

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- 2013 Doctorate of Philosophy in Criminal Justice
University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio
- Dissertation Title: *The Predictive Validity of the Ohio Youth Assessment System – Disposition Instrument: A Revalidation Study*
- 2007 Master of Science in Criminal Justice
University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio
- 2003 Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice
Lycoming College, Williamsport, Pennsylvania

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2025-present Professor of Criminal Justice (with tenure)
Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, Georgia
- 2019-2025 Associate Professor of Criminal Justice (with tenure)
Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, Georgia
- 2013-2019 Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice
Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, Georgia
- 2012-2013 Temporary Full-time Criminal Justice Instructor
Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, Georgia
- 2009-2012 Part-Time Faculty of Criminal Justice
University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio
- 2003-2006 Probation Officer
York County Juvenile Probation Department, York, Pennsylvania

AWARDS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

1. Norman J. Radow College of Humanities and Social Sciences Outstanding Professional Service and Community Engagement Award, 2026.
2. Department of Sociology and Criminal justice Outstanding Professional Service and Community Engagement Award, 2025.
3. Expanding the NEST Innovator, 2024 & 2025.
4. Excellence in Assessment Programs (Silver Recipient), 2024.
5. Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Manuscript Completion Program, 2024.
6. SunTrust Fellow in Cybersecurity/Information Security Education, 2022.
7. Norman J. Radow College of Humanities and Social Sciences Outstanding Online Teaching Award, 2022.
8. Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice Outstanding Online Teaching Award, 2022.
9. Talon'ted Researchers and Scholars Recognition, 2020.
10. Kennesaw State University Foundation Outstanding Early Career Award, 2019.
11. Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice Distinguished Early Career Award, 2019.
12. College of Humanities and Social Sciences Outstanding Senior Faculty Honoree, 2019.
13. College of Humanities and Social Sciences Outstanding Senior Faculty Honoree, 2018.
14. Veterans Faculty Fellow, 2017-2018.
15. Kennesaw State University President's 4.0 Luncheon for First Year Students Faculty Honoree, 2015.
16. University Scholars Awards Faculty Honoree, 2014.

RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles:

- Purdon, J. A., Scherer, H., McCafferty, J. T., & McMahon-Howard, J. (2026). The educational impacts of guns on campus: A comparison of faculty in Georgia and Tennessee. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, 1-20. doi:10.1080/10511253.2026.2707229
- McCafferty, J. T. (2024). Happy hours, not office hours: Socially engaging cybersecurity students in a large online graduate course. *Journal of Cybersecurity Education, Research & Practice*. <https://digitalcommons.kennesaw.edu/jcerp/vol2024/iss1/28/>
- McCafferty, J. T., Scherer, H., & McMahon-Howard, J. (2024). Who are the legal gun carriers on college campuses? An exploratory analysis of the characteristics, motivations, and gun-carrying behaviors of concealed carriers on college campuses. *The Pursuit*, 7(1), 37-55.
- Sullivan, C., McCafferty, J. T., Newsome, J., & Petkus*, A. (2022). Predictive validity and measurement quality in juvenile risk assessment: Implications for racial and ethnic disparities in juvenile justice. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 45(4), 409-429. doi:10.1080/0735648X.2021.1997788

