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## Gun Use Surveys: In Numbers We Trust?

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We who work hard to produce statistics for public consumption would do well to acquire a little historical perspective. Theodore Porter's wide-ranging *Trust in Numbers: The Pursuit of Objectivity in Science and Public Life* (1995) takes note of 19th-century developments illustrating the "creative power of statistics.... Every category has the potential to become a new thing." Crime did not originate in that century, but "it may be doubted whether there were crime rates" before then (p. 37). To the examples given by Porter we might add the relatively new "thing" in the domain of what used to be called "moral statistics" – the production of counts and rates of DGU (defensive gun uses, or users, according to context). Porter concludes that democratic politics gives rise to distrust of personal judgments and statistical methods are brought into play to nurture confidence where personal knowledge is an insufficient basis for political decisions. A somewhat paradoxical outcome is that "There is a strong incentive to prefer precise and standardizable measures to highly accurate ones" (p. 29). But it is arguable that the study of DGU is not yet at a stage where such a choice is necessary, or even possible. I shall point out some problems of communication that stand in the way of achieving either desideratum soon.

Let me begin with illustrations of the problem of public understanding of DGU statistics. The writer of a letter appearing on the editorial page of *USA Today* discusses the "order of actions that any prudent and decent person would take to thwart an assailant. As such, firearms are used – not necessarily fired – over 2.5 million times a year by law-abiding citizens in defense." This statistic is undoubtedly the one generated by the 1993 National Self Defense Survey (NSDS) (Kleck and Gertz 1995). The letter is valuable as a clue to what the public, or at least one of its sectors, might like to have by way of DGU statistics. But NSDS did not purport to count the number of DGUs in which prudent, decent, law abiding citizens are involved. At one point (p. 163) the authors were quite explicit:

"We made no effort to assess either the lawfulness or morality of the Rs' defensive actions." As for prudence, they note that "This survey did not attempt to compare the effectiveness of armed resistance with other forms of victim self-protection" inasmuch as "this sort of work had already been done" (p.174).

The data collected in NSDS could, conceivably, shed some light on the lawfulness and prudence of the defenders, taken in the aggregate. For example, some 64 percent of respondents indicated that the police were informed of the incidents in question, or otherwise found out about them. But the authors advise caution in the interpretation of this figure, "since victims presumably want to present their use of guns as legitimate" (p. 177); moreover, "a large share of the incidents covered by our survey are probably outside the scope of incidents...likely to be reported to...the...police" (p. 167). Further, as to the matter of "law-abiding" users, Kleck and Gertz emphasize that NSDS, unlike the National Crime Victimization Survey (NCVS), encouraged the reporting of acts that are "extremely sensitive and legally controversial," in that the defensive act in itself could be construed as "unlawful assault" and the mere possession of a gun at the time and under the circumstances of the DGU "might itself be unlawful" (p. 155). In the latter connection, Kleck and Gertz, noting that about one-fourth of defenders stated that there was no gun in their household at the time of the interview, drew attention to the possibility that some were falsely denying ownership of "incriminating evidence" (p. 177).

There is one bit of survey evidence rather directly to the point of whether DGUsers are "law abiding." The 1994 National Survey of Private Ownership of Firearms (NSPOF) (Cook and Ludwig, 1996, Table 6.7) included a direct question on whether the respondent had ever been arrested for a

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## AROUND THE ASC

**LAWRENCE W. SHERMAN** has been elected President of The International Society of Criminology for a five-year term. The I.S.C.'s new President, who is the Albert M. Greenfield Professor of Human Relations and Director of the Fels Center of Government at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, is internationally renowned for his studies of the effectiveness of public policies for reducing crime. His work was recently used by the British government to develop a major new crime reduction program, and he has recently advised the governments of Australia, Korea, China, Hungary, Sweden, and Israel. He also serves as an advisor to Philadelphia's Police Commissioner and its new Mayor. Professor Sherman is only the third U.S. citizen to head the Society in his 61-year history. The previous U.S. Presidents were the late Thorsten Sellin, also of the University of Pennsylvania, and Albert J. Reiss, Jr. of Yale University. The next two World Congresses of Criminology will be held in Rio de Janeiro in August of 2003 and in Philadelphia in August of 2005.

Also elected at the ISC's recent Board meeting were the following ASC members:

**JOAN McCORD**, Temple University, was elected to the post of Vice President for North America of The International Society of Criminology. Professor McCord, a former President of the American Society of Criminology, is renowned for her studies of crime over the human life span.

**HANS JUERGEN KERNER**, University of Tuebingen, Germany, Honorary President.

**ULLA BONDESON**, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, Vice President for Membership in Africa.

**PETER GRABOSKY**, Australian Institute of Criminology, Deputy Secretary-General  
**GEORGE KELLENS**, Belgium, Deputy Secretary-General

## CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

**Western Society of Criminology Annual Conference**, February 25-27, 2000.

Theme: "Diversity and Justice". Location: Kona, Hawaii "the big island". Contact Program Chair Cynthia Reirick 619/595/5361; FAX 619/595-5304; email: cric@saandag.cog.ca.us.

**Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences 2000 Annual Meeting** - March 21-25, Sheraton New Orleans, New Orleans, Louisiana. Theme: Crime, Criminal Justice, and Policy in the Twenty-First Century. Contact: ACJS, Attn: Annual Meeting, 1500 N. Beauregard St., Suite 101, Alexandria, VA 22311. Phone: 703/379-2090; FAX 703/379-8867; email: annualmeeting@acjs.org.

**VIP's First International Mentoring Conference for Workers in Community Justice**, March 29-31, 2000, Jarvis Picadilly Hotel, Manchester, England. Contact: VIP, 163 Madison Avenue, Suite 207, Detroit, MI 48226, 313/964-1110; 313/964-1145 (Fax); email: vip-pac@bigfoot.com.

**National Center for Women & Policing 5th Annual Leadership Development Conference**, March 29-April 2, 2000, Baltimore, MD, Omni Inner Harbor Hotel. Theme: Meeting the Challenges of the 21st Century: Opportunities for Women Leaders in Law Enforcement.

**University at Albany-SUNY, School of Criminal Justice** will present a conference "Restorative Justice: Healing Harms and Preventing Violence Among Youth", April 14, 2000 in the Campus Center Assembly Hall, 8:45 am-5:00 pm. Contact James Acker (518/442-5317; acker@cnsvox.albany.edu) or Dennis Sullivan (518/765-2468; gezellig@global2000.net).

**11th Federal German Prison Psychologists Congress** - "New Prison Frontiers: Models in Germany and Europe", June 5-9, 2000, Hannover, Germany. Contact: Jorg Jesse, JA Hameln, Tel: 0049+5151/904-0; E-Mail: C.J.Jessee@T-Online.de

**British Society of Criminology Conference 2000: Crimes of the Future: The Future(s) of Criminology**. July 5-7, 2000, University of Leicester. To register your interest or submit a proposal, contact: BSC Conference Administrator, Soarman Centre, University of Leicester, 6 Salisbury Road, Leicester LE1 7QR, U.K. 0116 252 5712; FAX 0116 252 3944; email: BSC2000@le.ac.uk

**Midwestern Criminal Justice Association 2000 Meeting**: "JUSTICE" 2000: Criminal Justice in the New Millennium. October 4-6, 2000, Best Western Inn of Chicago. Contact: Dean J. Champion, Department of Criminal Justice, Minot State University, Minot, ND 58707 (701/858-3140); FAX (701/852-2798); chamption@warp6.cs.misu.nodak.edu

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non-traffic offense. Affirmative answers were given by 20.5 percent of persons with a DGU in the preceding five years, by 7.8 percent of gun owners who had never had a DGU, and by 4.9 percent of non-owners of guns who had never had a DGU. A history of arrest does not necessarily imply, of course, that the particular incident reported as a DGU in the survey was itself unlawful.

In another letter appearing in the Santa Barbara News-Press the writer opines that "in the hands of ... well-trained, competent, morally responsible individuals firearms are the single best tool for defense against criminal victimization - a fact borne out by statistics, as they are used some two million times a year for this purpose. And the most significant point here is that only an extremely small portion of these involve actually firing the gun." It seems very likely that the number quoted and the "small portion actually firing" originate with John R. Lott, Jr., concerning whose work more will be said. Indeed, the timing of the letter (8/26/99) strongly suggests that the writer is relying on statements made in a TV appearance by Lott on 8/18/99. (I am indebted to Elaine Cressey-Ohlin for securing a tape of this show which I was thereby enabled to view.) Although Lott has repeated this claim concerning frequency and kinds of DGU in a variety of contexts, he has not, to my knowledge, asserted that the data mentioned in the TV show shed light on the training, competence, or moral responsibility of DGUsers.

Again, for a tidbit of direct evidence, one might turn to NSPOF, which did include questions about training in the use of firearms. However, so far as I know, neither Cook and Ludwig nor anyone else has produced a set of DGU rates for persons who have had various kinds of training, although it would take only a simple tabulation of the NSPOF data to create this information.

In sum, it is my impression, based on the items quoted and other reading, that there is a demand for statistics that are accurate, comprehensive, and carefully tailored to provide reliable information on how often trained, prudent, moral, law-abiding citizens use firearms to defend themselves effectively against indubitably criminal acts. Both advocates and opponents of gun control - that is, the "true believers" on both sides - will make the statistics mean what they want them to mean. Does this not suggest that researchers should lean over backwards to be as clear about what their numbers do *not* show as they are about the supposed policy implications of their findings?

Between the researcher and the general public there is often the third party, the writer or media personality who encapsulates and propagates information obtained by researchers. On a personal note, it was actually a column by George Will (Santa Barbara News-Press, 1/24/99; from The Washington Post) that drew my attention to DGU statistics. I had not seen the earlier (11/15/93) article by Will in Newsweek, where he wrote, quoting Jeffrey Snyder, "Florida State University criminologist Gary Kleck, using surveys and other data, has determined that armed citizens defend their lives or property with firearms against criminals approximately 1 million times a year. In 98 percent of these instances, the citizen merely brandishes the weapon or

fires a warning shot. Only in 2 percent of the cases do citizens actually shoot their assailants." (Snyder's article is reprinted in Dizard et al., 1999.) Will's later column had a curiously parallel construction: "[A] University of Chicago law professor, John B. Lott [actually, John R. Lott, Jr., then a Fellow, not a Professor, in the University of Chicago Law School] argues that Americans supplement police services and save municipalities large sums by using guns defensively against criminals 2 million times a year, 98 percent of the time just by brandishing guns."

Apparently Will is among those who put their trust in numbers. As of 1993, having been a proponent of gun control, Will was unpersuaded but nevertheless moved by Kleck's estimates, as summarized by Snyder. By 1999, having discerned a connection between gun control advocacy and judicial activism, Will was ready to assert that it is a "problematic" assumption that private ownership of handguns produces a net cost to governments. He did not pause to inquire how it may have happened that DGU per year seemingly had increased from 1 to 2 million or to note the shift in meaning of the category accounting for "98 percent" of users, from "merely brandishes the weapon or fires a warning shot" to "just by brandishing guns." Nor did he consider the possibility that one set of numbers may be more credible than the other. And thereby hangs the remainder of this tale.

As to the statistics cited in the 1993 article, there is a somewhat complicated story to tell. Snyder's source evidently was Kleck's 1988 article, from which we learn that the survey data came from "the 1981 Hart poll of 1,228 registered voters" (p. 2). It happens that this information has been preserved only in Kleck's files. The figures cited were given to Kleck in a telephone conversation with a member of the staff of Peter D. Hart Research Associates, Inc., in 1986; but "the original data set has been lost and only a record of the marginals remains." (For further details of this circumstance, see Blackman, n.d.) What Kleck had to work with was the distribution of responses to the question, "Within the past five years, have you yourself or another member of your household used a handgun, even if it was not fired, for self-protection or for the protection of property at home, work, or elsewhere, excluding military service or police work?" If "yes," then "Was this to protect against an animal or a person?" Some 2 percent replied "animal," 3 percent "person," and 1 percent "both," or altogether 4 percent against a person.

Applying the 4 percent to the 1980 census figure of 80,622,000 households, Kleck estimated there were 3,224,880 households in which at least one person used a handgun defensively in the five-year period preceding the survey. What he wanted, though, was an estimate for a one-year period covering uses of all guns, not just handguns. From other sources he estimated that in 1978 there were 21 million handguns and 33 million guns of all types owned primarily for protection or defense. Kleck divided 3,224,880 by 5 to obtain the estimate of 645,000 handgun defensive uses annually and multiplied by 33/21 = 1.57 to extrapolate to all

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gun uses and thereby "to very roughly estimate that guns of all types are used for defensive purposes about one million times a year."

Here and in the sequel it is well to keep in mind that the only direct evidence of DGU frequency in these calculations is the single-digit 4 percent of households. If Hart was following the usual conventions of rounding, that 4 percent could have been as low as  $43/1,228 = 3.50+$  percent or as high as  $55/1,228 = 4.48$  percent. That is, we have no basis for preferring the rough estimate of 1 million to the likewise rough estimates of 890,000 or 1.13 million. This is a matter of simple arithmetic, not of the probability theory relating to sampling variability. Any estimate in this range would itself be subject to uncertainty from this additional source.

By the time Snyder and Will were citing Kleck's estimate, he had revised it downward, to  $783,000 \pm 177,000$ , in this presentation showing the 95% confidence interval as well as the point estimate (1991, p. 107). The change was due to a revision of the estimated ratio of all gun to handgun uses. The new ratio, 1.214, was derived from 1985 National Crime Survey statistics given in Kleck's Table 2.9 (not 2.11, as stated on p. 106). These data pertain to violent crime incidents, estimated by NCS as numbering 657,119 incidents in which the offender used any kind of gun, 541,271 using handguns. The assumption, then, is that defenders select their weapons in the same proportion as offenders.

