, M.** (2010). Civil litigation. In B. Fisher and S. Lab (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of victimology and crime prevention* (p. 106-108). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Williams, M.** (2010). Third-party lawsuits. In B. Fisher and S. Lab (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of victimology and crime prevention* (p. 943-945). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Robinson, M., & **Williams, M.** (2009). The myth of a fair criminal justice system. *Justice Policy Journal, 6*(1) Retrieved from http://www.cjcj.org/uploads/cjcj/documents/the_myth.pdf
- Williams, M., & Burek, M.** (2008). Justice, juries, and convictions: The relevance of race in jury verdicts. *Journal of Crime and Justice, 31*, 149-169.
- Williams, M.** (2008). Bail and judicial treatment. In V. Parillo (Ed), *Encyclopedia of social problems* (p. 69-70). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Williams, M., Demuth, S., & Holcomb, J.** (2007). Understanding the influence of victim gender in death penalty cases: The importance of victim race, sex-related victimization, and jury decisionmaking. *Criminology, 45*, 865-861.

- Williams, M.** (2007). How coverage of death sentences vary: A study of two Ohio newspapers. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 30, 53-78.
- Holcomb, J., **Williams, M.**, & Demuth, S. (2004). White female victims and death penalty disparity research. *Justice Quarterly*, 21, 877-902.
- Williams, M.**, & Holcomb, J. (2004). The interactive effects of victim race and gender on death sentence disparity findings. *Homicide Studies* 8, 1-27.
- Williams, M.** (2004). The role of prerequisites in a criminal justice curriculum. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, 15, 19-32.
- Holcomb, J., & **Williams, M.** (2003). Bad time: The rise and fall of penal policy in Ohio. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 26, 153-176.
- Williams, M.** (2003). The effect of pretrial detention on imprisonment decisions. *Criminal Justice Review*, 28, 299-317.
- Vieraitis, L., & **Williams, M.** (2002). Assessing the impact of gender inequality on female homicide victimization across U.S. cities: A racially disaggregated analysis. *Violence Against Women*, 8, 35-63.
- Williams, M.** (2002). A comparison of sentencing outcomes for defendants with public defenders versus retained counsel in a Florida Circuit Court. *Justice System Journal*, 23, 249-258.
- Williams, M.** (2002). Civil asset forfeiture: Where does the money go? *Criminal Justice Review*, 27, 321-329.
- Williams, M.**, & Holcomb, J. (2001). Racial disparity and death sentences in Ohio. *Journal of Criminal Justice*, 29, 207-218.
- Williams, M.** (1999). Gender and sentencing: An analysis of indicators. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 40, 471-491.

PRESENTATIONS

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| 2021 | “Civil Asset Forfeiture,” South Carolina Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, via WebEx |
| 2019 | “Assigned Counsel in North Carolina: Exploration of Court Level Variation in Case Assignments, Dispositions, and Attorney Payments” with Kirstin Morgan, American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA |

- 2019 “Bench Trials in Felony Cases: A Viable Alternative to Jury Trials in an Era of Expediency?” with Ellen Key, Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Conference, Nashville, TN
- 2018 “Assigned Counsel in North Carolina: Patterns in Case Assignment, Payment, and Dispositional Outcomes” with Kirstin Morgan, American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA
- 2017 “The Effect of Race, Ethnicity, and Gender on Bail Decisions: A Focus on Financial Release,” American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA
- 2017 “Hate Speech and the US Supreme Court,” Free Speech Week, Appalachian State University
- 2016 “The Impact of Asset Forfeiture Laws on Police Forfeiture Activity” with Jeff Holcomb, Will Hicks, Tom Kovandzic, and Michelle Bisaccia-Meitl, Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, Savannah, GA
- 2016 “Asset Forfeiture in North Carolina,” North Carolina Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, Raleigh, NC
- 2015 “Equitable Sharing and Asset Forfeiture by the Police,” with Jeff Holcomb, Tom Kovandzic, and Michelle Bisaccia-Meitl, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL
- 2014 “Exploring the Role of Perpetrator Suicide in the ‘White Female Victim Effect,’” with Jeff Holcomb, Tara Richards, and Lane Gillespie, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA
- 2013 “The Effectiveness of Public Defenders in Four Florida Counties” American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA
- 2012 “The Jury and the Death Penalty: Issues and Concerns” Constitution Day Presentation, Appalachian State University
- 2011 “Comparing the Decision-Makers: Do Judges and Jurors View the Same Trial Differently? American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Washington, DC

