The Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy (CEBCP) presents the 2017 CEBCP Symposium on Evidence-Based Crime Policy
George Mason University, June 26, 2017

SUMMARY AGENDA
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MONDAY, JUNE 26, 2017 FOUNDERS HALL, GMU-ARLINGTON CAMPUS

7:30 AM REGISTRATION OPENS FOUNDERS HALL, FIRST FLOOR
8:30 AM Welcome Opening Plenary FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM
9:30 AM (I) New Research on Body Worn Cameras FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM
(II) Mental Health and Criminal Justice FOUNDERS HALL, ROOM 113
11:05 AM (I) What Works in Crime Prevention? FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM
(II) Technology and Policing FOUNDERS HALL, ROOM 113
12:25 PM LUNCH (provided by the CEBCP) LOBBY
1:10 PM (I) Community and Police-Citizen Relations FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM
(II) Research on School Safety FOUNDERS HALL, ROOM 113
3:00 PM Hall of Fame Inductions FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM
Achievement Award Ceremony
3:30 pm Closing Plenary FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM
4:30 PM ADJOURN

IMPORTANT NOTES:
A quiet classroom is available for participant use - Founders Hall 111.
This campus has free internet access. Please select “Guest Network Access” and register.
For almost ten years, the Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy has been committed to providing you with high-quality research and research translation tools.

We need your help to continue our efforts the next 10 years.

If you have attended our symposia, congressional briefings, or special workshops, read Translational Criminology Magazine or our handy “One-Pagers,” used the Evidence-Based Policing Matrix or Dave Wilson’s Systematic Review Toolkit, or watched our countless knowledge videos, then you know the value that CEBCP brings to the field.

With your support, we hope to raise more than $100,000 before we celebrate the center’s 10th birthday at the 2018 symposium.

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Welcome by David Weisburd and Cynthia Lum

Opening Plenary: “The Progress of Evidence-Based Crime Policy in the Last Three Decades”

- **LAURIE ROBINSON**, Chair (Robinson Professor, George Mason University, and formerly Assistant Attorney General for the U.S. Department of Justice Office of Justice Programs).
- **DENISE O’DONNELL** (Founder, Leadership for Justice Innovation LLC, and formerly Director, Bureau of Justice Assistance).
- **JAMES BURCH** (Vice President, Strategic Initiatives, The Police Foundation).
- **LAWRENCE SHERMAN** (Wolfson Professor of Criminology, Cambridge University, and Professor, University of Maryland).

9:30 - 10:50AM  CONCURRENT PANELS

(I) New Research on Body Worn Cameras

- **SEAN GOODISON AND ELIZABETH BERGER** (Police Executive Research Forum). *Citizen Perceptions of Body-Worn Cameras: A Randomized Controlled Trial.*
- **BARAK ARIEL** (Cambridge University and Hebrew University). *The Effect of Police Body-Worn Cameras Beyond Arrest.*
- **CYNTHIA LUM** (George Mason University). *Chair*

(II) Mental Health and the Criminal Justice System

- **SUE-MING YANG** (George Mason University). *Challenges and Issues in Police Response to Mental Illness in Rural Communities.*
- **CLAIR WHITE** (George Mason University). *A Co-Responder Model for Policing Mental Health Problems at Crime Hot Spots: Findings from a Pilot Project.*
- **ALLISON REDLICH** (George Mason University). *Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Community Behavioral Health Service Usage: A Comparison of Mental Health Court and Traditional Court Defendants.*
- **HOWARD HALL** (Chief, Roanoke County Police Department). *Chair/Discussant.*
11:05 - 12:25pm  CONCURRENT PANELS

(I) What Works in Crime Prevention and Rehabilitation  
FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM

- DAVID WEISBURD (George Mason University). *Overview: Lessons from Systematic Reviews.*
- CHARLOTTE GILL (George Mason University). *What Works in Community Crime Prevention?*
- CODY TELEP (Arizona State University). *What Works in Policing?*
- DAVID WILSON (George Mason University). *What Works in Correctional Programs?*