Snyder, like Will following him, did not take note of Kleck's estimates (p. 107 and Appendix 4) from other surveys. Three of them yielded larger figures, one smaller, than the one based on Hart's data. Nor did they comment on the disclaimer that all the estimates required "adjustments" of the raw survey percentage, and "these numerous adjustments are all subject to question" (p. 468).

I have read that old Roman coins were still circulating in parts of rural France as late as the 19th century. Statistics, too, have a life of their own. I have seen the 1 million estimate within the past year in a letter to the editor. Meanwhile, Kleck has revised it yet again, to no less than 1,797,000. In part, the increase is attributable to population growth. Whereas the two earlier figures developed from the Hart result were projected to the number of households in 1980, the one put out by Kleck and Gertz in 1995 (but see Kates and Kleck, 1997, pp. 187-190 for explanation of the adjustments, which differ from those described on p. 158 of Kleck and Gertz 1995) was projected to the census household estimate for 1993, for comparability with the NSDS results. Had Kleck projected again to the 1980 base, the DGU count would have been 1.5 million, not quite twice the size of the 1991 estimate. There was a small revision of the ratio of all guns to handguns, changing 1.214 to 1.2547, the latter derived from the sample counts in NSDS. But the more important revision was in the derivation of the annual from the adjusted 5-year estimate. Again, NSDS provided the adjustment factor, DGUs in the past year divided by DGUs in the past five years, .37155. No detailed argument supporting this choice was offered, but Kleck observes (1995, p. 172) that NCS results suggest that "the ratio of memory loss errors over telescoping errors

increases as the recall period lengthens." (Cook and Ludwig, 1996, Table 6.2 present two sets of one-year and five-year DGU frequencies that yield ratios close to Kleck's. These pertain to counts made on a person rather than household basis.)

Regardless of the plausibility of Kleck's adjustment factors, I would find the comparison of Hart and NSDS results more convincing if Kleck had simply confined himself to observing that Hart found 4 percent (understood as 3.5-4.5 percent) of households experiencing defensive handgun use in the five-year period preceding the 1981 survey, as compared with 2.974 percent of households in the 1993 NSDS. Given the uncertainty in regard to what the Hart survey actually found, not to mention sampling variability in both surveys, there is no difference worth discussing. It follows that the apparent increase in DGU frequency, from Kleck's 1 million in 1981 to his 2.5 million in 1993, apart from the contribution of population growth, is explained by the shift from the five-year period, household basis, of reporting in Hart's 1981 survey to the one-year period, person basis, in the 1993 NSDS.

Kleck's figure of 98 percent of DGUs in which the "citizen merely brandishes the weapon or fires a warning shot" was not derived from survey evidence and thus lies outside the scope of this essay. In the 1991 presentation he noted that his estimate of 10,000-20,000 legal shootings of criminals by civilians would amount to "less than 2% of all defensive gun uses" (p. 116). In the recent review of this topic Kleck (1997, p. 164) noted that "reported legal shootings of criminals ... would be less than 1% of all DGUs. The vast majority of DGUs, then, involve neither killings nor woundings but rather misses, warning shots fired, or guns used to threaten, by pointing them or verbally referring to them."

Turning to the figure of 2 million DGUs attributed by Will to Lott, there are no technical details to discuss because Lott has provided none. We might conjecture that this number pertains to persons, rather than households, but this is not specified in any of the public statements quoted below, which include all that I am aware of. (I am indebted to Dan Armstrong for locating Lott's newspaper articles reproduced at [www.tsra.com/LottPage.htm](http://www.tsra.com/LottPage.htm), updated as of 3/28/99.)

(1) "If national surveys are correct, 98 percent of the time that people use guns defensively, they merely have to brandish a weapon to break off an attack." Lott's book (1998), p. 3. "Fifteen national polls, including those by organizations such as the Los Angeles Times, Gallup and Peter Hart Research Associates, imply that there are 760,000 to 3.6 million defensive uses of guns per year." (p. 11)

(2) "Polls by the Los Angeles Times, Gallup and Peter Hart Associates show that there are at least 760,000, and possibly as many as 3.6 million, defensive uses of guns per year. In 98 percent of the cases, such polls show, people simply brandish the weapon to stop an attack." Los Angeles Times, 8/6/98.

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(3) "...the over 2 million times each year that Americans use guns defensively." *Star Tribune Minneapolis*, 8/16/98.

(4) "98% of the time when people use a gun defensively, merely

brandishing the weapon is sufficient to stop an attack.

In less than 1% of the cases is a gun even fired directly at the attacker." *Wall Street Journal*, 11/11/98.

(5) "Americans use guns defensively more than 2 million times a year and 98 percent of the time merely brandishing the weapon is sufficient to stop an attack." *Chicago Tribune*, 11/17/98.

(6) "Americans also use guns defensively about 2.5 million times a year, and 98% of the time merely brandishing the weapon is sufficient to stop an attack." *Los Angeles Times* 12/1/98.

(7) "People used guns defensively to stop violent crimes over 2 million times in 1997....98 percent of the time, when people use guns defensively, simply brandishing a gun is sufficient to cause a criminal to break off an attack. In less than 2 percent of the time is the gun fired....About three-quarters of those are warning shots." TV show, "Hardball," *CNBC*, 8/18/99.

(8) "...in 1997, Americans also used guns to defend themselves against attackers about 2 million times." *Newsweek*, "Letters," 9/13/99.

We see that the 98% brandishing figure is variously associated with or attributed to "national surveys"; to polls by three named agencies and, by implication, as many as fifteen national polls; and to unspecified source or sources which estimate DGU frequency at "about 2 million" or "more than 2 million" or "about 2.5 million." In none of the statements is any specific survey or other source cited. In only the most recent statement does Lott give the date, 1997, for the statistics cited. This is later than any of the "fifteen national polls." It is especially noteworthy that Lott does not credit Kleck with the estimate of 2.5 million. In my casual perusal of the letters columns I have seen that estimate credited to Lott himself at least three times. Most recently, in *Business Week*, 9/6/99, the writer states, "According to the Lott study ... the legal use of firearms by private citizens prevented 2.5 million crimes, such as rape, robbery, assault, and murder." (Never mind that Kleck does not restrict his respondents to reports of "legal use" and that no more than three-fifths of the incidents reported in NSDS pertained to such violent crimes.)

Lott does not distinguish between household-based and person-based DGU counts. Hart, as we have seen, reports for households, Gallup and *Los Angeles Times* for persons.

The "fifteen national polls" evidently include the thirteen summarized by Kleck and Gertz (1955), which is referenced by Lott, and by Kleck in Kates and Kleck (1997). The summary in Kleck (1997) adds to these the NSDS and NSPOF results, to make fifteen altogether. As so often happens, Lott's citations are elliptical or inaccurate.

There is a mixture of household- and person-based figures in this collection. Only twelve of the fifteen are national, the others being surveys in California, Illinois, and Ohio. Kleck

does not attempt to provide comparable estimates of DGU frequency for two of the surveys. None of the three polls Lott mentions by name – Hart, Gallup, and *Los Angeles Times* – includes information on percent firing weapons. Altogether, there are five polls providing estimates of percent firing that include DGUs against animals. Not surprisingly, these percentages are far higher than the 2% or "less than 2%" implied or stated by Lott.

The only two surveys among the "fifteen national polls" that provide estimates of percent of defenders firing, with defenses against animals excluded, are NSDS and NSPOF. The figures based on the most recent DGU in the past five years are remarkably similar: 23.9% in NSDS and 27% in NSPOF. For the one-year reporting period, Kleck simply assumes the same percentage. In a personal communication he states that the higher rate of firing implied by the NSDS figures for the one-year period in Table 5.1 of *Targeting Guns* is in error. In that source, he shows for NSPOF a one-year estimate of 1.44% using guns, 0.70% firing, during the preceding 12 months; this implies that 48.6% of defenders fired. I do not find this particular result in the Technical Report on NSPOF, but Table 6.10a therein shows 8 of 19, or 42%, of defenders firing, in a sample that has been purged of what Cook and Ludwig regard as questionable reports of DGU.

In addition to the nongovernmental surveys there is one other survey, NCVS, that collects relevant information. Both Kleck and Lott (who follows Kleck, but invents a non-existent defect in the NCVS sample design) strongly criticize that survey for what they regard as an extreme undercount of DGU. But Kleck has nonetheless cited NCVS data repeatedly to support the claim that gun use is the most effective means of self-defense against robbery and assault. While he did not have data on how many NCVS victims actually fire, that is surely relevant to the question of effectiveness. Inasmuch as NCVS does not routinely publish data on gun use by victims, it has been left to individual investigators, like Kleck, to create the necessary tabulations. McDowall and Wiersma (1999, Table 26.2) provide data on the estimated 258,460 uses by persons in the population covered by NCVS from 1987 through 1990. These figures pertain not only to victims of violent crimes but also victims of personal larceny, burglary, household larceny, and motor vehicle theft. Altogether, 27.7% of gun users said they fired their weapon.

Thus, the three largest, most comprehensive, and technically most sophisticated surveys in this domain are unanimous in being radically inconsistent with Lott's claim that 98% of defenders "merely brandish" their weapons. Not only that, he rebuts his own assertion quite effectively. On p. 190 of his book, he takes note of Kleck's observation (*Targeting Guns*, p. 162) that "Data from the NSDS indicate that no more than 8% of the 2.5 million annual DGUs involved defenders who claimed to have shot their adversaries, or about 200,000 total." Lott does concede that Kleck and Gertz (1995, p. 173) express reservations about the rate of

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wounding. Nevertheless, this estimate "seems somewhat plausible." How "plausible" is it, if only 2% of defenders fire, and fire mostly warning shots at that? Lott's figure accounts for no more than 25,000 defenders (1% of 2.5 million) intending to shoot their adversaries.

There is at least one more major problem with Lott's figures. In the TV presentation, he specified that people defended against *violent* crimes over 2 million times. NSDS data (Kleck and Gertz, 1995, Table 3), show 20.5 percent defending against robbery, 8.2 percent against rape or sexual assault, and 30.4 percent against other assault. The total of 59.1 percent is an upper limit on the proportion who thought they were becoming victims of a violent crime; the three categories are not mutually exclusive. Either Lott restricted his inquiry to defenses against violent crimes, or the total of DGUs in his data must considerably exceed 2 million, or his study design is quite different from that of NSDS. Moreover, Lott regularly describes the outcome of a DGU as stopping or breaking off of an "attack." According to NSDS data, there is "no threat or attack" in 46.8 percent of DGUs; 32.3 percent of defenders were "threatened only." Only 20.8 percent were actually "attacked," including the 5.5 percent who were injured. NSPOF data (Cook and Ludwig 1996, Table 6.6) likewise show that 46.1 percent of defenders were neither threatened, attacked, or injured. It is hard to see how one can "break off an attack" when there has not even been a threat.

I infer that the National Rifle Association does not accept Lott's figure of 98% merely brandishing. In response to my direct inquiry about that figure, they sent me a selection of Fact Sheets and leaflets. One of them, while endorsing Lott's study of the effects of Right to Carry laws (i.e., his 1998 book), does not mention this statistic. I also received the NRA leaflet by Blackman, summarizing the method and findings of NSDS and reproducing Kleck's summary (1997, Table 5.1) of the fifteen nongovernmental surveys, with slight editorial changes and one typographical error. Not a word about Lott's 98 percent merely brandishing. Four illustrations, in color, leave little doubt that NRA members are expected to shoot, if necessary.

I cannot forego a remark pertaining to rhetoric rather than statistics. In 1988 Kleck (p. 5) wrote that "over 98 percent ... of the one million estimated defensive gun uses ... involved neither killings nor woundings but rather warning shots fired or guns pointed or referred to." In 1993, Snyder paraphrased thus: "In 98 percent of these instances, the citizen *merely brandishes* the weapon or fires a warning shot [emphasis added]" (in Dizard et al., 1999, p. 189). In 1993 Will copied that language. Lott may well have read Will, inasmuch as Will's article is in the bibliography of *More Guns, Less Crime*. In that book, Lott wrote, "If national surveys are correct, 98 percent of the time that people use guns defensively, they *merely* have to *brandish* a weapon to break off an attack [emphasis added]." Did Lott borrow the "98 percent" from Kleck — radically changing its meaning, to be sure, and erroneously attributing it to unnamed "surveys" — and the language, "merely ... brandishing," from Snyder, via Will? Even if that account explains part of the puzzle, the question remains, Where did the 2 million come from?

In this discussion I have not reviewed the polemical literature criticizing gun-use surveys and rebutting the criticisms. Items in point, with ample references to others, are Cook, Ludwig, and Hemenway (1997) and Kleck and Gertz (1997). Let me simply observe that it is a sad day when parties to a scholarly controversy (not the ones just mentioned), writing for a journal with impeccable academic standards, have to exchange compliments on their opponents' politeness and grace or restraint and professionalism. I mention three important issues not emphasized in this literature.

(1) The black hole of nonresponse, including large numbers of outright refusals to be interviewed in telephone surveys, is large enough to swallow the expressed concerns about false positives and false negatives. Completion rates do not measure the biases of nonresponse but only indicate the possibility that they exist. Everything depends on the nature and magnitude of the biases, which may vary greatly from one item to another. Does anyone have a clue about them, or a way to learn more?

