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DEGREES AWARDED

- Ph.D. 2001 Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Missouri - St. Louis.
M.A. 1998 Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Missouri - St. Louis.
B.A. 1990 English, University of Missouri - Columbia

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Evaluation of criminal and juvenile justice programs
Organizational decision making
Policing
White-collar crime

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2004-____, Assistant Professor, Southern Illinois University Carbondale, Center for the Study of Crime, Delinquency, and Corrections
2001-2004, Assistant Professor, Georgia Southern University, Department of Political Science and Justice Studies

BOOKS

- 2008 **Long-Term and Elderly Prisoners—Medical, Mental Health, and Program Needs.**
(with Martha Henderson, eds.) Alexandria, VA: American Correctional Association.
(Under review)

REFEREED ARTICLES

- 2008 "Homeland security in the heartland: risk, preparedness, and organizational capacity."
(with M.J. Giblin & J.A. Schafer), *Criminal Justice Policy Review*-Special Issue
(Accepted for publication, July 2008).
- 2007 "Teaching Statistics Visually: A Quasi-experimental evaluation of teaching chi-square through computer tutorials." (with M. Hect-Furlow), *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*.
- 2004 "Human rights in the new training curriculum of the police service of Northern Ireland."
(with S. T. Engel), *Policing: An International Journal of Police Strategies and Management*. 74:4.
- 2002 "The Questionable Advantage of Defense Counsel in Juvenile Court." (with K. Kempf-Leonard), *Justice Quarterly*. 14: 37-68.
- 2002 "Gun Violence and Police Problem Solving: A Research Note Examining Alternative

Data Sources." (with S.H. Decker), *Journal of Criminal Justice*. 30:567 - 574.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2008 "Parole and Long-term Offenders." (with A.D. Dillon, student), In Long-Term and Elderly Prisoners: Medical, Mental Health, and Program Needs. , Martha Henderson and George Burruss, eds. American Correctional Association (under review).
- 2008 "Becoming Smarter About Addressing the Issues of Long-Term and Elderly Inmates." (with M. Henderson). In Long-Term and Elderly Prisoners: Medical, Mental Health, and Program Needs. M. Henderson and G.W. Burruss, eds. American Correctional Association. (under review)
- 2008 "Juvenile Courts." In 21st Century Criminology. Mitchell J. Miller, ed. Thousand Oaks: Sage (Draft accepted - under review June 2008).
- 2007 "Crime in 2020" in Policing 2020: Exploring the Future of Crime, Communities, and Policing. Joseph Schafer, ed. Washington D.C.: Federal Bureau of Investigation.
- 2004 "The Youth Firearm Suppression Program in St. Louis." (with S.H. Decker & R. Rosenfeld) in Policing and Program Evaluation, Kent R. Kerley, ed. Prentice Hall.
- 2004 "Confidence Intervals." (with T. Bray) In The Encyclopedia of Social Measurement. Kimberly Kempf-Leonard, ed. San Diego: Elsevier.

BOOK REVIEWS

- 1997 "In Good Faith Gives Case Study of White-collar Crime." ACJS Today 1997. 16:3.

TECHNICAL RESEARCH REPORTS

- 2008 "Innovation Diffusion Channels and Community Policing: The Impact of Institutional Forces on Organizational Practice." (with M.J. Giblin), National Institute of Justice. Washington, DC. 67 pages.
- 2008 "Report on the Illinois Terrorism Taskforce." (with M.J. Giblin & J.A. Schafer) Submitted to the Illinois Terrorism Taskforce.
- 2007 "Literature Review on the long-term and elderly prisoners' medical, mental health, and program needs." (with M.L. Henderson, N. Metz, A.D. Dillon, L. Brown), Submitted to the Illinois Legislature Long-term Prisoner Study Committee.
- 2006 "An Evaluation of the Cook County Community Based Transition Services for Female Offenders Program." (with G. S. Armstrong & M. Henderson), Submitted to Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority.
- 2000 "Attorney Representation & Impact in Serious Delinquency Cases: An Evaluation of Three Missouri Circuits." (with K. Kempf-Leonard), Governor's Juvenile Justice Advocacy Group and the Missouri Department of Public Safety. Jefferson City, MO. 74 pages.

- 2000 "Consent to Search and Seize: An Evaluation of the St. Louis Consent to Search Program." (with S.H. Decker, R. B. Rosenfeld, M. D. McGuire, B. Jacobs), National Institute of Justice. Washington, DC. 110 pages.
- 1996 "Centennial Olympic Park: A Case Study." (with W.R. Thomas), Submitted to Atlanta Committee for the Olympic Games. Atlanta, GA. 25 pages.

FUNDED RESEARCH

- 2007 "Critical Incident Preparedness and Response on Campus: Examining the Relationship Between Local Law Enforcement and Post-Secondary Institutions in Illinois and the United States" (with M. Giblin & J. Schafer), Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority. (\$79,546)
- 2006 "Innovation Diffusion Channels and Community Policing: The Impact of Institutional Forces on Organizational Practice." (with M. Giblin), National Institute of Justice. (\$22,650).
- 2006 "Methamphetamine Project". (with D.S. Koch) National Institute of Health. Statistical Consultant. (\$1,500,000).
- 2006 "Utilization of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services in Southern Illinois by Older Adults." (with D.S. Koch), Southern Illinois University Carbondale. Statistical Consultant. \$15,000.
- 2006 "Juvenile Detention Center Program Evaluation Project." (with D.S. Koch) State of Illinois. Statistical Consultant. \$10,000.
- 2005 "Evaluation of Cook County Community Based Transitional Services for Female Offenders." (with G. Armstrong and M. Henderson), Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority. (\$75,000).
- 2003 "Development of Evaluation Mechanisms: Chatham County Drug Court." (with C. Ludowise), Georgia Southern University Spring Semester Research Grant. (\$4,000).
- 2002 "Development of Evaluation Mechanisms: Chatham County Drug Court." (with C. Ludowise), Georgia Southern University Fall Service Grant. (\$1,000).
- 1999 "Analysis of Missouri Youth Going to Juvenile Court with/without Legal Representation." (with K. Kempf-Leonard), Governor's Juvenile Justice Advocacy Group and Missouri Department of Public Safety. (\$70,000).

