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Education

PhD, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2012.
Area of Study: Criminology and Criminal Justice

MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007.
Area of Study: Criminology and Criminal Justice

BS, Northern Arizona University, 2003.
Area of Study: Criminal Justice

BS, Northern Arizona University, 2003.
Area of Study: Sociology

Professional Academic Experience

Assistant Professor, University of Northern Colorado. (2014 - Present).

Assistant Professor, University of Southern Mississippi. (2012 - 2014).

Consultant, Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services - Division of Adult Protective Services. (2011 - 2012).

Consultant, Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services - Division of Child and Family Services. (2010 - 2011).

Trial Support Unit, Coconino County Attorney's Office. (2002 - 2003).

Administrative Roles

Coordinator, (2014 - Present).

RESEARCH, SCHOLARSHIP, AND CREATIVE WORKS

Publications

Juried

Journal Article

Ward, K., Thompson, A. J., Iannacchione, B., Evans, M. (2017). Crime, Laws, and Legalization: Perceptions of Colorado Marijuana Dispensary Owners and Managers. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*.

McCartin, L., Iannacchione, B., Evans, M. (2017). Student Perceptions of a Required Information Literacy Course on their Success in Research & Writing Intensive Criminal Justice Courses. *Journal of Academic Librarianship*.

<http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.acalib.2017.01.013>

Evans, M. K., Anderson, A. L., Simi, P. (2017). An Examination of the Relationship between Height and Delinquency. *Journal of Developmental and Life-Course Criminology*.

Woodward, V. H., Evans, M. K. (2016). Social and Psychological Factors of Rural Youth Sexting: An Examination of Gender-Specific Models. *Deviant Behavior*. DOI: 10.1080/01639625.2016.1197020

Evans, M. K., Samantha, C. S., Pete, S. (2015). Learning Disabilities and Delinquent Behaviors among Adolescents: An Examination of Comorbidity. *Deviant Behavior*, 36(3), 200-220.

Sample, L. L., Evans, M., Anderson, A. L. (2011). Sex Offender Community Notification Laws: Are Their Effects Symbolic or Instrumental in Nature? *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 22(1), 27-49.

Clinkinbeard, S. S., Simi, P., Evans, M., Anderson, A. L. (2011). Sleep and Delinquency: Does the Amount of Sleep Matter? *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 40(7), 916-930.

Anderson, A. L., Evans, M., Sample, L. L. (2009). Who Accesses the Sex Offender Registry? A Look at Legislative Intent and Citizen Action in Nebraska. *Journal of Criminal Justice Studies: A Critical Journal of Crime, Law, and Society*, 22(3), 313-329.

Book Chapter

Ward, K. C., Evans, M. K. (2017). Mental Health Need and Treatment. In L. Carter and C. Marcum (Ed.), *Female Offenders and Reentry: Pathways and Barriers to Returning to Society* (1st ed., pp. 45-61). New York, NY: Routledge.

Evans, M. K., Lytle, R., Sample, L. L. (2015). Sex Offender Registration and Community Notification. In Richard G. Wright (Ed.), *Sex Offender Laws: Failed Policies, New Directions* (2nd Edition ed., pp. 142-164). New York, NY: Springer Publishing.

Sample, L. L., Evans, M. (2009). Sex offender registration and community notification. In Richard G. Wright (Ed.), *Sex Offender Laws: Failed Policies, New Directions* (pp. 211-242). New York, NY: Springer Publishing.

Non-juried

Book Chapter

Evans, M. (2011). Sex Offender Registry. In William J. Chambliss (Ed.), *Key Issues in Crime and Justice – Volume 3: Courts, Law and Justice* (vol. 3, pp. 243-255). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Professional Presentations

Not Invited

Juried

Ward, K. (Author & Presenter), Iannacchione, B. (Author), Thompson, A. (Author),

Evans, M. (Author), American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "Marijuana Dispensary Workers in Colorado: Perceptions of Fear of Crime and Victimization," Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. (November 2017).

McCartin, L., Evans, M., Iannacchione, B., International Evidence Based Library & Information Practice Conference, "Using Student Perception Data as Evidence for Changes in Library Credit-Course Curriculum," Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. (June 19, 2017).

