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Call for Nominations for Section Awards

The section is calling for nominations for section awards to be presented at the Annual Conference in Orlando. Please see below for information pertaining to each award. Please send nominations to Dr. Faith Lutze at lutze@wsu.edu by December 1, 2014.

Coramae Richey Mann Leadership Award

To be considered for the highest honor of the Section, Coramae Richey Mann Leadership Award, a person must meet the following criteria: an active Member in good standing of the Section for at least 2 consecutive years prior to being recommended. Recipient must be a contributor to the ethnic and racial diversity in criminal justice education. The recipient must endeavor to advance critical thinking concerning women and must have made substantial contributions to the emerging body of knowledge about gender issues in criminology and criminal justice.

Becky Tatum Excellence Award

To be considered for the Becky Tatum Excellence Award, a person must be an active member in good standing of the Section. The recipient must be committed to conceptual or empirical contributions to the study of minorities as victims, professionals in criminal justice, or offenders (continued on page 11).

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Message from the Chair



Hello everyone and hope that you are withstanding the semester. It has been an extraordinarily busy semester for me. Anyway, less about me and more about the Section!

As you may have heard, we are trying our best to spearhead a mentoring program for newly minted Ph.Ds. Drs. Charles Corley and George Wilson are responsible for this – so hopefully, you will be hearing from them soon. I think it is so important for us to leave a legacy or to make contribution – in much the same ways many of us have benefitted in untold ways from those who came before us. Of course I think about Coramae Richey Mann, Roslyn Muraskin, Julius Debros, Freda Adler and many others, who were excellent role models.

My hope is that we can reach out and help students who are currently enrolled in PhD programs or those who are newly minted; perhaps the mentoring can be in the form of regular contacts with Section members, who can offer second and third opinions on how to navigate the fault lines of higher education. Good luck Charles and George. Let us know what we can do to help.

As section chair, I am concerned about membership. If you are not a member, please become a member – to help support the annual Awards Reception and any other initiatives. And even if you are not, we want you on our mailing list and at our meetings, etc. Don't give up on us!

I want to acknowledge the support of the Section's Board members: Bob Bohm, Charles Corley, Kimberly Dodson, Helen Taylor Greene and Carolyn Petrosino. You know these folks already – and they are superb. I also want to say that as my term as Chair of the Section comes to end at the next annual meeting in Orlando, I am grateful for their advice, your kind words of encouragement and to those who are actively involved each year with the Awards reception. I do not want to get too sentimental here –so I will stop while I am ahead. See you at the meeting in Orlando (expect a few surprises) and please encourage graduate students to consider applying for our new travel award that honors Dr. Roslyn Muraskin!

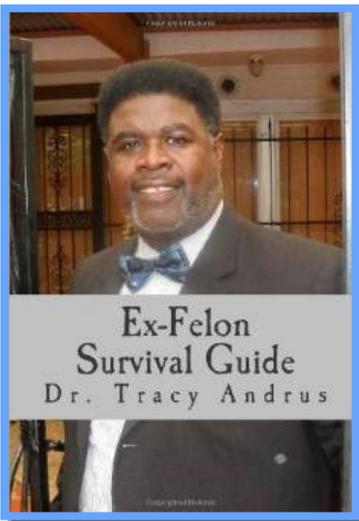
Finally, please enjoy the latest edition of *MW Speaks*, edited by our own Kimberly Dodson.

Sincerely yours,

Bob Bing

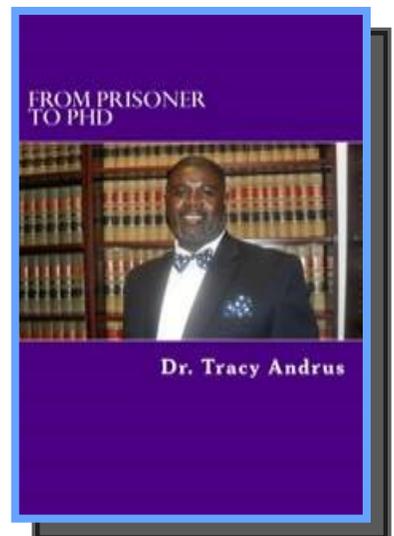
Member News

Dr. Tracy Andrus was promoted to Associate Professor this summer. He also published a new book entitled “Ex-Felon Survival Guide: Now That You Are Out of Jail” and published the second edition of “From Prisoner to PhD.”



