The 12th Annual Jerry Lee Crime Prevention Symposium
April 23rd and 24th 2012

Monday, April 23rd – 1:00pm – 4:30 pm
SH-902, Hart Senate Office Building
Capitol Hill, Washington, DC

1:00pm – 1:05pm: Opening Remarks

Lawrence Sherman– *Distinguished University Professor, Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Maryland; Wolfson Professor and Director, Jerry Lee Centre of Experimental Criminology, Institute of Criminology, University of Cambridge*

Jerry Lee– *President, Jerry Lee Foundation*

1:05pm – 1:30pm: Keynote Address: "Smart on Crime"

The Right Honourable Nick Herbert MP– *Minister of State for Policing and Criminal Justice (UK)*

1:30pm – 2:15pm: Low Cost Experiments and Cutting Costs in Policing

Chair: Jon Baron– *President, Coalition for Evidence-Based Policy*

"An Example of Incorporating Science into Policing: A Hot Spots Experiment in the Sacramento Police Department"

Rick Braziel– *Chief, Sacramento Police Department;* Renee Mitchell– *Sergeant, Sacramento Police Department*

Discussant: Tim Burgess– *Councilmember, Seattle City Council*

2:15pm – 3:30pm: New Findings From Research: Community Policing and Electronic Monitoring

Chair: David B. Wilson– *Professor & Chair, Department of Criminology, Law and Society, George Mason Univ.*

"Effects of Community–Oriented Policing on Crime, Disorder, Fear and Citizen Satisfaction"

Charlotte Gill– *Senior Research Associate, Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy, Department of Criminology, Law and Society, George Mason University*; David Weisburd– *Distinguished Professor, Department of Criminology, Law and Society George Mason University & Professor, Hebrew University Law School*

Discussant: David Kennedy– *Director, Center for Crime Prevention and Control, John Jay College of Criminal Justice*

"Electronic Monitoring`s Impact on Reoffending"

Barak Ariel– *Jerry Lee Fellow of Experimental Criminology, Institute of Criminology, University of Cambridge*; Lawrence Sherman– *Professor, University of Maryland and University of Cambridge*

Discussant: Jim Bueermann– *Chief of Police, Redlands (CA) Police Department (retired); Executive Fellow, National Institute of Justice; Senior Fellow, Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy, George Mason University*

3:30pm – 4:30pm – Roundtable: "Can Evidence-Based Criminal Justice Policy Deliver at a Time of Dramatic Cost-Cutting?"

Moderator: Laurie Robinson– *Former Assistant Attorney General for Office of Justice Programs*

Participants:
- Noah Bookbinder– *Chief Counsel for Criminal Justice, Senate Judiciary Committee*
- Tim Burgess– *Councilmember, Seattle City Council*
- Michael Crowley– *Policy Analyst, Justice Branch, Office of Management and Budget*
- John Laub– *Director, National Institute of Justice*
- Bernard Melekian– *Director, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services*
- Lawrence Sherman– *Professor, University of Maryland & University of Cambridge*
- David Weisburd– *Professor, George Mason University & Hebrew University Law School*

Tuesday, April 24th – 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
University of Maryland Inn & Conference Center
3501 University Blvd. East, Hyattsville, MD

1:00 pm – 1:15 pm: Opening Remarks

David Weisburd– *Distinguished Professor, Department of Criminology, Law and Society George Mason University & Professor, Hebrew University Law School & Co-Chair, Campbell Crime & Justice Coordinating Group*

Charles Wellford– *Professor, Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Maryland*

1:15 pm –2:05 pm: The Future of Experimental Criminology

Panel Chair: Denise Gottfredson– *Professor, Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Maryland*

"Building a Global Tipping Point for Evidence-Based Crime Policy"

Lawrence Sherman– *Distinguished University Professor, Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Maryland; Wolfson Professor and Director, Jerry Lee Centre of Experimental Criminology, Institute of Criminology, University of Cambridge*

"Calibrating Effect Sizes"

Philip Cook– *ITT/Terry Sanford Professor of Public Policy, Economics and Sociology, Duke University*

2:05pm – 2:20pm: Afternoon Break

2:20pm – 4:00pm: Propensity Score Matching: Can it Provide a Substitute for Randomized Experiments?

Panel Chair: David Weisburd– *Distinguished Professor, Department of Criminology, Law and Society George Mason University & Professor, Hebrew University Law School*

"'Is Propensity Score Matching a Substitute for Experiments?' Is Not the Right Question"

Daniel Nagin– *Teresa and H. John Heinz III Professor of Public Policy and Statistics, Carnegie Mellon University*

"Eliminating Selection Bias in Criminal Justice Evaluations: What do you have to Control?"

Akiva Liberman– *Senior Fellow, Justice Policy Center, The Urban Institute*;
Kideuk Kim– *Research Associate, Justice Policy Center, The Urban Institute;*
John Roman– *Senior Fellow, Justice Policy Center and Executive Director, District of Columbia Crime Policy Center, The Urban Institute*

"Propensity Score Analysis: Promise and Reality"

William Shadish– *Professor, Founding Faculty, and Chair, Psychological Sciences, University of California Merced*

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