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FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

2018- *Assistant Professor*
Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice
The University of South Carolina
Columbia, SC

EDUCATION

2018 Ph.D., *Criminology*, The University of Delaware, Newark, DE
2015 M.A., *Criminology*, The University of Delaware, Newark, DE
2011 B.A., *Criminal Justice, Cum Laude*, The University of Georgia, Athens, GA

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Crime Trends; Crime Clearance and Investigations; Gun Violence; Domestic Violence; Mass Victimization; Neighborhood Effects; Quantitative Methods and Measurement; Violence Escalation and Lethality

TEACHING INTERESTS

Homicide; Communities and Crime; The American Criminal Justice System; Punishment and Social Control; Research Methods; Advanced Quantitative Methods; Rural Criminology; Gun Violence

HONORS & AWARDS

2018 James L. Maddex, Jr. 2017 Paper of the Year Award, *Criminal Justice Review* and *SAGE Publications*
2017-2018 Dissertation Fellowship, *University of Delaware*
2017 Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Doctoral Summit Scholarship, *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*

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- 2015** Richard Block Award for Outstanding Thesis Research, *Homicide Research Working Group*
- 2013-2015** DuPont Scholar's Award, *University of Delaware*
- 2013-2018** Graduate Assistantship, *University of Delaware*
- 2009-2011** HOPE Scholarship, *University of Georgia*

GRANT ACTIVITY

- 2021** "Disparities in Intimate Partner Violence against Women across the Rural-Urban Divide: The Impact of Community Structure and Culture on Resources, Help-Seeking Behavior, and Violence Escalation." **Ashley Mancik** (PI) and Kai Lin (Co-PI). U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence against Women, Solicitation O-OVW-2021-45006. Submitted May 2021. Amount requested \$447,252; not awarded.
- 2019** "Domestic Violence in South Carolina: A Study of Domestic Violence Case Processing, Recidivism, and Homicides." Christi Metcalfe (PI), Robert Brame (Co-PI), and **Ashley Mancik** (Co-PI). Submitted February 2019. Amount requested \$487,319; not awarded.
- 2014** "Community Context and Homicide Clearance Rates: Estimating the Effects of Collective Efficacy." National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship. Submitted November 2014; not awarded.
- 2013** "Collective Efficacy and Homicide Clearance." National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship. Submitted November 2013; not awarded.

BOOKS & EDITED VOLUMES

- Forth.** Parker, Karen F., Richard Stansfield, and **Ashley M. Mancik** (eds.). *Taking Stock of Homicide: Trends, Emerging Themes, and Research Challenges*. Temple, PA: Temple University Press. <https://tupress.temple.edu/books/taking-stock-of-homicide>

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

*indicates graduate student co-author; **indicates undergraduate student co-author

- 2024** Cook, Philip, and **Ashley Mancik**. "The 60-Year Trajectory of Homicide Clearance Rates: Toward a Better Understanding of the Great Decline." *Annual Review of Criminology*, 7. [DOI: 10.1146/annurev-criminol-022422-122744](https://doi.org/10.1146/annurev-criminol-022422-122744)
- 2023** Semenza, Daniel, Richard Stansfield, Trent Steidley, and **Ashley Mancik**. "Firearm Availability, Homicide, and the Context of Structural Disadvantage." *Homicide Studies*, 27(2), 208-228. [DOI: 10.1177/10887679211043806](https://doi.org/10.1177/10887679211043806)