(2) The larger surveys, NCVS, NSDS, and NSPOF, have sample sizes that would support the discriminating multivariate analyses desperately needed to infer — to take but one example among many — the reasonableness of gun defense in the light of the defender's estimate of the seriousness of the perpetrator's intention. I have mentioned that substantial fractions of DGUsers are defending against nonviolent crimes and experience no threat of attack. NSDS and NSPOF agree that only about one-fifth of perpetrators had a gun. Approximately half of defenders in both surveys confronted a single offender. Wouldn't it be interesting to know whether the roughly one-quarter of defenders who fire their guns are disproportionately represented among those threatened or attacked, those expecting to become victims of a violent crime, those facing armed offenders, those confronting two or more perpetrators, or some combination of these hazardous situations? Why doesn't NCVS regularly give us the cross-classification of offender's weapon use by victim's mode of self-protection?

(3) There is an unfortunate fixation in the statistical part of the gun debate on the question of "How many DGUs?" The tacit assumption on both sides is that there is some true number such that any quoted estimate of it can be criticized as too low or too high. But isn't it obvious that the number of events, of almost any kind, depends in the first instance on how the event is defined and delimited? Of course, there is a vital distinction between the nominal definition — what the investigator has in mind — and the operational definition, which can be specified fully only in terms of the entire complex of survey procedures that elicit information from informants. Kleck and Gertz (1995, pp. 157-8) offer a valuable assessment of the heterogeneity of the 13 surveys listed in their Table 1. The discussion is summarized in the sage remark that "each of the surveys ... was measuring something different." The moral of the story is then taken to be that all the several "flaws" in previous surveys could be

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overcome with a new design, to wit, that of NSDS. But that design too incorporates its own definition, not some manifestly correct definition of DGU. To mention a single facet of the matter, the wording of the questions put to NSDS respondents excludes defense against animals. One can certainly imagine points of view from which that exclusion seems like biasing the question in the interest of reducing the DGU count. Or take Kleck's remark that the question used in the Cambridge Reports 1978 survey – which asked handgun owners if they "ever had to use" their weapon defensively – was "oddly worded" (Kates and Kleck 1997, p. 191). He was overlooking the same phrasing in two other surveys, Bordua (Illinois) 1979 and Ohio 1982. This wording could certainly bear upon issues made salient in the gun debate, "prudence," for example. Of course, it is no simple matter to isolate the effect of question wording on response frequency. My only point here is that arguments about study design should be recognized as arguments about the concept and its theoretical, practical, or even rhetorical relevance, and not be presented as assessments of mere techniques, all of which are supposedly trying to get at the "same phenomenon" (Kleck and Gertz, 1995, p. 153) and succeeding in greater or lesser degree. At this stage of the game, with no small accumulation of experience, that naive idea is no longer helpful.

It was W. Edwards Deming, the guru of both statistical quality control and sample survey methods, who argued tirelessly against the idea of a "true value" of any quantity, definable without reference to the method of measuring it. To get back to fundamentals, we should periodically review the chapter on errors in surveys in Deming's classic text, now half a century old, recalling such cautions as these: "A sample is no longer a probability-sample if it is ruined by nonresponse or any other difficulty of execution" (p. 35). "...a bias...is not necessarily partially or wholly compensated by another bias in the opposite direction" (p. 38). "Sampling errors, even for small samples, are often the least of the errors present" (p. 47). And, above all, the chapter's epigraph: "It is far easier to put out a figure than to accompany it with a wise and reasoned account of its liability to systematic and fluctuating errors. Yet if the figure is ... to serve as the basis of an important decision, the accompanying account may be more important than the figure itself." Porter's monograph reminds us of the long, painful social process that was required for such principles to evolve and to be widely accepted. We jettison them at the price of relinquishing any plausible claim to the support of the society in which we work.

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**UCLA Drug Abuse Research Center**  
**M. Douglas Anglin, Ph.D., Director**

**Predoctoral and Postdoctoral Fellowships**

<b>Sponsored by</b>	<b>National Institute on Drug Abuse</b> <b>National Research Service Award Training Grant</b>
<b>Aim</b>	Under the supervision of Center research staff, this two year training fellowship will provide selected participants with firm grounding in drug abuse knowledge and issues, in sound research techniques and in practical research experience. The program is designed to provide trainees both with exposure to a variety of drug abuse settings, personnel, topics, and methods, and with the opportunity to select a specific area of focus for independent research at one of the participant research sites. Training curricula of formal coursework and supervised <i>research</i> . <i>The program will</i> provide research opportunities in epidemiology, etiology, treatment processes and outcomes, pharmacotherapy, and social policy issues.
<b>Eligibility</b>	<p><b>Predoctoral candidates</b> - UCLA only, with completion of required formal coursework in a social science (psychology, sociology, anthropology, education, social work, public health, or nursing), a GPA of 3.0 or better. University tuition and fees are paid.</p> <p><b>Postdoctoral candidates</b> -Completion of the M.D. degree or Ph.D. degree in a social science (see areas listed above), education, social work, or health-related science such as public health or nursing from an accredited university.</p> <p><b>U.S. citizens and permanent residents only.</b></p>
<b>Application Procedure</b>	Submit a letter of application to include an outline of research experience, interest, desire for a career in drug abuse research, specific area of research and a focused research problem within that area current curriculum vitae including a list of pertinent publications; university transcripts; and letters of recommendation from the applicant's major advisor or supervisor and two others familiar with the applicant's scholastic and research background potential. After review of written material, the most qualified applicants will be interviewed.
<b>Stipends</b>	<b>Predoctoral</b> fellows receive an annual stipend of \$14,688. <b>Postdoctoral fellows receive an annual</b> stipend based on years of postdoctoral experience. Health insurance and predoctoral tuition provided.
<b>Applications to</b>	<b>Becky Beckham, Administrator</b> <b>UCLA Drug Abuse Research Center</b> <b>1640 S. Sepulveda Blvd., Ste. 200</b> <b>Los Angeles, California 90025</b>

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Opportunities for Research on Violence  
**NATIONAL CONSORTIUM ON VIOLENCE RESEARCH Post-Doctoral Fellowships**

The National Consortium on Violence Research (NCOVR) invites applicants to its post-doctoral research program. NCOVR is based at the Heinz School of Public Policy and Management at Carnegie Mellon University and is funded by the National Science Foundation. NCOVR's Post-doctoral program emphasizes the development of strong technical and research skills critical for carrying out empirical studies on violence. Trainees work under the mentorship of two Consortium members, each from a different discipline. Through multi-disciplinary training, fellows gain exposure to different theoretical and methodological approaches to the study of violence. Because NCOVR members are affiliated with over 30 institutions in the United States and abroad, fellows may be in residence at any institution in the Consortium. The fellowship supports recipients as full time researchers for up to two years, with an annual stipend of \$30,000. Additionally, fellows participate in NCOVR's Summer Workshop and in the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminologists. Qualified applicants must hold a doctorate in a relevant field, or complete their degree by June 1. Applicants must be strongly motivated and committed to pursue advanced training in some aspect of violence research. Excellent communication and analytic skills are required. NCOVR strongly encourages members of racial or ethnic minorities to apply. **The deadline for receipt of your completed application packet is February 1.** For additional information and application forms please visit the Consortium's Web-site at: [www.ncovr.heinz.cmu.edu](http://www.ncovr.heinz.cmu.edu) or contact:

National Consortium on Violence Research (NCOVR)  
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**NATIONAL CONSORTIUM ON VIOLENCE RESEARCH Career Development Fellowships**

The National Consortium on Violence Research (NCOVR) invites applicants for its Career Development Fellowships. NCOVR is based at the Heinz School of Public Policy and Management at Carnegie Mellon University and is funded by the National Science Foundation. The purpose of this program is to enable new faculty members at minority-serving institutions to begin a program of research that will result in refereed publications, promotion and tenure. In particular, NCOVR's Career Development program provides opportunities for the fellows to enhance their proposal writing and research skills in carrying out violence research. Applicants submit a statement of interest in violence research along with a research plan to NCOVR by February 1. Fellows are invited to NCOVR's Summer Workshop in June. Here they interact with NCOVR members and work particularly with their selected NCOVR mentor to refine the ideas presented in their application. Over the course of the next year, the fellow continues to work closely with his/her mentor in developing a research proposal or paper, or in carrying out other activities that will facilitate the long term goals of the fellow and his/her ability to contribute to scholarship on violence. The fellow may collect data, do analysis, investigate relevant literature, attend meetings or conferences on the topic, and prepare papers for publication. NCOVR tailors its support to meet the needs of each fellow. Qualified applicants must have received, within the past four years, a doctorate in a field relevant to violence research. They must also be on the faculty of a minority-serving institution for less than four years. NCOVR strongly encourages members of racial and ethnic groups to apply. **The deadline for receipt of your completed application packet is February 1.** For additional information and application forms please visit the Consortium's Web-site at <http://www.ncovr.heinz.cmu.edu> or contact:

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National Institute of Justice  
Data Resources Program

## **Annual Workshop on Criminal Justice Data: “Integrating Qualitative Data into Quantitative Studies”**

at ICPSR, University of Michigan  
**June 19–23, 2000**

The social sciences in general and criminology in particular have a long tradition of employing qualitative research methods parallel to or in addition to quantitative techniques. A current example of combining both approaches concerns research on race disparities in juvenile justice. Extensive quantitative research on race disparities in court referrals and severity of outcomes has been inconclusive or contradictory about the role of racial discrimination. Recent qualitative research has shown how court officials' perceptions of the causes of crime differ across race groups and lead to attributions of increased dangerousness for black youth offenders compared to white youth offenders, thereby affecting disposition decisions.

The 2000 NIJ Data Resources Program Summer Workshop at the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) will focus on these and many other instances in which the simultaneous or complementary use of qualitative and quantitative research techniques have resulted in important substantive research findings. The workshop will include examples of how a wide variety of qualitative techniques such as in-depth narrative interviews, analysis of document text, use of open-ended survey questions, focus group interview results, field observations, and ethnographic analyses have been juxtaposed or intertwined with quantitative studies. Contemporary qualitative perspectives on traditional quantitative issues such as reliability, validity, and positivism will be discussed.

Social scientists and researchers from colleges and universities, nonprofit organizations, and government agencies are eligible to participate in this workshop. Enrollment will be limited to no more than 20 participants, selected on the basis of their interests in the topical area, prior methodological training, and potential for research contributions to the topical area. Interested applicants should request application materials from ICPSR or obtain them from the ICPSR website at <http://www.icpsr.umich.edu/sumprog/> in early 2000. The National Institute of Justice will provide stipend support to offset transportation and per diem expenses for enrolled participants. The workshop is offered as part of the ICPSR Summer Training Program in Quantitative Methods. Participants may apply for other courses in the program at their own expense.

### **For information, contact:**

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### **Quantitative Analysis of Crime and Criminal Justice Seminar July 24–August 18**

Part of the ICPSR Summer Program, this four-week seminar will introduce participants to major surveys sponsored by the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS), which are part of the holdings of ICPSR's National Archive of Criminal Justice Data. The instructor and various guest speakers will focus on innovative applications of survey methods and incident-based data in criminal justice. Each participant will also design and conduct a quantitative research project. Enrollment will be limited to ten, and preference will be given to postdoctoral scholars who have prior methodological training. Applicants must show evidence of an intellectual interest and commitment to this substantive area and should include vitas with their applications. Stipend support for those admitted will be provided by BJS.

### **A Gateway to Knowledge: The ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research**

First session: June 26–July 21, 2000  
Second session: July 24–August 18, 2000



### **More About Seminars at the ICPSR Summer Program**

The ICPSR Summer Program is a comprehensive, integrated program of studies in research design, statistics, data analysis, and social methodology. Typical four-week courses include offerings on *Dynamic and Longitudinal Analysis*, *Regression Analysis*, *Dimensional Analysis*, *Time Series*, *Analysis of Variance*, *"LISREL"-Type Models*, *Categorical Analysis*, and *Rational Choice*. In addition, special workshops oriented toward specific datasets are offered in the curriculum. These include *Quantitative Historical Analysis* and *The Study of Aging*. Also, one-week workshops are conducted on advanced statistical topics such as *Logit and Log-Linear Models*, *Spatial Analysis*, *Social Science Data Services*, *Network Analysis*, and *Hierarchical Linear Models*.

*The Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) is located in the Institute for Social Research at the University of Michigan. For more information, contact:*

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## Call for Papers

### MIDWESTERN CRIMINAL JUSTICE ASSOCIATION

2000 Meeting of the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association will be held in Chicago, October 4-6, 2000 at the Best Western Inn of Chicago. Reservations: (312/787-3100) - Deadline: September 21, 2000. Theme: "JUSTICE 2000: Criminal Justice in the New Millennium". ABSTRACT DEADLINE: August 1, 2000.

Please forward abstracts to:

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### 'RESTORATIVE JUSTICE: HEALING HARMS AND PREVENTING VIOLENCE AMONG YOUTH'

The School of Criminal Justice at the University at Albany-SUNY will present a conference "Restorative Justice: Healing Harms and Preventing Violence Among Youth" on April 14, 2000 from 8:45 am -5:00 pm in the Campus Center Assembly Hall.

Thirteen nationally-recognized scholars and practitioners of restorative justice will make presentations and facilitate discussion. Among them are Virginia Mackey of the National Council of Churches; Gordon Bazemore of Florida Atlantic University; Robert Yazzie, Chief Justice, Navajo Nation Court; James Zion, Solicitor, Navajo Nation Court; Larry Tiffit and Harry Mika of Central Michigan University; and David Gil of Brandeis University.

All are invited to attend. To insure that we have sufficient materials, space, and lunch available for everyone, we would ask for a firm commitment by April 1.