- 2010 “Policing for Profit: The Use of Civil Asset Forfeiture”
Cato Institute, Washington, DC
- 2009 “The Use of Civil Asset Forfeiture by the Police,” with
Jefferson Holcomb and Tomislav Kovandzic, American
Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA
- 2008 “The Relevance of Race in Jury Verdicts,” with
Melissa Burek, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual
Meeting, Cincinnati, OH
- 2007 “Understanding the Influence of Victim Gender in Death
Penalty Cases: The Importance of Victim Race, Sex-Related
Victimization, and Jury Decision-Making,” with Steven
Demuth and Jeff Holcomb, American Society of Criminology
Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA
- 2006 “Race, Gender, and Participation in Jury Deliberations”,
Midwest Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting,
Chicago, IL
- 2006 “The Independent and Joint Effects of Victim Gender and Race on
Death Penalty Outcomes: Revisiting the Baldus Study” with
Jeff Holcomb and Steven Demuth, Midwest Criminal Justice
Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL
- 2005 “The Legal Implications of CCTV” with Jeff Holcomb and
Steven Lab, American Society of Criminology, Annual
Conference, Toronto, Canada
- 2005 “Capital Punishment” with Jeff Holcomb, Bowling Green
State University, 6 O’clock Talk Series
- 2005 “Quit Mocking Me: An Examination of Racial Composition of
Juries on Non-Capital Felony Case Outcomes” with Melissa
Burek and Sarah Nadeau. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences
Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.
- 2004 “What Makes a Good Story? An Assessment of Death Sentence
Stories in Ohio Newspapers” with Jefferson Holcomb. Academy
of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV
- 2003 “Newspaper Coverage of Death Sentences in Ohio: A Comparison
of Cities” with Jefferson Holcomb. American Society of
Criminology Annual Conference, Denver, CO

- 2002 "Victim-Based Disparity and Death Sentences: A Specification of Previous Findings" with Jefferson Holcomb. American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Chicago, IL
- 2002 "Preparing Students for Criminal Justice Courses." Midwest Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2002 "The Interactive Effect of Victim Race-Gender on Death Sentence Disparity Findings" with Jefferson Holcomb. Midwest Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2001 "Evaluation and Assessment of a Modified Correctional Therapeutic Community" with Jefferson Holcomb. American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- 2001 "Local Coverage of Death Sentences in Ohio" with Jefferson Holcomb. Midwest Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2001 "Breaking up the Violence and Not the Victim: Domestic Violence Intervention in Appalachia" with Steven Lab, William King, Glenn Shields, and Sarah Chard. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
- 2001 "Domestic Violence Intervention in Appalachia" with Glenn Shields, Steven Lab, William King, and Sarah Chard. National Institute on Human Services in Rural Areas, Austin, TX.
- 2000 "An Organizational Assessment of Family Violence Intervention Services" with Glenn Shields. Victimization of Children and Youth: An International Research Conference, Durham, NH.
- 2000 "Bad Time in Ohio's Correctional System" with Jefferson Holcomb. American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- 2000 "Assessing the Relationship Between Gender and Racial Inequality and Female Homicide Victimization" with Lynne Vieraitis. American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA
- 2000 "Implementing Domestic Violence Prevention in Appalachia" with Steven Lab, William King, Glenn Shields, and Sarah Chard. American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA

- 2000 "Domestic Violence Prevention in Rural Settings" with William King, Steven Lab, Glenn Shields, and Sarah Chard. Midwest Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2000 "The Use and Misuse of Appointed Counsel in the Criminal Justice System." College of Health and Human Services Colloquium Series, Bowling Green State University.
- 1999 "Deterrence and Capital Sentencing in Ohio." Midwest Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 1999 "Race and the Death Penalty in Ohio." American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Toronto, Canada.
- 1998 "A Comparison of Court-Appointed Counsel and Retained Counsel." American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
- 1997 "The Law of Conspiracy." American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.

SERVICE

University/Department/Program

| | |
|---|--------------|
| -Chairperson, CJ Policing Search | 2024 |
| -Faculty Assistance Committee | 2024-present |
| -Faculty Advisor, Kappa Alpha Pi Law Fraternity | 2023-present |
| -Title IX Liaison, Appellate Officer | 2022-present |
| -Academic Integrity Committee | 2020-present |
| -Co-coordinator, Women in Justice Symposium | 2019-present |
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| -Faculty Transfer Mentor | 2018-present |
| -Open house | 2010-present |
| -Pre-Law Advisor, Dept. of GJS | 2010-present |
| -Curriculum Committee, PPLS | 2009-present |
| -Student advising | 2009-present |
| -Curriculum Committee, CJ | 2008-present |
| -Chairperson, CJ Policing Search | 2022 |
| -Chairperson, GJS Chair Search | 2021 |
| -Faculty Grievance Assistance Committee | 2020-2022 |
| -Post-Tenure Review Committee | 2019-2023 |
| -Faculty Due Process Committee | 2017-2020 |
| -GJS Scholarship Committee | 2019-2021 |
| -Search committee, PA faculty search | 2019-2020 |
| -Lawlapalooza Week co-coordinator | 2018 |
| -Advising Handbook Committee | 2018 |
| -Chairperson, CJ Courts Search | 2017-2018 |