(II) Technology and Policing  
FOUNDERS HALL, ROOM 113

- CHRISTOPHER KOPER (George Mason University). *The state of police practice and research with license plate readers.*
- LINDA MEROLA (George Mason University). *Advanced Police Technologies and the Community: Understanding how the Public Weighs Benefits Versus Costs.*
- JAMES WILLIS (George Mason University). *Chair.*

12:25 – 1:10pm  LUNCH

*Lunch is provided by the Center For Evidence-Based Crime Policy. Feel free to take your lunch inside or outside of Founders Hall. There is also outdoor seating space directly outside.*

1:10 - 2:40pm  CONCURRENT PANELS

(I) Community and Police-Citizen Relations  
FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM

- TAMARA MADENSEN (University of Nevada, Las Vegas) AND ROBIN ENGEL (University of Cincinnati). *The Evidence-Base for De-escalation Tactics.*
- ALESE WOODITCH (Temple University). *Collective Efficacy in Hot Spots of Crime.*
- JESSICA REICHERT (Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority). *Police-Lead Referrals to Treatment for Substance Use Disorders: Findings from an evaluation of the Safe Passage Initiative in Illinois.*
- CHARLOTTE GILL (George Mason University). *Chair.*

(II) Research on School Safety  
FOUNDERS HALL, ROOM 113

- THOMAS MOWEN (University of Wyoming), AND JOHN BRENT (Eastern Kentucky University). *Life-Course Criminology and Schools: The Impact of School Punishment on Delinquency.*
- GERARD LAWSON (Virginia Tech University). *What the Data Tell Us: Influences on Keeping Kids in the Classroom, and Out of the Courtroom.*
- JOSEPH McKENNA (Texas State University). *A Closer Examination of Officer-Student Encounters in the School Setting.*
- JOHN ROSIAK (Rosiak Associates). *Chair.*
EVIDENCE-BASED POLICING HALL OF FAME INDUCTIONS
Presented by Cynthia Lum and James Burch, II

WILLIAM BARRITT, Inspector (Commander) of Patrol, Brooklyn Park (MN) Police Department
SHERI BELL, Crime Analyst, Winnipeg (Manitoba) Police Service
MICHAEL KURTENBACH, Executive Assistant Chief, Phoenix (AZ) Police Department
DEBORAH PLATZ, Assistant Commissioner, Australian Federal Police
GREGORY STEWART, Sergeant, Portland (OR) Police Bureau
RICHARD TWISS, Retired Chief, Indio (CA) Police Department

In absentia; to be presented in the U.K. and Australia at later dates:
MICHAEL BARTON, Chief Constable of Durham Constabulary (England)
STEPHEN BROWN, Deputy Commissioner, Western Australia Police

DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN EVIDENCE-BASED CRIME POLICY
Presented by David Weisburd and Laurie Robinson

DORIS L. MACKENZIE, Professor Emeritus, Pennsylvania State University
THE HON. JAMES “CHIPS” STEWART, Public Safety Director, CNA, and former Director of the National Institute of Justice

3:30 – 4:30pm  CLOSING PLENARY  FOUNDERS HALL, AUDITORIUM

Closing Plenary: “The evidence for—and debates about—procedural justice and police legitimacy”

- TOM TYLER (Professor, Yale University Law School).
- CODY TELEP (Assistant Professor, Arizona State University, and for Daniel Nagin, Carnegie Mellon University).