- 2022** Boyle, Kaitlin M., P’Trice Jones*, and **Ashley Mancik**. “Racialized Backlash: A State-Level Analysis of Black Women’s Homicide Victimization by Black Men, White Men, and Police.” *Crime & Delinquency*, 0(0). DOI: [10.1177/00111287221134922](https://doi.org/10.1177/00111287221134922)
- 2022** Schnell, Cory, M. Dylan Spencer*, **Ashley Mancik**, Louise Porter, Justin Ready, and Geoffrey Alpert. “Expanding Research on Investigations of Officer-Involved Shootings: An Experimental Evaluation of Question Timing on Police Officers’ Memory Recall.” *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 49(7), 1031-1049. DOI: [10.1177/00938548211035824](https://doi.org/10.1177/00938548211035824)
- 2021** **Mancik, Ashley**, Shila R. Hawk, John Jarvis, and Wendy C. Regoeczi. “Evaluating Fluctuations in Homicide: Crowdsourcing Trends and Assessing Sentiments of Change.” *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 44(5), 553-578. DOI: [10.1080/0735648X.2020.1842790](https://doi.org/10.1080/0735648X.2020.1842790)
- 2021** Stansfield, Richard, **Ashley Mancik**, Karen F. Parker, and Mariel Delacruz*. “County Variation in Female Intimate Partner Homicide: A Comparison of Hispanic and Non-Hispanic Victims.” *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 36(17-18), NP9819-NP9838. DOI: [10.1177/0886260519861657](https://doi.org/10.1177/0886260519861657)
- 2020** **Mancik, Ashley**, Richard Stansfield, & Sylessia Kinard*. “Intimate Partner Femicide in Context: An Examination of Firearm Type Across the Rural/Urban Divide.” *International Journal of Rural Criminology*, 5(2), 276-299. DOI: [10.18061/1811/92027](https://doi.org/10.18061/1811/92027)
- 2020** Lin, Kai, and **Ashley Mancik**. “National Culture on the Cross-National Variation of Homicide: An Empirical Application of the Inglehart-Welzel Cultural Map. *Sociological Forum*, 35(4), 1114-1134. DOI: [10.1111/socf.12640](https://doi.org/10.1111/socf.12640)
- 2020** Regoeczi, Wendy C., John P. Jarvis, and **Ashley Mancik**. “Homicide Investigations in Context: Exploring Explanations for the Divergent Impacts of Victim, Race, Gender, Elderly Victims, and Firearms on Homicide Clearances.” *Homicide Studies*, 24(1), 25-44. DOI: [10.1177/1088767918802885](https://doi.org/10.1177/1088767918802885)
- 2019** **Mancik, Ashley**, and Karen F. Parker. “Homicide Clearances During Pre- and Post-US Crime Drop Eras: The Role of Structural Predictors and Demographic Shifts, 1976-2015.” *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 42(3), 237-256. DOI: [10.1080/0735648X.2018.1526101](https://doi.org/10.1080/0735648X.2018.1526101)
- 2018** **Mancik, Ashley**, Karen F. Parker, and Kirk R. Williams. “Neighborhood Context and Homicide Clearance: Estimating the Effects of Collective Efficacy.” *Homicide Studies*, 22(2), 188-213. DOI: [10.1177/1088767918755419](https://doi.org/10.1177/1088767918755419)
- 2017** Parker, Karen F., **Ashley Mancik**, and Richard Stansfield. “American Crime Drops: Investigating the Breaks, Dips, and Drops in Temporal Homicide.” *Social Science Research*, 64, 154-170. DOI: [10.1016/j.ssresearch.2016.09.029](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ssresearch.2016.09.029)
- 2017** Jarvis, John P., **Ashley Mancik**, and Wendy C. Regoeczi. “Police Responses to Violent Crime: Reconsidering the Mobilization of Law.” *Criminal Justice Review*, 42(1), 5-25. DOI: [10.1177/0734016816684198](https://doi.org/10.1177/0734016816684198)

Winner of the James L. Maddex, Jr. Paper of the Year Award, 2017

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

- R&R** Nelan, Mary, and **Ashley Mancik**. “The Argument for Differentiating Ideologically Motivated Mass Shootings (IMMS): A Disaster Science Approach.” Revise and resubmit, *Journal of Homeland Security and Emergency Management*.
- Submitted** Spencer, M. Dylan, and **Ashley Mancik**. “A Systematic Review Aided by Machine Learning to Understand How We Measure the Spatial Variability of Crime.” Manuscript under review.