Evans, M., Iannacchione, B., Thompson, R. A., Western Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "Perceptions of Defendants with Mental Illness in Colorado." (February 2017).

Thompson, A., Ward, K., Evans, M., Iannacchione, B., American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "Crime, Laws, and Legalization: Perceptions of Marijuana Dispensary Workers," New Orleans, LA. (November 2016).

Ellis, L. F. (Author & Presenter), Iannacchione, B. (Author), Evans, M. (Author), Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference, "Criminal Justice Students' Perceptions of a Required Library Research Course." (March 31, 2016).

Non-juried

Evans, M., Woodward, V. (Other), American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "Mississippi Registered Sex Offenders' Experiences and Shame: Examining Individual Effects." (November 2016).

Ellis, L., Iannacchione, B., Evans, M., LOEX Annual Conference, "Making the Case for Credit Courses: Results from a Study on Student Perceptions of a Required Library Research Course." (May 7, 2016).

Evans, M., Iannacchione, B., Thompson, R. A., Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, "Perceptions of Defendants with Mental Illness in Colorado," Denver, CO. (March 2016).

Evans, M. K. (Author & Presenter), 2016 Assessment Fair at UNC, "Implementing Assessment in the Department of Criminal Justice," Office of Assessment. (March 29, 2016).

Evans, M., Vanessa, W., Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, "Sex Offenders' Experiences of Sex Offender Registration and Community Notification: A Statewide Examination," Orlando Florida. (March 2015).

Brooks, M., Evans, M., Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, "School, disability status, and delinquency: An examination of delinquency among rural adolescents," Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. (March 2014).

Evans, M., Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, "Delinquent behaviors among adolescents with and without learning disabilities and comorbid attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder," Dallas, Texas. (2013).

Evans, M., American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "Differences in delinquency among youth with and without learning disabilities: A meta-analysis," Chicago, Illinois. (2012).

Evans, M., Nebraska Department of Health and Human Service – Division of Child

Family Services, "Assessment of Substantial Mental Impairment Among the Elderly." (2012).

Evans, M., American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "The effect of high-incidence disabilities on delinquency among youth: A meta-analysis," Washington, D.C. (2011).

Evans, M., Anderson, A. L., Simi, P., American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "Napoleon complex: Fact or fiction?," San Francisco, California. (2010).

Evans, M., Sample, L. L., Anderson, A. L., American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "Have you checked the sex offender registry lately? Citizens' explanations for not accessing registry information," Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. (2009).

Evans, M., Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting, "Megan's Law: Citizens' perceptions of sex offender community notification in Nebraska," Cincinnati, Ohio. (2008).

Evans, M., Anderson, A. L., Sample, L. L., American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, "Who checks the sex offender registry?" A look at legislative intent and citizen action," St. Louis, Missouri. (2008).

Media Contributions

Internet

(July 2016).

Newspaper

Greeley Tribune. (July 26, 2017).

Lawrence Journal-World. (October 11, 2011).

GRANTS

Funded

Evans, M. K. (Co-Principal), "Defendants with Mental Illness in Colorado," Sponsored by Research, Scholarship, and Creative Works (RSCW) UNC Office of Sponsored Programs, University of Northern Colorado. (August 2015 - May 2016).

Evans, M., "Annual Scholarly Activity Travel Support," Sponsored by Office of Sponsored Programs, University of Northern Colorado, \$800.00. (2015).

Evans, M., "Summer Support initiative (SSI)," Sponsored by Office of Sponsored Research, University of Northern Colorado, \$4,995.00. (2015).

Evans, M. K. (Hosted Webinar), "Fetal Alcohol Syndrome and the Criminal Justice System," Sponsored by University of Nevada - Reno, State, \$500.00. (July 2015).

Evans, M. K. (Principal), "Undergraduate Criminal Justice Curriculum Infusion Package (CIP)," Sponsored by Frontier Regional Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Disorders Training Center, State, \$2,625.00. (2014).

Evans, M., "Faculty Fellowship on Writing and Speaking Pedagogy," Sponsored by University of

Southern Mississippi, \$1,500.00. (2014).

Evans, M., "SAGE Junior Faculty Professional Development Teaching Award," Sponsored by Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, \$900.00. (2013).