* Indicates work with a student

- Scherer, H., McMahon-Howard, J., & McCafferty, J. T. (2022). Examining the extent and predictors of the negative impacts of a campus carry law among faculty and students. *Sociological Inquiry*, 92(1), 127-152. doi:10.1111/soin.12453
- McMahon-Howard, J., Scherer, H., & McCafferty, J. T. (2021). Examining the effects of passing a campus carry law: Comparing campus safety before and after Georgia's new campus carry law. *Journal of School Violence*, 20(4), 430-444. doi:10.1080/15388220.2021.1930016
- Scherer, H., McMahon-Howard, J., & McCafferty, J. T. (2021). Hesitant to pull the trigger: How the perceived impact of guns on campus influences support or opposition to campus carry laws. *Journal of Crime & Justice*, 44(1), 85-102. doi:10.1080/0735648X.2020.1740103
- McMahon-Howard, J., Scherer, H., & McCafferty, J. T. (2020). Concealed guns on college campuses: Examining support for campus carry among faculty, staff, and students. *Journal of School Violence*, 19(2), 138-153. doi:10.1080/15388220.2018.1553717
- Labrecque, R. M., Scherer, H. L., & McCafferty, J. T. (2018). Reducing violence in correctional institutions: Revalidation of the Inmate Risk Assessment for Violent, Nonsexual Victimization (RVNSV). *Violence and Victims*, 33(1), 126-141. doi:10.1891/0886-6708.VV-D_16_00218.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2018). Unjust disparities? The impact of race on juvenile risk assessment outcomes. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 29(5), 423-442. doi:10.1177/0887403416634163.
- McCafferty, J. T., & Scherer, H. L. (2017). Beyond recidivism: Exploring the predictive validity of a correctional risk assessment tool on offender victimization. *The Prison Journal*, 97(6), 674-691. doi:10.1177/0032885517734493.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2017). Professional discretion and the predictive validity of a juvenile risk assessment instrument: Exploring the overlooked principle of effective correctional classification. *Youth Violence & Juvenile Justice*, 15(2), 103-118. doi:10.1177/1541204015622255.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2016). The importance of counties: Examining the predictive validity of a state juvenile risk assessment instrument. *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation*, 55(6), 377-395. doi:10.1080/10509674.2016.1194944.
- Makarios, M., McCafferty, J., Steiner, B., & Travis, L.T. (2012). The effects of parole officers' perceptions of the organizational control structure and satisfaction with management on their attitudes toward policy change. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 35(2), 296-316. doi:10.1080/0735648X.2012.690261

Book Chapters in Edited Volumes:

McMahon-Howard, J., Purdon*, J. A., Scherer, H. L., & McCafferty, J. T. (2022). "State Laws for Guns on Campus: History, Status, and Impacts." In Bonnie S. Fisher and John J. Sloan, III (Eds.), *Campus Crime: Legal, Social, and Policy Perspectives*, 4th Ed. (pp. 98-114). Charles C. Thomas Publisher, LTD.

* Indicates work with a student

Sullivan, C. J., & McCafferty, J. (2014). "...One of Those At-Risk Children": Adolescent Development, Juvenile Delinquency, and System Response. In Peter A. Collins and David C. Brody (Eds.), *Crime and Justice in the City as Seen Through The Wire* (pp. 315-334). Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press.

Encyclopedia Entries:

Henderson*, J. & McCafferty, J. T. (2017). Intake. In *Encyclopedia of Juvenile Delinquency and Justice* (pp. 1-5). Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell Publications.

* Indicates work with a student

McCafferty, J. T., & Travis III, L. T. (2014). History of Probation and Parole in the United States. In *Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice* (pp. 2217-2227). New York, NY: Springer Publications.

Technical Report:

Sullivan, C., Strange, C., Sullivan, C., Newsome, J., Mueller, D., Petkus, A., Holmes, B., Lonergan, H., & McCafferty, J. T. (2019). *Multi-Method Study on Risk Assessment Implementation and Youth Outcomes in the Juvenile Justice System*. Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, U.S> Department of Justice.

McCafferty, J. T., Newsome, J., & Sullivan, J. C.^ (2017). *Study of the AZYAS-Residential*. Arizona Department of Juvenile Correction.

^ Indicates authors contributed equally to the report and that names were listed alphabetically.

Newsletter:

Antunes, J. L., Boppre, B., Wilczak, A., Payne, T. C., & McCafferty, J. (2021, January). Come one, come all: Welcome to the Criminology Consortium. *The Criminologist*, 46(1), 1-6.

GRANTS, CONTRACT WORK, AND FUNDED WORK

Assessing the Needs for Cybercrime Educational Opportunities for Local Law Enforcement Agencies in Metro-Atlanta

Primary Investigators: James T. McCafferty and Michael Logan

Funded at SunTrust Fellow (\$3,500)

A Multi-Site Examination of the Educational Impacts of Campus Carry Laws

Primary Investigators: Jennifer McMahon-Howard, Heidi Scherer, and James T. McCafferty

Funded at Spencer Foundation (\$49,994)

Measuring the impacts of campus carry at large public universities in Georgia

Primary Investigators: James T. McCafferty, Jennifer McMahon-Howard, and Heidi Scherer

Not funded at the National Collaborative for Gun Violence Research (\$250,000).

Measuring the impacts of campus carry at two large public universities in Georgia

Primary Investigators: James T. McCafferty, Jennifer McMahon-Howard, and Heidi Scherer (2019)

Not funded at Office of the Vice President for Research, Kennesaw State University (\$15,000).

Measuring the impacts of campus carry at two large public universities in Georgia

Primary Investigators: James T. McCafferty, Jennifer McMahon-Howard, and Heidi Scherer

Not funded at the College of Humanities and Social Sciences (\$15,000).

Measuring the impacts of campus carry at two large public universities in Georgia

Primary Investigators: James T. McCafferty, Jennifer McMahon-Howard, and Heidi Scherer (2018)

Not funded at Office of the Vice President for Research, Kennesaw State University (\$15,000).

Examining the Effects of Passing a Campus Carry Law: Comparing Perceptions of Safety, Campus Activities, and Crime Before and After Georgia's New Campus Carry Law

Primary Investigators: Jennifer McMahon-Howard, Heidi Scherer, and James T. McCafferty

Funded by American Sociological Association, \$8,000, October, 2017.

Risk Assessment Implementation and Youth Outcomes: A Multi-Method Study Spanning the Juvenile Justice System

Primary Investigators: Edward Latessa, Ph.D., and Christopher Sullivan, Ph.D.

Grant Consultant: James McCafferty

Exploring the Reliability and Validity of the Offender Screening Tool and the Field Reassessment Offender Screening Tool

Principal Investigator: Edward Latessa, Ph.D.

Contract data analysis and report writing: James T. McCafferty

Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity (URCA) Grant.

Denver Harris (undergraduate student) and James McCafferty (faculty mentor). Funded by Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning; Kennesaw State University. \$500, October, 2016.

Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity (URCA) Grant.

Shavon Trice (undergraduate student) and James McCafferty (faculty mentor). Funded by Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning; Kennesaw State University. \$267, October, 2013.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

McCafferty, J. T. (2024, March). *Student engagement in expandable online graduate courses*. Presentation at the My Digital Experience: A Show and Tell Conference, Digital Learning Innovations, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA.

McCafferty, J. T. (2021, October). *Crime, policy, and enforcement*. Presentation at the Cybersecurity Awareness Day, University Information Technology Services Office of Cybersecurity, Kennesaw, GA.

McCafferty, J. T. (2018, March). *Best practices in offender re-entry: A review of what works and what doesn't work*. Presentation at the Symposium on Criminal Justice & Inmate Reform, Bagwell Center for the Study of Markets and Economic Opportunity, Coles College of Business, Kennesaw, GA.

McCafferty, J. T. (2014, August). *What works with correctional offenders*. Presentation at The Criminal Justice Executive Training Course, Kofi Annan International Peacekeeping Training Centre, Accra, Ghana.

UNIVERSITY PRESENTATION

McMahon-Howard, J., Scherer, H., & McCafferty, J. T. (2017, May). *Perceptions of campus safety and concealed guns at KSU: Preliminary results from a campus-wide survey*. Presentation at Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Powell, N., Cross, B., McCafferty, J. T., & Bowden, L. *An examination of the Georgia Department of Community Supervision's use of risk assessment overrides*.^{*} (2025, November). Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Washington, DC.

^{*}Indicates an invited thematic panel ("Evaluating Probation and Parole Practices and the Impact of Probation Reform in Georgia")

Cross, B., McCafferty, J. T., & Powell, N. *Risk assessment and overrides: Exploring the use of overrides in community supervision*. (2025, November). Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.

McCafferty, J. T., Scherer, H., & McMahon-Howard, J. *Fear of mass shootings among college employees: A multisite comparison*. (2023, November). Poster presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Philadelphia, PA.

- Scherer, H., McMahon-Howard, J., & McCafferty, J. T. (2022, November). *The educational impacts of guns on campus: A comparison of faculty in Georgia and Tennessee*. Presentation at American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- McCafferty, J. T., Scherer, H., & McMahon-Howard, J. (2022, September). *An exploratory analysis of the characteristics and motivations of concealed gun carriers on college campuses*. Presentation at the Southern Criminal Justice Association annual meeting, Ashville, NC.
- Hailes*, D., & McCafferty, J. (2020, November). *The future is female: An examination of officer-client communication of risk using a sample of justice-involved women*. Presentation at the Criminology Consortium annual meeting (virtual).
* Indicates work with a student
- McMahon-Howard, J., Scherer, H., & McCafferty, J. (2020, November). *Examining the impact of a campus carry law among faculty and students*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Washington, DC (Conference canceled).
- Hailes*, D., & McCafferty, J. (2020, October). *The exploration of risk and needs assessment used with justice-involved female offender*. Presentation at the Criminal Justice Associate of Georgia annual meeting (virtual).
* Indicates work with a student
- McMahon-Howard, J., Scherer, H., & McCafferty, J. (2019, November). *A year with guns on campus: Analyzing the impacts of a campus carry law*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- McMahon-Howard, J., McCafferty, J. T., & Scherer, H. (2019, August). *Examining the effects of passing a campus carry law: Comparing perceptions of safety, campus activities, and crime before and after Georgia's new campus carry law*. Presentation at the American Sociological Association annual meeting, New York, NY.
- McCafferty, J., & Scherer, H. (2019, March). *Juvenile risk assessments: Is age important?* Poster presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, Baltimore, MD.
- McMahon-Howard, J., Scherer, H., & McCafferty, J. (2018, November). *Hesitant to pull the trigger: How perceived impacts of guns influence support/opposition of campus carry*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- Fisher, B., McCafferty, J., McMahon-Howard, J., & Pelosi, A. (2018, November). *Arming the ivory tower: A discussion of campus carry legislative initiatives*. Roundtable at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- Newsome, J., McCafferty, J., Mandalari*, A., & Sullivan, C. (2018, November). *Juvenile risk and needs assessment and ethnicity: Beyond predictive validity*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Atlanta, GA.
* Indicates work with a student

- McMahon-Howard, J., McCafferty, J. T., Scherer, H. L., & Henderson*, J. (2018, February). *Examining the Perceived Impact of Campus Carry Laws*. Presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, New Orleans, LA.
* Indicates work with a student
- McMahon-Howard, J., Scherer, H., & McCafferty, J. T. (2017, November). *Examining support for campus carry laws among faculty, staff, and students*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
- Harris*, D., & McCafferty, J. T. (2017, March). *A systematic review of juvenile risk assessment predictive validity studies*. Poster presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, Kansas City, MO.
* Indicates work with a student
- Labrecque, R. M., Scherer, H. L., & McCafferty, J. T. (2017, March). *Reducing violence in correctional institutions: Revalidation of the Inmate Risk Assessment for Violent, Nonsexual Victimization (RVNSV)*. Presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, Kansas City, MO.
- McCafferty, J. T., & Scherer, H. L. (2016, November). *The predictive validity of a juvenile risk assessment at the intersection of gender and race*. Poster presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, New Orleans, LA.
- Scherer, H. L., & McCafferty, J. (2016, April). *Victimization behind bars: A risk assessment perspective*. Presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, Denver, CO.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2015, November). *Unjust disparities? The impact of race on risk assessment scores and outcomes*. Poster presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Washington, DC.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2015, November). *Predictive risk, recidivism, and race*. Presentation at the Criminal Justice Association of Georgia annual meeting, Morrow, GA.
- Lytle, D., & McCafferty, J. T. (2015, September). *Parolee race and decision-making: A meta-analysis*. Presentation at the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association annual meeting, Chicago, IL.
- Scherer, H. L., & McCafferty, J. (2015, March). *Beyond recidivism: Exploring the predictive validity of a correctional risk assessment tool on offender victimization*. Presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, Orlando, FL.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2014, November). *The impact of professional overrides on predictive validity and recidivism*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.

- McCafferty, J. T. (2014, November). *A review of juvenile disposition risk assessments*. Presentation at the Criminal Justice Association of Georgia annual meeting, Kennesaw, GA.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2014, February). *Criminal opportunity as a significant source of variation in the outcome of predictive validity studies*. Presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2013, November). *A contextual-level analysis of a juvenile risk assessment instrument*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- Trice*, S., & McCafferty, J. T. (2013, November). *Does the victim-offender relationship influence victims' social reaction to identity theft?* Poster presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Atlanta, GA.
* Indicates work with a student
- Trice*, S., & McCafferty, J. T. (2013, November). *Does the victim-offender relationship influence victims' emotional and physical reactions to identity theft?* Presentation at the Criminal Justice Association of Georgia annual meeting, Kennesaw, GA.
* Indicates work with a student
- McCafferty, J. T., & Sullivan, C. J. (2012, November). "...One of those at-risk children". Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Chicago, IL.
- Shine, B., McCafferty, J., & Bourke, S. (2012, March). *Field placement programs: The Cincinnati Model*. Presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, New York, NY.
- McCafferty, J. T., & Cohen, D. (2012, March). *Cautious optimism: Extending correctional lessons from Moneyball*. Poster presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, New York, NY.
- McCafferty, M., & McCafferty, J. T. (2012, March). *Hiring freezes and community supervision*. Poster presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences annual meeting, New York, NY.
- McCafferty, J. T., & Sullivan, C. J. (2011, November). *Juvenile justice actors as street-level bureaucrats*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, Washington, DC.
- McCafferty, J. T. (2010, November). *An examination of juvenile detention placements under a restorative justice model*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, San Francisco, CA.

McCafferty, J. T. (2010, November). *Correlates of gang membership and behaviors*.
Presentation at the American Society of Criminology annual meeting, San Francisco,
CA

TEACHING, SUPERVISION, & MENTORING

COURSES TAUGHT AT KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

1. CRJU 1101: Foundation of Criminal Justice
2. CRJU 1101 – Honors: Foundation of Criminal Justice
3. CRJU 3300: Criminal Courts
4. CRJU 3301: Research Methods in Criminal Justice
5. CRJU/CYBR 3305: Technology and Criminal Justice
6. CRJU 3332: Corrections
7. CRJU 3352: Juvenile Delinquency and Corrections (legacy course)
8. CRJU 3352: Juvenile Justice System (current course)
9. CRJU 3365: Profile of the Serial Offender
10. CRJU 4400: Directed Study in Criminal Justice
11. CRJU 4499: Senior Seminar in Criminal Justice
12. CRJU 7704: Institutional and Community Corrections
13. CRJU 7708: Criminal Justice Policy and Analysis
14. CYBR 7000: Cyber Law, Policy, and Enforcement

ONLINE COURSE DEVELOPMENT

1. CRJU 1101: Foundations of Criminal Justice (2022; ODE approved)
2. CYBR 7000: Cyber Law, Policy, and Enforcement (2020-2021; DLI approved)
3. CRJU 3305: Technology and Criminal Justice (2020; ODE approved)
4. CYBR 3305: Technology and Criminal Justice (2020; DLI approved)
5. CRJU 4499 Senior Seminar in Criminal Justice (2017; Quality Matters approved)
6. CRJU 3300 Criminal Courts (2015; Quality Matters approved)
7. CRJU 3305 Technology and Criminal Justice (2014; Quality Matters approved)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF TEACHING

1. Teaching with Artificial Intelligence (five modules), EDUCAUSE, 2026.
 - a. What Do You Need to Know About AI?
 - b. What Do I Need to Rethink in terms of the Exams, Papers, or Projects I Assign?
 - c. How are Students Using AI Tools and How Can I Partner With my Students?
 - d. What are the Ethical Considerations of AI in Our Higher Ed Context and Beyond?
 - e. How Do I (Re)Design Courses in the Wake of the AI Disruption?
2. Introduction to Expanding the NEST, Digital Learning Innovations, Kennesaw State University, August 2025.
3. Introduction to uHoo Analytics, Digital Learning Innovations, Kennesaw State University, April 2, 2024.
4. SoTL Fundamentals, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Kennesaw State University, March 2024.

- a. Getting Started with SoTL at KSU (micro-credential)
 - b. SoTL Fundamentals (micro-credential)
 - c. SoTL Research Design (micro-credential)
5. Academic Assessment Series Pathway, Academic Affairs, Kennesaw State University, September 2022 – May 2023.
 - a. Student Learning Outcome Essentials (micro-credential)
 - b. Data Informed Improvement (micro-credential)
 - c. Rubric Design (micro-credential)
 - d. Validity and Reliability Essentials (micro-credential)
 - e. Curriculum Map Design (micro-credential)
6. It's About Engagement: Using Backward Design to Incorporate IAE into your Courses, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Kennesaw State University, April 21, 2023.
7. Service-learning: Engaging our Students with our Community, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Kennesaw State University, November 3, 2022.
8. Using Ally to Assess Your Course for Accessibility, Digital Learning Innovations, Kennesaw State University, October 21, 2021.
9. Enhanced Face-to-Face Instructions: Making D2L Work for You, University System of Georgia, June 11, 2021.
10. Cybersecurity Online Training Institute, Digital Learning Innovations, Kennesaw State University, Spring 2020.
11. Hybrid Learning: Accountability and Assessment, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, October 3, 2018.
12. Mentoring Graduate Students: Establishing Goals, Building Relationships, and Understanding the Student's Perspective, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, September 19, 2017.
13. Specifications Grading Workshop, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, February 16, 2017
14. Advanced Skills Update Workshop, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, Fall 2016-Spring 2017.
15. How Can I Demonstrate That I'm An Effective Teacher?, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, December 1, 2016.
16. Why Don't They Come to Class Prepared? Motivating Students to Succeed, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, September 19, 2016.
17. Skills Update Workshop, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, Spring 2016.
18. Mentoring Undergraduate Researchers, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, September 11, 2015.
19. Technology Enhanced Strategies for Face-to-Face Classes, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, January 29, 2015.
20. Are Your Students on the Right Track?, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, October 16, 2014.
21. Build a Web Course Workshop, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, Spring 2014.
22. Safe Space Initiative, Kennesaw State University, Fall 2013.

STUDENT SUPERVISION

Thesis/Dissertation Committees:

1. LaSasha Bowden, 2026-present
2. Bria Cross, 2026-present
3. JP Petty, Chair, 2024-2025
4. Chip White, Committee member, 2022-2024
5. Darian Hailes, Chair, 2020-2021
6. Amber Goden, Chair, 2019-2020
7. Jordan Papp, Committee member, 2018-2019

Directed Student Learning:

1. Logan Fugate, Honors Project, 2026
2. Chloe Carr, Honors Contract, 2023
3. Everett Garrett, Honors Contract, 2022
4. Kirsten Martin, Honors Contract, 2022

Research Supervision:

1. JP Petty, 2024-present
2. Darian Hailes, 2020-2021
3. Amber Goden, 2019-2020
4. Denver Harris, 2016-2018
5. Julie Henderson, 2014-2015
6. Shavon Trice, 2013

Graduate Teaching Assistants:

1. Annabeth Fox, 2023
2. Angela Smith, 2021

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY

Service to the University

Institutional Review Board, committee member and prisoner representative, Spring 2021-present

Institute for Cybersecurity Workforce Development Graduate Curriculum Committee, 2019-2023

Executive Director of the Cybersecurity Institute Search Committee, Spring 2017, committee member.

Service to the College

CHSS Curriculum Committee, 2017- 2019, committee member.

Service to the Department

Kennesaw Police Department Citizen Advisory Board, Spring 2024-present

SCJ Student Success Ad Hoc Committee, Spring 2023-2025.

SCJ Awards Committee, member, Spring 2021-Spring 2024.

MSCJ Admissions and Recruitment committee. 2019-2020, committee member.

Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice Search Committee, 2026-2027, chair.

Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice Search Committee, 2025-2026, committee member.

Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice Search Committee, 2024-2025, chair.

Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice Search Committee (two positions), 2021-2022, chair.

Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice Search Committee, Fall 2018, committee member.

Criminal Justice Lecturer Search Committee, Fall 2017-Spring 2018, chair.

Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice Search Committee, Spring 2016, committee member.

Criminal Justice Lecturer Search Committee, Fall 2016, committee member.

Sociology Lecturer Search Committee, Fall 2016, committee member.

Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice Search Committee, Fall 2018, committee member.

Criminal Justice Student Organization, Spring 2023-2025, faculty mentor.

Criminal Justice Student Organization, Fall 2014 – Spring 2017, faculty mentor.

SCJ Curriculum Committee, Fall 2017 – Spring 2019, chair.

SCJ Curriculum Committee, Spring 2017 – Fall 2019, committee member.

Teach-In Events, Fall 2015 – Fall 2016, coordinator, committee member.

Promotion and Tenure Guidelines Task Force, Fall 2015-Fall 2016, committee member.

Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice Scribe, Fall 2013-Spring 2014.

THE PROFESSION

Service to Professional Associations

City of Kennesaw Police Department Citizen Advisory Board, Member, 2024-present

Georgia Retailers Organized Crime Alliance, Board Member, 2019-present

Criminology Consortium, Founder, Board Member, Conference organizer, 2020-2021

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences

National Criminal Justice Month Committee, Spring 2015-Spring 2016, Chair

National Criminal Justice Month Committee, Spring 2014-Spring 2015, Deputy Chair

National Criminal Justice Month Committee, Spring 2013-Spring 2014, committee member

Service to Peer-Review Journals:

Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice, editorial board member.

Justice Quarterly, reviewer.

Journal of Crime and Justice, reviewer.

Criminal Justice and Behavior, reviewer.

Journal of School Violence, reviewer

Children and Youth Services Review, reviewer.

Security Journal, reviewer.

Criminal Justice and Behavior, reviewer.

Journal of Offender Rehabilitation, reviewer.

Journal of Cybersecurity Education, reviewer.

Service to Other Research Publishing Outlets:

Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice, reviewer.

Service to Graduate Student Research: School of Criminal Justice, University of Cincinnati

Doctoral Student Research Grant Program, 2016-present, reviewer.