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## GLOBAL COMPETENCE AND AMERICAN CRIMINOLOGY — AN EXPATRIATE'S VIEW

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I am pleased to be able to contribute to the "democratic talk" around Todd Clear's (2001) article, "Thinking Strategically About the American Society of Criminology". In doing so, I would like to clarify that while I may be expressing the opinions of some of the members of the Division of International Criminology, we have conducted no formal survey of members' opinions and thus I am not qualified to speak "for" the Division. However, my academic experience in three different countries (United States, Spain, and England), my involvement in the ASC since 1987 and most recently, my role on the Executive Council and also as the editor of the DIC newsletter, provide the basis for contributing my own opinions on Clear's most important text. I will be addressing not only his five strategic issues (the administrative office, public policy presence within the ASC, annual meeting quality, inter-organizational relations, and intra-organizational relations) but also two broader ones: (1) the function of the ASC in fostering good teaching and learning in criminology, which goes hand in hand with (2) the function of the ASC in encouraging the production of good criminological research. These latter issues, I would argue, are the "forest" of any strategic vision, and the former are the "trees".

The American Council on Education (2000) recently issued a Ford Foundation funded report entitled Internationalization of U.S. Higher Education: Preliminary Status Report 2000, which examines a series of aspects of undergraduate internationalisation: foreign languages, study abroad, curricula, international education requirements, international awareness, international students and faculty, institutional support for internationalization, funding, employment demands, attitudinal and experiential data, etc. The report states that "the data do suggest that in spite of an apparent growing national interest in international education, relatively few undergraduates gain

international or intercultural competence in college." As evidence, the report alludes to a decrease in foreign language enrollments; low numbers of participation in study abroad programs and a shift towards shorter periods of international study; a lack of broad curricular internationalization, especially in two-year institutions; a decrease in the number of colleges and universities with foreign language admission or graduation requirements; the consistently poor performance of American college students on global competency and geographical surveys, compared to students from other developed countries; the stagnation of institutional support for internationalization; increases in funding for educational exchanges, language study and faculty research, but with a shift "away from fundamental educational goals ... and conducting long-term scientific and policy research and towards more short-term, practical interventions intended to address crisis issues," a shift which is "unlikely to facilitate internationalization." Indeed, the only bright spot in the ACE report is that relative to other countries, the United States has been successful in attracting foreign students and scholars in increasing numbers.

I believe this report to be relevant and applicable to American criminology. The ASC attracts an increasing number of non-U.S. criminologists to its meetings, and annual meeting themes at least are responding to the international challenge (Freda Adler's "Crime and Justice: National and International" in 1995 and David Farrington's "Explaining and Preventing Crime: The Globalization of Knowledge" in 1999.) However, available research on global competence in U.S. criminology programs and on the production of international comparative research indicate that we are only scratching the surface. Much more needs to be done.

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## CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

**ACJS 2001 ANNUAL MEETING**, "Questioning the Quality of Justice in Social and Political Contexts", April 3-7, 2001. Renaissance Washington, D.C. Hotel. Contact ACJS at 1-800-757-2257 or 703/379-2090 for further details.

**13th NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT**, "Faces of Change: Embracing Diverse Cultures and Alternative Approaches, April 23-28, 2001, Albuquerque, New Mexico. For registration information contact: PaL-Tech, Inc., 1901 N. Fort Myer Dr., Suite 301, Arlington, VA 22209. For additional information, call 703-528-0435.

**2001 THERAPEUTIC JURISPRUDENCE CONFERENCE**, May 3-5, 2001, Cincinnati, Ohio. Conference website: <http://www.law.uc.edu/tj2001>.

**SART 2001 TRAINING CONFERENCE, FIRST NATIONAL SEXUAL ASSAULT RESPONSE TEAM TRAINING CONFERENCE**, May 25-27, 2001, San Antonio, Texas. Hyatt Regency on the Riverwalk. To register by phone, call 1-877-603-3692

**COALITION FOR JUVENILE JUSTICE NORTHEAST REGION TRAINING CONFERENCE**, June 13-17, 2001, Mashantucket, Connecticut, "Culturally Competent Mental Health Services in Juvenile Justice". Contact Candice Buchanan at 202/467-0864, ext. 8.

**THE GLOBAL FORUM FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AND NATURAL SECURITY**, June 19-22, 2001, Edinburgh International Conference Centre, Edinburgh, Scotland. Visit [www.lensforum.com](http://www.lensforum.com) for further information

**SECOND INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR ON VIOLENCE AND ADOLESCENCE**, July 17-19, 2001, Jerusalem, Israel. For further information, contact ISAS International Seminars: 972-2-6520558 (fax); [email-confer@isas.co.il](mailto:email-confer@isas.co.il)

**21st WORLD CONFERENCE: MODERN CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION, ORGANIZED CRIME AND HUMAN RIGHTS**, Durban, South Africa, August 7-31, 2001. Conference website - [www.tsa.ac.za/conf/wccrim.htm](http://www.tsa.ac.za/conf/wccrim.htm). Contact Tasha Houston-McMillan at 2-711-442-6111 (phone); 2-711-442-5927 (fax); [tasha@eventdynamics.co.za](mailto:tasha@eventdynamics.co.za)

**CHILD WELFARE LEAGUE OF AMERICA, INC. 2001 NEW ENGLAND REGION TRAINING CONFERENCE**, "Key Words: Perspectives, Partnering, Passion—Linking Our Strengths for Social Change, August 15-17, 2001, Danvers, Massachusetts. Contact CWLA at 440 First Street, NW, Third Floor, Washington, DC 20001 for further information. 202/638-2952.

**AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION 96TH ANNUAL MEETING**, August 18-21, 2001, Anaheim, California. Theme: "Cities of the Future." Members of the ASA and other interested individuals are invited to submit formal papers and informal topics to be considered for inclusion in the 2001 Annual Meeting Program. [www.asanet.org/convention/2001/call4papers.html](http://www.asanet.org/convention/2001/call4papers.html)

**SYMPOSIUM**, "Identifying Problems and Sharing Solutions, September 11-13, 2001, Department of Criminal Justice and College of Education and Human Services, Central Missouri State University, Warrensburg, MO. Contact: 660/543-4950 or e-mail: [wallace@cmsu1.cmsu.edu](mailto:wallace@cmsu1.cmsu.edu)

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## CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS (cont'd)

**2001 NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE**, November 10-14, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Email: [ncchc@ncchc.org](mailto:ncchc@ncchc.org); [www.ncchc.org](http://www.ncchc.org)

## SUBMISSION DEADLINES FOR POSITION ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Cordner, Dammer and Horvath (2000) recently conducted a survey of comparative criminal justice courses within U.S. four-year criminal justice programs. They found (with a 44% response rate) that 34% of these programs provided a comparative/international course. This does not represent, according to the authors, a dramatic increase compared to previous studies, and does not reflect the interest in international and comparative criminal justice: "... in spite of the rhetoric, not much real progress has been made since the first report on this issue [in 1983]" (Cordner et al., 2000:220). But there are wider issues related to teaching that go beyond offering courses in comparative criminal justice; it has been argued that the best route to take would be the mainstreaming of comparative/international issues in *all* courses. Furthermore, are we teaching our students comparative methodology? And what sort of experience are we offering the increasing numbers of foreign students that come to study in the United States? Are we taking advantage of their presence to further cross-national research? Are we encouraging our American students to use this as an intercultural learning opportunity? So often it is not until we travel abroad that we realize there is not one criminology, but rather criminologies. If we cannot travel regularly, our foreign students are our best bet for understanding these criminologies.