For additional information about the conference or to let us know if you plan to attend, contact: School of Criminal Justice, University at Albany-SUNY, 135 Western Avenue, Albany, NY 12222 c/o James Acker (518-442-5317; [acker@cnsvox.albany.edu](mailto:acker@cnsvox.albany.edu)) or Dennis Sullivan (518/765-2468; [gezellig@global2000.net](mailto:gezellig@global2000.net)).

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THE CRIMINOLOGIST will regularly feature in these columns position vacancies available in organizations and universities, as well as positions sought by members of the Society.

A charge of \$150.00 with the absolute maximum of 250 words allowed will be made. The position announcement will also appear on the ASC website: [www.asc41.com](http://www.asc41.com). The charge will be waived for institutional members of ASC.

**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. The Professional Employment Exchange will be a regular feature at each Annual Meeting. Prospective employers and employees should register with the Society no later than three weeks prior to the Annual Meeting of the Society. Appropriate forms may be obtained by writing to the ASC offices in Columbus, Ohio.

To place announcements in THE CRIMINOLOGIST, send all material to: Sarah Hall, ASC, 1314 Kinnear Road, Suite 212, Columbus, OH 43212-1156.

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When sending announcements, please include a phone number, fax number and contact person in the event we have questions about an ad. The deadline for the March/April 2000 issue is **February 1, 2000**.

**AMERICAN INSTITUTES FOR RESEARCH**

Education Statistics Services Institute (ESSI) of the American Institutes for Research has an immediate need for a Research Associate with strong quantitative and technical skills to support current and future project efforts in the area of school crime and safety. The existing team needs an additional member to help with new and already established surveys, from the design phase through report writing. The successful candidate will have a Master's degree or equivalent in sociology, criminology, or a related social science. Strong computer, oral, and written communication skills and expertise in statistical analysis are required. Please forward resume, cover letter, independently written and edited writing sample, and salary history to:

Human Resources - Crime, American Institutes for Research, **Education Statistics Services Institute (ESSI)**, 1000 Thomas Jefferson St., NW, Suite 400, Washington, DC 20007, Fax: 202 944-5454, Website: [www.air.org](http://www.air.org), EOE

**AMERICAN UNIVERSITY**

The Department of Justice, Law and Society, a nationally ranked academic program, in the School of Public Affairs is seeking applicants for a tenure-track faculty position, at the rank of assistant professor, to begin Fall 2000. Candidates should have expertise in one or more areas of justice policy and be able to teach courses dealing with justice and public policy at the bachelors, master and doctoral levels. The candidate must show evidence of professional

and scholarly activity, competence in teaching, as well as a commitment to service in keeping with university standards. A Ph.D. in a relevant academic field (such as criminal justice, criminology, economics, political science, psychology, public policy, or sociology) is required. American University is located in our Nations Capital with convenient access to national, state and local governments, organizations, associations, and is an ideal place to teach and conduct research. For more information about our program and its distinguished faculty, please visit our web site at: [www.american.edu/academic.depts/spa/djls](http://www.american.edu/academic.depts/spa/djls). Review of applications will begin November 1, 1999, and applications will be considered until the position is filled. Interested applicants should submit a detailed letter of application, curriculum vitae, and a list of references, including the addresses and telephone numbers. Send applications to: Office of the Dean, Search (JLS/J & PP), School of Public Affairs, American University, 4400 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20016-8022. American University is an Equal Opportunity Employer committed to a diverse faculty, staff and student body. Women and minority applicants are strongly encouraged to apply.

**THE AMERICAN PROSECUTORS RESEARCH INSTITUTE (APRI)**

The American Prosecutors Research Institute (APRI) has a position available for an experienced criminal justice re-

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**ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**

The Department of Criminology, Sociology, Social Work, and Geography invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track, assistant professor position to begin August 15, 2000. The Department offers a B.A. in criminology, an A.A.S. in law enforcement, and a M.A. in sociology. Preference given to generalists in criminology/criminal justice, with expertise in research methods, statistics, and computer applications. Previous agency employment and experience with non-traditional learning systems are desirable. Successful candidate must show a strong commitment to effective teaching and research. A Ph.D. in criminology, criminal justice, or sociology is required. Send letter of application, vita, transcripts, three letters of reference, and a sample of written work to: Dr. Richard A. Wright, Criminology Search Committee Chair, P.O. Box 2410, Arkansas

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State University, State University, AR 72467 (E-Mail: [rwright@shoshoni.astate.edu](mailto:rwright@shoshoni.astate.edu); Fax: 870-972-3694). Screening begins February 15, 2000 and will continue until position is filled. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Arkansas State University is an EO/AA Employer.

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**DEPARTMENT:** Criminal Justice Tenured Track – Open Rank

##### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS :

All candidates must have an earned doctorate in criminal justice or related field from an accredited University by the time of appointment. For appointment at

senior rank, demonstrated expertise in criminal justice management and policy issues through scholarly publications in peer reviewed journals, success at securing external funding, participation in relevant professional associations and university teaching experience using a variety of methodologies is required. In addition, the successful candidate will have potential for expertise in quantitative methods and their applications. All candidates must have demonstrated ability and/or interest in working in a multi-ethnic, multicultural environment. **DUTIES:** Faculty will develop and teach undergraduate and graduate courses related to criminal justice management, statistics and computer application, engage in student advisement, be involved in scholarly activity, participate in University and community service, develop grant proposals, obtain necessary funding, and implement educational programs for law enforcement personnel.

#### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES

**DEPARTMENT:** Criminal Justice

Tenured Track – Open Rank

##### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

All candidates must have an earned doctorate in criminal justice, psychology or related field from an accredited University by the time of appointment. For a joint appointment with Social Work, an MSW plus a doctorate in Social Work or a related field is required. For a joint appointment with Nursing, an MSN plus a doctorate in Nursing or a related field is required. All candidates must have demonstrated ability and/or interest in working in a multi-ethnic, multicultural environment.

##### PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

Expertise in forensic mental health through scholarly publications in peer reviewed journals, success at securing external funding, participation in relevant professional criminal justice associations and university teaching experience using a variety of methodologies are required. In addition, the successful candidate will have expertise in supervision of forensic mental health placement. **DUTIES:** Faculty will develop and teach undergraduate and graduate courses related to forensic mental health as well as basic issues in criminal justice, engage in student advisement, be involved in scholarly activity, participate in University and community service, develop

grant proposals, obtain necessary funding, and implement educational programs for criminal justice personnel. A person with a joint appointment with Nursing would also be involved with the psychology/mental health CNS option, which offers both graduate courses and field experiences. **APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Review of completed applications will begin February 15, 2000 and will continue until position is filled. Please send a cover letter and vita outlining teaching, research and grant experiences. Three letters of recommendation; and official transcript from institution awarding highest degree. Employment is contingent upon proof of eligibility to work in the United States. Send all correspondence to: Dr. Deborah Baskin, Chairperson, Department of Criminal Justice, 5151 State University Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90032-8163.

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98926-7580. Central Washington University is an Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity, Title IX Institution. The university has a strong commitment to the principles of diversity and, in that spirit, seeks a broad spectrum of candidates including women, minorities, Vietnam-era veterans, disabled veterans, and persons of disability. Persons of disability may request accommodation during the application and/or interview process through the Office for Equal Opportunity. Phone: 509 963-2205. TDD: 509 963-2207.

#### **COKER COLLEGE**

Coker College is seeking an assistant professor in the Department of Behavioral Sciences specializing in criminology and research methods/statistics. This is a tenure-track position, Ph.D. required. Knowledge of the sociology of organizations and social psychology a plus. Teaching responsibilities are in the college's traditional day program and adult evening program on- and off-campus. Review of applications begins February 15 and will continue until position is filled. Minorities and women encouraged to apply. Send letter of application, resume, transcripts, and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Michael Siegfried, Department of Behavioral Sciences, Coker College, 300 East College Ave., Hartsville, SC 29550. E-mail: msiegfried@pascal.coker.edu. EOE www.coker.edu

#### **THE COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY**

The Department of Law & Justice invites applications to fill two assistant professor positions effective Fall 2000. Professors are expected to teach courses; conduct research; publish scholarship; mentor students; and be actively involved in service. Both positions require evidence of at least one year of successful teaching at the baccalaureate level. The first position is a tenure-track one for which we seek a generalist with a Ph.D. in psychology, criminology, criminal justice, or public administration. Preference will be given to candidates with experience teaching introduction to criminal justice and research methods, and/or researching in program evaluation/policy analysis/applied criminal justice planning. The second vacancy is for a one-year position for which candi-

dates should ideally have earned both the J.D. and a Ph.D., but those holding the J.D. who also have significant experience in the criminal justice field and a dedicated record of commitment to undergraduate teaching will be considered. Teaching responsibilities include courts/judicial processes; legal research and writing; criminal law; criminal procedure; and classes related to the social-psychological aspects of law. Send letter of application, curriculum vitae, sample syllabi, and teaching evaluations to Professor Linda Lengyel, Department of Law & Justice chairperson, The College of New Jersey, P.O. Box 7718, Ewing, NJ 08628. Deadline for applications is February 15, 2000. Those who will contribute to the diversity of our community are encouraged to apply.

#### **EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY**

Applications and nominations are sought for the position of Dean of the School of Social Work and Criminal Justice Studies at East Carolina University. The School is one of eleven professional schools within the Divisions of Health Sciences and Academic Affairs. The dean provides professional and academic leadership in social work and criminal justice to enhance the quality of the School's research, teaching, and service missions. Primary responsibilities include administration of the School's academic programs, including Bachelors and Masters in Social Work and Criminal Justice. Although screening of applications will commence February 12, 2000, the position will remain open until filled. Candidates must have: 1) an earned doctorate in Social Work, Criminal Justice or a related field and an MSW, 2) a record of scholarly achievement punctuated by demonstrated experience in administration, teaching, and practice, and 3) knowledge of both the social work and criminal justice disciplines. The School has 25 full-time faculty and approximately 261 undergraduate and 170 graduate majors. Letters of application must be accompanied by a curriculum vitae, three letters of reference, and information should be sent to: Chairperson, Dean Search Committee, School of Social Work and Criminal Justice Studies, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC 27858-4353. East Carolina University is a doctoral II state university in the coastal plain region of North Carolina with over

18,000 students. The University is located in the rapidly growing city of Greenville, the focal point for economic activity and medical services in Eastern North Carolina. Major metropolitan areas as well as coastal recreational opportunities are within easy driving distance. The University web address is <http://www.ecu.edu>. An EO/AA university. Accommodates individuals with disabilities. Applicants must comply with the Immigration Reform and Control Act. Official transcripts are required upon employment.

#### **EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY**

(ECU) SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE STUDIES (Greenville, NC) invites applications for a tenure-track, nine-month criminal justice faculty position at the rank of Assistant/Associate Professor available August 1, 2000. We are seeking applicants with a generalist background in criminal justice and with an ability and interest in statistics/research methods. In addition, all East Carolina faculty within the School provide student advisement and are engaged in research and scholarship. ECU, a doctoral II institution within the University of North Carolina system, is the third largest university with an enrollment of 18,000. The university is located in Greenville, NC, a city of 50,000 about 80 miles east of the state capital in Raleigh and 80 miles west of the beaches along the outer banks. There are approximately 190 declared majors in the baccalaureate program and 150 intended majors. Plans are underway to establish an MS degree in criminal justice. SALARY: Open and commensurate with qualifications and experience. QUALIFICATIONS: A doctorate in criminal justice, criminology, or a related discipline. Preference will be given to candidates with demonstrated research ability, a strong publication record, teaching and practical experience in research methods/statistics.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES: Submit a letter of application detailing interest and particular strengths for the position sought; a full resume; a minimum of three current letters of recommendations; and samples of current and recent scholarly work (articles, etc.). An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Ac-

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commodates individuals with disabilities. Applicants must comply with the Immigration Reform and Control Act. Official transcripts required upon employment. Review of applications will begin Dec. 15, 1999 and continue until the position is filled. Send applications to: Dr. Paul Knepper, Chair Faculty Search Committee School of Social Work and Criminal Justice Studies East Carolina University Greenville, NC 27858-4353 (252) 328-4572; FAX: (252) 328-4196 Email: KnepperP@Mail.ECU.EDU

#### INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Department of Criminology—Two positions at the Assistant Professor level. Begin August 16, 2000. Candidates with teaching interests in theory and research are encouraged to apply for the first position. The second position is open to generalists with teaching interests in juvenile justice/delinquency, policing, or corrections. Ph.D. in criminology/criminal justice or other related social science discipline with concentration in criminology/criminal justice preferred; ABD with confirmed completion date will be considered. Teaching and practical experience desirable for both positions. Successful candidates expected to develop record of research, publication and teaching excellence; will be required to teach graduate and undergraduate courses; and will have opportunity to develop course in criminology/criminal justice areas of interest. Send application letter, vita, and three letters of recommendation to: Mark S. Hamm, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Criminology, Indiana State University, Terre Haute, IN 47809. Inquiries are welcome: (812) 237-2192; crstats@scifac.indstate.edu. For additional information, visit the Criminology web page at web.indstate.edu:80/crim/ Screening begins Dec. 1, 1999. Indiana State University is committed to enhancing the cultural diversity among its faculty and staff and is an EO/AA Employer.

#### MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

The Department of Criminal Justice in-

vides applications for a tenure-track position, #121090. Terminal degree in related area or JD with additional graduate degree in related area required; ABD will be considered. Rank and salary are commensurate with qualifications. Submit curriculum vitae, transcripts, and three letters of recommendation to Dr. Deborah Newman, Chair of Search Committee, Middle Tennessee State University, P.O. Box 238, Murfreesboro, TN 37132. Review of applications will begin November 22, 1999 and will continue until position is filled. MTSU is an AA/EO employer.

#### MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY, MANKATO

The Department of Sociology and Corrections invites applications for a tenure-track assistant professor position in the Corrections Program beginning Fall 2000. The Corrections Program offers a rich selection of courses leading to a B.S. and M.S. in corrections. The successful candidate will teach in the areas of correctional counseling and/or effective treatment methods in corrections. A doctorate (or completion in one year) in sociology, criminal justice or a related field is required. J.D. degrees will not be considered. Candidates should have academic or professional expertise in any of the following areas: prevention, diversion, intervention, and/or risk reduction in corrections. Demonstrated attention to social justice and cultural diversity in the workplace, teaching, and/or research is also required. Expertise in evaluation research, juvenile justice, inequality in the justice system, or restorative justice will also be considered as well as teaching experience, an active research agenda, and correctional agency experience. University faculty must demonstrate excellence in teaching and scholarship, contribute to student growth, undertake service, and engage in professional preparation. Applicants should submit a statement of interest, curriculum vitae (including names and telephone numbers of 3 references), graduate transcripts, and, if available, teaching evaluations and examples of research to Professor James E. Robertson, Department of Sociology & Corrections, 113 Armstrong Hall, Minnesota State University, Mankato, MN 56001. E-mail: james.robertson@mankato.msus.edu. TTY: (800) 627-3529. Fax (507) 389-5615. Re-

view will begin February 15, 2000, and continues until the position is filled. Visit the Corrections Program web site at <http://www.mankato.msus.edu/dept/soccor>. AA/EOE.

#### MOREHEAD STATE UNIVERSITY

invites applications for a tenure track position in Sociology with a substantive focus in Criminology beginning August 2000. Applicants should be able to teach a variety of courses in deviance and criminology. Criminologists with a feminist/critical theoretical foundation and those with practical experience in working with juvenile or adult offenders are strongly encouraged to apply. Successful candidate will have the opportunity for affiliation with the Institute for Correctional Research and Training. Qualifications: Ph.D. in Sociology. ABDs with completion by August 2001 will be considered. Knowledge of qualitative and quantitative methodological techniques. Teaching experience in a computer-enhanced environment preferred. The Department of Sociology, Social Work, and Criminology offers a BA and MA in Sociology with an emphasis in Criminology. The department is a 1999 recipient of a National Science Foundation grant aimed at enhancing the sociology/criminology curriculum and computer lab. To ensure consideration, submit letter of application highlighting teaching areas and research plans, curriculum vitae, official transcripts, and names and phone numbers of at least three references by February 15, 2000, to: Office of Human Resources, Attn: Soc. #356, Morehead State University, HM 101, Morehead, KY 40351. MSU is an EO/AA employer.

#### NATIONAL CONSORTIUM ON VIOLENCE RESEARCH (NCOVR) CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY

Director of Communications: The Director of Communications is responsible for planning and leading the effort to bring the work of the National Consortium on Violence Research (NCOVR), an NSF-funded research center, located within the H. John Heinz III School of Public Policy and Management, to a larger public--policymakers, practitioners, and the general public, as well as to the research community. Responsible for developing the overall com-

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munication strategy for NCOVR and assuring that it is executed appropriately. Writes or oversees the writing of various documents, often involving technical materials. Interacts with consortium members to learn about their research and translates it for other audiences. Also interacts with government officials, the general public and the media to educate, market, and best represent and meet NCOVR, NSF and university requirements. Plans and oversees the execution of major special events featuring NCOVR members and staff to the Congressional audience in Washington. Seven or more years experience in communicating complex ideas to a broad audience, including experience in translating technical writing and results, experience dealing with the media and government agencies, special events planning. Excellent written and oral communication skills, including the ability to translate technical information and issues into laymen's terms. Master's degree in communications or public policy or a related field. Please send resumes to: Carnegie Mellon University National Consortium on Violence Research 5000 Forbes Avenue, 2505 Hamburg Hall Pittsburgh, PA 15213 Attn: Carol Miller

#### **NEW YORK CITY CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCY (CJA)**

The New York City Criminal Justice Agency (CJA) invites applications for a Senior Research Analyst Position. Senior Research Analysts serve as project directors and are responsible for: Design and implementation of research projects, development, in conjunction with computer programmers, of datasets from CJA's database, creation and management of data-cleaning routines, statistical analysis of data, preparation of research reports, and supervision and training of project staff. Position requires Ph.D. in criminal justice or other social science, strong methodological and statistical abilities, excellent oral and written communication skills, experience with computerized data analysis programs such as SPSS or SAS, and demonstrable research experience. Good interpersonal and supervisory skills are essential. Submit resume and cover letter, with job title on envelope to: NYC Criminal Justice Agency 52 Duane Street, 3rd

floor New York, N.Y. 10007 Fax: (212) 577-0586 Attn: Human Resources Manager. No Phone Calls Please. Application Deadline March 1, 2000

#### **PENN STATE CAPITAL COLLEGE**

School of Public Affairs, is seeking applicants for two tenure-track faculty positions at the rank of Assistant Professor to begin Fall 2000. Position 1: This is a generalist position. Teaching responsibilities may include, but are not limited to: Introduction to Criminal Justice, Research Methods, White Collar Crime, Corrections and Rehabilitation, Alternatives to Incarceration, and courses addressing minorities in the criminal justice system. A Ph.D. in criminal justice or a related social science discipline is required. Primary assignment is at the Schuylkill campus. Position 2: This position includes teaching responsibilities in the areas of Law Enforcement Administration, Ethics in Criminal Justice, Research Methodology, Criminal Justice Planning, and a course in Critical Issues in Criminal Justice. A Ph.D. in criminal justice or related social science discipline is required with specialization in Law Enforcement. Some experience in the field is preferred. Primary assignment is at the Harrisburg campus ABDs with confirmed completion dates will be considered for both positions. However, the Juris Doctorate is not a substitute for a Ph.D. for either position. Teaching in the School's NASPAA-accredited Master of Public Administration Criminal Justice track is probable. In addition to teaching, all tenure-track faculty are expected to advise students, pursue scholarly research and publication, participate in curricular development and other university service, and provide outreach and service to the community and their profession. The successful applicants for both positions will be expected to teach at all Capital College locations. The School of Public Affairs offers undergraduate programs in Criminal Justice and Public Policy and graduate programs in Public Administration and Health Administration. Penn State Capital College serves about 4,500 students at its two campuses, Penn State Harrisburg and Penn State Schuylkill, as well as two locations in downtown Harrisburg near the State Capitol. For more information on the School, its programs, and its faculty, visit our web

site at <http://www.hbg.psu.edu/spa>. Applicants for each position should forward a letter of application indicating interest for position #1 or #2 (please include the number), curriculum vitae, and names and addresses of five professional references to: Criminal Justice Search Committee Chair,

c/o Mrs. Dorothy J. Guy, Manager of Human Resources, Penn State Harrisburg, Box CRM, 777 West Harrisburg Pike, Middletown, PA 17057-4898. Screening will begin no later than February 1, 2000 and will continue until the position is filled. Penn State is committed to affirmative action, equal opportunity, and the diversity of its workforce.

#### **PENN STATE**

The Crime, Law, and Justice Program (CLJ) at University Park invites applications for up to two fixed-term lecturers to begin Fall 2000. These positions are intended for "master teachers" who can cover a variety of undergraduate courses, including some combination of the following: introduction to criminal justice, corrections, law and society, juvenile justice, sexual violence, and women in the criminal justice system. The positions carry 3-3 loads and renewable 3-year contracts at a competitive (assistant professor-level) salary. Candidates should have the Ph.D. in hand or should expect to complete the Ph.D. by the time of the appointment. They should also be strongly committed to excellence in classroom instruction. CLJ is a multidisciplinary unit within the Department of Sociology that offers bachelors, masters, and doctoral degrees. Faculty members' work spans a broad range of topics in criminology and criminal justice and is enhanced by the presence of a research institute (the Center for Research on Crime and Justice) and a state agency (the Pennsylvania Sentencing Commission) located on campus. The CLJ undergraduate program is among the most popular in the College of the Liberal Arts, with 600 majors enrolled annually. To apply for one of the CLJ lecturer positions, please send curriculum vitae, teaching portfolio (including statement of teaching interests, sample syllabi, and student evaluations of previous courses),

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and three letters of reference to the CLJ Recruitment Committee, Department of Sociology, The Pennsylvania State University, Box F-2, University Park, PA 16802. Applications received by February 1, 2000 will receive full consideration; however, all applications will be considered until the positions are filled. AA/EOE.

#### **PENN STATE UNIVERSITY-FAYETTE**

Assistant Professor of Administration of Justice Commonwealth College. The Fayette campus of the Commonwealth College invites applications for a tenure-track position of Assistant Professor of Administration of Justice to begin August 2000, or as negotiated. A Ph.D. is required, but an ABD will be considered. The successful candidate will be expected to teach basic and advanced undergraduate courses in criminal law, criminal evidence and procedure in the business community, court systems, probation, parole and pardons, and the juvenile justice system. Desirable secondary areas of specialization include private security, counseling, or women and minorities in the criminal justice system. Faculty are also expected to serve the campus, the college, the university, and the community while maintaining an active research program. For more information about this position, the campus, and the Commonwealth College, please visit <http://www.cwc.psu.edu>. To apply, please submit a cover letter, resume, the names, addresses, phone numbers, and e-mail addresses of three references to: Commonwealth College Faculty Searches, The Pennsylvania State University, 111 Old Main, Box CRIM, University Park, PA 16802. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Penn State is committed to affirmative action, equal opportunity and the diversity of its workforce.

#### **RUTGERS UNIVERSITY—CAMDEN**

The Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice on the Camden Campus of Rutgers University invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track faculty position at the assistant

level to help implement a new major in criminal justice. Requirements include: a Ph.D. in sociology, anthropology, law and society, criminology, or related fields; teaching expertise in one or more of the following areas—corrections, victimology, comparative criminal justice, juvenile justice, and the varieties of crime (e.g. violent, organized, or white collar crime); a demonstrable record of research and publication in these or related fields; and a commitment to teaching excellence. Send letter of application, curriculum vitae, names of five references, and representative publications to Dr. Drew Humphries, Search Committee, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice, Rutgers University, Camden, NJ 08102-1205. Application deadline is February 1, 2000. Visit our website: [www.camden.rutgers.edu/dept-pages/sociology](http://www.camden.rutgers.edu/dept-pages/sociology).

**SALEM STATE COLLEGE.** The Department of Criminal Justice invites applications for a new tenure-track faculty position beginning Fall, 2000, at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor, depending upon qualifications. Qualifications include a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, Criminology, or a closely related field (J.D.'s will not be considered for this position), a strong commitment to excellence in teaching, and the potential for scholarly achievement. The ability to secure external funding is a plus. ABD's must complete all degree requirements by time of appointment. Preferred areas of specialization include police, courts, and comparative criminal justice, though other areas will be considered. Responsibilities include teaching undergraduate criminal justice courses, advising majors, contributing to the college and professional community, and pursuing a research agenda. Salem State places a strong emphasis on students and quality teaching, with growing importance placed on scholarship and research. Salem State is located on the scenic New England coast, 35 miles north of Boston, and one hour from Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine. To apply send a detailed cover letter expressing teaching and research interests, a Curriculum Vita, and three letters of reference to: Salem State College, Office of Equal Opportunity and Human Rights, Attn: Criminal Justice Position, 352 LaFayette Street, Salem, MA 01970. Ap-

plication review will be on a rolling basis, and continue until the position is filled. Salem State College is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer. Persons of color, women and persons with disabilities who can teach in a multicultural environment are strongly encouraged to apply.

#### **SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY**

The Administration of Justice Department at San Jose State University is seeking applications for the position of a probationary (tenure-track) professor at the assistant professor rank. Appointment is on an academic basis, starting **August 24, 2000**. Qualifications: Ph.D. in criminal justice, criminology or related field. Expertise in the **area of policing** is required. Applicants must also be able to teach in our core curriculum: police, corrections, courts, theory or methods. Primary responsibility is to teach undergraduate and graduate courses. Further responsibilities would include: addressing the needs of a student population of great diversity—in age, cultural background, ethnicity, primary language and academic preparation—through course materials, teaching strategies and advisement. **Priority filing date: February 15, 2000**, however, search will remain open until position is filled. Please refer to **PVIN ASA 00-053** and submit: 1) letter of application, 2) detailed resume with record of education, teaching and professional appointments, and experience, 3) university transcripts, 4) three current letters of recommendation to: Professor Inger Sagatun-Edwards, Chair, Administration of Justice Dept. San Jose State University, One Washington Square, San Jose, CA 95192-0050. San Jose State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Reasonable accommodations are made for applicants with disabilities. A full description of position is available at <http://www.sjsu.edu/depts/casa/jobs.html>. San Jose State University is located in Northern California in the heart of Silicon Valley.

#### **SETON HALL UNIVERSITY**

The Department of Criminal Justice invites applications for a tenure-track position at the assistant professor level beginning Fall 2000. Ph.D. is required, as well as demon-

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strated success in teaching and research potential. Candidates must have a strong commitment to undergraduate education and be able to teach methods and a variety of advanced level courses. Send application materials to: Office of the Provost, Attn: Faculty Position Number 102, Seton Hall University, 400 South Orange Avenue, South Orange, NJ 07079. Applications will be accepted until through March 1, 2000.

#### SONOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

The Department of Criminal Justice at Sonoma State University is recruiting for a tenure track position, at the level of assistant professor. We are looking for a broadly trained person in the area of criminology/criminal justice. Experience in any of the following is desirable: criminology, delinquency, punishments and corrections, theory, methods/evaluation research, race, gender and crime, justice and legal studies, introduction, or related fields. Duties include teaching, advising, research, and university/community service. ABDs may apply. Faculty carry a three course teaching load per semester. There are four full-time instructors in the Department, including this position. Most courses are upper division and four-hour. The Department is within the School of Social Sciences and provides a multidisciplinary, liberal arts education leading to the B.A. degree. The curriculum examines the changing nature and content of law, the shifting public expectations of justice agencies, and the reactions of agencies to public opinion and political pressures. Majors are prepared to pursue graduate education in justice studies, criminology, criminology and related fields, or to assume positions in law enforcement, corrections, or related careers. The application postmark deadline is January 15, 2000; the review of applicants will continue until acceptance of the position by a qualified candidate; no application postmarked after 2/15/00 will be considered. An Affirmative Action Equal Opportunity employer. The full description will be posted at <http://www.sonoma.edu/cja/special/poa99.html>. The Department web site is at <http://www.sonoma.edu/cja/>. SSU is located in a highly desirable area of Northern California.

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL OKLAHOMA

Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice is accepting applications for two entry level Assistant Professor positions in its Criminal Justice Program beginning August 2000. Position #1 requires a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice and work experience in law enforcement. Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in Police Management Systems & Administration, Police Community Relations, and Administration of Justice (refer to position #22655). Position #2 requires a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice or Criminology. Work experience in a criminal justice agency is preferred. Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in Police Administration & Organization, Victimology, Criminology, Drug Dependency & Crime, and Ethics & Testimony (refer to position #23588). For both positions prior college-level teaching experience is required and the ability to develop online courses is highly desirable. Complete dossier includes: letter of application, transcripts for all degrees, writing sample, evidence of effective teaching, and three letters of reference. Apply to: Dr. Clifton Warren, Dean, College of Liberal Arts, University of Central Oklahoma, Campus Box 182, 100 N. University Dr., Edmond, OK 73034-5209. Applications accepted until position is filled. Salary very competitive. Applicants must be eligible to work in the United States. Visit [www.ucok.edu](http://www.ucok.edu) for additional information on UCO. UCO is an EOE/AA Employer.

#### UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

Criminal Justice: One tenure-track Assistant Professor position starting September 1, 2000 (pending approval of funding). Ph.D. in criminal justice or related discipline and evidence of strong scholarly work required. Specialization is open. Preference will be given to candidates with research interest in corrections, policing, or criminology. The Division of Criminal Justice offers degrees at the baccalaureate, masters and doctoral levels in criminal justice. Teaching experience is preferred. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Send vita and three letters of reference to: Dr. Sandra Lee Browning, Chair of the Search Committee, Division of Criminal Justice, University of Cincinnati, P.O. Box 210389, Cincinnati, OH 45221-

0389. Review of applications will begin December 15 and continue until an acceptable candidate is found. The University of Cincinnati is an EO/AA Employer.

#### UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

The Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant or Associate Professor position beginning September 1, 2000. The position requires an ethnographer with substantive interests in drug use and abuse, HIV/AIDS, prevention and treatment. In addition to teaching undergraduate and graduate courses, the position involves participation in research projects at the Center for Drug and Alcohol Studies. The selected candidate will have a strong background and commitment to both teaching and conducting ethnographic research. Ph.D. is required. Send an application letter describing teaching and research interests, vita and three letters of reference to: Cynthia Robbins, Chair, Ethnography Search Committee, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice, University of Delaware, Newark, DE 19716-2580. **Deadline is January 15, 2000.** The University of Delaware is an equal opportunity employer which encourages applications from minority group members and women.

#### UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

The Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant Professor position beginning September 1, 2000. The position requires teaching undergraduate and graduate criminal justice courses. We seek candidates from fields that contribute to the interdisciplinary study of criminal justice and law and society. Specialization open but we are particularly interested in candidates specializing in comparative or cross-cultural criminal justice or in race/ethnicity and criminal justice. Ph.D. is required. Send an application letter describing teaching and research interests, vita and three letters of reference to: Valerie Hans, Chair, Criminal Justice Search Committee, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice, University of Delaware, Newark, DE 19716. **Deadline is January 15, 2000.** The University of Delaware is an equal opportunity employer which encourages applications from minority group members and women.

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#### UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

Criminology in Asia. University of Maryland University College anticipates a faculty opening in Criminology in its undergraduate program on U.S. military bases in Asia. The one-year renewable appointment begins August 2000. Required advanced degree in criminology/law enforcement preferred in combination with another discipline, university teaching experience, and U.S. citizenship. Professional experience preferred. Further information: <http://www.umuc.edu> under "Faculty/Staff". Send resume to: Dr. Rosemary Hoffmann, University of Maryland University College, College Park, MD 20742-1642 or e-mail: (please include mailing address) [overseas-programs@umuc.edu](mailto:overseas-programs@umuc.edu). AA/EEO.

#### UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

The Department of Sociology invites applications for an anticipated full-time, tenure-track, entry-level or advanced Assistant professor position beginning August 15, 2000. We seek a colleague with strong research and teaching commitments to complement departmental strengths and programs. Candidates must have a primary specialization in the area of criminology and/or criminal justice and also be willing to teach courses in deviance and/or the sociology of law. Secondary areas are open and an international/comparative perspective is desirable. Salary is competitive. Applicants must have completed (or be close to completing) the Ph.D. degree, and provide documentation of research and teaching potentials. Applications should include a cover letter describing research and teaching interests, a vita, samples of written work, and three letters of reference. Completed applications may be postmarked, faxed, or e-mailed to: Professor Wilbur Scott, Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK 73019; fax 405/325-7285; e-mail: [wscott@ou.edu](mailto:wscott@ou.edu). The screening of applications will begin after February 1, but applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Inquiries regarding the position may be directed to Professor Scott by phone at 405/325-1751 or by e-mail. The University of Oklahoma and the De-

partment of Sociology are committed strongly to the principles of Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action. The University provides consideration for dual career couples.

#### UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO

Department of Sociology invites applications for one or more tenure-track positions at the Assistant Professor level, beginning September 2000. The position(s) provide a tenure-track appointment in the Sociology Department with major teaching responsibilities in the Criminal Justice Program. The Criminal Justice Program is a social-science-oriented program composed of faculty from Political Science, Psychology, and Sociology. The Sociology Department seeks candidates with a productive agenda of scholarship in an area of Sociology closely related to crime and criminal justice. Specific specialties are open. A high proportion of the faculty in the Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice Program have national visibility in their fields and the University consistently ranks in the top five universities in Texas in extramural funding. The University of Texas at El Paso is now a national research center and leader in minority education. UTEP has approximately 14,000 students enrolled in six colleges and is located in a bi-national multicultural metropolitan area of two million people. Screening will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Teaching experience and evidence of teaching quality are desirable. Must have earned doctorate at the time of appointment. Candidates should send their curriculum vitae, copies of recent articles or unpublished work, a letter describing their teaching and research interests, and should have three letters of reference sent to S. Fernando Rodriguez, Chair, Department of Sociology, The University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, TX 79968-0559. UTEP does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, disability, or sexual orientation in employment or the provision of services. Availability of this position is subject to final budgetary approval.

#### UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS- PAN AMERICAN

The Department of Criminal Justice is accepting applications for the position of As-

sistant Professor of Criminal Justice. Appointment is effective September 1, 2000. This is a full-time, tenure-track appointment in the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences. A Ph.D. in Criminal Justice or Criminology, or closely-related discipline such as Sociology or Political Science/Public Administration is required. Persons with Ph.D. which is not in Criminal Justice or Criminology must demonstrate through teaching, research, or professional field experience a justification for appointment in a Criminal Justice program. All teaching fields will be considered, with greater weight given to Adult or Juvenile Corrections. Teaching assignments are at the undergraduate and graduate levels. Prior criminal justice agency experience is desirable. The competitive candidate will demonstrate potential for excellence in teaching, research and publication, and professional service. Salary is competitive. Applicants must submit: a letter of professional interest; resume or curriculum vitae; official transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate degrees, and three reference letters, written specifically in response to this position announcement. Only completed application folders will be considered. Review of applications will begin on February 1, 2000 and continue until the position is filled. Applications will be accepted on a continual basis until an appointment is made. Send application materials to: University of Texas-Pan American, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Criminal Justice, SBS321, 1201 W. University Drive, Edinburg, TX 78539-2999. The University of Texas-Pan American is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Position is subject to final budget approval. (F99/00-15).

#### WELLESLEY COLLEGE

The National Violence Against Women Prevention Research Center at Wellesley Centers for Women, Wellesley College, announces the availability of a POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOW position in violence against women (VAW) prevention research. Available September 2000. Fellows will work on research on violence against women and may collaborate on one of the Centers on-going projects, conduct research using one of 25 data sets available

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through the NVAW consortium, or complete a project begun elsewhere. The staff of the Center will assist fellows in developing research designs and securing funding for projects. Fellows are expected reside within commuting distance of Wellesley, Massachusetts; attend monthly seminars; and to work collaboratively with local, national or international practitioners on research design, implementation and interpretation of findings. One expected product of the program is the development of models for researcher-practitioner collaboration. Required: A doctorate in one of the social sciences. Persons in professions such as psychiatry, law, or social work are also eligible if they have research experience. Fellowships are normally awarded for one year at 80% FTE based on an annual salary of \$36,000, with benefits. Applications will be accepted through March 1, 2000. Send a letter describing your interests in relation to research on VAW and researcher-practitioner collaborations, your curriculum vitae, three letters of recommendation, and examples of previous research papers to be reviewed by Linda M. Williams, Ph. D., Co-Director, National Violence Against Women Prevention Research Center. Address application to: Human Resources Office, Wellesley College, 106 Central Street, Wellesley, MA 02481-8203. Wellesley College welcomes applications from ethnic minorities.

#### WESTERN OREGON UNIVERSITY

The Department of Criminal Justice is seeking applicants for a tenure-track faculty position, at the rank of advanced assistant or associate professor, depending upon experience. Applicants will be expected to have teaching experience and to take on a leadership and curriculum development role in a growing and dynamic department. The position will involve teaching/advising primarily in our law enforcement program and our interdisciplinary program in community crime prevention and community justice. It may also involve teaching general criminal justice courses. A Ph.D. in criminal justice, justice administration, sociology, criminology or a closely related field is required. Screening of applications will begin January 3, 2000 and continue until the position

is filled. Send your curriculum vitae, three letters of reference and graduate transcripts to: Dr. Steve Gibbons, Department of Criminal Justice, Western Oregon University, Monmouth, OR 97361. An Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity Employer. Western Oregon University encourages applications from women, members of minority groups and individuals with disabilities. 345 North Monmouth Avenue, Monmouth, OR 97361. [Hhttp://www.wou.edu](http://www.wou.edu)

#### WESTFIELD STATE COLLEGE

Westfield State College, a Public Liberal Arts College in Western Massachusetts, offering undergraduate and graduate (Master's level) degrees, invites applications for two anticipated, tenure track appointments in the Department of Criminal Justice, commencing Fall 2000. Duties for the first position include the development and teaching of undergraduate and graduate courses in the areas of policing and administrative theory. The areas of specialization for the second position include diversity issues in criminal justice (e.g. race and gender). Other areas may be considered. Minimum qualifications include an earned doctorate by September 1, 2000, in criminal justice or related discipline. A Juris Doctorate is not an appropriate degree. Those with teaching and/or related experience preferred. Rank and salary are dependent upon qualifications. Women, persons of color, and persons with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply. Applications should be submitted by December 15, 1999; however, applications will be accepted until positions are filled. Please forward a cover letter, curriculum vita, names and telephone numbers of three references, and a doctoral transcript to: Professor John Jones, Chair, Dept. of Criminal Justice, Westfield State College, Westfield, MA 01085. An AA/EO Employer.

#### WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

The Department of Sociology and Anthropology invites applications for a tenure-track assistant professor position starting August 16, 2000. We are searching for a quantitative criminologist with good methodological skills to teach advanced data analysis in addition to undergraduate course offerings related to the Department's Crime and Social Control emphasis, such as, criminology, juvenile delin-

quency, deviance, and administration of justice. Experience teaching large classes desirable. The ideal candidate should have a strong research agenda and will be expected to secure external funding in support of that agenda. WVU is an attractive location for criminologists, having links with the nearby CJIS division of the FBI and the National White Collar Crime Training and Research Institute. Completion of a Ph.D. in Sociology or related discipline is required. Applicant to provide evidence of proven teaching ability and copies of written and/or published research. Provide a letter of application describing your research and teaching interests and experiences, a curriculum vitae, and three letters of reference. WVU is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer with a strong commitment to social justice and faculty diversity. Applications from women and minority scholars are strongly encouraged. WVU's smoke-free campus is conveniently located seventy-five miles south of Pittsburgh and two hundred miles northwest of Washington, DC. Send applications to the attention of: Search Committee Chairperson, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, West Virginia University, P.O. Box 6326, Morgantown, WV 26506. Applicant review to begin January 3, 2000. Additional information may be found at [http://www.as.wvu.edu/soc\\_a](http://www.as.wvu.edu/soc_a).

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**MARCH/APRIL  
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**FEBRUARY 1, 2000**

**CALL FOR PAPERS****15TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE AUSTRALIAN AND  
NEW ZEALAND SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY**

You are invited to attend and participate in the 15th Annual Conference of the Australian and New Zealand Society of Criminology, February 21-23, 2001, The University of Melbourne, Australia. The theme of the conference is "Criminology in the 21st Century: Public Good or Private Interest?" Closing date for papers is October 30, 2000. For further details, contact:

Professor Arie Freiberg  
a.freiberg@criminology.unimelb.edu.au  
<http://www.criminology.unimelb.edu.au>

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**INTERNATIONAL POLICE EXECUTIVE SYMPOSIUM (IPES)****July 9-12, 2000****Traffic Policing: An International Perspective**

An International Symposium for police and other interested professionals as well as scholars working in the area of traffic policing will be organized in Evanston, Illinois, July 9-12, 2000. Please contact the Local Organizer for accommodations and meals. Papers presented at the Symposium will be published as a volume.