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| -Chairperson, CJ Policing Search | 2017-2018 |
| -Teaching Evaluation Committee, Chair | 2017-2018 |
| -Faculty Governance Committee | 2016-2018 |
| -Chairperson, CJ Courts Search | 2014-2015 |
| -GJS Honors Day coordinator | 2014-2018 |
| -Chairperson, GJS Juvenile Justice Search | 2013-2014 |
| -Assistant Chair, GJS | 2013-2018 |
| -Post Tenure Review Committee (alternate) | 2012-2017 |
| -DPC member, tenured alternate | 2012-2017 |
| -Search committee, CJ faculty search (open) | 2011-2012 |
| -Search committee, PS faculty search (judicial politics) | 2011-2012 |
| -DPC member, tenured voting | 2011-2013 |
| | 2017-2019 |
| -EOA Representative | 2011-2013 |
| -Search committee, CJ faculty search (courts) | 2010-2011 |
| -Search committee, CJ faculty search (policing) | 2010-2011 |
| -DPC member, untenured voting | 2010-2011 |

Professional

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|---|--------------|
| -Member, American Society of Criminology | 1997-present |
| -Member, Midwestern Criminal Justice Association | 1999-2008 |
| -Conference Panel Chair | 1999 |
| -Member, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences | 2000-present |
| -Member, Constitution and By-Laws Committee, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences | 2001-2004 |
| -Member, William L. Simon/Anderson Publishing Outstanding Paper Award (judge), Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences | 2007-2008 |
| -Member, Southern Criminal Justice Association | 2014-present |
| -Member, NC Criminal Justice Association | 2015-present |
| -Reviewer, <u>Criminal Justice Policy Review</u> | 2000-present |
| -Reviewer, Pine Forge Press | 2000 |
| -Reviewer, <u>Journal of Criminal Justice</u> | 2001-present |
| -Reviewer, <u>American Journal of Criminal Justice</u> | 2002-present |
| -Reviewer, Roxbury Press | 2003-2008 |
| -Reviewer, Wolters Kluwer | 2011-2012 |
| -Reviewer, <u>Criminology</u> | 2011-present |
| -Reviewer, <u>Crime and Delinquency</u> | 2012-present |
| -Reviewer, <u>Review of Behavioral Economics</u> | 2016-present |

SERVICE AT BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

Department/Program

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| -Acting Chair, Department of Human Services | 2007 |
| -Criminal Justice Forum Facilitator | 2006, 2002 |
| -Faculty Evaluation and Development Committee | 2005-2006 |
| -Chair | 2005-2006 |
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| | 2003-2004 |
| | 2000-2001 |
| -Search Committee, Gerontology | 2004-2005 |
| | 2003-2004 |
| -Promotion and Tenure Committee | 2004-2008 |
| -Chair | 2007-2008 |
| -Author, "Writing for CRJU, GERO, and SOWK Majors," | 2003 |
| -Development of Master's Program in Criminal Justice | 2000-2002 |
| -Search Committee, Criminal Justice | 1998-2002 |
| -Chair | 2001-2002 |
| -Preview Day - BGSU freshman recruitment | 1999-2008 |
| -Search Committee, Gerontology and Social Work | 1998-1999 |

College

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| -Promotion and Tenure Committee | 2006-2008 |
| -Graduate Curriculum Committee | 2004-2007 |
| -Chair | 2006-2007 |
| -Interdisciplinary Health Care Team Conference, Invited Panelist | 2003 |
| -Graduation Marshal | Fall 2002 |
| -President's Day Facilitator | 2001-2008 |
| -Learning Facilitator, "Senior Assemblies" | 2000 |
| -Undergraduate Curriculum Committee | 1999-2001 |
| -Chair | 2000-2001 |

University

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| -Academic Honesty Committee | 2006-2007 |
| | 2004-2005 |
| -Faculty Senate FPCC Board of Appeal | 2005 |
| -BG Experience Bookstore Scholarship Committee | 2005 |
| -Summer Honors Institute, Instructor | 2003 |
| -Shanklin Awards Competition, Judge | 2003 |
| -Subcommittee for Undergraduate Research | 2001-2002 |
| -Athletic Department Recruitment - football | 1999 |
| -O-Reg Parents' Presentations | 1999-2001 |

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| -Ad Hoc Committee on Workplace Violence | 1998-1999 |
| -Academic Appeals Committee | 1998-1999 |

Community

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| -Criminal Justice Forum Facilitator | 2006 |
| -Criminal Justice Forum Facilitator and Co-Founder | 2001-2002 |

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2023 Nominee, Board of Governors Excellence in Teaching A
- 2023 Nominee, Outstanding Advisor Award, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2023 Nominee, Chancellor's & Provost's Award for Excellence in Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity
- 2021 Nominee, Outstanding Advisor Award, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2018 Nominee, Outstanding Advisor Award, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2017 Nominee, Faculty Appreciation Award, Student Government Association, Appalachian State University
- 2017 Nominee, Outstanding Advisor Award, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2016 Nominee, Outstanding Advisor Award, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2014 Member, Academy of Outstanding Teachers, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2014 Nominee, Outstanding Advisor Award, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2013 Nominee, Outstanding Advisor Award, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2012 Recipient, Faculty Appreciation Award. Awarded by Student Government Association, Appalachian State University