Ex-Felon Survival Guide is the fourth book published by Dr. Tracy Andrus. Dr. Andrus is one of the leading voices in America regarding Ex-Felon Re-entry and Restorative Justice. Dr. Andrus shares his story about his crime, arrest, incarceration, and release on parole. Dr. Andrus was released from prison in 1994 and became the first African American in the United States to earn a PhD in Juvenile Justice in 2005 from Prairie View A&M University.

From Prisoner to PhD is one of the most inspirational books ever written. Since being published in 2005 this book has been a blessing to countless numbers of ex-felons, at-risk students, professionals, and clergy.



Member News



LeAnn Cabage is a Ph.D. student in the Department of Sociology at Iowa State University. Her paper “Incarcerated Veterans, their Crimes, and Length of Sentence: A Comparison of State and Federal Inmates by Gender” won the Midwestern Criminal Justice Associations Graduate Paper Award. The abstract of her paper is presented below.

Using the 2004 Survey of State and Federal Inmates, I establish a profile of the incarcerated men and women Veterans in State and Federal Correctional Institutions, to determine the type of crime the individual committed, and the length of sentence the Veteran is serving. This analysis provides the only demographic profile of incarcerated women Veterans to my knowledge. Layered crosstabs are also performed to determine if there are relationships between

key variables. Overall, findings suggest Veteran men and women differ from non-veteran men and women.

Washington State University Prison Debate Project Dr. Faith E. Lutze



The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice at Washington State University (WSU) in collaboration with the Washington State Coyote Ridge Corrections Center (CRCC) began the Prison Debate Project. Students from WSU are integrated with students at CRCC to develop and implement a structured debate about a topic of their choosing. Students have debated the waiver of juveniles to adult court, gun control, and the integrity of our jury system in front of an audience of prison administrators, staff, educators, and inmates at the

CRCC. The project is supported by the Open Society Institute in collaboration with WSU, CRCC, Walla Walla Community College, and the WSU Center for Civic Engagement. You can view a documentary based on the project and directed by Gonzalo Escuder and Nacho Gomez at: <http://simaawards.org/portfolio-item/walls-2/>. The documentary was awarded the Special Jury Prize for Innovation by the SI-MA, Social Impact Media Awards for 2014. We hope that you will view the film and use it in your corrections classes.

Recent Member Publications

Williams, J. M. and Jones, C. A. (2015). A critical analysis of race and the administration of justice. San Diego, CA: Cognella.

Jones-Brown, D. D., Frazier, B. D., and Brooks, M. (2014). African Americans and criminal justice: An encyclopedia. Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood.

Call to Contribute to the *Encyclopedia of Women and Crime!*

Dr. Frances Bernat and Dr. Kelly Frailing, Editors-in-Chief from Texas A&M International University, are proud to announce the forthcoming *Encyclopedia of Women and Crime* (Wiley-Blackwell). We invite you to write authoritative essays for the *Encyclopedia of Women and Crime* which will serve the comprehensive resource on historical and contemporary topics germane to women, crime and international criminal justice.

With its specific focus on feminist, transdisciplinary, transnational and historical perspectives on gender and offending behavior, female victimization, and legal and policy responses to both female offending and victimization, this work will be an important contribution to the field.

The Editors-in-Chief along with Associate Editors (Dr. Loraine Gelsthorpe, Cambridge University; Dr. Lisa Pasko, University of Denver; and, Dr. Sesha Kethineni, Illinois State University) are soliciting specific entries for inclusion.

Interested academics, graduate students, practitioners and policymakers should contact Dr. Frances Bernat (frances.bernat@tamiu.edu) or Dr. Kelly Frailing (kelly.frailing@tamiu.edu) for more information.

Thank you for your interest and please spread the word to your colleagues, co-authors and friends!





2 POSITIONS OPEN

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR/ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

The Criminal Justice Department at the University of Wisconsin-Parkside invites applications for two tenure/tenure track positions beginning August 2015: 1) Associate Professor/Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice and 2) Assistant Professor. For more information about the Criminal Justice Department link to: <http://www.uwp.edu> keyword: criminal justice.

