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**EDUCATION**

**2011 - 2014 Ph.D. in Criminology, Law & Society, University of Florida**

Committee: Dr. Lon Lanza-Kaduce (Chair), Dr. Ronald Akers, Dr. Lora Levett and  
Dr. Greg Webster (external member)

Project Title: *“Moral Panics and the Sex Offender Registry: Are the Laws Really Protecting  
Communities?”*

**2009-2011 M.A. in Criminology, Law & Society, University of Florida**

Committee: Dr. Lon Lanza-Kaduce (Chair), Dr. Ronald Akers and Dr. Lora Levett

Project Title: *“Sex Offender Registration – Experiences of Female Offenders in Florida”*

**2005-2009 B.A. in Criminology (Minor: History), University of Florida, *Summa Cum  
Laude***

Committee: Dr. Ronald Akers (Chair), Dr. Richard Hollinger and Dr. Lon Lanza-Kaduce

Project Title: *“Perceptions of Informal Labeling on Delinquency Among Previously Victimized  
Juveniles in Combination with Race and Socio-Economic Status: A Study on  
Applying Delinquent Labels to Juveniles with Emphasis on the Juvenile’s Societal  
Factors”*

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**EMPLOYMENT**

**2014 – Present Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice**  
University of Texas at Tyler, Department of Social Sciences

**2009 – 2014 Instructor, Participant Pool Research Coordinator, Graduate  
Assistant**  
University of Florida, Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**

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Sex Offender Registry  
Criminological TheorySexual Crimes  
Stereotyping and Stigmatization**Peer-Reviewed Publications**\*Indicates an undergraduate or graduate student co-author

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**2016 Klein, J.L.** and Cooper, D.T. (2016). "Trial by Error: A Content Analysis of the Media Coverage Surrounding the Jerry Sandusky Trial." *Justice Policy Journal*, 13(1).  
[http://www.cjcj.org/uploads/cjcj/documents/jpj\\_trial\\_by\\_error.pdf](http://www.cjcj.org/uploads/cjcj/documents/jpj_trial_by_error.pdf)

**2015 Klein, J.L.** (2015). "Vilifying the Pedophiles and Perverts: A Nationwide Test of the Community Attitudes Toward Sex Offenders (CATSO) Scale." *Criminology, Criminal Justice, Law and Society*, 16(3), 41-60.

\*Tolson, D. and **Klein, J.L.** (2015). "Registration, Residency Restrictions, and Community Notification: A Social Capital Perspective on the Isolation of Registered Sex Offenders in our Communities." *Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment*, 25(5), 375-390. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/10911359.2014.966221>

**Klein, J.L.** and \*Tolson, D. (2015). "Wrangling Rumors of Corruption: Institutional Neutralization of the Jerry Sandusky Scandal at Penn State University." *Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment*, 25(5), 477-486.  
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/10911359.2014.983258>

**2014 Klein, J.L.,** \*Tolson, D. and \*Collins, C. (2014). "Lamenting the List: A Partial Test of Sherman's Defiance Theory as Applied to Female Sex Offenders." *Contemporary Justice Review: Issues in Criminal, Social and Restorative Justice*, 17(3), 326-345. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/10282580.2014.944798>

**Klein, J.L.,** \*Tolson, D. and \*Collins, C. (2014). "Expressing Strain: A Qualitative Evaluation of the Testimonies of Female Sex Offenders." *Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice and Criminology*, 2(1), 119-147.  
<http://www.jqcjc.org/documents/v2i1.pdf>

**2013 Klein, J.L.,** \*Tolson, D. and \*Longo, L. (2013). "Pretrial Publicity and Pedophilia: A Content Analysis of the Jerry Sandusky Case." *Justice Policy Journal*, 10(2).  
[http://www.cjcj.org/uploads/cjcj/documents/klein\\_et\\_al\\_fall\\_2013.pdf](http://www.cjcj.org/uploads/cjcj/documents/klein_et_al_fall_2013.pdf)

**2012 Klein, J.L.,** \*Rukus, J. and \*Zambrana, K. (2012). "Do Experienced Behaviors Lead to Increased Shame and Strain for Registered Female Sex Offenders?" *Justice Policy Journal*, 9(2). [http://www.cjcj.org/uploads/cjcj/documents/Do\\_Societal.pdf](http://www.cjcj.org/uploads/cjcj/documents/Do_Societal.pdf)

### **Manuscripts Under Review**

**Klein, J.L.** and Cooper, D.T. (Revise and Resubmit). “Young Adults’ Deviant Cyber-Sexual Activities: Exploring Prevalence and Predictions Using In-Person Sexual Activities and Social Learning Theory.” *Archives of Sexual Behavior*.

