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**EDUCATION**

Ph.D., 1990 Department of Sociology,  
University of Wisconsin-Madison.  
Dissertation Topic: "Criminality, Social Control, and  
Deviance in A Life-Course Analysis."  
Major: Criminology, Complex Organizations. Minor:Law.

Master of Science, 1986 Department of Sociology,  
University of Wisconsin-Madison.  
Masters Thesis Topic: "Educational Determinants of Work  
Related Attitudes Among Police: Does Education  
Professionalize?"

Bachelor of Arts, 1984 Department of Sociology,  
Lakeland College, Sheboygan, WI.

Associate Degree, 1977 Department of Police Sciences,  
Fox Valley Technical Institute, Appleton, WI.

**EMPLOYMENT**

Associate Professor, 5/96-Present, University of Arizona,  
School of Public Administration and Policy.

Assistant Professor, 8/90-5/96, University of Arizona,  
School of Public Administration and Policy.

Research Fellow, 9/89-8/90, University of Wisconsin-Madison,  
Department of Sociology. Research/Teaching Assistant, 9/85-9/89;  
UW-Madison, Institute for Research on Poverty and Department of  
Sociology.

Sergeant of Police, 8/78-9/84, Village of Kimberly, Wisconsin.

Police Officer, 8/77-8/78, Town of Grand Chute, Wisconsin.

**RECENT SPECIAL HONORS AND AWARDS**

Outstanding Faculty from MPA Graduating Class, 1999, 2004.  
Appointed by Governors Napalitano and Hull to Peace Officer

Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 2002, 7<sup>th</sup> Edition.  
Awarded for Faculty Oversight of Undergraduate Society  
of Criminal Justice Studies, 1995, 1999, 2003.

#### **SELECTED INTRAMURAL SERVICE**

Chair, SPAP Graduate Studies Committee, 2002-04.  
Vice-Chair, University Committee on Conciliation, 2003-05.  
Member of College Advisory Committee, 2000-2004.  
Member, SPAP Undergraduate Studies Committee, 2003-04.  
Chair, SPAP Dissertation Comm. P. Campie 2002-03.  
Faculty Advisor for CJ Honors Students, 2002-04.  
Member, Eller College Strategic Planning Committee, 2002.  
Chair of Eller College Faculty, 2002.  
Chair: Selection Committee for University Chief of Police. 2000.  
University Advisory Council on Undergraduate Education. 1998-00.  
SPAP Faculty Evaluation Committee, 1994-95; 98-04.  
BPA College Undergraduate Studies Committee, 1994-98, 2003-04.  
Faculty Advisor for Undergraduate Society of Criminal Justice  
Studies, 1992-00; and CJS Fraternity, 1995-97.

#### **SELECTED EXTRAMURAL SERVICE**

Board: Arizona Peace Officer Standards and Training, 2002-05.  
Board: Strengthbuilding Partners, 2001-2002.  
Invited Panelist: UofA Forum "After the Riots", April 10, 2001  
Invited Participant: UA College of Law's Conference "Guns, Crime  
and Punishment in America. January, 2001  
Coordinator for Criminology Sessions for the American  
Sociological Association Meetings. August, 2001.  
Member, Oversight Committee for Tucson Weed and Seed  
Project. City of Tucson. 1998-99.  
Consultant, Pima County Pretrial Services, Transfer of Juveniles  
to Adult Court. 1997-1999.  
Consultant, Pima County Pretrial Services, Risk Assessment  
Evaluation, 1998.  
Consultant, Pima County Superior Court, Creation of a  
Drug Court Strategy in Pima County. 1996-99.  
Reviewer for National Science Foundation, 1994-1996.  
Reviewer for American Sociological Review, 1991, 1993-1996 2003.  
Reviewer for Criminology, 1992, 1994-04.  
Reviewer for Sociological Inquiry, 1998-99.  
Reviewer for Contemporary Psychology and Policy Currents 1992.  
Reviewer for Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency,  
1991-99, 2003.