At rank of **Associate Professor** the applicant must meet the required qualifications and provide evidence of an active research/publication record that is commensurate with departmental requirements for this rank. Areas of teaching are open. There is an opportunity to become department chair.

At the **Assistant Professor** level and ABD will be considered for a one-year terminal appointment as a Lecturer with conversion to tenure-track Assistant Professor if all requirements for the degree have been successfully completed by March 1, 2016. Demonstrated ability to teach race/crime, police, criminal law, criminal procedure, criminal court process, and/or criminal justice research methods.

Qualifications:

Required:

- Ph.D. in criminal justice, criminology, or a closely related field (a law degree is not appropriate for this position).
- For the **Associate/Assistant Professor** position, areas of teaching are open.
- For the **Assistant Professor** position, demonstrated ability to teach race/crime, police, criminal law, criminal procedure, criminal court process, and/or criminal justice research methods.
- Evidence of scholarly record or scholarly promise.
- Demonstrated interest in implementing curricula that address multicultural issues.
- Experience with a variety of teaching methods and/or curricular perspectives at the College level.

Responsibilities:

- Teaching core and upper division criminal justice courses.
- Teaching load of 24 credits per academic year.
- Evidence of an active research/publication record.
- Academic advising.
- Participation in departmental, campus, professional, and community service.
- Provide service to the department in support of curriculum, teaching, and service to the University and Community.

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Current knowledge in technological advancements as they relate to pedagogical issues in higher education.
- Ability to engage in appropriate instructor-student relationships/interactions and collegial conduct.
- Ability to work on a computer for extended periods of time.
- Ability to effectively communicate with students, staff, and colleagues both orally and in writing.

Salary:

Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. The University of Wisconsin System provides a liberal benefits package, including participation in a state pension plan.

The University:

The University of Wisconsin-Parkside is a comprehensive campus of the University of Wisconsin System with approximately 4800 students, 120 faculty, and 70 instructional academic staff offering 33 undergraduate majors and 3 master's degrees in 22 academic departments. The campus is located between the cities of Kenosha and Racine in southeastern Wisconsin, within the Chicago-Milwaukee corridor.

The university is situated on 700 acres of prairie and woodland approximately two miles west of Lake Michigan. Consisting of 15 buildings, the coherence and unity of the original campus design within its natural landscape has been sustained over four decades of development. Recent additions include a renovated and expanded student center, a 250 bed suite-style residence hall, and a greatly expanded and renovated center for the arts and humanities.

Review of Applications:

Applications received by **December 3, 2014** are ensured full consideration; position is open until filled.

A representative from the University of Wisconsin-Parkside will be attending the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in San Francisco to promote these positions.

To Apply:

Interested candidates should submit the following in electronic format. Each bullet point should be sent as a separate file/attachment:

- A cover letter of application—(note the rank for which you are applying Associate Professor or Assistant Professor)
- Curriculum vitae
- Statement of teaching philosophy
- Course syllabi
- Teaching evaluations
- Examples of scholarly work
- Names and contact information for three references

Go to: www.careers.wisconsin.edu Click the "Apply Now" button. You must create an account and login before you can apply. If you have not yet registered, click on the "Click here to Register" link to begin the registration process. If you are already a registered user, input your "User Name" and "Password" and select "Login."

Job title: Criminal Justice Assistant Professor and Associate/Assistant Professor

Job ID: 9907

Permanent /full-time

Your application will not be considered complete until all required documents are attached and all required fields are completed.

If you have application questions call or email:
Connie Minton, Academic Department Associate
Criminal Justice Search Committee
University of Wisconsin-Parkside
Department of Criminal Justice
900 Wood Road
Kenosha WI 53144



UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA
Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice and African American Studies
Program

The University of South Carolina invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant Professor position, with a joint appointment, in the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice and the African American Studies Program to begin August 16, 2015. The successful candidate will contribute to both units and will be evaluated for reappointment, tenure, and promotion according to the criteria for the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice.

We seek candidates with a Ph.D. in criminology, criminal justice, or a related social science discipline with strong interests in justice and racial justice as relevant to African American communities. Applicants who are close to completing their degrees may be considered, but it is expected that the Ph.D. will be in hand prior to the date of appointment. Applicants should show clear promise of contributing important scholarly research and effective teaching.