BOOK CHAPTERS & OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS

- Forth.** Schweit, Katherine W., and **Ashley Mancik**. “Mass Shootings.” in *Handbook of Gun Violence*, edited by N. Thomson. Elsevier.
- 2019** Schnell, Cory, **Ashley Mancik**, and Hunter Boehme*. (May). “An Evaluation of Richland County Sheriff Department’s Body Worn Camera Program.” Technical report presented to Richland County Sheriff’s Department.
- 2017** Schweit, Katherine W., and **Ashley Mancik**. (May). “How School Resource Officers Can Help Prevent School Violence – Best Practices from Experienced Voices: Part II – Proven Strategies.” *FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin*. <https://leb.fbi.gov/articles/featured-articles/school-resource-officers-and-violence-prevention-best-practices-part-two>
- 2017** Schweit, Katherine W., and **Ashley Mancik**. (April). “How School Resource Officers Can Help Prevent School Violence – Best Practices from Experienced Voices: Part I – Getting Started.” *FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin*. <https://leb.fbi.gov/articles/featured-articles/school-resource-officers-and-violence-prevention-best-practices-part-one>
- 2017** Violence Prevention in Schools: Enhancement through Law Enforcement Partnership. (March) Federal Bureau of Investigation White Paper. <https://www.fbi.gov/file-repository/violence-prevention-in-schools-march-2017.pdf/view>
- 2017** Anderson, Tammy L., Laura Rapp, Dan O’Connell, TaLisa Carter, **Ashley Mancik**, Steve Martin et al. “Opiate and Heroin Dependency Transition Committee (OHDTTC) SWOT Report.” White paper presented to County Executive Matt Meyer.
- 2016** **Mancik, Ashley**. “De-policing in a Post-Ferguson Era.” White paper presented to the FBI’s Office of Partner Engagement executives.
- 2013** Parker, Karen F., and **Ashley Mancik**. “Inequality and Crime.” in *The Encyclopedia of Crime and Punishment*, edited by W.G. Jennings, G.E. Higgins, D.N. Khey, and M.M. Maldonado-Molina. Wiley-Blackwell.

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**, and Rachel Spradley*. “Comparing Apples to Oranges: An Examination of How Definitional Criteria and Data Sources Shape our Understanding of Mass Shootings.”

- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**, Patricia Becker, and Tara Martin. “Leveraging Two National Data Sources to Establish a Baseline Clearance by Arrest Model.”
- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**, and Patricia Becker. “Beyond the Usual Suspects: A Comparison of NIBRS and NCVS Sexual Assault Arrest Clearances.”
- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**. “Race, Investigative Effort, and Arrest Clearances: Leveraging Two National Data Sources to Understand Racial Disparities in Clearance by Arrest.”
- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**, Rachel Spradley*, and Wendy C. Regoeczi. “Victim-Offender Relationship and Weapon Choice in Homicides: Insights from a Sample of Convicted Homicide Offenders.”
- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**, Kai Lin, and Eaven Holder*. “Major Political Change and Anomie: A Longitudinal Examination of U.S. Homicide and Suicide Trends, 1960-2020.”
- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**, and Rachel Spradley*. “Delineating the Contours of Mass Violence: An Examination of Perpetrator Characteristics and Pre-Event, Event, and Post-Event Behavior.”
- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**, and Rachel Spradley*. “Private Danger, Public Health: An Examination of Domestic Violence as a Precursor to Mass Public Violence.”
- In prep.** **Mancik, Ashley**, Madison Wellen*, John P. Jarvis, and Wendy C. Regoeczi. “Reconceptualizing Homicide Clearance: Measuring the Gap Between Homicides Committed and Homicides Cleared.”

INVITED TALKS

- 2023** **Mancik, Ashley**. (October). “Assessing Predictors of U.S. Homicide Trends: A Meta-Analysis.” Invited speaker for the University of South Carolina’s Last Lecture Series. Columbia, SC.
- 2023** **Mancik, Ashley**. (February). “Patterns and Trends in Homicide.” Invited guest lecture for Dr. Kelsey Collins’ Analyzing Homicide Class, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC.
- 2022** **Mancik, Ashley**. (November). “Connecting with Community Organizations.” Invited discussant for the University of South Carolina’s Criminology & Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association, Columbia, SC.
- 2021** **Mancik, Ashley**. (November). “*Stop the Killing: How to End the Mass Shooting Crisis* by Katherine Schweit.” Invited book critic for Author Meets Critics session at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL.
- 2021** **Mancik, Ashley**. (October). “Research and Victim Advocacy.” Invited panelist for University of Georgia’s Criminal Justice Alumni Panel, Virtual.
- 2021** **Mancik, Ashley**. (October). “Building Evidence for Effective Investigations: A Collaborative Workshop to Identify Research Needs.” Invited discussant for working group meeting organized

by Arnold Ventures and the Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy at George Mason University, Virtual.