Funding of research in international/comparative criminal justice and criminology may be increasingly available, but indeed reflects short term, practical interventions and crisis issues. Finckenauer (2000:5) explains in a recent article how NIJ's international centre was created to meet the challenge of transnational crime. Indeed, he argues that "[f]or most of its history, NIJ could serve its primary constituents – State and local policymakers and practitioners – quite well by focusing on research and development within the borders of the United States." Many criminologists engaged in international and comparative research might find this statement myopic. One has only to read Michael Tonry's (1999) enlightening article, "The Parochialism of U.S. Sentencing Policy", to realize that in order to serve its primary constituents NIJ would do well to consider funding comparative/international research in much broader areas. Tonry's article, for example, states that the "import/export trade in sentencing innovations between Europe and the United States is unbalanced" (Tonry, 1999:48) and concludes that "For the present at least, the United States seems curiously impervious to ideas from elsewhere" (Tonry, 1999:64). The International Challenge funding was a good start, but many fear it was indeed a flash in the pan.

Perhaps of comfort is that the United States is not alone in its parochialism. Paul Wiles, director of the Home Office Research, Development and Statistics Directorate (the equivalent of NIJ for England and Wales) recently stated that the Home Office feels that there is little use in engaging in large scale comparative research projects which are "expensive" and "bureaucratically hard to manage", but rather was in favour of trying to match teams of researchers from different countries who were already engaging in similar projects. No national agency that I know of has put forth to date any integral policy of furthering comparative/international results; my question is

whether this is an unrealistic expectation, and whether international agencies are those we should automatically look to for this function. Any sort of pro-internationalization policy would have to recognize explicitly that cross-cultural research is inherently expensive, time consuming, "bureaucratic" and requiring of special skills. But whether it surpasses all single country research in cost, time and skills is still, I think, an empirical question. In some countries, for example, face-to-face interviews are still remarkably inexpensive, and in others, university overheads are quite low.

The ASC, of course, has the capacity of encouraging the international cross-fertilization of ideas through its administrative procedures, its publications, its annual meetings and its involvement (or potential involvement) in national and international policymaking. I will discuss these next, and conclude with a discussion of the DIC's role in furthering international criminology.

Although it may seem trivial, administrative procedures are key to encouraging international membership and cross-national partnerships, since attracting international members and facilitating partnerships mean streamlining procedures and increasing the cyberpresence of the ASC, thereby facilitating the rapid transmission of ideas. Only recently has the ASC, like the ASA, offered a formal option to international members to pay an additional fee to receive the newsletter and/or journal by air mail instead of by surface mail (see the new membership form on the web page). This sort of administrative initiative should continue.

Criminological journals are increasingly becoming international in scope (see, for example Theoretical Criminology, Punishment & Society, Criminal Justice), yet Criminology remains remarkably provincial. A cursory content analysis of Criminology articles from 1990-1999 reveals that those with any kind of international/comparative focus accounted for 18% of the 1990 volume, 9% of the 1991 volume, 4% for 1992, 0% for 1993, 16% for 1994, 5% for 1995, 3% for 1996, 7% for 1997, 6% for 1998 and 6% for 1999. Good research is good research, one might counter, but as Howard, Newman and Pridemore (2000:142) remind us, Durkheim noted that "Comparative sociology is not a special branch of sociology; it is sociology itself. To be good *criminological* research, American findings must hold up to cross-cultural comparison.

The Annual Meetings are perhaps the most visible means of attracting foreign interest in American criminology, exposing American criminologists to international/comparative research, and furthering networks among American and non-American scholars. To many abroad, the ASC Annual Meetings are attractive because of their size. There is bound to be "something for everyone". There is comfort in sheer numbers, and for those of us who have worked in very small national scientific communities (such as in Spain, where only about 50 of us identify ourselves as fulltime criminologists), merely *being* at the ASC is a supportive experience. But size can also be a disadvantage, for it is often hard to meet people, especially if one is a newcomer and does

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not speak the language well. And despite the glamour of a large conference in a U.S. city, most scholars from abroad find it difficult to attend because of the financial burden. This means that scholars from less wealthy nations are almost non-existent at ASC Annual Meetings, which greatly restricts our supposed "global view". Furthermore, due to financial restrictions, the decision to attend cannot often be made as early as the program committee would like. As a case in point, I have just been notified that the Andalusian Regional Government has given me a travel grant to attend the 1999 meetings in Toronto. Deadlines are important, but flexibility should be taken into account for those attending from abroad. Another suggestion for increasingly international participation is to consider holding the conference outside the mainland (besides Canada). The Law and Society Association has been successful at holding its conferences in Amsterdam, Glasgow and now Budapest. Is this really such a far-fetched idea? How about Puerto Rico for a start?

Besides addressing location and attendance issues at the Annual Meetings, continued attention should be paid to the appropriate incorporation of comparative and international presentations. Again let us revisit the issue of mainstreaming. Until David Farrington's presidency, there was a program division chair for "international" presentations. Since 1999, international presentations can be mainstreamed, for the program divisions have changed to "globalization" and "comparative methods". This should prevent the all too frequent problem of "ghettoization" of international/comparative research. However, it still occurs. As an example, in San Francisco Session 231 entitled "International Issues" dealt with: (1) criminal courts in the Czech Republic (2) legal adaptation among Vietnamese refugees (3) recidivism in Canada (4) street violence in the Netherlands and (5) the effect of employment interventions on political and non-political prisoners in Northern Ireland. Now is this really a constructive way to pursue cross-cultural discourse about crime? Ideally each of these papers would have been included on panels dealing with the appropriate substantive area – unless the main focus of the paper was globalization or comparative methodology. Furthermore, time slots remain an issue. My content analysis of the ASC program from 1991-1999 (Barberet, 2000) demonstrated significantly worse time slots for comparative and international presentations. Perhaps this occurs because program organizers estimate less attendance at these panels? Whatever the reason, it is a frustrating experience and reflects badly on American hosting abilities.