**Klein, J.L.** (Revise and Resubmit). “Learning about the Labeled: Teaching a Course on Sexual Offenders while Accounting for Students who may be Abuse Survivors.” *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*.

**Klein, J.L.** and Cooper, D.T. (Under Review). “Do Perceptions of Statutory Rape Vary Based on Offender and Victim Pairings? Testing the Effects of Race and Gender.” *Applied Psychology in Criminal Justice*.

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (Under Review). “Deviant On-Campus Activities of College Students: Examining Sanctions and Social Learning Processes as Predictors.” *Crime and Delinquency*.

### **Manuscripts in Preparation**

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (In Preparation). “Visiting Pornography Websites: The Role of Personal Characteristics, In-person Activities, and Social Learning Processes.”

**Klein, J.L.**, Cooper, D.T. and Pettiford, A. (In Preparation). “Stop and Frisk: Perceptions of Sexual Assault by the Police, TSA, and Private Security.”

Bailey, D.J.S. and **Klein, J.L.** (In Preparation). “Attitudes toward the Registry: A Comparison of Registered Offenders and Their Family Members.”

**Klein, J.L.**, Bailey, D.J.S., and Sample, L. (In Preparation). “Quantitative vs Qualitative: The Inevitable Inclusion of Mixed Methods in the Study of Sexual Offender Populations.

**Klein, J.L.** and Cooper, D.T. (In Preparation). “Knowledge and Parents: Does Having Children Impact Your Use and Retention of Sex Offender Registry Information.”

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (In Preparation). “Learning Cyber Deviancy: An Analysis of the Socialization Process of College Students.”

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (In Preparation). “Socialization to Resistance: An Exploratory Study Examining the Effects of Police Resistance among Young Black Adults.”

**Klein, J.L.** and Cooper, D.T. (In Preparation). “Police Traffic Stops and Young Black Adults: Examining the Effects of Police Officer Race, Gender and Demeanor on Resistance or Deference to Authority.”

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (In Preparation). “A Qualitative Examination of Young Black

## Adult's Views on Law Enforcement.

**Book Chapters**

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (In Preparation). Attempts to 'Raise the Age' for Youthful Offenders: A Tertiary Prevention Approach to Reduce Mass Incarceration. In Huebner, B. and Frost, N. (eds.) Invited chapter for inclusion in *DCS Handbook on Corrections and Sanctions*. SAGE Publications.

**Klein, J.L.** and Cooper, D.T. (In Preparation). Catch, Tag, and Release: Collateral Consequences of Felony Sex Offense Convictions and Post-Release Registration. In Huebner, B. and Frost, N. (eds.) Invited chapter for inclusion in *DCS Handbook on Corrections and Sanctions*. SAGE Publications.

**Klein, J.L.** & Cooper, D.T. (Submitted). Female Sex Offenders and Reintegration. In Lisa Carter and Catherine Marcum (eds.). *Female Offenders and Reentry: Pathways and Barriers to Returning to Society*. Taylor & Francis/CRC Press.

**Klein, J.L.** (2016). The Media Response to Sex Crime. In B. Francis & T. Sanders (Eds.), *The Oxford Handbook on Sex Offences and Sex Offenders: Confronting and Challenging the Issues* (pp. 482-497). Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press.

**Encyclopedia Entries**

**Klein, J.L.** (Submitted). Sexual Violence Against Juveniles in Prison. In R.M. Worley and V.B. Worley (Eds.) *Lockdown Nation: Encyclopedia of Controversies and Trends in American Prisons*. ABC-CLIO Publications.

**Klein, J.L.** (Submitted). Civil Commitment Post-Criminal Sanction of Sex Offenders. In R.M. Worley and V.B. Worley (Eds.) *Lockdown Nation: Encyclopedia of Controversies and Trends in American Prisons*. ABC-CLIO Publications.

**Klein, J.L.** (Submitted). Recidivism of Sex Offenders. In R.M. Worley and V.B. Worley (Eds.) *Lockdown Nation: Encyclopedia of Controversies and Trends in American Prisons*. ABC-CLIO Publications.

**Klein, J.L.** (2016). Jerry Sandusky. In S. Chermak & F. Bailey (Eds.) *Crimes of the Centuries: An Encyclopedia of Notorious Crimes, Criminals, and Criminal Trials in American History*. ABC-CLIO Publications.

**Klein, J.** (2014). Masturbation. In C. Forsyth, & H. Copes (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of social deviance*. (Vol. 12, pp. 424-427). Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications, Inc. doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.4135/9781483340470.n171>

## **Technical Reports**

**Klein, J.L.** and Bailey, D.J.S. (2016). "The Effects of Living on the Registry – Experiences of Registrants and Family Members." Report Generated for *Texas Voices* Advocacy Group. doi: 10.13140/RG.2.2.11563.85287

Bailey, D.J.S. and **Klein, J.L.** (2016). "Registrant and Family Member Experiences with Texas Voices for Reason and Justice." Report Generated for *Texas Voices* Advocacy Group. doi: 10.13140/RG.2.2.32479.25761

## **National and Regional Conference Presentations**

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Copper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (2016, November). "Visiting Porn Sites Online: Contrasting the Predictive Value of Studying Personal Characteristics, In-Person Activities, and the Social Learning Approach." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.

**Klein, J.L.**, Cooper, D.T., and Pettiford, A.G. (2016, November). "In the Face of Perceived Sexual Victimization: Why Some People Comply with Stop and Frisk Searches." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Bailey, D.J.S. and **Klein, J.L.** (2016, November). "Attitudes toward the Registry: A Comparison of Registered Offenders and Their Family Members." Poster presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.

\*Kushner, M.J., Lanza-Kaduce, L. and **Klein, J.L.** (2016, November). "Social Learning Theory, Mental Health Issues, and their Effects on the Intergenerational Transmission of Sexually Deviant Behavior. Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (2016, March). "Social Learning Processes Predicting Young Adults' Defiant Responses to Parents, Teachers, Supervisors, and the Police." Paper presented at the American Psychology-Law Society Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.

**Klein, J.L.** and Cooper, D.T. (2015, November). "Stop and Frisk: Compliance and Perceptions of Sexual Assault." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** (2015, November). "Keeping it 100: Investigating the Emphasis of Sexual Behaviors and Drug Use in the Billboard Charts." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.

**Klein, J.L.** and Tolson, D. (2015, March). "Examining Stereotypes: What is the

Most Common Sex Offender Profile?" Paper presented at the American Criminal Justice Society Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida.

Tolson, D. and **Klein, J.L.** (2015, March). "The Role of Race and Context in Understanding Stigmatization of Sex Offender Exonerees." Paper presented at the American Criminal Justice Society Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida.

**Klein, J.L.** and Tolson, D. (2014, November). "Sex and the College Student: An Exploratory Study of Online and In-Person Deviant Sexual Behaviors". Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California.

Tolson, D. and **Klein, J.L.** (2014, November). "Understanding Resistance to Authority by Young Adults: A Social Learning Perspective." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California.

Tolson, D. and **Klein, J.L.** (2014, March). "Confronting Underage Drinking Law Enforcement at School: Collegiate Peers' Perceptions of Appropriate Sanctions during Early Adulthood." Poster presented at American Psychology-Law Society Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.

**Klein, J.L.** and Tolson, D. (2013, November). "Jerry Sandusky, Pedophilia and the Media: A Pretrial Publicity Content Analysis." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.

Collins, C. and **Klein, J.L.** (2013, November). "An Assessment of States Drug Abuse Treatment: A Mixed Methods Approach." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.

Tolson, D. and **Klein, J.L.** (2013, November). "Learning Cyber Deviancy: An Analysis of the Socialization of College Students." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.

**Klein, J.L.** (2012, November). "In Her Own Words: A Qualitative Examination of Female Sex Offenders." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

**Klein, J.L.** (2012, September). "In Her Own Words: A Qualitative Examination of Female Sex Offenders, A Preliminary Analysis." Paper presented at the Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, Jacksonville, Florida.

**Klein, J.L.** (2011, November). "Female Sex Offenders: How Does the Registry Affect Their Lives?" Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.

Zambrana, K. and **Klein, J.L.** (2010, November). "Perceptions of Delinquency and

Victimization: Applying Informal Labels to Juveniles with Emphasis on Societal Factors.” Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California.

Zambrana, K. & **Klein, J.L.** (2010, October). “Perceptions of Delinquency and Victimization: Applying Informal Labels to Juveniles with Emphasis on Societal Factors, A Preliminary Analysis.” Paper presented at the Florida Society of Social Sciences Conference, Gainesville, Florida.

### **Invited Presentations**

**Klein, J.L.** (2016, April). “*The Hunting Ground* and Campus Sexual Assault.” Panel Presented at the University of Texas at Tyler, Student Health and Wellness Center, Sexual Assault Awareness Media Day.

Bailey, D.S. & **Klein, J.L.** (2016, April). “Getting to Know the UT Tyler Researchers.” Talk Presented at the *Texas Voices* Annual Conference, Dallas, Texas.

**Klein, J.L.** (2015, October). “Date Rape: Warning Signs and Facts.” Talk Presented to the Eagle’s Landing, Undergraduate Highlight Night at the University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler, Texas.

**Klein, J.L.** & Tolson, D. (2014, March). “Being Dynamic as a Duo in Research.” Talk Presented to the Criminology Honor Society at the University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida.

**Klein, J.L.** (2010, October). “Success in Graduate School: Tips for a Strong Doctorate Experience.” Talk Presented to the Criminology Honor Society at the University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida.

### **Research Service**

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#### **Manuscript Reviewer for the Following Journals and Publishers**

2016	<i>American Journal of Criminal Justice</i>
2015	Oxford University Press
2015, 2016	<i>Criminal Justice Review</i>
2014	<i>Aggression and Violent Behavior</i>
2014, 2015	<i>Criminal Justice Policy Review</i>
2014	<i>Psychology, Crime and Law</i>
2013	<i>Feminist Criminology</i>
2013	<i>Journal of Offender Rehabilitation</i>
2013	<i>Journal of Drug Issues</i>
2013	Jones and Bartlett Learning Textbook Reviews

SONA System Participant Pool Coordinator (August 2010 – August 2011)

Department of Sociology, Division of Criminology, Law and Society, University of Florida

## **ORIGINAL DATA COLLECTION PROJECTS**

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**Co-Principal Investigator (2016 – Present).** “Life on the Sex Offender Registry: An Examination of Sex Offenders and their Families.” Co-PI with Danielle Bailey, Ph.D. (IRB Approved, 241 quantitative participants)

**Co-Principal Investigator (2015 – Present).** “Black Young Adults’ Deferential and Defiant Decision-Making During Traffic Stops” (Between-subject Factorial Design). Co-PI with Danielle Tolson Cooper, Ph.D. (Funded by the APLS ECP Grant-in-Aid Program, IRB Approval Granted, n = 637 participants)

**Principal Investigator (2013-2014).** “Sex Offenders in the Community: How Much Do Community Members Really Know About Sex Offenders?” (Self-Report Survey Design with a National Sample) (n = 878 participants)

**Co-Principal Investigator (2012-2014)** “Exploring Sexual and Non-Sexual Cyber Deviancy among College Students” (Self-Report Survey Design). Co-PI with Danielle Tolson Cooper, Ph.D. (n = 812 participants)

**Co-Principal Investigator (2013-2014)** “Searching for the Stereotypical Sex Offender” (Between-subject Factorial Design). Co-PI with Danielle Tolson Cooper, Ph.D. (n = 435 participants)

**Co-Principal Investigator (2013-2014)** “Sex Offender Stigmatization: A Contextual Examination of Innocent and Guilty Offender Prototypes” (Between-subject Factorial Design). Co-PI with Danielle Tolson Cooper, Ph.D. (n = 366 participants)

**Co-Principal Investigator (2013-2014)** “Levels of Compliance During Stop and Frisk? The Thin Line Between Proper Procedure and Perceived Sexual Assault.” (Between-subject Factorial Design, Pilot and Full Studies). Co-PI with Danielle Tolson Cooper, Ph.D.  
Pilot Sample: n = 160 participants                      Full Sample: n = 380 participants

**Principal Investigator (2009-2010).** “Experiences of Registered Female Sexual Offenders Living in Florida.” (Self-Report Mail-Out Survey) (n = 106 participants)

## **Research Grants, Fellowships and Awards**

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**2016**                      Internal Departmental Research Support for Faculty Research Expansion. University of Texas at Tyler. *“Experiencing the Effects of Sex Offender Laws: A Comparison of Sex Offenders and Sex Offender Family Members.”*  
**Total Amount Awarded: \$1,318.93**



Robert R. Muntz Library Certificate of Achievement for “Faculty and Staff Publications and Presentations.” University of Texas at Tyler

**2015** Robert R. Muntz Library Certificate of Achievement for “Faculty and Staff Publications and Presentations.” University of Texas at Tyler

**2012** The UF Florida Society of Social Sciences (FSSS) Annual Original Research Paper Competition, 1<sup>st</sup> place honor. “*Do societal reactions lead to increased experiences of shame and strain for registered female sex offenders?*”

### **Proposed and under review**

**2016** American Psychology-Law Society (APLS), Funding Program to Enhance the Impact and Diversification of Psychology & Law Research. “*Thresholds of Bystander Intervention: Understanding Variations in Reporting of Teen Dating Violence by Emerging Adults.*”  
**Total Amount Requested: \$50,000**

### **Proposed but not funded**

**2016** American Psychology-Law Society (APLS), Early Career Professional (ECP) Grant-in-Aid. “*Young, Labeled, and Registered: Examining Community Member Perceptions of Juvenile Sex Offenders.*”  
**Total Amount Requested: \$10,080**

Cooper, D.T. and **Klein, J.L.** U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Justice Programs (OJP), National Institute of Justice (NIJ), OMB No. 1121-0329: Research on Measurement of Teen Dating Violence. “*Contextualizing Family Dynamics within Teen Dating Violence Roles: A Mixed-Methods Exploration of Social Learning Theory and TDV.*”  
**Total Amount Requested: \$230,985**

Office of Research & Technology Transfer (2015-2016) Faculty Internal Research Support Program. University of Texas at Tyler. “*Experiencing the Effects of Sex Offender Laws: A Comparison of Sex Offenders and Sex Offender Family Members.*”  
**Total Amount Requested: \$8,326.93**

**2015** American Psychology-Law Society (APLS) Early Career Professional (ECP) Grant-in-Aid. “*Criminal Beauty: An Examination of the Effects of Attractiveness, Age, Race, and Gender on Community Member Perceptions of Sexual Offenders.*”  
**Total Amount Requested: \$9,555**

Office of Research & Technology Transfer (2015-2016) Faculty Internal Research Support Program. “*Unearthing Female Perspectives: Looking Beyond Texas’ Male Registered Sex Offenders.*”

**Total Amount Requested: \$8,468**

**2013**

American Psychology-Law Society, Grant-In-Aid, \$750.

Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, \$20,000

NSF SBE Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, \$14,739

Ford Foundation Dissertation Improvement Fellowship, \$21,000

**2012**

SocialSci Participation Pool Award \$3,500

**Graduate Student Supervision:**

**Thesis**

***Masters Students:***

Andrew Dehart – Thesis Committee Member

(Fall 2014 – Spring 2016, successfully defended)

Thesis Title: “Chicago homicides completed with a firearm from 1970 to 2009: A longitudinal analysis.

***Undergraduate Students:***

Mackenzie Kushner – Honors Thesis Committee Member

Student at the University of Florida

(Spring 2015 – Spring 2016, successfully defended)

Thesis Title: “Social Learning Theory, Mental Health, and the Intergenerational Transmission of Sexually Deviant Behavior.”

Vanessa Gerlich – Honors Thesis Committee Chair

(Fall 2013 – Spring 2014, successfully defended)

Thesis Title: The Road to Hell was Paved with Good Intentions: How the Sex Offender Registry has Overextended its Reach”

**Comprehensive Exams**

Raychel Hall (Spring/Summer 2016)

**TEACHING**

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**Teaching Interests**

Sex Offenders

Introductory Criminology Courses

Criminal Law

Corrections

Criminology Theory

Drugs & Alcohol

\*Course format was structured as 1) Traditional, face to face, 2) Online, 3) Zoom technology, split classroom, and 4) Hybrid (50% online, 50% in person)

Assistant Professor (August 2014 – Present)

Department of Social Sciences, Division of Criminal Justice, University of Texas at Tyler

**Undergraduate:**

CRIJ 1301, *Introduction to Criminal Justice*<sup>2</sup>

CRIJ 3320, *Criminology*<sup>3</sup>

CRIJ 3326, *Criminal Law*<sup>1, 2, 3, 4</sup>

CRIJ 3344, *Drugs, Behavior and Criminal Justice*<sup>1</sup>

CRIJ 4313, *Corrections and Theory*<sup>3, 4</sup>

CRIJ 4360, *Sexual Offenses*<sup>2</sup>

**Graduate:**

CRIJ 5302, *Judicial Policy and Social Process*<sup>2, 4</sup>

CRIJ 5310, *Sexual Offenses*<sup>1</sup>

CRIJ 5313, *Contemporary Issues in Corrections*<sup>4</sup>

Instructor (June 2011 – April 2014)

Department of Sociology, Division of Criminology, Law and Society, University of Florida

CCJ 4934, *Sex Offenders*<sup>1, 2</sup>

Graduate Teaching Assistant (January 2010 – April 2011)

Department of Sociology, Division of Criminology, Law and Society, University of Florida

CCJ 4140, *Criminological Theory*<sup>1</sup> January 2010 – April 2010

CCJ 4934, *Drugs, Alcohol and Society*<sup>1</sup> January 2010 – April 2010

CCJ 3038, *Law & Society*<sup>1</sup> lecture plus discussion section May 2010 – June 2010

CJL 4050, *Juvenile Law*<sup>1</sup> guest lecturer January 2011 – April 2011

**SERVICE AND TRAINING**

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*University of Texas at Tyler*

**2016** Patriots Applying Technology for Success and Savings (PATSS) Training and related workshops for the development of a Quality Matters Hybrid Class

**2015** Institutional Review Board: Protection of Human Subjects in Research Training

PATSS Introduction to Online Teaching and Learning

Patriots Applying Technology for Success and Savings (PATSS) Training and related workshops for the development of a Quality Matters Hybrid Class

***University of Florida***

- 2013** University of Florida, 2012-2013 Graduate Student Teaching Award by the Dean of the Graduate School (\$500 honorarium)
- 2009-2014** Department of Sociology; Division of Criminology, Society and Law, University of Florida, Graduate Assistantship, Tuition Waiver and Grant
- 2009** University of Florida Honors Graduate, Summa Cum Laude
- 2008-2009** University of Florida Dean's List

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

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**Service to the Profession**

- 2016 – Present** U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs' Bureau of Justice Assistance  
OJP Peer Reviewer
- 2015** AP-LS Annual Conference Panel Submission Reviewer
- 2014** ACJS Annual Conference Panel Chair (Orlando, FL)  
Event #295, Panel: *Contextualizing Sex Crimes*
- 2012 – Present** ASC Division on Corrections and Sentencing Program Recruitment Table Participant
- 2012 – 2014** ASC Division on Corrections and Sentencing Program Committee
- 2011** Contributing Member to the *Criminal Gator*, an intra-department newsletter, University of Florida
- 2011 – 2014** Co-Founder of *Books Behind Bars: Promoting Literacy among Inmates* – coordinates book drives for area correctional institutions  
\*2,164 books donated to date to the Alachua County Jail and Florida State Prison

**Service to the University**

- 2015 – Present** Judicial Affairs Academic Misconduct Hearing Committee Member
- 2015** Graduate School Representative for Dissertation Defense (November 3<sup>rd</sup>)  
Nursing Ph.D. Candidate Joseph Tacy
- 2015 – Present** Faculty Senate, Senator for the College of Arts and Sciences

**2015 – Present** Senate Committee for Teaching Effectiveness

**Service to the Department**

*University of Texas at Tyler*

**2016** Fall, Faculty Peer Reviewer for Richard Helfers

**2015 - Present** Comprehensive Exam Committee Member

**2015** Committee Member for Revision of Department Handbook (focus on Advising)

**2015** Committee Chair for Revision of Graduate Handbook

**2014 – Present** Undergraduate Academic Advisor

**2014 – Present** SACs Reviewer for Departmental Goals

**2014** Departmental Hiring Committee Member for Two Tenure Track Lines

**2014** Longview Center Enrollment Recruitment Services

*University of Florida*

**2009 – 2014** Member of the University of Florida, Department of Sociology, Criminology and Law Syndicate

**2009 – 2010** Graduate Assistant Undergraduate Academic Advisor

**Media Interviews**

**2014** Newspaper Interview for the Florida Times-Union – “Protecting public creates pools of sex-crime felons in rural, less affluent areas in, around Jacksonville.” December 20, Conducted by Dana Treen.  
<http://jacksonville.com/news/crime/20141220/story/protectingpubliccreatespoolssexcrimefelonsruralandlessaffluent>

Newspaper Interview for the Gainesville Sun – “Child-sex offenders: Who are they? How are they caught?” May 24, Conducted by Chris Alcantara.  
<http://www.gainesville.com/article/20140524/ARTICLES/140529765?tc=cr>

Radio Interview for WUFT-FM – Public Broadcasting News and Public Media for North Central Florida. “Jimmy Rice Murderer Executed in Starke, FL.” February 14, Conducted by Alexa Davies.

Newspaper Interview for the Daytona Beach News Journal – “Port Orange weighs signs for sex offender homes.” January 23, Conducted by Lacey McLaughlin. <http://www.news-journalonline.com/article/20140123/NEWS/140129783/1025?p=3&tc=pg#gsc.tab=0>

**2013** Newspaper Interview for the The Alligator – “Sex offender database now includes university search.” October 14, Conducted by Chris Alcantara. [http://www.alligator.org/news/campus/article\\_19be0dea-3485-11e3-818a-0019bb2963f4.html](http://www.alligator.org/news/campus/article_19be0dea-3485-11e3-818a-0019bb2963f4.html)

**2012** Newspaper Interview for the Brandenton Herald – “Suspects arrested in Manatee sex sting come from ‘all walks of life’.” September 19, Conducted by Elizabeth Johnson. <http://www.brandenton.com/2012/09/20/4207285/suspects-arrested-in-sex-sting.html>

Newspaper Interview for The Alligator – “Residents can locate city’s sex predators, offenders.” February 9, Conducted by Casey Macioge. [http://www.alligator.org/news/local/article\\_0c83f762-52e5-11e1-9a5d-0019bb2963f4.html#user-comment-area](http://www.alligator.org/news/local/article_0c83f762-52e5-11e1-9a5d-0019bb2963f4.html#user-comment-area)

Television Interview for WCJB-20, Gainesville, FL - “How well do we know our neighbors?” – Developing story on sex offenders living in the community. February 1, Conducted by WCJB Reporter Kristen Giannas <http://www.wcjb.com/news/11499/whos-your-neighbor>

### **Professional Memberships**

**2016 – Present** Sexual Offense Policy Research (SOPR) Group

**2009 – Present** American Society of Criminology  
Division of Corrections & Sentencing  
Division of Women and Crime

**2009 – Present** Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences

**2009 – 2015** Southern Criminal Justice Association

**2009 – Present** American Psychology and Law Society

## **Software Knowledge**

SPSS  
Survey Monkey  
MTurk

STATA  
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