- 2021** **Mancik, Ashley.** (September). “Using Big Homicide Data in Research.” Invited guest lecture for Dr. Amanda Farrell’s Homicide Class, Arcadia University, Virtual.
- 2021** **Mancik, Ashley.** (March). “Preparing for a Tenure-Track Position.” Invited discussant for Rutgers School of Criminal Justice Graduate Student Lunch Series, Virtual.
- 2020** **Mancik, Ashley.** (September). “The Crime Drop in America.” Invited guest lecture for Dr. Matt Vogel’s Violence in America Class, University at Albany, Virtual.
- 2020** **Mancik, Ashley.** (May). “The Job Market.” Invited discussant for University of Delaware’s Advanced Series Seminar, Virtual.
- 2019** **Mancik, Ashley.** (November). “Articles & Appetizers.” Invited discussant for the University of South Carolina’s Criminology & Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association, Columbia, SC.
- 2019** **Mancik, Ashley.** (October). Invited panelist for University of Georgia’s Criminal Justice Alumni Panel. Athens, GA.
- 2019** **Mancik, Ashley.** (February). “Job Market Brown Bag.” Invites discussant for the University of South Carolina’s Criminology & Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association, Columbia, SC.
- 2018** **Mancik, Ashley.** (November). “Articles & Appetizers.” Invited discussant for the University of South Carolina’s Criminology & Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association, Columbia, SC.
- 2015** **Mancik, Ashley.** (November). “Community Context and Homicide Clearance Rates: Estimating the Effects of Collective Efficacy.” Invited presentation at the Homicide Research Working Group Block Awards Ceremony at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2023** Spradley, Rachel* and **Ashley Mancik.** (June). “Arson as Coercive Control: A Detailed Examination of the Role of Arson in Family Mass Murders.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Homicide Research Working Group. Augusta, GA.
- 2022** **Mancik, Ashley** and Rachel Spradley*. (November). “Private Danger, Public Health: An Examination of Domestic Violence as a Precursor to Mass Public Violence.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.
- 2022** Rodriguez, Rachel** and **Ashley Mancik.** (March). “Delineating the Contours of Mass Violence: An Examination of Perpetrator Characteristics and Pre-Event, Event, and Post-Event Behavior.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Las Vegas, NV.

- 2021** Mancik, Ashley. (November). "Current Debates in Homicide Solvability Research." *Invited* discussant for roundtable accepted for the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL.
- 2021** Mancik, Ashley. (November). "Definition Dilemma: Is it Mass Shooting, Active Shooter, Mass Killing, or Something Else?" *Invited* discussant for roundtable accepted for the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL.
- 2021** Mancik, Ashley. (November). "Stop the Killing: How to End the Mass Shooting Crisis by Katherine Schweit." *Invited* book critic for panel accepted for Author Meets Critic session at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL.
- 2021** Rodriguez, Rachel**, and Ashley Mancik. (May). "Mass Murder, Mass Shootings, and Active Shooter: A Comparison across Definitions and Data Sources." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Homicide Research Working Group, Virtual.
- 2021** Wellen, Hadley*, and Ashley Mancik. (May). "Retaliatory Gun Violence in Chicago: An Analysis of Repeat and Near-Repeat Fatal and Non-Fatal Shootings." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Homicide Research Working Group, Virtual.
- 2021** Worrell, Avery*, and Ashley Mancik. (May). "The COVID-19 Pandemic, Job Loss, and Homicide: A Monthly Panel Analysis of 55 Large U.S. Cities." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Homicide Research Working Group, Virtual.
- 2021** Boyle, Kaitlin M., P'trice Jones*, and Ashley Mancik. (May). "Gendered Racial Threat: A State-Level Analysis of Black Female Homicide Victimization, 1980-2019." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Homicide Research Working Group, Virtual.
- 2020** Mancik, Ashley, and Philip Berry*. (November). "Do All Signs Point to Yes?: Examining the So-Called 'Ferguson Effect' in Large U.S. Cities." Paper accepted for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC. **Paper not presented due to conference cancellation and COVID-19**
- 2020** Nelan, Mary, and Ashley Mancik. (July). "The Outliers in Mass Shootings: Working Towards a Clearer Definition of Mass Shootings." Paper accepted for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the International Sociological Association, Porto Alegre, Brazil. **Paper not presented due to conference cancellation and COVID-19**
- 2020** Schnell, Cory, Geoff Alpert, Ashley Mancik, Dylan Spencer*, Louise Porter, and Justin Ready. (March). "Expanding Research on Memory Accuracy After Officer-Involved Shootings and the Effect of Question Timing: A Replication of the Queensland Experiment." Paper accepted for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, San Antonio, TX. **Paper not presented due to conference cancellation and COVID-19**
- 2019** Isom-Scott, Deena A., Ashley Mancik, Brenda Blackwell, Tonia Mikell, and Robyn Blake*. (November). "The Empirical Status of Gendered General Strain Theory: A Meta-Analysis."

- Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.
- 2019** **Mancik, Ashley**, Kai Lin, and Eaven Holder*. (November). "Major Political Change and Anomie: A Longitudinal Examination of U.S. Homicide and Suicide Trends, 1960-2017." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.
- 2019** **Mancik, Ashley**, Karen F. Parker, and Graham C. Ousey. (August). "Assessing Prominent Explanations for U.S. Homicide Trends: A Meta-Analysis." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY.
- 2019** **Mancik, Ashley**, John P. Jarvis, and Wendy Regoeczi. (March). "Reconceptualizing Homicide Clearance: Measuring the Gap between Homicides Committed and Homicides Cleared." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Baltimore, MD.
- 2018** Lin, Kai, and **Ashley Mancik**. (November). "National Culture on the Cross-National Prevalence of Homicide." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018** **Mancik, Ashley**, Karen F. Parker, and Graham Ousey. (April). "Race, Crime, and Urban Inequality: What Does the Contemporary Political Climate Tell Us about Trends in Racial Violence?" Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA.
- 2017** **Mancik, Ashley**, Karen F. Parker, and Graham Ousey. (November). "Racial Patterns in Violence: City-Level Changes in Race, Crime, and Urban Inequality." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2017** Jarvis, John, Shila Hawk, Wendy Regoeczi, and **Ashley Mancik**. (November). "Crime Trends in U.S. Cities: Academic and Practice Viewpoints." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2017** Regoeczi, Wendy C., John P. Jarvis, and **Ashley Mancik**. (June). "Homicide Investigations in Context: Exploring Explanations for the Divergent Impacts of Victim Race, Victim Gender, and Firearms on Homicide Clearances." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Homicide Research Working Group, Memphis, TN.
- 2016** **Mancik, Ashley**, John P. Jarvis, and Wendy Regoeczi. (November). "Modeling Homicide Investigations: Does a Difference Make a Difference?" Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, New Orleans, LA.
- 2015** **Mancik, Ashley**. (November). "Community Context and Homicide Clearance Rates: Estimating the Effects of Collective Efficacy." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C.
- 2015** **Mancik, Ashley**. (November). "Community Context and Homicide Clearance Rates: Estimating the Effects of Collective Efficacy." *Invited* presentation at the Homicide Research Working

Group Block Awards Ceremony at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C.

- 2015** Parker, Karen F. and **Ashley Mancik**. (November). "Race, Inequality, and Police Clearance Rates: Assessing the Role of Structural Predictors and Racial Threat on Racial Disparities in Police Clearance Rates in South Carolina." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C.
- 2015** **Mancik, Ashley**. (November). "Police Responses to Crime: Considering the Evidence-Base Relative to Clearance Processes." *Invited* roundtable discussant (with John Jarvis, Wendy Regoeczi, Shila Hawk, and Amber Scherer) at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C.
- 2015** **Mancik, Ashley** and Karen F. Parker. (March). "Temporal Analysis of Homicide Clearance Rates from 1970 to 2010." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA.
- 2014** **Mancik, Ashley**. (November). "Should I? Or Shouldn't I? Extending our Understanding of When and How to Fight Back in Physical Assault Incidents." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.
- 2014** Parker, Karen F., **Ashley Mancik**, and Richard Stansfield. (November). "The Crime Drops: An Investigation of Crime Drop I and Crime Drop II." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.
- 2014** **Mancik, Ashley**, Wendy C. Regoeczi, and John P. Jarvis. (June). "Understanding Violent Crime Clearance Rates: Beyond Examining Homicide." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Homicide Research Working Group, San Antonio, TX.
- 2014** Parker, Karen F., **Ashley Mancik**, and Richard Stansfield. (February). "Crime Drop I and Crime Drop II: Investigating the Characteristics and Causes." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Philadelphia, PA.