Besides program placement, the very nature of the international and comparative presentations at ASC is problematic. They are largely limited to Canada and Western Europe (thus reflecting those non-U.S. attendees most likely to attend). But more worrisome is that they tend to be certain *types* of presentations in certain *topical areas*. Comparative/international sessions are more likely to be routine panel sessions and thematic sessions, and much less likely to be roundtables, "author meets critic" sessions, workshops, and didactic or student affairs sessions. (Not surprising is that they are *more* likely to be table sessions, since many of them are late abstract submissions!) Regarding topical areas, comparative and international

presentations are less likely, compared to non-comparative U.S. presentations, to be theoretical or methodological pieces, or papers dealing with academia. They are well represented, however, in the topical areas of criminal justice, crime, and law and policy; particularly interesting is that 22% of comparative presentations, compared to 12% of non-comparative, US-based presentations, are in the area of law and policy (Barberet, 2000).

As regards policy presence, long-time DIC member Nancy Grosselfinger has argued, and is lobbying, that the ASC should be much more active in the international arena. There are many organizations with much less collective knowledge about crime that have been sending delegates to international meetings and conferences for years where decisions about criminal justice policy take place. Often what needs to be said is much more simple than we think, and the diversity of perspectives among criminologists can be accounted for easily with rotating representatives. For example: last summer the youth directorate of the European Commission convened European youth researchers in Lisbon in an effort to have their knowledge reflected in a European White Paper on Youth. The conference organizers had not taken into account the vast body of research on adolescent offending and victimization, and the need to establish policies on preventing youth crime and guaranteeing their safety. It was simply politically incorrect, I was told, for the White Paper to include any aspect of this "stereotypical" view of youth. This potentially means at least fifty years of research by criminologists into the trashcan, thanks to the lack of a criminological "lobby" at the European Commission. Obviously, the ASC is not the only qualified criminological organization to send a representative, but we should consider starting the trend. The purpose of a representative would be to make sure that crime is first, "on the agenda" and second, that relevant and consistent research findings be brought forward for discussion.

The DIC is striving to respond to the needs of both its U.S.-based membership (the majority of Division members) and members from abroad. This includes the newsletter, the receptions at ASC that aim to foster networking and partnerships between U.S. based and non-U.S. based criminologists, the lobby for ASC representatives at international policymaking meetings, and the joint ASC-ACJS comparative/international course syllabi booklet (updating ACJS's excellent 1997 booklet). I think we can play an even stronger role. Perhaps most important is our function of helping American criminologists to reflect upon themselves. Certainly in recent years it appears that more and more of ASC presentations are not directly relevant to non-US interests. I am referring to the focus on guns, gangs, the death penalty and punitive solutions to crime, and also to what has been called the "methodological minutia" of much American research. An outsider's perspective is usually refreshing (albeit sometimes maddening), at least in terms of challenging the status quo. For example, a colleague in England poses the following essay question to students in his "Comparative Systems of Justice" course (in which the USA

is studied, among other countries): "The U.S. criminal justice system: Model or Nightmare?" From an expatriate's point of view, American criminology is both Mecca and Outlier. The future, I believe, lies in increased international discourse, which will ultimately allow us to re-examine ourselves and the strategic future of the discipline.

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**2001 ANNUAL MEETING  
November 7-10 - Atlanta  
Atlanta Marriott Marquis Hotel**

The March 1 deadline for submissions has passed. Late submissions should be submitted to Valerie Jenness or Richard Leo: [asc2001@uci.edu](mailto:asc2001@uci.edu)

Late submissions will be organized into "Table Sessions" in which groups of scholars present their papers to each other (and others who want to join the table).

**No submissions will be accepted after June 5, 2001.**

## ASC STUDENTS

### CALL FOR ENTRIES

## 2001 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 2001 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, 2001 to:

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### 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 2001 meeting of The American Society of Criminology in Atlanta, Georgia, November 7-10, 2001. 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, 2001.

**SECOND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THERAPEUTIC JURISPRUDENCE  
May 3-5, 2001 - Cincinnati, Ohio**

The Glenn Weaver Institute of Law and Psychiatry at the University of Cincinnati is pleased to announce that the Second International Conference on Therapeutic Jurisprudence will be held May 3-5, 2001, in Cincinnati, Ohio. The Conference will provide a forum for lawyers, educators, judges, and other interested persons to explore the many dimensions of the blossoming field of study known as therapeutic jurisprudence (TJ) and to create a dialogue among practitioners and advocates of TJ and related fields. Complete registration information and travel and accommodation details will be made available in the coming months at the Conference website at <http://www.law.uc.edu/tj2001>. To be added to a mailing list for the Conference, please send your name, address, and e-mail address to: [univconf@ucmail.uc.edu](mailto:univconf@ucmail.uc.edu) The Conference will be held at the Marriott Kingsgate Conference Center located just 3 miles from downtown Cincinnati on the campus of the University of Cincinnati. Approximately 20 minutes from the Greater Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport, the Kingsgate Conference Center is a state-of-the-art conference facility with complete meeting rooms and outstanding guestrooms. A block of rooms is being held for TJ Conference participants at a special rate of \$87 (plus tax) per night, single or double occupancy.

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**JOURNAL OF QUANTITATIVE CRIMINOLOGY**

The *Journal of Quantitative Criminology* is pleased to announce that Dr. David McDowall has been named as Editor.

The *Journal of Quantitative Criminology* is a refereed publication of research in crime and justice. The *Journal* published papers that apply quantitative techniques of all levels of complexity to substantive, methodological, or evaluative concerns of broad interest to the criminological community.

The *Journal* encourages submissions from ASC members. Manuscripts may vary considerably in length. Presentations of original research, methodological critiques, and papers that explore new directions for studying criminological topics are welcome.

Manuscripts, in quadruplicate, requests for style guides, and editorial inquiries should be sent to:

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**CALL FOR PARTICIPATION**  
Third Annual Conference  
**JUSTICE STUDIES ASSOCIATION (JSA)**  
May 30-June 1, 2001

The Justice Studies Association is pleased to announce a call for participation for its third annual conference scheduled for Wednesday, May 30 to Friday, June 1, 2001. The theme of this year's conference is Restorative Justice: Seeds of Social Revolution or Just Another Correctional Alternative? The conference will be held at Wheaton College, Norton MA which is located 30 miles south of Boston or 15 miles north of Providence. Registration costs \$80 (\$40 for undergraduate students). This includes coffee/tea breaks, a Thursday luncheon, and evening social gatherings. New, attractive, suite rooms at Wheaton cost \$35 per night. A daily meal plan that includes three full meals costs \$21 per day. Contact Dennis Sullivan for further information: (Tel) 518-765-2468; (Fax) 518-765-2967.