ADJOURN AT 4:30PM

The Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy at George Mason University would like to thank all of our wonderful speakers for making the 2017 Symposium possible. We would especially like to acknowledge the hard work of CEBCP graduate assistants and staff members, as well as the contributions of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences and the Office of the Provost at George Mason University. We also express our heartfelt thanks to those who make our events extra special, including staff members at University Catering, the Arlington Campus Events Management Office, and University Facilities.
ABOUT OUR PRESENTERS

Barak Ariel (Cambridge University)

Dr Barak Ariel is a Lecturer in Experimental Criminology in the Institute of Criminology at Cambridge University. Dr Ariel is involved in evaluation research projects with a large number of criminal justice agencies around the world, specifically on crime and place, technology and gangs. He is an advisor to several governments and police departments, including a UK Cross-Whitehall Trial Advice Panel, Uruguay Police and several forces in England and Wales. He is the recipient of the Academy of Experimental Criminology Young Experimental Scholar Award, European Society of Criminology Young Criminologist Award and a Fellow of the Division of Experimental Criminology. He is also a Jerry Lee Scholar at the Institute of Criminology at Cambridge University. He recently completed experiments in England and Wales on hotspots policing. He has gained expertise in the area of GIP, harm spots, tracking implementation of patrols with GPS, displacement, receptivity to hotspots policing by frontline officers, and cost-benefit assessments of hotspots patrols. Dr Ariel is involved in research on body-worn-cameras (BWCs) around the globe and is recognized as the leading researcher on the use of BWCs in police operations (The Atlantic 2014; Wall Street Journal, 2013), with nearly 30 research projects on BWCs, including England and Wales, Uruguay, the Netherlands, Northern Ireland, Trinidad & Tobago, and Israel.

Elizabeth Berger (Police Executive Research Forum)

Elizabeth Berger is a Research Associate at PERF. Ms. Berger played critical roles in data collection and reporting findings for the recent body-worn camera RCT and also assists with data collection and analysis on various projects with law enforcement partners. She specializes in quantitative research methods, program research and evaluation, and statistical analyses. Prior to joining PERF, Ms. Berger was a certified reviewer and assisted in secondary research for government clearinghouses including NIJ’s CrimeSolutions.gov, OJJDP’s Model Programs Guide, and the Dept. of Education’s What Works Clearinghouse. She has also worked as a Research Associate for Sam Houston State University, where she assisted various Texas state agencies in conducting research projects and evaluations of corrections programs. Ms. Berger revised the official inmate classification Offense Severity Scale for the state of Texas and was the lead researcher for a Harris County, TX Jail Forecast. She holds a M.S. and B.S. in Criminology & Criminal Justice from Niagara University.

John Brent (Eastern Kentucky University)

John J. Brent is an Assistant Professor at Eastern Kentucky University. His research primarily focuses on: the cultural and structural dynamics of crime and crime-control; how institutions create and maintain inequalities; building a theoretical foundation for criminal justice theory; and how youth are disciplined and punished. His current work examines the intersections of school discipline, students’ cultural dispositions, and inequality. John is the co-author of Theorizing Criminal Justice: Eight Essential Orientations with Dr. Peter B. Kraska and his recent publications have appeared in the Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency, Justice Quarterly, British Journal of Criminology, the Journal of Criminal Justice, and Punishment and Society.

James Burch (The Police Foundation)

Mr. Burch is the Vice President for Strategic Initiatives at the Police Foundation, overseeing the Foundation’s efforts to advance policing through innovations in practice and technology as well as the Foundation’s strategic programs and management services. Prior to joining the Police Foundation in early 2015, Mr. Burch served for more than 20 years at the U.S. Department of Justice, having been appointed to various senior executive and
leadership positions, including Acting Director of the Bureau of Justice Assistance (2009-2011), Deputy Assistant Attorney General (2011-2014) of the Office of Justice Programs (OJP), and Acting Assistant Director at the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) (2014-2015). During his career at the Department of Justice, Mr. Burch developed, supported, and led many key initiatives to advance policing and criminal justice, including major initiatives designed to encourage the use of data, technology and evidence-based crime reduction and policing strategies. These initiatives focused on improving officer safety, and on information sharing policy initiatives and strategies. Mr. Burch has a Master of Science Degree in Administration from Central Michigan University and a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Maryland at College Park.