RESEARCH & FIELD EXPERIENCE

- 2015-2018** **Federal Bureau of Investigation, Honors Intern**
Safe Streets/Violent Crimes Task Force, Wilmington, DE (2016-2018)
Office of Partner Engagement, Violence Prevention Section, Washington, D.C. (2015-2016)
- 2016-2017** **Center for Drug and Health Studies, Research Assistant**, Newark, DE
- 2013** **Center for Homicide Research, Homicide Researcher**, Minneapolis, MN
- 2011** **Office of the District Attorney, Western Judicial Circuit, Investigative Intern**, Athens, GA
- 2011** **The Honorable Judge David R. Sweat, Superior Court, Western Judicial Circuit, Judicial Intern**, Athens, GA

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2018- University of South Carolina, *Dept of Criminology and Criminal Justice*, Columbia, SC

Graduate Courses Taught

Survey of Criminal Justice (face-to-face and online)

Advanced Quantitative Analysis in Criminology & Criminal Justice (face-to-face)

Undergraduate Courses Taught

The American Criminal Justice System (face-to-face)

Communities and Crime (writing intensive; face-to-face and online)

Analyzing Homicide (face-to-face and online)

2013-2018 University of Delaware, *Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice*, Newark, DE

Undergraduate Courses Taught

Introduction to Criminal Justice (face-to-face)

Introduction to Sociological Statistics Lab (face-to-face)

STUDENT MENTORSHIP AND ADVISEMENT

*indicates chair of committee

University of South Carolina, *Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice*

Dissertation Committees

2022 M. Dylan Spencer (Spring)

Master's Thesis Committees

2023 Rachel Spradley* (Fall)

2023 Cosette McCullough* (Spring)

PhD Comprehensive Exam Committees

2020 Dylan Spencer (Fall)

Graduate-Level Independent Studies

2021 Methodological Challenges in Studying Rare Events (Fall; Rachel Rodriguez)

2021 Multi-Level and Longitudinal Modeling (Spring; Hadley Wellen)

2021 Mass Violence (Spring; Rachel Rodriguez)

2020 Domestic Violence (Spring; Sylessia Scott)

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committees

In Progress Caroline Rogers* (Spring 2024)

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2023 Jerry Gardner* (Spring)
2022 Emma Dutton (Spring)
2021 Erin Charles* (Spring)
2020 Meagan Santos (Summer)
2020 Jamie Milliff (Spring)

Graduate Teaching Assistant Faculty Advisor

2020 Philip Berry (Fall; The American Criminal Justice System)

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

2023- **The Bureau Consortium: Mass Shooting Experts**, *Plank Member*, Washington, D.C.
2022- **Death Row Penpal Program**, *Penpal*, Columbia, SC
2022- **South Carolinians for Alternatives to the Death Penalty**, *Endorser*, Greenville, SC
2021- **Criminal Investigation Research Network**, *Researcher*, Pontypridd, Wales
2019- **Center for Victim Research**, *Victim Researcher*, Washington, D.C.
2019- **South Carolina Domestic Violence Advisory Committee**, *Research Advisor*, Columbia, SC
2018 **Richland County Sheriff's Department**, *Consultant*, Columbia, SC

SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE

Homicide Research Working Group

2023- Carolyn Rebecca Block Award Committee for Outstanding Contributions by a Practitioner to Increased Understanding of Homicide or Lethal Violence
2021-2022 Richard Block Award Committee for Outstanding Dissertation Research
2020-2021 2021 Annual Meeting Program Committee
2017-2018 Site Selection Committee for 2018 Annual Meeting
2014-2017 Marketing and Merchandise Committee

American Sociological Association: Crime, Law, and Deviance Section

2019 Session Organizer for 2019 Annual Meeting

Grant Reviewer

2021 U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance (Preventing School Violence: BJA's STOP School Violence Program; O-BJA-2021-47003)

Book Reviewer

2022 *Homicide in America*, Routledge

Ad Hoc Manuscript Reviewer: *American Journal of Preventive Medicine; Crime & Delinquency; Criminal Justice Review; Criminology & Public Policy; Global Crime; Homicide Studies; International Criminal Justice Review; Journal of Crime & Justice; Journal of Criminal Justice; Journal of Research on Crime and Delinquency; Journal of Quantitative Criminology; Justice Quarterly; PLOS One; Police Practice and Research; Policing: An International Journal; The Journal of Primary Prevention; Violence against Women; Violence and Gender*