## CALL FOR PAPERS

### ***CRIMINAL JUSTICE REVIEW***

The *Criminal Justice Review* is a biannual scholarly journal dedicated to presenting a broad perspective on criminal justice issues. It focuses on any aspect of crime and the justice system, and can feature local, state, or national concerns. Both qualitative and quantitative pieces are encouraged, providing that they adhere to standards of quality scholarship. As a peer-reviewed journal, we encourage the submission of articles, research notes, commentaries, and comprehensive essays that focus on crime and justice-related topics broadly defined. Four copies of manuscripts should be submitted in English, follow APA style, be double-spaced throughout, including references, tables and indented quotations, and cannot be under consideration by another publication. An abstract not to exceed 200 words must be included with submissions. Send to:

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### ***INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE REVIEW***

The *International Criminal Justice Review* is an annual scholarly journal dedicated to presenting system wide trends and problems on crime and justice throughout the world. Articles may focus on a single country or compare issues affecting two or more countries. Both qualitative and quantitative pieces are encouraged, providing they adhere to standards of quality scholarship. Manuscripts may emphasize either contemporary or historical topics. As a peer-reviewed journal, we encourage the submission of articles, research notes, commentaries, and comprehensive essays that focus on crime and justice-related topics in an international and/or comparative context broadly defined. Four copies of manuscripts should be submitted in English, follow APA style, be double-spaced throughout, including references, tables and indented quotations, and cannot be under consideration by another publication. An abstract not to exceed 200 words must be included with submissions. Send to:

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### ***JOURNAL OF CONTEMPORARY CRIMINAL JUSTICE***

The *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice* recently published **Organized Crime: South of the Border** (Fall 1999). It included articles on Latin American transnational crime. A second volume with the same name (Part 2) will be published this year. If you have written or intend to write a paper on **organized crime in Mexico, Central or South America or the Caribbean, or transnational organized crime involving those countries**, I hope you will consider submitting it for review. The articles must not have been published elsewhere or be under consideration by any other publisher. The volume date is Summer 2000. Please submit papers for consideration no later than June 1, 2001. For additional information contact:

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### **AMERICAN BEHAVIORAL SCIENTIST**

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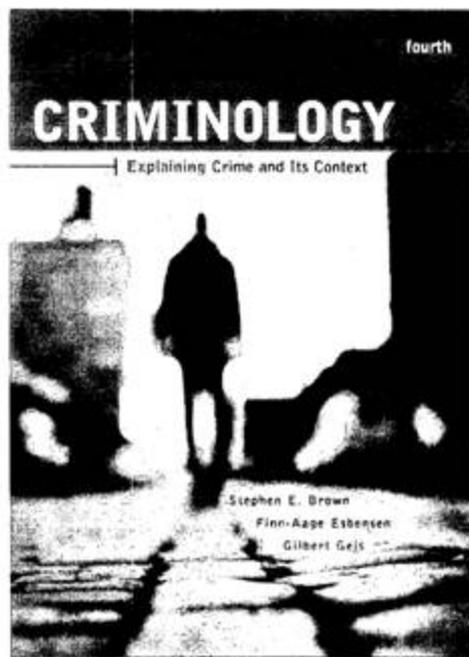
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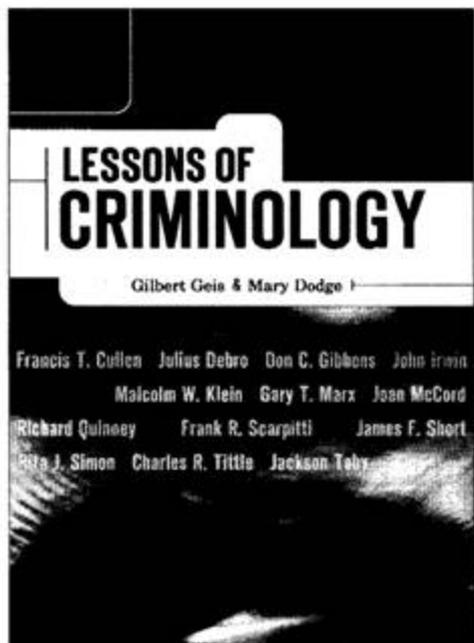
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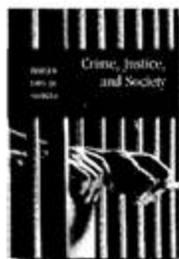
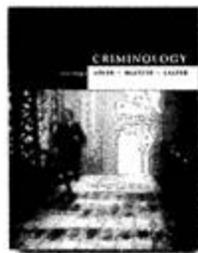
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# THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY

## ASC EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

Saturday, November 18, 2000, 1-3PM  
Westin St. Francis, San Francisco

Meeting brought to order by President Ronald Huff, 1:00PM. Attending Roland Chilton, Past President; Larry Sherman, President Elect; Lynne Goodstein, Treasurer; Doris MacKenzie, Executive Secretary; Chris Eskridge, Executive Director; Christy Visser, Vice-President Elect; Todd Clear, Vice-President; Robert Bursik, Jr., Editor, Criminology; and Executive Counselors Sally Hillsman; Julie Horney; Candace McCoy; Cathy Spatz Widom; Steve Messner; John Braithwaite, and Cheryl Maxson.

## MINUTES

President Ronald Huff called the meeting to order. He stated that his two highest priorities for his year as ASC president were: (1) improving diversity within ASC with respect to our membership, especially with respect to racial and ethnic diversity and (2) recognizing "global diversity" in criminology by pursuing closer organizational linkages between the ASC and other scholarly societies in our field. With respect to diversity of the membership, he initiated a discussion with the Minority Affairs Committee which led to Orlando Rodriguez's report (summarized below) and a discussion with Chris Eskridge leading to Chris's contacting publishers in our field to determine their interest in helping ASC fund an initiative to increase our diversity. With respect to global diversity, he appointed ASC representatives to a large number of related professional societies around the world.

1. **COSSA Report.** Howard Silver presented a report on COSSA's activities including: an overview of changes due to national elections, NSF changes, federal budget (appropriation for research, large amount earmarked), and human subject protection (accreditation of institutions and institutional review boards, certification of researchers) and dues structure for COSSA membership. The Board discussed the COSSA dues structure.
2. **Undergraduate mentoring proposal.** Orlando Rodriguez presented the Minority Affairs Committee report. There is a strong interest in attracting more minorities to the field. **The board requested the Minority Affairs Committee to work with Chris Eskridge to develop a proposal for a minority initiative that would improve the diversity of members.**
3. **Comments on 2000 Annual Meeting (Deborah Baskin)** Approximately 2800 attended. Few problems were reported. A survey asking panel chairs to report on attendance at their panels was conducted. A formal business meeting as required in the ASC by-laws was not scheduled but since the meeting is usually poorly attended no one seemed to notice it until too late. The Board thanked the Program Chairs for their work.
4. **2001 Annual Meeting program.** Valerie Jenness reported two concerns about next year's meeting. First, the due date for paper submissions has changed from March 31 to March 1. Some people worry that this will lead to confusion on paper submissions. The question is how to manage late papers. Placement on a panel is not guaranteed if papers arrive late. The Board discussed panel scheduling and the overlap of topics at the same time period. The Board requested that Al Avery attempt to work on this problem so that panels on similar topics would not be scheduled at the same time period. A "Dunk the Editor" game is being considered during the annual meeting. **The Board asked Chris Eskridge to investigate: (1) whether Dell or other computer company would set up computers at the Annual Meeting in the book exhibit for members to check their email and (2) ways to increase the number of employers in the employment exchange who place their advertisements on the web.**