**Charlotte Gill (George Mason University)**

Dr. Charlotte Gill is an Assistant Professor at George Mason University and holds degrees in criminology and law from the Universities of Pennsylvania and Cambridge. Her primary research interests are community-based crime prevention and place-based approaches, particularly with juveniles and youth; community policing; program evaluation; and research synthesis. Dr. Gill has over ten years of experience in applied experimental and quasi-experimental research. She is currently a research partner on two Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation (BJA) grants to develop community-led approaches to tackling youth crime hot spots in Seattle, WA (with David Weisburd) and rural Kentucky, and three Smart Policing Initiative (BJA) grants: a randomized trial of collective efficacy policing in Brooklyn Park, MN (with David Weisburd); a randomized trial of coordinated police-mental health provider services in Roanoke County, VA (with Sue-Ming Yang); and a quasi-experiment examining RADAR (Risk Awareness, De-escalation And Referral), a community-based information sharing approach to improve police interactions with individuals with cognitive or behavioral health issues in Shoreline, WA (with the Police Foundation). Dr. Gill is the co-editor of the Campbell Collaboration Crime and Justice Group and a board member of the American Society of Criminology’s Division of Experimental Criminology. She received the Academy of Experimental Criminology’s Young Experimental Scholar award in 2012.

**Sean Goodison (Police Executive Research Forum)**

Dr. Sean Goodison is a Deputy Director and Senior Research Criminologist at the Police Executive Research Forum (PERF). His work focuses on quantitative research, research methodology, program evaluation, police use of technology, and national data collection efforts. Prior to joining PERF, he was a Law Enforcement Analyst and civilian researcher for the Washington, D.C. Metropolitan Police Department (MPDC). At MPDC, he was responsible for a wide variety of research activities, including the geographic analysis of seasonal crime and collection homicide data for the Chief and command staff. Dr. Goodison has been the primary investigator on a number of studies, including a randomized controlled trial assessing the impact of body-worn cameras on citizen perceptions, and a project to collect and analyze 15 years of homicide data from official records in Washington, D.C. He received his Ph.D. in Criminology and Criminal Justice from the University of Maryland and has two Master’s degrees, one in Forensic Science and another in Criminal Justice, from The George Washington University.

**Katie Grogan (WestEd)**

Kathryn Grogan is a Research Associate in the Learning Innovations Program at WestEd. Her responsibilities include project coordination, data management, research design, data collection and analysis, and proposal and report writing. Dr. Grogan is responsible for coordinating research and evaluation activities, particularly of a recently awarded 7.5 million NIJ Comprehensive School Safety Initiative grant to support the research and development, implementation, and evaluation of a comprehensive school safety initiative in Atlanta Public
Schools and an evaluation of Campus Shield, an NIJ-funded *Doing What Works to Improve School Safety* grant with the Miami Dade Schools Police Department.

**Howard Hall (Roanoke County, VA Police Department)**

Howard B. Hall was sworn in as Chief of the Roanoke County, Virginia Police Department on August 13, 2012. He leads an internationally accredited agency that includes 142 sworn and 16 non-sworn personnel. Chief Hall holds a Master of Public Administration Degree and a Graduate Certificate in Police Administration from the University of Baltimore, a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Maryland, and is a graduate of the FBI National Academy. He is a member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police, where he serves on the Highway Safety Committee. He is also a member of the Virginia Chiefs of Police Association, serving on the Executive Board and as Co-Chair of the Virginia Highway Safety Committee. Chief Hall has received a number of awards including the Public Service Award from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and the 2012 J. Stannard Baker Award for lifetime contributions to traffic safety from the International Association of Chiefs of Police.

**Laura Jaitman (Inter-American Development Bank)**

Dr. Laura Jaitman is an Economist at the Research Department of the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB). She joined the IDB in 2014, where she previously coordinated the research agenda for the Citizen Security and Justice sector. Her principal areas of research are the economics of crime, development economics, and political economy. Before joining the IDB, she worked for a decade as a consultant to the World Bank, the IDB, and J-PAL in the evaluation of public policies in different countries of Latin America. Jaitman holds a Ph.D. in Economics from University College London. Her work was published in international peer reviewed journals such as the Economic Journal, and the Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, among others.