Applicants should send a curriculum vitae, three letters of recommendation, and a letter that describes their research and teaching interests to:

Dr. Robert Brame & Dr. Todd Shaw, Search Committee Co-Chairs
Email Address: CRJUAfAm@mailbox.sc.edu

Electronic submission of materials is preferred, but candidates may apply by postal mail by sending materials to Drs. Brame and Shaw, c/o Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC 29208.

To assure full consideration, all application materials should be received no later than October 10, 2014.

The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice offers programs leading to bachelors, masters, and Ph.D. degrees. For more information about the Department, please visit <http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/crju/>. African American Studies is an interdisciplinary program offering a bachelor's degree and a minor. For more information about African American Studies, please visit <http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/afra/>.

The University of South Carolina's main campus is located in the state capital, close to the mountains and the coast. The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching has designated the University of South Carolina as one of only 73 public and 35 private academic institutions with "very high research activity" and also lists USC as having strong focus on community engagement. The University has over 31,000 students on the main campus (and over 46,000 students system-wide), more than 350 degree programs, and a nationally-ranked library system that includes one of the nation's largest public film archives. Columbia, the capital of South Carolina, is the center of a greater metropolitan area which has a population over 750,000.

The University of South Carolina is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply. The University of South Carolina does not discriminate in educational or employment opportunities or decisions for qualified persons on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, or veteran status.



General Information

California State University, Fresno is one of 23 campuses in the California State University System. The University's mission is to offer high-quality educational opportunities to qualified students at the bachelor's and master's levels, and in certain applied disciplines, at the doctoral level. The current student enrollment is approximately 23,000, including a large percentage of students with diverse and culturally rich backgrounds. The University serves the San Joaquin Valley while maintaining deep involvement with the state, nation, and world. California State University, Fresno promotes student learning and community engagement through faculty scholarship and service learning opportunities in collaboration with community organizations, educational institutions, industry, business, and government. The University was one of the first U.S. Colleges and Universities to be selected by The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching for its Community Engagement Classification.

Metropolitan Fresno, with a multi-ethnic population of over 600,000, is located in the heart of the San Joaquin Valley on

California State University, Fresno College of Social Sciences

Criminology

Vacancy #12297

<http://www.fresnostate.edu/socialsciences/>

Victimology Assistant Professor

California State University, Fresno is an engaged University. We focus on broadening students' intellectual horizons, fostering lifelong learning skills, developing the leaders of tomorrow, promoting community involvement, and instilling an appreciation of world cultures. We nurture cultural competence by celebrating the rich diversity of the campus community and welcoming the participation of all. Members of the University community are expected to work effectively with faculty, staff, and students from diverse ethnic, cultural, and socioeconomic backgrounds. For information on the University's commitment and dedication to creating a university known for its integrity, civility, equity, respect, and ethical behavior, please visit: www.fresnostate.edu/academics/diversity.

- Available for Academic Year: 2015/2016.
- Fresno State has been recognized as an Hispanic-Servicing Institution (HIS); an Asian American/Native American/Pacific Islander-Serving Institution (AANAPISI); and has been designated to the Community Engagement Classification by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.
- Faculty members gain a clear path to tenure through the University's Probationary Plan Process.
- Salary placement depends upon academic preparation and professional experience.

Position Summary: The Department of Criminology is accepting applications for a tenure-track, academic-year position as an Assistant Professor in Victimology. This successful candidate will teach undergraduate Victimology courses, graduate courses, and the Victim Services Certificate program. Other duties will include, but are not limited to, advising Criminology Students, participating in program development, actively engaging in research and problem-solving activities, and committee service at all levels of university governance. Outcome assessment and service learning are important components of the University curriculum.

Overview: The Department serves the San Joaquin Valley and the expanding global community by offering a quality educational opportunity for qualified students at the certificate, minor, baccalaureate, and graduate levels. The Department recognizes the importance of servicing the academic community, and supports and contributes to the General Education program. The Department offers specializations in Law Enforcement, Victimology, Corrections, and Forensic Behavioral Sciences. The Department encourages and supports an environment that promotes the critical examination and discussion of criminological thought and inquiry at every academic program level. The Department also is committed to the principle that all segments of the



The campus is within easy driving distance of San Francisco, Los Angeles, Yosemite, Kings Canyon, and Sequoia National Parks, the Monterey Peninsula, Lake Tahoe, beaches, sailing, lakes, and numerous ski resorts. Fresno boasts one of the most reasonable housing markets in California and offers a wide array of locally grown fruits and produce.