## 5. ASC Division Reports.

- A. **Critical Criminology** (Martin Schwartz) No report was submitted. **The Division will be asked to submit a report for the next ASC Board Meeting.**
  - B. **International** . (William Chambliss) Previously, there had been some complaints about where international members have been placed on panels and time and day of international panels. This problem was discussed at the Program Committee Meeting. The Division has two awards: Lifetime Award and Outstanding Book Award. International members also had a discussion on the ASC journal *Criminology* and the concern that few international papers get published in the ASC journal. A suggestion was made that international members should be encouraged to submit more manuscripts to the journal.
  - C. **People of Color and Crime**. (Stephanie Bush-Baskette) There was a concern that previously there had always been a representative of the Board at the luncheon. This year there was no representative there; a Presidential Plenary was scheduled at the same time as the luncheon and this may be the reason no representative attended. Other conflicts in the schedule occurred. The Division asks that next year the schedule be reviewed more carefully in order to eliminate such problems. The Division changed the Constitution and By-Laws so that officer terms would be for two years. The Division expressed a concern about the tenure and promotion procedures at universities and how these affected their members.
  - D. **Women and Crime**. (Nancy Wonders) The Division asked about the resolution on women and incarceration that they had presented to the Board. The resolution had been sent to the National Policy Committee with a request that they respond. **The Board voted to ask the National Policy Committee to inform the Board of their response to the resolution from the DWC.**
  - E. **Corrections and Sentencing**. (Doris MacKenzie) The Division voted to give three awards: Student Paper Award, Distinguished Investigator Award and New Investigator. The Division was considering the possibility of having an official journal. **The Board voted to inform Chairs of each Division that the ASC Constitution does not allow Divisions to have official journals.** The Division plans to organize a prison visit and asked the Board if the visit could be one of the official ASC Program Tours. ASC will not be scheduling tours as part of the Annual Meeting. The Board voted that the DCS organize a prison visit if they want.
6. **International Linkages**. Bill Chambliss and the International Division will prepare a list of international criminology organizations with whom ASC might want to establish links. In 1995 and 1996, the International Society of Criminology asked ASC to have a joint meeting; this did not occur. Larry Sherman asked ASC to consider having a joint meeting at the World Congress of the ISC in August 2003 in Rio or August 2005 in Philadelphia. One advantage is that they have simultaneous translation at some sessions. The idea of a video conference was discussed; however, it was pointed out that flights are not prohibitively expensive.
  7. **2008 Site Selection** . Chris Eskridge reported that four cities are being considered: Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Louis, New Orleans. The Site Selection Committee will make a report at the mid-winter board meeting.
  8. **2000-2001 ASC Budget** (Chris Eskridge and Treasurer Lynne Goodstein) The Budget was approved by the Board.
  9. **Proposal Re: ASC Policy Papers/publications**: Larry Sherman proposed that ASC have a separate journal focusing on policy relevance. This would be a second ASC journal possibly named "Criminology and Public Policy." **The Board voted to inquire of the editor of the new NIJ journal (Todd Clear) whether there is any interest in having ASC own this journal and that NIJ and the Editor consider changing the name of the journal in light of the future possibility of**
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**ASC owning the journal.** Motion accepted with two abstentions. The Board discussed budget implications, advantages, disadvantages and alternatives. **The Board asked Larry Sherman to submit a proposal for the new journal addressing the Board's concerns.**

4. **Appointments to Criminology Board.** (Robert Bursik, Jr.). Sally Simpson and Diana Fishbein will be added to board. The Board accepted the appointments to the *Criminology* Board.
5. **Code of Ethics** (Lynne Goodstein). The Code of Ethics was presented to the Board last year and Board members were asked to familiarize themselves with the code. Todd Clear revised the code but these revisions have not been sent to the Code of Ethics Committee. **The Board requested that Todd Clear's suggested revisions be submitted to the Committee and to Lynne Goodstein for comment. Lynne Goodstein asked that mention of the Code of Ethics in the Board Minutes over the last few years be presented to the Board.**
6. **ASC email list, member directory, abstract book.** The Board voted to eliminate the publication of the abstract book. The Board voted to eliminate the printed version of the membership list.
7. **Next Meeting.** April 27-28 at Atlanta Marriott Marquis Hotel, Atlanta, Georgia. Adjournment

Doris L. MacKenzie  
ASC Executive Secretary

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(Columbus, Ohio). Applicants should hold a doctorate in criminology or sociology, and have relevant teaching experience (e.g., corrections, juvenile delinquency, the justice system/law, introductory sociology) and a record of scholarship commensurate with the rank of Assistant Professor. Responsibilities will include program development and outreach to community colleges. Faculty will teach discipline-based and general education courses, and interdisciplinary seminars. Interested applicants should send the following materials to Capital University, Dr. Michael Torello, Chair, Behavioral Sciences Department, 2199 East Main Street, Columbus, OH 43209-2394: 1) statement of personal philosophy of teaching and learning; 2) curriculum vitae, 3) examples of recent scholarship and teaching effectiveness, and 4) three letters of recommendation. The positions are available in August 2001. Capital University, a small, private liberal arts college, founded in 1830, is an Equal Opportunity Employer and encourages women, minorities and persons with disabilities to apply. Capital University does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, age, disability, or national or ethnic origin.

## THE COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

The Law and Justice Department is seeking applications for a tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor level. This position will allow the Department to fill a critical need in the area of urban criminology and related social policy analysis. The individual selected for the position will be expected to develop courses with emphases on the issues indicated. The successful candidate will also be involved in contributing to the development of an anticipated interdisciplinary urban studies major. Salary to be commensurate with qualifications. Requirements: Ph.D. in criminology or related social sciences; strong empirical background and expertise in research methods, urban policy analysis and the related issues of urban poverty, racial and ethnic diversity, immigration, crime and delinquency. Professional and/or academic research experience in urban affairs is preferred. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. To apply, send letter of application including evidence of

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teaching experience, curriculum development and public relations related to the areas mentioned above to: Chair, Search Committee, Department of Law and Justice, The College of New Jersey, PO Box 7718, Ewing, NJ 08626-0718. To enrich education through diversity, The College of New Jersey is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### **FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY**

The School of Criminology and Criminal Justice is seeking applications for one or more tenure-track positions to be filled at the Associate or Full Professor level. Ph.D. or equivalent is required. Applicants are expected to have a demonstrated ability to conduct and publish significant research or other scholarly work. Ability to attract external funding is also desirable. Areas of specialization are open, but the School is particularly interested in applicants with expertise in the following areas: quantitative research methods, social justice and critical theory, policy analysis, and distance learning. The School of Criminology and Criminal Justice at Florida State University has one of the oldest doctoral programs in the country and also offers bachelor's and master's degrees. The School has been a long-standing leader in promoting diversity in criminological education and leads the nation in the graduation of minority Ph.D.s. Women and people of color are strongly urged to apply. Starting salaries are negotiable and dependent upon qualifications. Submit vita and the names of three references to Dr. Thomas Blomberg, Search Committee Chair, School of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Florida State University, 634 W. Call Street, Tallahassee, FL 32306-1127. Review of applicants will continue until all positions filled. The Florida State University subscribes to equal opportunity and pluralism and complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act. All eligible candidates are, therefore, invited to apply for position vacancies as appropriate. FSU is a public records agency pursuant to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes.