#### **SELECTED PUBLISHED WORKS**

- Psychology. 37:7 p. 646. Review of Glenn D. Walters. 1990.  
The Criminal Lifestyle: Patterns of Serious Criminal  
Conduct. Newbury Park: Sage Publications.
1992. Policy Currents. 2:3 p. 17-8. Review of Gary Kleck. 1991.  
Point Blank: Guns and Violence in America. New York: Aldine.
1992. Prestige of Criminal and Conventional Occupations: A  
Subcultural Model of Criminal Activity. American  
Sociological Review. 57:6 p. 752-770. (With Ross Matsueda,  
Rosemary Gartner, and Irving Piliavin.)
1994. Linking Self and Social Control with Deviance:  
Illuminating the Structure Underlying a General Theory of  
Crime and Its Relation to Deviance. Journal of  
Quantitative Criminology. 10:1 p. 41-78.
1995. Determinants and Prevention of Criminal Behavior. In  
Psychology and Policing, Ed. by: Neil Brewer and Carlene  
Wilson. (With Michael R. Gottfredson). Hillsdale,  
NJ:Lawrence Erlbaum and Associates. Pp. 63-80.
1996. Release Decisions, Pre-trial Deviance, and Risk Assessment  
Tools: A Study of Pima County Pre-trial Services. (With  
Neil Vance.) Rombach Institute of Crime, Delinquency, and  
Corrections, White paper.
1996. The Use of Prisons as a Commons Problem: An Exploratory  
Study. Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency,  
33:1 p. 70-93.(With Michael Gottfredson)
1998. It's Not Really Theft: Personal and Workplace Ethics that  
Enable Software Piracy. Behavior and Information  
Technology. 17:27-40.(With Darryl Seale and Sherry  
Schneider.)
1998. A Follow-up Study of Release Decisions, Pre-trial Deviance  
Risk Assessment Tools: A Study Conducted for Pima County  
Pre-trial Services. Rombach Institute of Crime, Delinquency  
and Corrections, White Paper.
2000. Pima County Drug Court: Statistical and Process  
Evaluation. Rombach Institute of Crime, Delinquency and  
Corrections, White Paper.
2002. Pre-trial Release Based Upon Local Tradition or Empirical  
Risk Assessment Tools?: An Exploratory Analysis of  
Development and Implementation. Rombach Institute of Crime,

2002. Drug Courts and Justice: Testing Blumberg's concept of coopting a Profession. Rombach Institute of Crime, Delinquency and Corrections, White Paper.

#### **WRITING UNDER REVIEW**

##### **Refereed Journals**

"Getting Treated in Juvenile Drug Court: What Does Success Mean?"  
Criminology and Public Policy. (with Roger Hartley and Leigh Nakama

"There is more to policing than technical innovation". Law Enforcement Executive Research Forum.

#### **WRITING IN PROGRESS**

"Has social control become amorphous?"

"Social and Self Control, Early Life-Course Events, and Crime: A Hazard Analysis of Criminal Convictions"

"Sanction Experience and The Decision to Commit Crime: The Effect of Deterrence, Criminal Opportunities and Labeling on Criminal Outcomes."

"Failures on Probation and Parole: Rule Violations versus New Crimes In Route to Prison."

"Social Structure and Individual Criminality: Testing a Rational Choice Theory of Age and Sex Differentials."

"The Negotiated Sense of Distance in Police-Citizen Interactions: Sarcasm and the Creation of Structure."

#### **EXTRAMURAL FUNDING**

1998-99. Strategies to Address Issues Presented by Juveniles Charged as Adults. Pretrial Services for Pima County Superior Court, Pima County, AZ. BJA Byrne Funds. Amount: \$150,000 to County, \$25,000 to UA.

1997-99. Implementing a Drug Court Program in Pima County, AZ. Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Dept. Of Justice Drug Courts Program. Amount: \$400,000 to County, 70,000 to UA.

1998-99. Evaluation of Weed and Seed. City of Tucson, National

Institute of Justice Grant. Amount: \$250,000 to City,  
\$8,000 to UA.

- 1998-99. Crime, Growth and Quality of Life. Town of Oro Valley:  
\$8,000.
1996. Summer. Creating a Drug Court in Pima County, AZ.  
Consultant with Pima County Superior Court. Amount: \$7,500.
- 1994-95. What is Unnecessary Incarceration?: An empirical  
examination of Arizona Sentencing Practices. Edna  
McConnell-Clark Foundation. Amount: \$100,000.
1994. National Institute of Justice: ICPSR Workshop in Data  
Management: Policing Data and Systems. Amount: \$1,000.
1991. The Causes and Consequences of Lottery Participation in  
Wisconsin. Wisconsin State Lottery Board. Co-principal  
investigator with Irving Piliavin, University of Wisconsin--  
Madison. Amount: \$40,000.
- 1989-1990. Criminality, Careers, and Deviance: Reconciling a  
Theoretical and Methodological Debate. National Institute of  
Justice Doctoral Fellowship Program, Department of Justice.  
Principal investigator. Amount: \$11,000.

#### **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

American Sociological Association.  
American Society of Criminology.  
Society for the Study of Social Problems

#### **TEACHING INTERESTS**

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| Criminology/Deviance | Methods and Statistics |
| Sociology of Law     | Corrections            |
| Criminal Justice     | Complex Organizations  |
| Law Enforcement      |                        |