PAPER PRESENTATIONS

- 2008 "Innovation Diffusion Channels and Community Policing: The Impact of Institutional Forces on Organizational Practice." (with M.J. Giblin), Paper presented at the annual conference of National Institute of Justice, Washington, D.C.
- 2008 "Institutional theory model of community policing understanding" (with M.J. Giblin),

- Paper presented at the annual conference of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Cincinnati, OH.
- 2008 “Threatened globally, acting locally: understanding terrorism preparedness at the local level.” (with M.J. Giblin & J.A. Schafer), Paper presented at the annual conference of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Cincinnati, OH.
- 2008 “Securing the Homeland: The impact of terrorism preparedness on local policing.” (with M.J. Giblin and J.A. Schafer), Paper presented at the conference on Terrorism & Justice: The Balance for Civil Liberties, Warrensburg.
- 2007 “Perceptions of Homeland Security Preparation and Risk: Findings from a Survey of Law Enforcement Agencies.” (with M.J. Giblin & J. A. Schafer), Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Society of Criminology.
- 2007 “Innovation Diffusion Channels and Community Policing: The Impact of Institutional Forces on Organizational Practice.” (with M.J. Giblin), Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.
- 2007 “Does the legitimacy of a universities’ administration affect student misconduct: A test in one Midwestern university.” (with N. Zemen-Metz & W. Wells), Paper presented at the annual conference of the Midwest Criminal Justice Association, Chicago, IL.
- 2006 “Crime in 2020.” Paper presented at the annual conference of the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association, Chicago, IL.
- 2006 “The antecedents of legitimacy in a university setting: Do fair procedures affect students’ perceptions of a legitimate administration?” (with W. Wells), Paper presented at the annual conference of the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association, Chicago, IL.
- 2006 “Developing a Measurement Model of Institutional Pressures in Policing.” (with M. Giblin), Paper presented at the annual conference of the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association, Chicago, IL, September 28-30, 2006.
- 2005 “Teaching statistics visually: a quasi-experimental evaluation of teaching chi square through computer tutorials.” (with M. Hect), Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting. Toronto, Canada.
2005. “Envisioning Statistics: Appealing to the Visual Learning Style.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL.
- 2004 “Therapeutic Justice: An Organizational Analysis of Drug Courts.” (with C. Ludowise), Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting. Las Vegas, NV.
- 2003 “Presenting Statistics Visually.” Paper presented at The Criminal Justice Association of Georgia annual meeting. Savannah, GA.
- 2001 "Juvenile Court Workgroups: Their Formation and Impact." Paper presented at the 53rd annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, Georgia.
- 2000 "Legal Counsel and Juvenile Offenders: Why Attorneys Don't Help." (with K. Kempf-

Leonard), Paper presented at the 52nd annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

2000 "Attorney Representation & Impact in Serious Delinquency Cases: An Evaluation of Three Missouri Circuits." (with K. Kempf-Leonard), Paper presented at the Missouri Juvenile Justice Association Annual Meeting. Lake Ozarks, MO.

2000. "The Impact of Counsel in the Juvenile Court." Paper presented at the 37th annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA.

1998. "The Devil is in the Detail: Antisatanism as a Symbolic Crusade." Paper presented at the 50th annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting. Washington, DC.

1997. "Asking Questions Later: Exploring Seized Firearm Data." Paper presented at the 49th annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA.

COURSES TAUGHT

Graduate: *Criminal Justice Research Methods, Research Methods in Public Administration, Seminar in Juvenile Justice and delinquency*

Undergraduate: *Criminology, Introduction to Criminal Justice, Policing, Research Methods, Statistics, White-collar Crime, Juvenile Delinquency, Juvenile Justice,*

Master's committees

Joe Keene, M.A. (in progress)

Amber Dillon, M.A., 2008

Aaron Fingerhut., 2008

Stan Howard, (unfinished)

Natalie Metz, M.A. 2007

Andy Potts, M.A., 2006

Sarah Geltz, M.A. 2006

Tomonari Okamoto, M.A. 2006

Jennifer Flynn, M.A. 2006

Holly Jordan, M.P.A. 2003

Catherine Sapp, M.P.A. 2003

Natalie Herrington, M.P.A. 2003

Michael King, M.P.A. 2002

Lamaya Johnson M.P.A., 2002

WORK IN PROGRESS

"Developing a measurement model of institutional processes in policing." (with M.J. Giblin & J. Schafer) – Revise/Resubmit from *Policing*.

"Clients' perceptions of a drug-court workgroup." (with C. Ludowise).

"Mapping Criminological Theory."

"Threatened globally, acting locally: modeling law enforcement homeland security practices." (with M.J. Giblin & J.S. Schafer).

"An assessment of the social structure and social learning theory for cybercrime." (with T.J. Holt & A. Bossler).

"A structural model testing institutional theory on COPS adoption" (with M.J. Giblin).

"Who is Gerald Gault?: A meta-analysis of juvenile court counsel representation studies."

"The Ability of Legitimate Authorities to Reduce Academic Misconduct." (with W. Wells and N. Metz-Zemen (student)).