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#### **FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY-PANAMA CITY CAMPUS**

The School of Criminology and Criminal Justice at Florida State University invites applications for an Assistant in Criminology position at the branch campus in Panama City. This is a 12-month, non-tenure track faculty position with responsibilities in teaching, advising, and recruiting. The position begins fall 2001, and is renewable on an annual basis. Salary will be commensurate with experience. Required Qualifications: Ph.D. in criminology, criminal justice, or related field. Preferred Qualifications: Collegiate teaching experience at undergraduate and graduate levels, agency experience, program building skills. The

Florida State University at Panama City is located 100 miles west of Tallahassee on beautiful North Bay and is only three miles from the Gulf of Mexico. To complete the local community college, the Panama City Campus offers courses at the junior, senior and graduate levels only. Applicants should submit a cover letter describing teaching and research interests and teaching philosophy, curriculum vitae, and three (3) letters of reference to: Dr. Thomas Blomberg, Chair, Panama City Campus Search Committee, School of Criminology, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306-2170. Applications must be received by March 26, 2001. For more information visit the School of Criminology web site <http://www.criminology.fsu.edu>. Florida State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

#### **ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY**

The Department of Criminal Justice seeks to fill two tenure track positions at the Assistant Professor level, starting in Fall 2001 or Spring 2002. Both positions require teaching at the undergraduate and graduate levels. **Position 03547 focuses on Policing/Law Enforcement**, Criminal Investigation, Criminal Justice Management, Criminological Theory, and Research Methods and Statistics. **Position 01533 is in the area of Corrections**, teaching Contemporary Corrections, Criminological Theory, Research Methods and Statistics. Successful candidates should demonstrate a commitment of professional service to the department, college, university, community and the profession. Faculty are expected to develop a focused line of scholarship centered on the primary teaching assignment. Candidates should have an earned doctorate in criminal justice or related discipline. Candidates who are ABD will be considered if they have a reasonable expectation of completing all degree requirements, including dissertation defense by May 15, 2002. Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. Applicants should submit a letter detailing both educational and professional preparation for the position, including position number, a curriculum vita, three letters of reference, and official transcripts. To ensure full consideration, please apply by April 15, 2001. A review of applicants

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will begin on that date and continue until position is filled. Submit application materials to: Dr. Thomas Ellsworth, Chairperson, Faculty Search committee, 5250 Criminal Justice Sciences, Normal, IL 61790-5250. Illinois State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action university encouraging diversity.

#### **INDIANA UNIVERSITY-PURDUE UNIVERSITY FORT WAYNE**

The School of Public and Environmental Affairs at Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne is seeking applicants for a tenure track position in Criminal Justice at the Assistant Professor level. The ideal candidate will be a generalist in criminal justice with the ability to teach courses in at least two of the following areas: criminological theory and methods, criminal justice policy and administration, and corrections. Applicants must have the appropriate terminal degree or be A. B.D. with an expected completion date prior to August 1, 2001, be committed to high undergraduate and graduate teaching standards, scholarly research, and community service. Desired but not required are candidates who demonstrate an interest in computer-based learning, distance education, and applied research. SPEA is a multi-disciplinary, university-wide division of Indiana University, organized as a professional school committed to excellence in teaching, research, and service. With more than 10,000 students, IPFW is the 6th largest university campus in Indiana and a center for academic, cultural, and social activities for the Fort Wayne area. Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. The review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until position is filled. Send cover letter, curriculum vitae, academic transcripts, and names, addresses (including email), and phone numbers of four references to: until position is filled. Send cover letter, curriculum vitae, academic transcripts, and names, addresses (including email), and phone numbers of four references to: Kristen Grønbyerg, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 47405. See: <http://www.indiana.edu/~speaweb> Indiana University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer, and strongly committed to achieving excellence through cultural diversity. The university actively encourages applications and nominations of women, persons of color, applicants with dis-

abilities and members of other underrepresented groups.

#### **THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON**

The Department of Political Science seeks to fill a tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor level to teach in the Department's criminal justice program. We are seeking an individual trained in criminal justice to strengthen the technical aspects of our program. We are interested in some combination of specialization in the following areas: management of correction, parole, and probation; drug enforcement, juvenile justice, technology and crime (including technical approaches to crime prevention), and careers in criminal justice. The applicant should be able to teach social science methods, and must have a Ph.D. in criminal justice political science, or related field. The successful applicant must exhibit a strong interest in research, publishing and grant writing, and demonstrated teaching skills. Salary competitive. The Political Science Department has 13 full-time faculty, including three dedicated to the criminal justice program, and an overall focus on applied topics, including public policy and survey research. The criminal justice program represents about one-half of the Department's majors. Send a cover letter of application, the names, addresses, and phone number of at least three professional references, a curriculum vitae, sample syllabi, and graduate transcripts to Dr. John Green, Chair, Search Committee, University of Akron, Department of Political Science, Akron, OH 44325-1904. General inquiries about the position can be made to the Chair at [jgreen@uakron.edu](mailto:jgreen@uakron.edu). The Search Committee will begin reviewing applications on April 15, 2001, and applications will be reviewed until the position is filled. Our goal is for the position to begin on August 27, 2001.

#### **THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA**

A tenure track Assistant Professor position is available in the School of Public Administration and Policy in

the Eller College of Business and Public Administration, at The University of Arizona. We are seeking applicants with a specialty in the politics of managing public and nonprofit organizations and the politics of implementation. Applicants with research and teaching interests related to criminal justice policies and organizations will receive hiring preference. Other possible areas of scholarly interest include health care, public/nonprofit information technologies, nonprofit organization and management, and local government. Faculty members teach two courses per semester at the undergraduate and graduate levels and are expected to pursue an active research and publication program. The individual selected for this position will contribute to the School's core teaching and research mission and become a part of the effort to advance the study and practice of public administration. Qualifications: Doctorate in political science, public administration, public policy, or related social science field; record of research and publication (or demonstrated potential); and commitment to improving public service. Experience in local or state government or nonprofit organizations is desirable. Application deadline: position open until filled; review of materials will begin February 23, 2001. Expected starting date of August 6, 2001. Please send a resume that addresses publications and experience in teaching, a cover letter stating interest in the position, three letters of recommendation, and a writing sample to: Edella Schlager, Chair, Personnel Committee, School of Public Administration and Policy, Eller Chair, Personnel Committee, School of Public Administration and Policy, Eller College of Business and Public Administration, The University of Arizona, P.O. Box 210108, Tucson, AZ 85721-0108. The School of Public Administration and Policy is strongly committed to achieving a diverse faculty. The University of Arizona is an EE-AA Employer - M/W/D/V.

### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE

The Department of Criminology, Law and Society at the University of California, Irvine invites applications for a position in criminology and/or criminal justice policy at the full professor level to begin July, 2002 (teaching duties to begin Fall, 2002). We seek candidates who have a distinguished record of scholarship, and who have achieved excellence in undergraduate and graduate teaching. Our current department emphases in criminology and criminal justice include policing, corrections, juvenile justice and delinquency, criminological theory, evaluation research, hate crimes, white-collar, corporate, and organized crime. The Department of Criminology, Law and Society is one of four departments in the interdisciplinary School of Social Ecology at the University of California, Irvine, and our research and training programs reflect a strong commitment to interdisciplinary scholarship. Applicants should submit a letter of interest, a curriculum vitae, representative publications, and three letters to: Joan Petersilia, Chair, Criminology/Criminal Justice Policy Search Committee, Department of Criminology, Law and Society, University of California, Irvine, 92697-7080. To ensure consideration, application files should be complete by November 30, 2001. The University of California, Irvine is an Equal Opportunity Employer committed to excellence through diversity.

### THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL OKLAHOMA

The University of Central Oklahoma, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice is accepting applications for a tenure track Assistant Professor position in its Criminal Justice Program beginning August 15, 2001. **Position #22655** requires a doctorate in Criminal Justice, Sociology, Criminology or closely related field. ABD in field considered; Degree required by August 2001. Work experience in law enforcement preferred. Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in Policing; Administration of Justice; Police Administration, Communications, Community Relations and systems Management. Prior college-level

Experience is preferred and the ability to develop online courses is highly desirable. Complete dossier includes: letter of application, transcripts for all degrees, evidence of effective teaching, and three letters of recommendation. Apply to: Dr. T. H. Baughman, Dean, College of Liberal Arts, University of Central Oklahoma, Campus Box 182, 100 N. University Dr., Edmond, OK 73034-5209. Open until filled. Screening began February 1, 2001. 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 DELAWARE

The Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice invites applications for a tenure-track Associate Professor position beginning September 1, 2001. The position requires a teacher and scholar in the areas of substance abuse and drug policy, broad experience in grant acquisitions and management, and a record of original scholarship. The selected applicant should have at least five years administrative experience in a research facility specializing in drug and alcohol studies. Ph.D. in sociology is required. Send an application letter describing teaching and research interests, vitae, and three letters of reference to: Frank R. Scarpitti, Chair, Drug Policy Search Committee, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice, University of Delaware, Newark, DE 19716-2580. Deadline is April 1, 2001. The University of Delaware is an Equal Opportunity Employer which encourages applications from minority group members and women.

### THE UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

The University of Idaho has one full-time Visiting Assistant Professor of Justice Studies position—or Visiting Instructor depending on qualifications—available for the 2001-2002 academic year beginning August 27, 2001. A minimum of an MA in Sociology with an emphasis in Criminology or in Criminal Justice is required; ABD status or Ph.D. is preferable. This position carries a teaching load of 3 courses each semester. The priorities in our teaching needs are as follows in rank order: Introduc-

tion to the Justice System, Research Methods, Justice Policy, Inequalities in the Justice System. Corrections, Juvenile Justice, Media and Crime. Other areas of specialty will also be considered for the successful candidate's teaching load. Successful teaching experience at a four-year institution of higher education is preferred. Send letter of application describing teaching experience, particularly as it relates to the above listed courses; curriculum vitae; three letters of reference; and copies of teaching evaluations to: Gary Reed, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Justice Studies, University of Idaho, P.O. Box 441110, Moscow, ID 83844-1110. Screening of applications will begin June 1, 2001 and continue until the position is filled. To enrich education through diversity, the University of Idaho is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

### UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK

The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice invites applications for a Research Associate to begin in the spring of 2001. Interest and competence in research in corrections and sentencing is desired. Applicants experienced in applying for grants and publishing research will be given priority in the selection process. The ideal candidate will have a minimum of a master's degree and at least two years of work experience. The individual selected will work with the Evaluation Research Group to develop a research and evaluation program in sentencing and corrections. As one dimension of its commitment to excellence, the Department is strongly committed to increasing the racial diversity of our faculty. Applicants should send vitae, names and telephone numbers of three references and copies of up to three publications or research papers in progress. For most competitive consideration, please send all applications by March 1, 2001 to Doris L. MacKenzie, Director, Evaluation Research Group and Professor, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, 2220 LeFrak Hall, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742-8235. The University of Maryland is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply. Salary

commensurate with experience.

#### UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

The Graduate School of Public and International Affairs is seeking applicants for appointment to a full-time, non-tenure track, renewable contract position as an Assistant Professor to teach undergraduate courses in Administration of Justice/Criminal Justice. The successful applicant will teach six undergraduate courses over three terms. Qualifications include a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, Criminology, Public Affairs, Political Science, Sociology, or another related field by the date of appointment; evidence of effective teaching at the university level; a willingness to work cooperatively with faculty colleagues, staff, and students; and a commitment to scholarly research. An additional desirable qualification is a J.D. from an A.A.L.S. accredited university. The candidate should have a specialty in one or more fields in criminal justice management or policy. Qualified applicants should submit a letter of application, a current curriculum vitae, official graduate and undergraduate transcripts, and four current letters of reference to: Dr. Lee S. Weinberg, Chair, Administration of Justice/Legal Studies Search Committee, 3G07 Posvar Hall, Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, Office of the Dean, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA 15260. Telephone: (412) 648-7600; Fax: (412) 648-6205. Applications will be reviewed as received and the search process will continue until the position is filled. The starting date is September 1, 2001. Compensation is competitive and commensurate with qualifications. The University of Pittsburgh is an Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO

The University of Texas at El Paso invites applications for a tenure track Assistant Professor position in the Political Science Department, with joint appointment and responsibilities in the interdisciplinary Criminal Justice Program for fall 2001. Requirements: Ph.D. in a relevant field, and show promise of excellent teaching and scholarship. Area of specialization in public administration or political science is flexible. However, a criminal justice em-

phasis is required. Background in quantitative research methods, evaluation research or JD are desirable, as are interest in courts and judicial process. A high proportion of the faculty in the Department of Political Science and the Criminal Justice Program have national visibility in their fields and the University consistently ranks in the top five universities in Texas in extramural funding. UTEP has approximately 15,000 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. Candidates should send their curriculum vitae, copies of recent articles or manuscripts, a letter describing teaching and research interests, and should have three letters of reference sent to: Prof. Roy S. Malpass, Director, Criminal Justice Program, The University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, TX 79968-0529. The University 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.

#### THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN

The Department of Criminal Justice is accepting applications for the position of Associate or Assistant Professor. Appointment is effective September 1, 2001. This is a full-time tenure or 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. A person whose Ph.D. is not in Criminal Justice or Criminology must demonstrate through teaching, research, or professional field experience a justification for appointment to the Criminal Justice faculty. All teaching fields will be considered, with weight given to Adult or Juvenile Corrections. Teaching assignments are at both undergraduate and graduate levels. Criminal justice agency experience is desirable. The competitive candidate will demonstrate Potential for excellence in teaching, research and publication, and profes-

sional service. Salary is competitive. Applicants must submit: letter of professional interest; resume or CV; unofficial transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate degrees; and three reference letters, written specifically for this position announcement. Only completed application folders will be considered. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Applications will be accepted on a continual basis until an appointment is made. Send application materials to: UT-PA Faculty Search Committee, Department of Criminal Justice, SBS321, 1201 W. University Dr., Edinburg, TX 78539-2999. The University of Texas-Pan American is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. (OO/01-07).

#### VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

The Department of Sociology invites applications for an assistant professor of sociology, tenure-track faculty position, commencing August, 2002. Strong preference will be given to candidates with expertise in deviance and crime, and advanced statistics. The candidate will be expected to teach graduate statistics courses. Other areas of expertise will be considered. Applicants should submit a letter of interest in the position, curriculum vitae, and any supplemental material (e.g. reprints, pending manuscripts, teaching evaluations) indicating promise or evidence of outstanding scholarship and effective teaching. Application materials, including three letters of recommendation, should be received by October 1, 2001. Vanderbilt is an Equal Opportunity-Affirmative Action Employer and women and minority candidates are encouraged to apply. Send all materials to Search Committee Chair, Department of Sociology, 2301 Vanderbilt Place, VU Station B Box 351811, Nashville, TN 37235-1811. Information on the department, the College of Arts and Science, Vanderbilt University and e-mail addresses can be obtained on the Internet at <http://www.vanderbilt.edu/AnS/sociology>

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## ***DIVISION NEWS***

### ***DIVISION ON INTERNATIONAL CRIMINOLOGY***

The Division on International Criminology gives two awards each year: to a non-North American criminologist who has made outstanding contributions and for an outstanding book or article that has appeared in the last two years. All members of the ASC may nominate people for these awards.

The Division also will elect a new Chair for next year. Nominations from the ASC membership are welcome for this position as well. Please forward your nominations to:

William Chambliss, Chair, DIC  
Department of Sociology  
George Washington University  
Washington, DC 20008  
Email: jackie@gwu.edu

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### ***DIVISION ON PEOPLE OF COLOR AND CRIME***

On behalf of the Board of the Division on People of Color and Crime, I would like to thank all of you who helped to make our luncheon, panels, and joint social with the Division on Women a success in San Francisco. We appreciate all of your support and look forward to another great year.

The following is a list of the committee chairs for this year. Please note that we need a volunteer to chair the Student Affairs Committee. If you are interested in doing so, please contact me.

Awards: Willie Edwards  
Program: Marjorie Zatz  
Membership: Suman Kakar  
Outreach: Everett Penn  
Communications: Ruth Peterson and Marcus Martin  
Nominations and Elections: Chinita Heard  
Fundraising: Julius Debro  
Student Affairs: Volunteer requested  
Research: Ramona Brocket  
Resolutions: Ramona Brocket

If you are interested in joining one of the committees, please contact me at sbushbask@aol.com or 850-644-4299. Thank you.

Stephanie R. Bush-Baskette  
Chair

### **ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

•The Center for Policy Research and Community Violence and the Department of Sociology invite applications for a tenure track position at the Assistant Professor level to begin in fall 2001. This will be a joint appointment, 1/2-time in the Center and 1/2-time in Department of Sociology. The successful applicant will serve as Principal Investigator for research and evaluation projects associated with the Center, with special emphasis on family and community violence. S/he will also develop funding for research and will be available for consultation to community organizations and faculty engaged in related research. Candidates with teaching interests and research experience in violence and social conflict are urged to apply. The Department of Sociology administers majors in sociology, social psychology, and criminal justice, as well as the Alcohol and Substance Abuse Studies Program and the Graduate Program in Applied Sociology. The ability to teach core courses in the criminal justice curriculum is an important consideration. Candidates must have a Ph.D. in Sociology, Criminal Justice/Criminology, or in a related discipline and must demonstrate potential for excellence in research, published scholarship, and teaching.

Interested candidates should send a letter of application highlighting their qualifications, a curriculum vitae, and a list of at least three references to be contacted later to: UMass Boston, Office of Human Resources, Search 115-450, 100 Morrissey Blvd., Boston, MA 02125-3393. Email inquiries can be directed to [ann.cordilia@umb.edu](mailto:ann.cordilia@umb.edu). Review of candidates is ongoing. Application deadline is April 23, 2001. An Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity, Title IX employer.



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## CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

### 2001-2002 Election of Officers

To: ASC MEMBERSHIP

From: Doris L. MacKenzie  
Executive Secretary

Following the recent call for nomination of officers by the ASC Nominations Committee, the following slate of officers was approved by the ASC Executive Board for the 2001-2002 election:

<b>President-Elect</b>	Meda Chesney-Lind, University of Hawaii at Manoa John H. Laub, University of Maryland
<b>Vice President-Elect</b>	Candace Kruttschnitt, University of Minnesota Ross Matsueda, University of Washington-Seattle
<b>Executive Counselor</b>	Darnell Hawkins, University of Illinois at Chicago Daniel Nagin, Carnegie Mellon University Michael Tonry, University of Cambridge, U.K. Vernetta Young, Howard University

In accordance with the ASC Constitution, this slate must now be presented to the ASC active membership. Active members may place additional candidates for each office on the ballot if such candidates receive nominations from two percent of the membership — 45 nominations.

Active members may suggest additions to the slate if such additions are received by **March 31, 2001**. If any Active member receives the required percentage of nominations, his/her name will be placed on the ballot that will be submitted to the membership April 16, 2001.

Please forward your nominations by **March 31** to the ASC Executive Office, 1314 Kinnear Road, Suite 212, Columbus, OH 43212-1156.

**MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS  
EARLY FOR ATLANTA**

**2001 ANNUAL MEETING**

**November 7-10, 2001**

**Atlanta Marriott Marquis Hotel  
Atlanta, Georgia**

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\$146.00 triple/quad**

**2001 ANNUAL  
MEETING**

The March 1 deadline for submission has passed. Late submissions should be submitted to Valerie Jenness or Richard Leo: asc2001@uci.edu They will not be considered for panel sessions.

Late submissions will be organized into "Table Sessions" in which groups of scholars present their papers to each other (and others who want to join the table).

**No submissions will be accepted  
after June 5, 2001.**

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

**FUTURE ASC ANNUAL MEETING DATES**

2002	November 20-23	Chicago
2003	November 19-22	Denver
2004	November 17-20	Nashville
2005	November 16-19	Toronto
2006	November 1-4	Los Angeles
2007	November 14-17	Montreal, Quebec

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