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT

University of South Carolina, *Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice*

2023 **Policing Open-Rank Search Committee, Member and Diversity Advocate**
2022 **Undergraduate Committee, Member**
2020- **Research Center Development Planning Committee, Member**
2019- **Alpha Phi Sigma, Faculty Advisor**
2019- **Criminology & Criminal Justice Internship/Career Fair, Coordinator**
2022 **M.A., Comprehensive Grading Committee, Member**
2021 **Ph.D. Preview Day Planning Committee, Member**
2020 **M.A. Comprehensive Grading Committee, Member**
2019 **Assistant Professor Search Committee, Member**

University of Delaware, *Department of Sociology & Criminal Justice*

2014-2018 **Minority Mentor Lecture Series, Chair of Hospitality Committee**
2017 **PostDoc Search Committee, Graduate Student Representative**
2013-2017 **Graduate Student Council**
 Graduate Student Faculty Representative (Sept 2014-May 2015; Aug 2016-May 2017)
 Graduate Policy Committee Graduate Student Representative (May 2015-Aug 2016)
 Webmaster (Sept 2013-Aug 2014)
2013-2015 **Graduate Student Conference, Submissions Coordinator**

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2021- **Criminal Investigation Research Network**
2019- **Center for Victim Research**
2015- **Southern Sociological Society**
2014- **Alpha Kappa Delta: International Sociology Honor Society**
2013- **Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences**

- 2013-** National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity
- 2013-** American Society of Criminology
Division of Communities and Place (2017-)
Working Group on Criminologists in Non-Academic Careers (2013-)
Division on Women and Crime (2013-)
- 2013-** American Sociological Association
Section on Methodology (2017-)
Community and Urban Sociology Section (2014-)
Section on Crime, Law, and Deviance (2013-)
- 2012-** Homicide Research Working Group
- 2010-** Alpha Phi Sigma: Criminal Justice Honor Society

STATISTICAL & TECHNICAL SKILLS

Statistical Techniques: Longitudinal Modeling (Time Series and Panel Data); Multi-Level Modeling; Survival (Event History) Analysis; Logistic Regression; Linear Regression; Group-Based Trajectory Modeling; Meta-Analysis; Discrete Outcomes and Count Models (Ordinal, Multinomial, Poisson, Negative Binomial, ZIP and ZINB Models); Structural Equations Modeling; Causal Inference; Factor Analysis; Missing Data; Growth Curve and Latent Growth Curve Modeling; Conjunctive Analysis of Case Configurations (CACC)

Statistical and Qualitative Analysis Packages: Stata, SPSS, ArcGIS, MPlus, Comprehensive Meta-Analysis (CMA), NVivo

SELECTED DEVELOPMENTAL TRAINING & CERTIFICATIONS

- 2023-2024** Propel Research Mentorship Program, *University of South Carolina*
- 2023** Faculty Search Committee Principles and Processes Workshop, *University of South Carolina*
- 2021** Investigating and Prosecuting the Non-Fatal Strangulation Case, *Department of Justice*
- 2021** CITI Human Subjects in Research Training, *University of South Carolina*
- 2018** Analyzing the NCVS Workshop, *Bureau of Justice Statistics*
- 2017** Delaware Criminal Justice Information System (DELJIS) Training, *State of Delaware*
- 2017** ACJS Doctoral Summit, *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*
- 2016** Studying Patterns of Behavior Using Growth Curve and Group-Based Trajectory Models Workshop, *American Society of Criminology*
- 2016** Introduction to ArcGIS for Desktop Workshop, *University of Delaware*
- 2016** Getting to Know NIBRS Workshop, *Homicide Research Working Group*
- 2016** Introduction to Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Certificate, *Johns Hopkins University*
- 2015** Census Data for Grantwriting Workshop, *University of Delaware*
- 2014** Arc GIS Training Workshop, *University of Delaware*
- 2014** Offender Employment Specialist (OES) Training, *University of Delaware and U.S. Probation*
- 2014** Introduction to Stata Workshop, *University of Delaware*
- 2013** Scholarly Journal Writing: From Both Sides of the Desk, *National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity*