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EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

- 2010 PhD in Sociology
Crime and Deviance Concentration
University of Central Florida Orlando, FL
- 2009 Graduate Certificate in Crime Analysis/ArcGIS
University of Central Florida Orlando, FL
- 2004 Master of Criminal Justice
Policing Emphasis
University of South Carolina Columbia, SC
- 2002 Bachelor of Science in Sociology
Criminal Justice Emphasis
Lander University Greenwood, SC

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- 2024-present** Professor of Criminal Justice, University of South Carolina—Upstate
- 2022-present** Executive Director of Greenville Programs, University of South Carolina—Upstate
- 2019-2024** Associate Professor of Criminal Justice, University of South Carolina—Upstate
- 2013-2019** Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice, University of South Carolina—Upstate
- 2012-2013** Assistant Professor of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of North Florida
- 2010-2012** Assistant Professor of Justice Studies, Georgia Southern University

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

OER Grant Award for Course Development, 2024.
Innovative Educator Award, USC Upstate, 2022.
Spartan Story and resulting Lander University Alumni Spotlight article, USC Upstate, 2019.
Awarded University-Wide "Faculty Excellence in Service" Award, USC Upstate, 2018-2019
Nominated, "Faculty Excellence in Teaching and Advising" Award, USC Upstate, 2018-2019
Awarded "Most Innovative Activity," USC Upstate QEP Faculty Development Symposium, 2017
Honored Faculty Member, Nominated by Student Athletes six times, 2013-2019

PUBLICATIONS AND SCHOLARSHIP ACTIVITY

Research In Progress

Data Management System for Switch, a local anti-trafficking organization
Late planning stages
BCJI Community-Based Crime Reduction in Highland

Moving from grant stage planning to grant stage implementation June 2024
Lost Persons Behavior Assessment and Organizational Considerations
Early planning stage, grant application in process

Books

Covington, M.W. (2023). *Guns in America*. San Diego, CA: Cognella Academic Publishing.

Government and Funded Research Reports

In progress: Covington, M.W. (forthcoming, 2025). *Highland Community Crime Reduction Project, Research Partner Report*.

Covington, M.W. (2018). *Seeing Spartanburg in a New Light, Project Evaluation Report*. 50 pp.

Pelfrey, W.V. & (Covington) White, M. (2004). *South Carolina Deaths in Custody: Final Report of Research*. Columbia, SC: South Carolina Department of Public Safety Office of Safety and Grants.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Covington, M.W., Huff-Corzine, L., & Corzine, J. (2014). Battered Police: Investigating Personal, Situational, and Geographical Causes of Batteries against Police Officers. *Violence and Victims* 29(1): 34-52.

Tewksbury, R., Mustaine, E.E., & Covington, M.W. (2010). Offender Presence, Available Victims, Social Disorganization and Sex Offense Rates. *American Journal of Criminal Justice* 24(1/2): 1-14.

Pelfrey, W.V. & Covington, M.W. (2007). Deaths in Custody: The Utility of Data Collected from County Coroners. *Criminal Justice Studies* 20(1): 65-78.

Book Chapters

Covington, M.W. & Woodard, T. (2019). Killers on Campus: Mass Shootings in Higher Education. In Crew, G.A. & Burton, C.E. (Ed.), *Handbook of Research on Mass Shootings and Multiple Victim Violence*. Hershey, PA: IGI Global.

Covington, M.W. & Dorn, S. (2019). Expectation of Privacy in Criminal Justice. In Marcum, C.D. & Crank, B. (Ed.), *Controversial Issues in Criminal Justice*. San Diego, CA: Cognella.

Covington, M.W. and Jasinski, J.L. (2009). Incarcerated Adult and Juvenile Females: Special Issues to Consider. In Roslyn Muraskin (Ed.), *Key Correctional Issues (2nd Ed.)*. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall.

Encyclopedia Articles

Covington, M.W. (2016). Homicide of Police. *The Encyclopedia of Crime and Punishment*. Malden, MA: Wiley-Blackwell.

Covington, M.W. (2014). Miranda Warnings. *Encyclopedia of Criminal Justice Ethics*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Covington, M.W. (2014). Stop and Frisk. *Encyclopedia of Criminal Justice Ethics*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Invited Research Notes

Covington, M.W. and Libby, N. (forthcoming). Trust and Transparency in Policing, in *Proceedings of the Futures Working Group*. Quantico, VA: Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Corzine, J., Covington, M.W., and Huff-Corzine, L. (2015). Shots Fired: Expanding the Current Discourse on Policing and Violence. *ACJS Today* XL(2): 35-40.

Book Review

Covington, M.W. (2012). *Policing Cybercrime: A Structural and Cultural Analysis*. *Criminal Justice Review* 37(1): 130-132.

COMPETITIVE GRANT ACTIVITY (FUNDED ONLY)

“Highland Neighborhood Community-Based Crime Reduction Grant”

Funding Agency: Bureau of Justice Assistance
Grant Awarded to: City of Spartanburg
Research Partner: Dr. Michele Covington
Total Grant Amount Funded: \$1,000,000
Total Grant Amount Funded for Evaluation: \$54,000

“Creativity: The Missing Piece”

Funding Agency: Mary Black Foundation
Grant Awarded to: Chapman Cultural Center
Evaluation Director: Dr. Michele Covington
Total Grant Amount Funded: \$205,429
Total Grant Amount Funded for Evaluation: \$15,000

“Seeing Spartanburg in a New Light”

Funding Agency: Bloomberg Philanthropies
Grant Awarded to: City of Spartanburg
Evaluation Director: Dr. Michele Covington
Total Grant Amount Funded: \$1,000,000
Total Grant Amount Funded for Evaluation: \$53,500

“RISE: Research Initiative for Summer Engagement” Grant

Funding Agency: USC Office of the Vice President for Research
Grant Awarded to: Dr. Michele Covington
Principal Investigator: Dr. Michele Covington
Grant Period: May 2014-December 2014
Total Grant Amount: \$5,000.00

“Smart Policing Initiative: FY2011 Competitive Grant”

Funding Agency: Bureau of Justice Statistics
Grant Awarded to: Evans County Sheriff’s Office
Principal Investigators: Dr. Catherine Marcum, Dr. Adam Bossler, and Dr. Michele Covington
Total Grant Amount: \$262,551.56
Total Grant Amount for Subcontractor Evaluation Fee: \$38,450

*My portion of this grant work continued through July 2012 when I accepted a new position out of state. *

INTERNAL TRAVEL GRANT ACTIVITY

For travel to present research on data management for nonprofit organizations

March 2024, Total Grant Amount, \$1750.00

For travel to moderate and speak in panel on “Pracademia in Policing”

March 2022, Total Grant Amount, \$1045.00

For travel to direct the 1st Annual Carolinas Crime Analysis Association Training Conference

August, 2021, Total Grant Amount: \$705.00
For travel to present research on mass shootings in San Antonio, TX
March 2020, Total Grant Amount: \$1886.00 (*postponed due to COVID-19*)
For travel to present poster: "Teaching Guns: The Development and Assessment of a University Course on Guns"
November 2018, Total Grant Amount: \$690.00
For travel to present paper: "Video Village: A Creative Approach to Police-Community Relations in a High-Crime Neighborhood"
February 2018, Total Grant Amount: \$1,454.00
For travel to complete research on females and firearms in Atlanta, Georgia
April 2017, Total Grant Amount: \$692.00
For travel to present paper: "Fighting Crime with...Art?"
September 2016, Total Grant Amount: \$1,308.00
For travel to serve as invited roundtable speaker on issues relating to prostitution
September 2015, Total Grant Amount: \$1,699.00
For travel to present poster: "Pistols in Pink: The Role of Women in the Gun Culture"
March 2015, Total Grant Amount: \$1,691.00
For travel to present poster: "Perceptions of Violent Crime on a College Campus"
November 2013, Total Grant Amount: \$1,599.00

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Covington, M.W. Criminal Justice Organizations: Data on a Budget. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Chicago, IL, March 2024.

Covington, M.W. UCAC: Updates and Opportunities. Carolinas Crime Analysis Association, Charleston, SC, March 2024.

Covington, M.W. Pracademia in Policing. Moderator and discussant at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV, March 2022.

Covington, M.W. The Future of Crime Analysis in the Carolinas. Carolinas Crime Analysis Association Training Conference, Winston-Salem, NC, August 2021.

Covington, M.W. Examining and Understanding Mass Shootings. Discussant at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX, March 2020. (*postponed due to COVID-19*)

Covington, M.W. Crime Analysis in Higher Education. Discussant at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX, March 2020. (*postponed due to COVID-19*)

Covington, M.W. Service and Active Learning in Criminal Justice. Chair and moderator of lightning talk session at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, November 2019.

Covington, M.W. Teaching Guns: The Development and Assessment of a University Course on Firearms, Poster presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, November, 2018

Covington, M.W. Strategies for Balancing Research and a 4/4 Teaching Load, Discussant at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, November, 2018

Covington, M.W. Seeing Spartanburg in a New Light: A Creative Approach for Improving Police-Community Relations, Invited Seminar, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC, April 2018

- Covington, M.W., Evins, J.E., & Thompson, A. Project Evaluation of "Seeing Spartanburg in a New Light", Upstate Research Symposium, Spartanburg, SC, April 2018
- Covington, M.W. Video Village: A Creative Approach to Police-Community Relations in a High-Crime Neighborhood, Paper presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, February 2018
- Covington, M.W., Hauptman, S., & McDonald, C. The Connected Classroom: Teaching Criminal Justice in the Age of Technology, Discussant at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, February 2018
- Covington, M.W. Faculty Panel Participant on QEP FDI participation, Discussant at the USC Upstate QEP Faculty Development Initiative Symposium, Spartanburg, SC, May 2017
- Covington, M.W. Fighting Crime with...Art?, Paper presented at the Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Conference, Savannah, GA, September 2016
- Covington, M.W. Teaching Outside the Classroom Roundtable Discussion, Invited speaker at the Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Conference, Savannah, GA, September 2016
- Covington, M.W. & McArthur, L. Teaching New Tech Tools: From Required to Preferred, Oral Presentation at the USC Upstate QEP Faculty Development Initiative Symposium, Spartanburg, SC, May 2016
- Covington, M.W. Prostitution Roundtable Discussion, Invited speaker at the Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Conference, Charleston, SC, September 2015
- Covington, M.W. & Hauptman, S. Not Your Mother's Social Movement: Turmoil and Twitter in the 21st Century, Poster presented at the Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Conference, Charleston, SC, September 2015
- Covington, M.W. You're Not Welcome Here: The Efficacy of Residency Restrictions for Sexual Predators, Poster presented at the Upstate Research Symposium, Spartanburg, SC, April 2015
- Covington, M.W. Pistols in Pink: The Role of Women in the Gun Culture, Poster presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, March 2015
- Covington, M.W. Perceptions of Violent Crime on a College Campus, Poster presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, November 2013
- Covington, M.W. & Jasinski, J. You're Not Welcome Here: The Efficacy of Residency Restrictions for Sexual Predators, Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, November 2012
- Covington, M.W. Exploring the Link between Alcohol & Violence against Police Officers, Poster presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Washington, DC, November 2011
- Covington, M.W. Correlates of Violence against Police Officers in Orlando, Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, San Francisco, California, November 2010
- Covington, M.W. Violence against Police Officers: A Criminal Event Analysis, Paper presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, San Diego, CA, March 2010
- Covington, M. W. Violence Against Police Officers in Orlando: A Geographic Representation, Poster presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 2009

- Mustaine, E.E., Tewksbury, R., & Covington, M.W. Offender Presence, Available Victims, Social Disorganization and Sex Offense Rates, Poster presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 2009
- Covington, M.W. Self-Reported Victimization of Orlando Police Officers, Paper presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, Boston, Massachusetts, March 2009
- Covington, M.W. & Jasinski, J.L. You're Not Welcome Here: The Efficacy of Residency Restrictions for Sexual Predators, Poster presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, St. Louis, Missouri, November 2008
- Covington, M.W. Lethal Assaults against Police Officers (2000-2005): A Descriptive Analysis Poster presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, Cincinnati, Ohio, March 2008

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2024 Attendee, International Homicide Investigators Association Forensic Genealogy Webinar
- 2024 Participant, Leadership Greenville, Greenville Chamber of Commerce
- 2023 Participant, CAIFS Blackboard Faculty Training Day
- 2023 Participant, International Association of Crime Analysts Criminal Investigative Analysis Course
- 2023 Participant, The OSINTion Accelerated Introduction to Intelligence Course
- 2023 Participant, The OSINTion Alternative and Advanced Search Engines Course
- 2023 Participant, The OSINTion OCR and Image/Video Analysis Course
- 2023 Participant, Leadership Potential Program, Greenville Chamber of Commerce
- 2023 Participant, International Association of Crime Analysts Serial Offenders Course
- 2023 Attendee, International Association of Crime Analysts Annual Training Conference
- 2022 Attendee, Rotary International Peace and Conflict Resolution Conference
- 2022 Attendee, Ten at the Top Upstate Summit
- 2022 Attendee, International Association of Crime Analysts Annual Training Conference
- 2021 Participant, Applied Pedagogy and Hybrid Course Design Institute
- 2021 Participant and Attendee, Carolinas Crime Analysis Association Training Conference
- 2021 Participant, Open Educational Resource Workshop
- 2021 Participant, Community Engaged Scholarship Workshop
- 2021 Participant, QPR Suicide Prevention Gatekeeper Program
- 2020 Participant, USC Upstate Civility Training
- 2019 Attendee, Faculty Commons' Annual Regional Conference
- 2018 Attendee, International Association of Crime Analysts Annual Training Conference
- 2018 Participant, Fundamentals of Crime Analysis course through the International Association of Crime Analysts
- 2018 Participant, COTE-UP teaching observation program
- 2018 Participant, Service Learning Workshop
- 2018 Attendee, FastTrack tenure and promotion preparation session
- 2018 Attendee, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning Power-Up Lunch & Learn
- 2017 Participant, Active Shooter Training
- 2017 Participant, Green Zone Training
- 2017 Attendee, QEP Faculty Development Initiative symposium
- 2016 Participant, Active Learning Faculty Fellows initiative

- 2016 Attendee, QEP Faculty Development Initiative symposium
- 2015 Participant, QEP Faculty Development Initiative
- 2015 Attendee, SAR Lunch & Learn on Securing Grant Funding
- 2015 Attendee, FastTrack tenure and promotion preparation session
- 2013 Attendee, SAR Lunch & Learn on RISE Grants
- 2013 Attendee, FastTrack tenure and promotion preparation session
- 2013 Participant, "Teaching Online" course
- 2011 Participant, Online Course Development Training, Georgia Southern University
- 2011 Attendee, NSF Funding Sources Workshop, Georgia Southern University
- 2007 Participant, Graduate Teaching Associate Training, University of Central Florida
- 2005 Participant, Homeland Security Anti-Terrorism Intelligence Awareness Training Program, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center
- 2004 Participant, South Carolina Class I Law Enforcement Officer Training, South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy

SERVICE ACTIVITY

Service To the University

- 2024 Launch and direct USC Upstate Greenville's External Advisory Team
- 2023 Invited speaker for Preface Event: Missing Bodies and Murder Mysteries
- 2023 Chair, Search Committee for Director of Graduate Programs
- 2023 Table host and representative, Ten at the Top's Blues, Brews, and BBQ
- 2023 Attendee and advocate, Carolina Day
- 2023 Moderator, Upstate Talent Forum
- 2022 Attendee and advocate, Carolina Day
- 2022-present Founder and Director, Upstate Crime Analysis Center
- 2022 Chair, Subcommittee for Professional Development/Noncredit Opportunities for Greenville Campus Task Force
- 2022-2023 Invited member, Task Force for Greenville Campus
- 2022 Member, Team to Support Student Faith and Spiritual Connections
- 2022 Invited speaker for Service Learning/Community Engagement Roundtable Discussion
- 2021-present Member, Title IX Hearing Panel
- 2021-present Member, South Carolina Centro Latino Advisory Board
- 2021 Member, Student Affairs Awards Committee
- 2020-present Invited member, Task Force for Greenville Campus
- 2020-present Faculty representative, Title IX Conduct Board
- 2019-present Invited Member, Community Engagement Core Team
- 2018-present Faculty Fellow, Metropolitan Studies Institute
- 2017-present Faculty representative, Honors Council
- 2019 Invited member, Search Committee for Executive Director of Academic Innovation
- 2019 Invited speaker, USC Upstate Hybrid Institute
- 2018 Invited Member, Carnegie Community Engagement Task Force
- 2018 Invited Member, Physical Learning Environments Assessment Team
- 2018 Judge, Upstate Research Symposium
- 2014-2017 Member, University Assessment Committee

Service To The Department

2023-2024	Chair, Search Committee for Criminal Justice Instructor/UCAC Director
2021-present	Run social media channels for Upstate Crime Analysis Center
2023	Moderator and host, Hackathon for Human Trafficking
2021	Chair, SCW Tenure-Track Search Committee
2019-present	Chair, SCW Unit Criteria Committee
2020-present	Chair, SCW Peer Review Committee
2019-present	Member, Search Committee for tenure-track criminal justice faculty member (<i>delayed due to COVID</i>)
2019-present	Coordinator of Criminal Justice schedule of courses
2013-present	Faculty advisor, Alpha Phi Sigma, The National Criminal Justice Honor Society
2013-present	Faculty advisor, criminal justice majors
2020	Chair, SCW Chair Search Committee
2020	Invited speaker, SCW Social Hour on First Generation College Students
2019-2020	Member, SCW Peer Review Committee
2017-2018	Chair, Search Committee for two tenure-track criminal justice faculty members
2016	Chair, Search Committee for criminal justice instructor
2015-2016	Member, Search Committee for tenure-track criminal justice faculty member
2015-2018	Member, SCW Unit Criteria Committee
2015	Member, Search Committee for SCW Chair
2013	Chair, CCJ Scholarship Committee (Univ. of North Florida)
2013	Member, CCJ Internship Coordinator Hiring Committee (Univ. of North Florida)
2011	Member, Assessment Effectiveness Committee (Georgia Southern Univ.)
2010-2011	Member, Search Committee for tenure-track Justice Studies position, (Georgia Southern Univ.)
2010-2011	Faculty Advisor, Justice Studies Club (Georgia Southern Univ.)
2011	Faculty Coordinator, Justice Studies Career Fair (Georgia Southern Univ.)

Service To The Profession

2023-present	Founder and Director, Missing and Trafficked Persons Team
2023-present	Member, Homicide Research Working Group's Marketing Committee
2023-present	Member, Homicide Research Working Group's Community Committee
2024	Peer reviewer, <i>Policing: A Journal of Policy & Practice</i>
2023	Guest Lecturer, American University's Criminal Justice Policy Classes
2023	Peer reviewer, <i>Police Quarterly</i>
2020-2023	Founder and President, Carolinas Crime Analysis Association
2021	Invited speaker at a meeting of Faculty Commons, Topic: <i>The Intersection of Faith and Criminal Justice</i>
2021	Peer reviewer, <i>Homicide Studies</i>
2021	Peer reviewer, <i>Criminal Justice Review</i>
2020	Invited speaker at the Southern Police Institute's Alumni Association conference in July 2020, Topic: <i>Critical Issues in Modern Law Enforcement (postponed due to COVID-19)</i>
2020	Judge, Alpha Phi Sigma Student Scholarship Paper Competition
2020	Board interviewer for USC Upstate Public Safety Sergeant Promotion Board
2019	Editorial board member, <i>Handbook of Research on Mass Shootings and Multiple Victim Violence</i>

- 2019 Peer reviewer, two chapters in *Handbook of Research on Mass Shootings and Multiple Victim Violence*
- 2019 Peer reviewer, *Violence & Victims*
- 2019 Peer reviewer, *Policing & Society*
- 2019 Peer reviewer, *Journal of Investigative Psychology and Offender Profiling*
- 2018 Invited speaker at student mentoring lunch, Appalachian State University
- 2018 Expert interview for Spartanburg Herald Journal, "Lawsuits allege misuse of Spartanburg County Sheriff's Office K9," 05/08/2018
- 2018 Moderator and panel chair, *The Connected Classroom: Teaching Criminal Justice in the Age of Technology*, Academy of Criminal Justice Science Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA
- 2018 Peer reviewer, *Policing & Society*
- 2018 Peer reviewer, *Violence and Victims* (3 separate manuscripts)
- 2017 Peer reviewer, *Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health*
- 2017 Peer reviewer, *Police Practice and Research: An International Journal*
- 2017 Peer reviewer, *Violence and Victims*
- 2016 Peer reviewer, *Victims and Offenders*
- 2016 Peer reviewer, *Violence and Victims* (2 reviews of one manuscript)
- 2015 Expert interview for WSPA Channel 7, "Spartanburg man escapes home detention," 10/15/2015
- 2015 Expert interview for WSPA Channel 7, "Bojangle's employees forced into back room during armed robbery," 09/16/2015
- 2015 Expert interview for WSPA Channel 7, "Pregnant woman's body found in Spartanburg woods was beaten, burned," 08/16/2015
- 2015 Expert interview for WSPA Channel 7, Spartanburg BB&T Bank Robbed, 06/04/2015
- 2015 Peer reviewer, *Introduction to Policing* textbook, Sage Publications
- 2015 Peer reviewer, *Violence and Victims*
- 2014 Expert interview for Spartanburg Herald Journal, "Officer-involved shootings prompt concerns about violence in county," 03/23/2014
- 2013 Peer reviewer, *Violence and Victims*
- 2012 Session Chair, *Emerging Issues in Crime Policy: Crime Control and Prevention*, American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Chicago, IL
- 2012 Peer reviewer, *Violence and Victims*
- 2011 Peer reviewer, *Criminal Justice Review*

Service To The Community

- 2024-present Greenville Sheriff's Foundation Board Member
- 2024-present South Carolina Attorney General's Human Trafficking Task Force Member, Upstate Region
- 2024 Host, South Carolina Attorney General's Violence Against Women Act Training
- 2023-2024 Host 3 internship events for Greenville Chamber of Commerce & Greenville County Schools
- 2024 Invited speaker for Leadership Greenville's Education Day
- 2024 Invited panelist for SC Girl Scouts Powerful Women Summit
- 2024 Keynote speaker for Heart for Freedom's Annual Human Trafficking Awareness Ceremony
- 2023-present Greenville County Sheriff's Foundation Board Member
- 2023-present Greenville Technical College Criminal Justice Program Advisory Committee

2017-2020 Inside-prison volunteer with SCDC inmates preparing for release through *JumpStart*
2019 Invited speaker for Campus Crusade for Christ student meeting
2019 Invited speaker for Faculty Commons' Vision Fundraising Dinner
2019 Invited speaker for Pelham Road Elementary School's 1st Annual Career Day
2017-2018 E-Mentor for troubled graduate students through *Grad Resources*
2018 Invited speaker on faculty panel for Campus Crusade for Christ's Regional Training Conference
2014 Consultant to City of Spartanburg on analysis of crime data

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2006-2007: Employed as a private loss prevention officer with Bloomingdale's Department Store, Atlanta, Georgia
2004-2006: Employed as a law enforcement officer with the Greenville County Sheriff's Office Greenville County, South Carolina

COURSES TAUGHT

Advanced Topics in Crime Analysis (online)
Criminal Justice Ethics (traditional and online in summer and 7.5 week format)
Criminal Justice Internship
Criminal Justice Research Methods (traditional, hybrid, and online)
Criminology (traditional)
Foundations of Crime Analysis (online)
Guns in the US (traditional)
Homeland Security (traditional and online in summer and 7.5 week format)
Independent Study: Human Trafficking
Independent Study (Graduate Level): Maternal Filicide
Introduction to Criminal Justice (traditional)
Policing (traditional and online in summer and 7.5 week format)
Police-Community Relations (full service learning)
Practical Crime Analysis (independent study course)
Senior Seminar, Topic: Crime and Place (traditional)
Senior Seminar, Topic: The Criminal Justice System (online)
Senior Seminar, Topic: Violence and Policing (traditional)
Sociology of Deviant Behavior (traditional)
Strategic Crime Analysis (online)
Tactical Crime Analysis (online)
Violence in Society (traditional, hybrid, and online in summer and 7.5 week format)

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

International Association of Crime Analysts
Carolinas Crime Analysis Association
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences
Alpha Phi Sigma, The National Criminal Justice Honor Society
Alpha Kappa Delta, International Sociology Honor Society