**Christopher Koper (George Mason University)**

Dr. Christopher S. Koper is an Associate Professor in the Department of Criminology, Law and Society at George Mason University and the Principal Fellow of Mason's Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy. Dr. Koper holds a Ph.D. in criminology and criminal justice (University of Maryland) and has nearly 30 years of experiencing conducting criminological research at George Mason, the Police Executive Research Forum, the University of Pennsylvania, the Urban Institute, the RAND Corporation, the Police Foundation, and other organizations. Dr. Koper specializes in issues related to firearms, policing, and program evaluation. His work includes studies of the 1994 federal assault weapons ban and other policies and practices to reduce gun violence, studies of hot spots policing (including what is often referred to as the “Koper curve” principal of hot spots patrol), the Evidence-Based Policing Matrix, and studies of police technology.

**Gerard Lawson (Virginia Tech University)**

Dr. Gerard Lawson is an Associate Professor in the Counselor Education program at Virginia Tech, past-president of the Association for Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES) and past-president of the Virginia Counselors Association. Gerard earned his doctorate in Counselor Education from the College of William and Mary, in Virginia. He is a Licensed Professional Counselor, a National Certified Counselor, and an Approved Clinical Supervisor. Since joining the faculty at Virginia Tech, Dr. Lawson has published his research in prestigious journals including the Journal of Counseling and Development, Counselor Education and Supervision, and The Clinical Supervisor. He has presented at national and international conferences on a range of topics including counselor wellness, crisis response and resilience, and clinical supervision. Gerard is currently the ACES representative to the ACA Governing Council, and is a trustee of the American Counseling Association Foundation. Under his leadership,
Virginia Tech’s Counselor Education Program awarded the 2009 Robert Frank Outstanding Counselor Education Program Award, and in 2011 Dr. Lawson was selected as the American Counseling Association’s Robert Rencken Professional Leadership Award, and in 2012 was awarded the John R. Cook Award by the Virginia Counselors Association, and was awarded the inaugural Martin Ritchie Award for Advocacy in 2015.

Cynthia Lum (George Mason University)

Dr. Cynthia Lum is Associate Professor in the Department of Criminology, Law and Society at George Mason University and Director of its Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy. She researches primarily in the area of policing, security, and evidence-based crime policy. Her works in this area have included evaluations of policing interventions and police technology, understanding the translation and receptivity of research in policing, and assessing security efforts of federal agencies. With Dr. Christopher Koper, she has developed the Evidence-Based Policing Matrix and the Matrix Demonstration Projects, translation tools designed to help police practitioners incorporate research into their strategic and tactical portfolio. Dr. Lum has been appointed to the Committee on Proactive Policing for the National Academy of Sciences, is a member of the Standing Committee on Traffic Law Enforcement, Transportation Research Board (National Academies of Sciences), the Research Advisory Committee of the IACP, the International Advisory Committee of the Scottish Institute for Police Research, and the Board of Trustees for the Pretrial Justice Institute. Dr. Lum is a Fulbright Specialist in policing and criminology and in 2016 implemented the first International Summer School for Policing Scholarship at the University of St. Andrews in Scotland with colleagues from SIPR. She is the founding editor of Translational Criminology Magazine and the Springer Series on Translational Criminology. Her new book (with Christopher Koper) is Evidence-Based Policing: Translating Research into Practice (Oxford).

Tamara Madensen (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)

Dr. Tamara D. Madensen is Graduate Director and Associate Professor in the Department of Criminal Justice at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Her research interests include crime opportunity structures, place management, and crowd dynamics and violence. Her publications propose, extend, or test crime science theoretical models. They also help translate research findings into practice and policy. Her work has appeared in various outlets, including Criminology and Justice Quarterly. She has published numerous practitioner-focused research papers, including two Problem-Oriented Policing Guides funded by the COPS Office and a research monograph selected as a Herman Goldstein Excellence in Problem-Oriented Policing Award finalist. She provides consultation services to police, private security agencies, and national training organizations. Her book, Preventing Crowd Violence (co-edited with Johannes Knuttson), has been translated into two foreign languages. Dr. Madensen also serves as a lead reviewer for the Assistant Attorney General’s Office: Evidence Assessment of Justice Programs/Practices, LVMPD’s Homicide Review Board member and Leadership Ascendency instructor, and International Association of Crime Analysts subject-matter expert. At UNLV, Dr. Madensen has received the CSUN Faculty Excellence Award, and College of Urban Affairs and University Spanos Distinguished Teaching Awards.

Joseph McCrary (WestEd)

Dr. Joseph L. McCrary is the Associate Director of Research and Evaluation in Learning Innovations at WestEd and leads a strong team of researchers and evaluators as they study programs and policies intended to improve outcomes for learners from traditional and nontraditional backgrounds. He brings 20 years’ experience in policy analysis, management and program evaluation, and applied research and has an extensive background in both quantitative and qualitative research methods. Specific topic areas include school safety and student supports; elementary, middle, high school, and postsecondary reform; teacher development and classroom practices;
school turnaround; science, technology, engineering, and mathematics education; afterschool programs; and programs targeted towards special populations.

**Joseph McKenna (Texas State University)**

Dr. Joseph M. McKenna is the Associate Director of Research and Evaluation at the Texas School Safety Center at Texas State University. He received his Ph.D. in Criminal Justice from Texas State University. Dr. McKenna conducts research in the areas of violence, school safety and emergency management, school crime/disorder, school climate, policing, public policy, and adolescent health. Currently, he is interested in the roles, responses, and training of law enforcement officers assigned to K-12 school campuses and how research can be used to inform practice in these areas. His research has been published in Criminal Justice Policy Review, Criminal Justice Ethics, the International Journal of Police Strategies & Management, and the Security Journal, among other practitioner and academic outlets.

**Linda Merola (George Mason University)**

Dr. Linda M. Merola is an Associate Professor of Criminology, Law and Society at George Mason University. Professor Merola’s academic interests relate to civil liberties, constitutional law, the judiciary, public opinion and legal psychology. She has published articles concerning terrorism, civil liberties, the judiciary, and various topics related to the public’s interaction with and knowledge of the criminal justice system. Professor Merola received a Ph.D. in government from Georgetown University, where she was awarded the Harold N. Glassman Dissertation Award for the most accomplished dissertation in the social science disciplines. In addition, Professor Merola holds a J.D. from the George Washington University Law School, where she served on *The George Washington Law Review* and was admitted to the Virginia State Bar Association. Professor Merola has also received advanced training in research methodology, statistics and survey/experimental methods through the National Science Foundation and Duke University, as well as at the University of Michigan as a recipient of the Miller Scholarship.

**Thomas Mowen (University of Wyoming)**

Tom is an Assistant Professor in Department of Criminal Justice at the University of Wyoming. Tom earned his Ph.D. from the Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice at the University of Delaware. His research primarily investigates the relationship between family dynamics and delinquency, the role and importance of family within the reentry process, and the impact of school security, policing, and disciplinary strategies on youth and family outcomes. Tom’s research has appeared in a number of outlets including *Justice Quarterly, Youth & Society, British Journal of Criminology, Deviant Behavior,* and *British Journal of Sociology of Education.*

**Denise O'Donnell (Leadership for Justice Innovation LLC)**

Denise O’Donnell served with distinction in a number of senior executive positions in the criminal justice field at the federal, state and local levels. Until January 2017, Ms. O’Donnell served as the Director of the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) at the Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice, during the Obama Administration, where she provided federal leadership for unprecedented justice system reform and reentry efforts. She focused national attention on emerging issues such as data-driven bipartisan criminal justice reform at the state and local level, the implementation of evidence-based re-entry programs, the importance of building trust between law enforcement and communities, the need for prison reform in restrictive housing and the disparate impact of fees & fines on poor communities. Her recent accomplishments include launching BJA’s “Smart Suite” of nine criminal justice grant programs that implement research-practitioner partnerships to advance the knowledge of what works in policing, prosecution, public defense, community corrections, pre-trial,
re-entry, opioid use disorders, and building community efficacy. Under her leadership, BJA has become a national
leader in advancing data-driven, evidence-based criminal justice programs and strategies. MS. O’Donnell
previously served as Deputy Secretary for Public Safety for New York, Commissioner of the New York State
Division of Criminal Justice Services, and as Chair of the New York State Commission on Sentencing Reform and
Chair of the New York State Forensic Science Commission. Ms. O’Donnell is a Distinguished Senior Fellow at the
Marron Institute of Urban Management at New York University and Founder and Director of Leadership for
Justice Innovation LLC.

Jessica Reichart (Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority)

As Manager of the Research and Evaluation Center at the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, Ms.
Reichert oversees research on a wide variety of criminal justice topics. Recently, she conducted research in
policing, behavioral health and trauma; corrections; human trafficking; and prisoner reentry. She has published in
scholarly, peer-reviewed journals such as the Journal of Human Trafficking, International Journal of Law and
Psychiatry, and Women and Criminal Justice. Her research won the Justice Research and Statistics Association
annual award for outstanding empirical analysis for criminal justice policy-making. In addition, Ms. Reichert is an
adjunct instructor at Loyola University Chicago. She was previously employed at the Office of the Illinois Attorney
General and received the “Distinguished Service Award” for her work on behalf of citizens of Illinois. She earned
her bachelor’s degree in criminal justice from Bradley University and master’s degree in criminal justice from
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

Allison Redlich (George Mason University)

Dr. Allison Redlich is a Professor in the Department of Criminology, Law and Society at George Mason University.
She earned in PhD in Psychology at the University of California, Davis and then completed a postdoctoral
fellowship at the Stanford University School of Medicine. In addition to her research interests in mental health
courts and guilty pleas, Professor Redlich conducts research on the most effective methods to interview and
interrogate suspects, and reduce the likelihood of false confessions. She has received support from the High-Value
Detainee Interrogation Group (HIG) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation to examine the contextual and
dynamic aspects of interrogation in criminal law enforcement and military settings, and from the Brain and
Behavioral Research Foundation to examine the interrogation experiences of offenders with mental illness. She is
the co-editor of the 2016 two-volume “International Developments and Practices in Investigative Interviewing and
Interrogation” (Vol 1: Victims and Witnesses; Vol 2: Suspected Offenders) and the co-author of a 2010 scientific
consensus paper on police-induced confessions. Professor Redlich currently sits on the editorial boards of five
academic journals.

Laurie Robinson (George Mason University)

Laurie O. Robinson joined George Mason University in 2012 as the Clarence J. Robinson Professor of Criminology,
Law and Society after more than three decades of involvement in national criminal justice policy. Reflecting that
ongoing engagement, she was named by President Obama in 2014 to co-chair the White House Task Force on
21st Century Policing, charged with developing recommendations on ways to build greater trust between law
enforcement and citizens in the wake of Ferguson. In 2014, she was also named to sit on the congressionally
created Colson Task Force on Federal Corrections, charged with addressing crowding in the federal prison system.
Robinson twice served as a Senate-confirmed, Presidential-appointed Assistant Attorney General for the U.S.
Department of Justice Office of Justice Programs, DOJ’s research, statistics and criminal justice assistance arm. Her
two years of service in the Obama Administration, coupled with seven years in the Clinton Administration, make
her the longest serving head of that agency in its 45-year history. Robinson’s more recent tenure heading the $2.5 billion agency was marked by a focus on science: She set up a Science Advisory Board and created a “what works” clearinghouse for the criminal justice field. Between her stints at DOJ, Robinson directed the University of Pennsylvania’s Master of Science Program in Criminology. During her first tenure at DOJ in the 1990s, she led the federal government’s engagement with states and localities on community-based crime control. Her agency’s annual budget grew from $800 million in 1993 to over $4 billion in 2000 and she oversaw the largest increase in federal spending on crime-related research in the nation’s history. She also spearheaded major federal initiatives on violence against women, drug treatment courts, and law enforcement technology. She serves on a number of national boards, including those of the Vera Institute of Justice and the Center for Naval Analysis (CNA), and on the National Academy of Sciences Committee on Law and Justice.

**John Rosiak (Rosiak Associates)**

For more than 30 years John Rosiak has used his extensive cross-sector experience to help school, law enforcement, and other partners develop effective collaborative efforts around safe and healthy youth. His projects have included many groundbreaking publications, innovative training workshops, and numerous presentations at national and state conferences. He has a master’s degree in education administration and has worked in a variety of educational and law enforcement settings over several decades, including local, state, federal, and international. For 8 years John served the National Center for Mental Health Promotion and Youth Violence Prevention as the leader of law enforcement and juvenile justice support of the Federal Safe Schools/Healthy Students Initiative. In 1987 he was hired by the National Crime Prevention Council to lead the integration of drug prevention into national crime prevention efforts, which included directing the first drug demand reduction training for the DEA, and demand reduction workshops for police chiefs and sheriffs; and developing and delivering drug, violence, and bullying prevention workshops for thousands of law enforcement officers, juvenile justice representatives, and educators. John has published many articles on the topic of school-law enforcement partnerships, and delivered numerous presentations/training workshops on topics specifically related to school-law enforcement partnerships, and many other workshops on associated topics. He is presently developing the School-Based Law Enforcement curriculum for the Texas School Safety Center.

**Lawrence Sherman (Cambridge University)**

Lawrence W. Sherman is Director of the Institute of Criminology of the University of Cambridge, where he has served as Wolfson Professor of Criminology since 2007. He is also Director of the Jerry Lee Centre for Experimental Criminology and Chair of the Cambridge Police Executive Programme, which offers postgraduate degree and non-degree courses on evidence-based policing to police leaders and crime analysts from around the world. He earned his PhD from Yale University, and has been awarded honorary doctorates from the University of Stockholm and Denison University. His research interests are in the fields of crime prevention, evidence-based policy, restorative justice, police practices and experimental criminology. He has conducted field experiments, for example, on finding more effective ways to reduce homicide, gun violence, domestic violence, robbery, burglary, and other crime problems, in collaboration with such agencies as the Metropolitan, Northumbria and Thames Valley Police, London’s Crown Courts, HM Prisons, the Crown Prosecution Service, the Youth Justice Board of England and Wales, and the National Probation Service, as well as 30 US police agencies and the Australian Federal Police. Professor Sherman has also worked on several projects of the (US) National Academy of Sciences, and as a consultant to the FBI, the (UK) Home Office and Youth Justice Board, the Swedish Ministry of Justice, the (US) National Institute of Justice, the New York City Police Department, the National Police Agency of Japan, the Korean Institute of Criminology, the Justice Ministry of Lower Saxony, and many other agencies.
Cody Telep (Arizona State University)

Cody Telep is an assistant professor in the School of Criminology and Criminal Justice at Arizona State University. His research focuses on evaluating policing interventions, synthesizing evidence on what works in policing, and examining officer receptivity to research and evidence-based policing. His recent work has appeared in Journal of Quantitative Criminology, Crime & Delinquency, and Journal of Experimental Criminology. He holds a Ph.D. in criminology, law and society from George Mason University, where he worked at the Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy.

Jenna Howard Terrell (WestEd)

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Tom Tyler (Yale University Law School)

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