The Department's programs, faculty, students, and partnerships are intended to contribute significantly to the quality of life in the changing global community. Search Committee Members: Drs. Yoshiko Takahashi, Search Committee Chair; H. Otto Schweizer, Kenneth Ryan. M. Jason Kissner, EEO Designee: Dr. Zhi Wang, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences.

Required Education: A Ph.D. in Criminology/Criminal Justice or closely-related Social Science discipline from an accredited institution (or equivalent) is required; however, applicants nearing completion of the Ph.D. (ABD) may be considered. For continued employment in a tenure-track position the Ph.D. must be completed by August 12, 2016.

Required Experience: 1) Successful teaching experience at the undergraduate level (experience as a graduate teaching assistant is acceptable); 2) a demonstrated track record of scholarly activities at the university level, such as scholarly presentations and/or peer-reviewed publications, and; 3) the ability to demonstrate a commitment to working effectively with faculty, staff, and students from diverse ethnic, cultural, and socioeconomic background.

Preferred Qualifications: Demonstrated expertise in one or more of the following: 1) criminal victimization and policy, as well as intervention and prevention; 2) human trafficking, 3) victimization of undocumented, and 4) victim services. Applicants from historically underrepresented groups are particularly encouraged to apply.

Application Procedure: Review of applications will begin October 1, 2014, and will continue until the position is filled. To apply, applicants must complete an online application at jobs.fresnostate.edu and attach the following: 1) a cover letter specifically addressing required experience and preferred qualifications; 2) a curriculum vitae, and 3) a list of three professional references. Finalists will be required to submit: 1) three current letters of recommendation, and 2) official transcripts. For inquiries, contact Dr. Yoshiko Takahashi, Search Committee Chair; California State University, Fresno; Department of Criminology; 2576 E. San Ramon, MS/ST104; Fresno, CA 93740-8039; Phone: 559-278-4800; E-mail: ytakahashi@csufresno.edu.

Other Requirements: A link to the Annual Safety and Security/Fire Safety Report is provided in compliance with the 1998 Jeanne Clery Disclosure Act, and California Education Code section 67380. The report includes three calendar years of select campus crime statistics and it includes security policies and procedures for the campus. Applicants, students, and employees can obtain a copy of this report from the website: www.fresnostate.edu/police/clery/index.shtml or by contacting the Campus Police Department. The person holding this position may be considered a "mandated reporter" under the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act and is required to comply with the requirements set forth in CSU Executive Order 1083 as a condition of employment. You can obtain a copy of this Executive order by accessing the following web site: <http://www.calstate.edu/eo/EO-1083.html>.

Background Check: Necessary background investigations will be completed depending on the requirements of the position. Those could include, but are not limited to, the processing of fingerprints through the Department of Justice and FBI, and degree and license verification. A conditional offer may be based on the results of these verifications.

Section News

The section is accepting nominations for chair, secretary, and three executive counselors. If you are interested, please send a short bio and candidate statement to Dr. Kimberly D. Dodson at kd-dodson@wiu.edu. Please have all nominations to her by November 10, 2014. The election will be held in December. Additionally, on the December ballot you will have the opportunity to vote to extend the terms of the executive counselors from one year to two years.

Call for Nominations for Section Awards

Evelyn Gilbert Unsung Hero Award

The recipient must be an active Member in good standing of the Section for at least 2 consecutive years prior to being recommended. Must be committed to ethnic and racial diversity in criminal justice education. The recipient must have made substantial contributions to the emerging body of knowledge about gender issues in criminology and criminal justice.

Student Travel Awards

The Roslyn Muraskin Student Travel Award

This award is designed to encourage the participation of undergraduate and/or master's women students in the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences and will permit one student to attend and make presentations at the 2015 ACJS Annual Meeting. The award will be a maximum of \$600. Recipients shall be required to submit receipts to receive reimbursement for their expenses.

The Esther Madriz Student Travel Award

One student award designed to encourage the participation of undergraduate and master's level racial/ethnic minority and women students in the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences and will permit one student to attend and make presentations at the 2015 ACJS Annual Meeting. The award will be a maximum of \$600. The recipient shall be required to submit receipts to receive reimbursement for their expenses.