Local Organizer: Professor Alexander Weiss  
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405 Church Street  
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E-mail: [alweiss@nwu.edu](mailto:alweiss@nwu.edu)

For participation, please contact:

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**CALL FOR PAPERS**

**SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF SOCIAL PROBLEMS**

SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF SOCIAL PROBLEMS Annual Meeting, August 11-13, 2000, Stouffer Renaissance Hotel, Washington, D.C. Submissions are invited for papers and proposals for the following LAW AND SOCIETY sponsored sessions. Please contact the following organizers. Deadline: January 31, 2000.

Session: "LAW AND EVERYDAY LIFE"

Sponsor: Law and Society Division

Organizer: Amanda Konradi  
Department of Sociology and Anthropology  
Ohio University  
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KONRADI@OHIOU.EDU

THEMATIC SESSION: "LEGAL REPRESSION OF SOCIAL JUSTICE MOVEMENTS"

Co-Sponsors: Law and Society Division and Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Division

Organizer: Kathryn Stout  
Department of Sociology  
Dominican University  
7900 W. Division Street  
River Forest, IL 60305  
W: 518/564-3045 FAX: 518/564-3333  
KSTOUT@IGC.APC.ORG

Session: "LAW, SOCIAL INEQUALITY, AND THE PURSUIT OF JUSTICE"

Co-Sponsors: Law and Society Division and Social Problems Theory Division

Organizer: Barbara Perry  
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Northern Arizona University  
P. O. Box 15005  
Flagstaff, AZ 86011  
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BARBARA.PERRY@NAU.EDU

THEMATIC SESSION: "THE ROLE OF CRIMINAL LAW IN RESTORATIVE JUSTICE"

Co-Sponsors: Law and Society Division and Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Division

Organizer: A. Javier Trevino  
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We have worked day and night, burned the candle at both ends at the risk of life, limb and property, and have slayed numerous internet viruses to bring you www.asc4l.com. Well, not quite. But some very significant efforts have been put forward and we have updated and substantially upgraded our web site. Two particular features seem to be of great interest:

1. The membership directory is now upon the web, with members listed alphabetically and by state/country. Note that the listed email addresses are all active. If you find an error in a membership directory listing, please contact Sarah Hall at [asc4l@infinet.com](mailto:asc4l@infinet.com).
2. Criminology abstracts from 1980 to present are on our web site. We now have the abstracts categorized by author, by subject, and by year.

Other features of our web page:

1. Announcements:
    - a. Call for papers
    - b. Conferences and workshops
    - c. Editor position announcements
    - d. Fellowships and visiting professor scholarships
    - e. Request for proposals
  2. Annual meeting information:
    - a. Abstracts from the 1999 Annual Meeting in Toronto
    - b. Abstract forms
    - c. Call for papers
    - d. Future meeting dates and locations
    - e. Hotel reservation information
    - f. Meeting registration form
    - g. Panel forms
    - h. Preliminary program
    - i. Travel information
  3. Award information:
    - a. Carte Student Paper Competition information and list of recipients
    - b. Fellowship for Ethnic Minorities information and list of recipients
    - c. List of ASC Fellows
    - d. List of previous ASC award recipients
    - e. Nomination information for ASC Awards
    - f. Nomination information for ASC Fellows
  4. Committees - All ASC committees, their charges, and their chairs are listed.
  5. Divisions - All of the ASC divisions have a web page. We are in the process of developing a membership directory for each division and should have that on the web by the spring of 2000. We are also developing a listserve for each of the divisions.
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6. Employment information:
  - a. Annual Meeting employment bulletin information and forms
  - b. Annual Meeting employment exchange information and forms
  - c. Chronicle of Higher Education employment listings
  - d. Current position announcements in The Criminologist
  - e. List of books dealing with employment and criminology/criminal justice
  - f. National Institute of Justice position announcements
  - g. Position announcement information to place an ad in The Criminologist
  
7. History of The American Society of Criminology:
  - a. "The American Society of Criminology: A History, 1941-1974," by Albert Morris (Criminology, August 1975).
  - b. "The ASC and Women," by Freda Adler (The Criminologist, May/June 1997).
  - c. "The Recent History of the American Society of Criminology," by Frank Scarpitti (The Criminologist, November 1985).
  
8. Links to a number of information sources:
  - a. Colleges and universities worldwide
  - b. Criminology/criminal justice graduate programs
  - c. Forensic science information
  - d. Journals that publish in the area of criminology/criminal justice
  - e. Justice agencies, professional associations and information sources
  - f. Journals
  - g. National Institute of Justice publications
  - h. Publishers
  
9. Membership application form.
  
10. Organization information:
  - a. Board Meeting minutes
  - b. By-laws
  - c. Code of Ethics
  - d. Committees
  - e. Constitution
  - f. Current officers
  - g. E-Mail Mentoring Program
  - h. List of past ASC presidents
  - i. Policies and Procedures Manual
  
11. Publication information - general information regarding our publications, Criminology and The Criminologist.

**\* COMING ATTRACTIONS\***

We are now beginning to develop a members' areas of expertise directory to be listed on our web page. When you register for the annual meetings, and when you renew your ASC membership each year, we will ask you to list your areas of expertise. We will use that information to develop and update the areas of expertise directory.

If you see any errors, have any ideas for new links, have new information to include, or just want to share some thoughts on how we might do a better job, please contact Sarah Hall at 614-292-9207 ([asc41@infinet.com](mailto:asc41@infinet.com)), Chris Eskridge at 402-472-6755 ([ceskridge2@unl.edu](mailto:ceskridge2@unl.edu)) or Janis Searcey at 402-472-3677 ([jsearcey@unlnotes.unl.edu](mailto:jsearcey@unlnotes.unl.edu)).

## COSSA WASHINGTON UPDATE

by  
David A. Hess

It took nearly two months into Fiscal Year (FY) 2000, but on November 27 Congress finally finished work on all its appropriations bills and closed out the 106<sup>th</sup> Congress' first session. In its wake, Congress once again left an omnibus budget bill hundreds of pages long. The bill contains the funding for the Departments of Commerce, Health and Human Services, Interior, Justice, and Labor, as well as the District of Columbia. Both sides are claiming victory in their year-end budget battle, with the Republicans boasting that they did not "raid Social Security" to pay for other budgetary priorities and the Democrats receiving funding for several of their favorite initiatives, including funding for more police officers and school teachers. In order to claim that they did not break the budget caps established by the 1997 Balanced Budget Act, the budget bills contain numerous accounting gimmicks. One tactic, called "advanced" or "forward funding," because these funds count against the FY 2001 budget and not the FY 2000 budget, was used extensively. Additionally, many budget items were termed "emergency spending" which does not count against the budget caps. This term, however, was used quite liberally considering that the Constitutionally-mandated census was deemed emergency spending. Finally, to reduce the overall spending for FY 2000, the omnibus bill contains a .38 percent across-the-board cut that will affect the funding levels of all federal agencies. (The numbers included in this story do not include the .38 percent reduction. The administration and each department determine how to implement this cut and no agency can have its budget reduced by more than 15 percent.)

### **Budget Round-up: Research, Statistics, and Juvenile Justice**

The final version of the omnibus bill includes funding for the justice research and statistics programs, as well as juvenile justice programs. The National Institute of Justice (NIJ) received a base funding of \$43.4 million, \$7.5 million less than the administration's request. This level is down slightly from last year's base funding of \$46.1 million. On top of its base funding, the NIJ receives millions of dollars from other programs' appropriations, including funds to evaluate offices and programs created through the 1994 Crime Act. Additionally, NIJ receives annually \$20 million from the Local Law Enforcement Block Grant (LLEBG) program to assist local law enforcement agencies procure and implement crime fighting technologies. Including all the funds transfers, NIJ's overall funding hovers around \$200 million dollars. Included in the overall level is a new appropriation of \$30 million to study the social and political causes and effects of terrorism. The Congress directs the NIJ, however, to "equally divide" these funds between the Oklahoma City Institute for the Prevention of Terrorism and the Dartmouth Institute for Security Studies.

The omnibus bill provides the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) \$25.5 million, slightly more than the request of \$25 million. Included in its total funding is \$400,000 for the National Victims of Crime survey, and another \$400,000 is for BJS to compile statistics of crime victims with disabilities. For juvenile justice programs the budget bill provided \$287.1 million, nearly equal to the budget request and \$3 million more than the FY 1999 level.

### **Office of Justice Programs Receives Congressional Attention; But Little Action**

The Office of Justice Program's reorganization proposal, as mandated by the Fiscal Year 1999 omnibus appropriations bill, was the subject of several hearings and much discussion over the last several months. Despite congressional interest in reorganizing OJP, no legislation passed this year enacting the proposed changes. However, a portion of the reorganization plan was enacted when President Clinton signed the Consolidated Appropriations Act on November 29. Part of the omnibus funding bill is a provision that transfers all of the responsibilities and duties of the Director of the Bureau of Justice Assistance to the Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Justice Programs. The transfer, to occur on September 20, 2000, appears to be a step in the direction of consolidating the operations of the OJP — consolidation of programs within the OJP was one of the chief reasons Congress required OJP to submit a reorganization plan.

The budget bill also contains language directing the OJP to submit a second reorganization plan. Congress wants OJP to expand and clarify three points in the original reorganization plan: the creation of a one-stop information center; the establishment of state desks for geographically-based grant administration; and the administration of grants by subject area. During an early House Judiciary Committee hearing on OJP's reorganization plan several members of the committee asked questions about these three areas. This language, therefore, derives from the questions raised in that hearing.

Despite months of anticipation and lots of rhetoric from both sides of the aisle, the Congress left town without passing juvenile crime or gun control legislation. Both the House and Senate passed their own versions of legislation addressing the problems of juvenile crime. The Senate version also contained gun control language while the House contained no similar provision. The two sides had named conferees to the conference committee to reconcile differences between the two bills — H.R. 1501, sponsored by Representative Bill McCollum (R-FL) and S.254, sponsored by Senator Orrin Hatch (R-UT). The conference committee, however, met only once and no legislation came to pass. Several lawmakers on both sides of the aisle attempted parliamentary procedures to prod the conference committee to negotiate and come to a compromise on the two bills, but the conference never got off the ground.

### **Legislation to Protect Databases Could Impact Researchers**

There are currently two bills in the House that could effect how researchers, including criminologists, conduct their research. The "Collections of Information Piracy Act (H.R. 354)," sponsored by Representative Howard Coble (R-NC), would prohibit extracting or using "all or a substantial part . . . of a collection of information gathered, organized, or maintained by another person through the investment of substantial monetary or other resources, so as to cause harm to the actual or potential market of that other person. . ." In other words, individuals would be prohibited from culling information from collections of information or databases maintained electronically. This would severely undercut the common research practice of culling information and formulating new ideas and constructs. While the bill contains an exception for nonprofit educational, scientific, and research uses these exceptions are ambiguously defined. In fact, the term "collections of information" could be construed to mean just about any type of factual information, including books and journal articles. A large coalition of scientific groups and business officials, including the Chamber of Commerce, have rallied in opposition to this bill.

Groups opposed to H.R. 354 have thrown their collective weight behind a separate piece of database legislation introduced by Commerce Committee Chair Thomas Bliley (R-VA). Like H.R. 354, Bliley's bill (H.R. 1858) would prohibit wholesale duplication of databases, but would provide for the reuse of factual information and therefore protect the traditional research and educational uses of data.

Congress left town before it had time to deal with either piece of legislation. In fact, Congress was supposed to consider H.R. 354 before the session ended, but a furious lobbying effort by groups opposed to Coble's bill put off any congressional action. It is rumored that the two opposing sides in this debate will meet between the end of the session and January 24 (when Congress plans to reconvene) to attempt to find common ground between the two bills.

For more information about the Consortium of Social Science Associations (COSSA) or the work COSSA performs, contact David A. Hess, Associate Director for Public Affairs, 1522 K Street, NW, Suite 836, Washington, DC 20005, 202/842-3525 (Telephone), 202/842-2788 (Fax), dahess@erols.com (Email).

# AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY

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**Deadline: March 1, 2000**

**ELIGIBILITY:** The fellowship is designed to encourage African American, Asian American, Latino, and Native American students to enter the field of criminology and criminal justice. Applicants need not be members of the American Society of Criminology. Individuals studying criminology or criminal justice issues are encouraged to apply. The recipient or recipients of the fellowship must be accepted into a program of doctoral studies.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:** A complete application package must be received no later than **March 1, 2000**. A complete application must contain (1) up-to-date curriculum vita; (2) indication of race or ethnicity; (3) copies of undergraduate and graduate transcripts; (4) statement of need and prospects for financial assistance for graduate study; (5) a letter describing career plans, salient experiences, and nature of interest in criminology and criminal justice; and (6) three letters of reference.

**NOTIFICATION:** Award(s) will be made by June 1, 2000.

Applications should be sent to:

Sarah Hall, Administrator  
American Society of Criminology  
1314 Kinnear Road, Suite 212  
Columbus, Ohio 43212-1156

**The Society reserves the right not to award the fellowship.**



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**CHAIR, DEPARTMENT OF POLICE STUDIES**

Applications are being accepted for the position of Chair of the Department of Police Studies in the College of Law Enforcement. Starting date is July 1, 2000.

The chair is expected to provide academic, administrative and scholarly leadership to the 18-member department. Responsibilities include departmental governance, instruction, program development, faculty and student affairs, budget, resource and office management, and professional and scholarly development. The Chair also performs other duties as assigned by the Dean of the College.

The Department has approximately 700 majors within its on-campus and extended programs and offers an undergraduate degree and a joint (with the Department of Correctional and Juvenile Justice Studies) Master's degree in Criminal Justice. The Department has acquired a national reputation through its scholarship and participation in professional organizations. There is an expectation that the Chair will help maintain the department as a nationally recognized center for scholarship and research, a premier educational program, and a provider of services for the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The department has two distinct programs - one in Police Studies and one in Criminal Justice. Efforts currently are underway to implement an undergraduate criminal justice degree.

The Department and College have exceptional facilities and significant capital, grant and travel resources and opportunities. The College was recognized as Eastern Kentucky University's only Program of Distinction in 1998. This designation both recognizes the College's accomplishments in the past and challenges the College to further develop its teaching, research and service contributions to Kentucky, the nation and internationally. Both the Department and College are in the process of changing their names to better reflect the diversity of EKU faculty, their scholarship and students' interests and objectives.

Qualifications for the position include evidence of:

- A terminal degree in an appropriate discipline;
- A demonstrated record of scholarly accomplishments and evidence of an active and continuing research agenda;
- A record of excellence in university teaching, scholarship, and service;
- Administrative and leadership experience is desired;
- The ability to work effectively with students, faculty, staff and other administrators;
- A commitment to providing educational, public service and continuing education relationships to an extended campus region; and
- Experience and accomplishment appropriate for tenure and the rank of Associate Professor or Professor

Applications shall include: (1) a letter of application detailing the candidate's administrative and teaching experience and research agenda; (2) two writing samples from recent publications; (3) three names of references and contact information (including addresses, phone numbers and e-mail addresses); and (4) a current curriculum vita. Applications should be sent to:

**Dr. Kenneth Tunnell, Chair  
Police Studies Search Committee  
521 Lancaster Avenue  
Stratton 467  
Eastern Kentucky University  
Richmond, KY 40475-3131  
(606) 622-1984  
e-mail: padtunnell@acs.eku.edu**

**For additional information, visit our Web site at: [www.len@acs.eku.edu](http://www.len@acs.eku.edu)**

Review of applications will begin February 1, 2000, and will continue until the position is filled.

Eastern Kentucky University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

## ASC STUDENTS CALL FOR ENTRIES

### 2000 ASC GENE CARTE STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION

We invite participation in The American Society of Criminology Gene Carte Student Paper Competition. These awards are given to recognize outstanding scholarly work of students. Following are the procedures for the 2000 competition.

#### WHO IS ELIGIBLE

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

#### SPECIFICATIONS FOR PAPERS

No paper may be submitted to more than one ASC student competition for the same year. Any paper that has previously won any prize in any ASC competition is ineligible for submission to another ASC competition. Papers may be conceptual and/or empirical but must be directly related to criminology. Papers must be typewritten, double-spaced on 8-1/2 x 11 white paper, and no longer than 7,500 words. The CRIMINOLOGY format for the organization of text, citations and references should be used. Authors' names, departments and advisors (optional) must appear ONLY on the title page, since papers will be evaluated anonymously. The next page of the manuscript should include the title and a 100-word abstract. The author must submit EIGHT copies of the manuscript, accompanied by a letter indicating the author's enrollment status and co-signed by the dean, department chair or program director.

#### DEADLINE

Papers must be submitted with a postmark on or before April 15, 2000 to:

STEVEN P. LAB  
Criminal Justice Program  
Bowling Green State University  
Bowling Green, OH 43403  
419/372-7778 419/372-2897 FAX  
slab@bgnet.bgsu.edu

#### PROCEDURES FOR JUDGING ENTRIES

The Student Awards Committee will rate entries according to criteria such as the quality of the conceptualization, significance of the topic, clarity and aptness of methods, quality of the writing, command of relevant work in the field, and contribution to criminology. The Committee's award determinations will be final.

#### AWARDS

The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place papers will be awarded prizes of \$500, \$300, and \$200, respectively and will be eligible for presentation at the 2000 meeting of The American Society of Criminology in San Francisco, California, November 15-18, 2000. The 1st prize winner also will be granted a travel award to the meeting. The Committee may decide that no entry is of sufficient quality to declare a winner. Fewer than three awards may be given. Prize-winning students will be acknowledged at the Annual Meeting Awards Ceremony.

#### NOTIFICATION OF AWARDS

The author(s) of entries selected by the judges for awards will be notified in writing by August 1, 2000.

## NOMINATIONS FOR ASC FELLOWS

The ASC Fellows Committee invites nominations for Fellows in the Society. This title is available to those members of the Society in good standing who have achieved distinction in criminology. The last meeting of the ASC Executive Board approved the following clarification of this distinction: "The honorary title "Fellow" recognizes persons who have made a scholarly contribution to the intellectual life of the discipline, whether in the form of a singular, major piece of scholarship or cumulative scholarly contributions. Longevity alone is not sufficient. In addition, a Fellow must have made a significant contribution to the field through the career development of other criminologists and/or through organizational activities within the ASC."

The names of those who have been awarded the Fellow status will be announced at the 2000 Annual Meeting and the candidates will be acknowledged by the Society with the presentation of a Certificate.

In your nominating letter, please describe the reasons for your nomination and include a copy of the nominee's curriculum vitae (or make arrangements to have it sent to the Committee). **All materials should be received by March 1, 2000 to:**

### DREW HUMPHRIES

Chair, ASC Fellows Committee  
Sociology, Anthropology and Criminal Justice  
Rutgers University  
Camden, NJ 00812  
856/225-6073 856/225-6602 FAX  
humphri@crab.rutgers.edu

The nominations will be reviewed by all members of the Committee and recommendations made to the Executive Board for their consideration during their Spring Board meeting. Any questions concerning eligibility or the nomination process should be directed to Professor Humphries.

### ASC FELLOW RECIPIENTS (as of November, 1999)

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Frank Boolsen	Don M. Gottfredson	June Morrison	Darrell Steffensmeier
David Bordua	Michael Gottfredson	Gerhard O.W. Mueller	Denis Szabo
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## THE CONTEMPORARY JUSTICE REVIEW

Guest editors of a special issue of the CONTEMPORARY JUSTICE REVIEW, Gale Burford and Joe Hudson, are pleased to announce a call for papers on "The Restorative Justice Program as a Demonstration Project."

The editors are looking for papers that describe the operations of restorative justice programs (e.g. peacemaking circles, victim-offender mediation, family group conferencing, and victim-offender reconciliation programs), that illustrate how such projects embody restorative justice principles, and that show how such programs have implications for adoption elsewhere.

Papers accepted for publication will be expected to address the following:

- (1) the restorative nature of the program and how it differs from a punitive or treatment response to harm;
- (2) the eligible population of persons accepted for the program and the basis on which eligibility decisions are made;
- (3) a description of the way the needs of all persons associated with the program are served, those responsible for the harm done, those who have been harmed, and the significant others of each;
- (4) the key staff involved in the process, their roles, responsibilities and the nature of their participation in the restorative process from admission to discharge;
- (5) the key implementation problems experienced by the program; and
- (6) how the program demonstrates a potential for implementation elsewhere.

Those interested in contributing to the issue should **send an abstract (fewer than 150 words) before March 1, 2000** to: Gale Burford, Dept. of Social Work, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT 05405  
Phone: 802-656-9661/8800; FAX: 802-656-8565

Those whose papers have been accepted will be notified by April 1, 2000. Final papers are due to the editors by September 1, 2000.

For more detailed information on the Contemporary Justice Review, see the journal's Notes for Contributors on the Gordon and Breach home page at <http://www.gbhap.com> or contact: Dennis Sullivan, Editor, The Contemporary Justice Review, 14 Voorheesville Avenue, P. O. Box 262, Voorheesville, NY 12186; Tel: 518-765-2468; e-mail: [gezellig@global2000.net](mailto:gezellig@global2000.net)

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### Graduate Student Paper Competition

The editors of *Law and Social Inquiry* are pleased to announce a competition for the best journal-length paper in the field of sociolegal studies written by a graduate student. The winning paper will be published in *Law and Social Inquiry* and the author will receive a cash prize of \$500. Submissions will be judged by the editorial board, and the winning submission will be internally reviewed for publication. The author must be a graduate student or law student at the time of submission. **Entries should be received by March 1, 2000.** The winner will be selected by May 1 and the prize will be awarded at the annual meeting of the Law and Society Association.

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**EDWIN H. SUTHERLAND AWARD**, which recognizes outstanding scholarly contributions to the discipline of criminology by a North American criminologist. Outstanding scholarly contributions may consist of a single outstanding book or work, a series of theoretical or research contributions, or the accumulated contributions of a senior scholar.

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Those interested in being considered for the award or nominating someone for the Award should send copies of applicant's/nominee's vitae and published works to:

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## NOMINATIONS FOR 2000

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The Award Committee is soliciting nominations for the Michael J. Hindelang Award. To nominate a book, please send the title of the book, its authors, the publisher, the year of the publication, and a brief discussion of your reasons for the recommendation to the Award Committee.

The deadline for receiving nominations is **February 15, 2000**. Send your nomination to:

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Secretary: Becky Tatum  
Executive Counselors: Willie Edwards, Marjorie Zatz, and Charles Crawford  
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### CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Nominations Committee of the Division on People of Color and Crime is seeking candidates for the following offices: Vice Chair, Secretary, and Executive Counselor. All DPCC terms are for two years. Division members are invited to submit their names or those of others whom they wish to nominate. The deadline for nominations is March 15, 2000. Please forward nominations to: [cnitaheard@aol.com](mailto:cnitaheard@aol.com)

Chinita A. Heard, Chair  
DPCC Nominations Committee

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### DIVISION ON WOMEN AND CRIME

Congratulations to the newly elected officers of the Division on Women and Crime:

Division Chair: Nancy Wonders  
Division Secretary: Carolyn Rebecca Block  
Executive Counselors: Drew Humphries and Nanci Koser Wilson

## DIVISION ON SENTENCING AND CORRECTIONS

Dear Friends and Colleagues:

I am pleased to be able to share information with you about a new ASC Division. In Toronto, the Executive Board of the American Society of Criminology authorized the creation of a new Division of the Society—the Division on Corrections and Sentencing. The Division had its organizational meeting in Toronto where we established a constitution and elected officers. I am privileged to be the Chair of the new Division and I want to encourage your involvement.

The Division on Corrections and Sentencing was established:

- To facilitate and encourage research on corrections and sentencing for adults and juveniles;
- To facilitate and encourage research pertaining to sentencing, rehabilitation, punishment, community and institutional corrections, diversionary programs and alternatives;
- To bring together ASC members interested in discussing and supporting research and theoretical development in corrections and sentencing;
- To facilitate and encourage interaction and dissemination of research among ASC members, practitioners, practitioners, funding agencies, policy-making bodies, corrections and sentencing organizations, and other relevant groups; and
- To organize and promote ASC conference sessions related to issues in corrections and sentencing.

We hope that many of you will participate with us in the new Division. First of all, we are eager to hear from you concerning ideas for this Division, either for specific activities or a general direction. Let us know how we can best serve your needs. We hope you will join the Division and participate actively in one of our committees (Newsletter, Nominations, Outreach, Program, Special Events, Student Affairs). Of course, all are encouraged to attend Corrections and Sentencing panels and the Division's activities at next year's Annual Meeting.

If you have suggestions or questions, please contact me or one of the other Division officers: Vice-Chair--Patricia Van Voorhis (University of Cincinnati), Past Chair -- David Farrington (Honorary), Secretary/ Treasurer--Steve Van Dine (Ohio Department of Rehabilitation & Correction), and Executive Counselors -- James Bonta (Solicitor General Canada), Elaine Duxbury (California Youth Authority), Gerry Gaes (Federal Bureau of Prisons).

The easiest way to join is by adding the Division fee (\$10 general; \$5 students) to your payment in the annual membership registration process. We look forward to working with you. I can be reached by e-mail at [dmackenzie@crim.umd.edu](mailto:dmackenzie@crim.umd.edu), by phone at 301-405-3008, or by mail at the University of Maryland, 2220 LeFrak Hall, College Park, MD 20742-8235.

Please join us in this exciting new Division!

Doris Layton MacKenzie, Ph. D.  
Chair, Division on Corrections and Sentencing

## CALL FOR PAPERS

### **National Juvenile Detention Association Journal for Juvenile Justice and Detention Services**

The Journal for Juvenile Justice and Detention Services is soliciting original practice and policy oriented papers from those who work in the field of juvenile justice and/or with juvenile offenders and from college and university faculty.

The Journal for Juvenile Justice and Detention Services is a peer-reviewed policy and practice-oriented journal intended to disseminate timely information to juvenile justice practitioners and researchers regarding effective juvenile justice practices. In addition to publishing articles that are peer-reviewed, the journal also publishes timely commentaries, commissioned articles, and other invited articles that are felt to be relevant to juvenile justice practice.

The editorial scope includes topics relating to juvenile justice, including effective strategies; the operation of juvenile facilities such as detention, shelter facilities, group homes and other community based and institutional placements for youth; programming (e.g., educational, physical and mental health, life skills); trends in juvenile justice; legal issues affecting juvenile justice practice; ethical issues in juvenile treatment; and leadership and training in juvenile justice.

Papers should be typed, double-spaced, and not exceed twenty pages in length. Citations and references should follow APA format. Title and author's name should be typed on a separate page. Four copies of the manuscript should be submitted, accompanied by an abstract of no more than 100 words, and a brief biographical sketch of the author(s), including affiliation, research interests, and recent publications to:

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