Not Funded

Evans, M., "Serving Justice-Involved Individuals with Mental Illness and/or Substance Use Disorders through TAC in Adams County, Colorado," Sponsored by Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Other, \$256,652.00. (January 2016 - Present).

TEACHING

Teaching Experience

University of Northern Colorado

Courses Taught:

CRJ 110, Introduction to Criminal Justice, 1 course. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 260, Introduction to Crime Theories, 5 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 335, Juvenile Justice, 2 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 395, Topics in Criminal Justice, 2 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 408, Workshop, 1 course. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 422, Directed Studies, 1 course. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 480, Justice Research and Statistics II, 11 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 508, Workshop, 4 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 510, Administration of Criminal Justice, 1 course. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 570, Seminar in Diversity in Criminal Justice, 1 course. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 582, Applied Analysis for Criminal Justice, 3 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 595, Special Topics in Criminology and Criminal Justice, 1 course. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 622, Directed Study, 2 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

CRJ 697, Capstone Project, 2 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

New Programs Developed/Major Program Revision: 2 courses.

Created M.A. in Criminal Justice

Created an online version of CRJ 260: Introduction to Crime Theories

Academic Advising

Fall 2017: 5 undergraduate students advised, 18 graduate students advised, approximately 50 hours spent per year.

Spring 2017: 18 graduate students advised.

Fall 2016: 18 undergraduate students advised.

Spring 2016: 10 graduate students advised.

Fall 2015: 5 undergraduate students advised, 5 graduate students advised.

Spring 2015: 30 undergraduate students advised, 17 graduate students advised.

Fall 2014: 30 undergraduate students advised, 17 graduate students advised.

Directed Student Learning

Committee Chair, Master's Non-Thesis. (2017 - Present).

Advised: Troy VanDress

Committee Member, Master's Non-Thesis. (2017 - Present).

Advised: Alexandra Murphy

Committee Chair, Master's Non-Thesis. (September 2016 - 2017).

Advised: Jessica Martin

Master's Thesis Committee Member. (August 2016 - May 2017).

Advised: Andrew Thompson

Capstone - Committee Member. (April 2015 - 2015).

Advised: Narva Courtney

SERVICE

University Service

Banner Bearer for HSS, Commencement. (2017 - Present).

Graduate Council Representative at PEC, Professional Education Council (PEC). (October 2016 - Present).

Committee Member, Graduate Council. (August 2016 - Present).

Committee Chair, Program Review and Assessment Committee - Grad Council. (January 2017 - December 2017).

Committee Member, Academic Appeals Board. (August 2016 - 2017).

Guest Speaker, Freshmen Orientation at the UNC "Faculty Success Tips". (July 2017 - August 2017).

Guest Speaker, Office of Assessment. (April 11, 2017).

Faculty Judge for the Research Excellence Awards, Research Excellence Awards. (March 2016).

Faculty Research Mentor, McNair Scholars Program. (2014).

College Service

Chairperson, Program Review and Assessment Committee (PRAC). (August 2017 - Present).

I am the outside AAEO representative this academic year for the Department of Anthropology, AAEO College Rep. (2017 - Present).

Committee Member, Program Review Assessment Committee. (August 2015 - Present).

Graduate Faculty Banner Bearer, Commencement. (May 2016).

Committee Member, Sociology Search Committee. (2014 - 2015).

Committee Member, Research Committee, The University of Southern Mississippi. (2013 - 2014).

Committee Member, Faculty Council, The University of Southern Mississippi. (2012 - 2013).

Department Service

Committee Chair, Department of Criminal Justice Assessment Committee. (2014 - Present).

Program Coordinator, Department of Criminal Justice. (2014 - Present).

Committee Member, Faculty Search Committee. (August 2015 - February 2016).

Committee Member, Faculty Search Committee. (August 2014 - February 2015).

Committee Member, Comprehensive Exam Committee, The University of Southern Mississippi. (2013 - 2014).

Faculty Advisor, Criminal Justice Student Association, The University of Southern Mississippi. (2013 - 2014).

Committee Member, Faculty Search Committee, The University of Southern Mississippi. (2013 - 2014).

Unit Representative, University Library, The University of Southern Mississippi. (2013 - 2014).

Faculty Academic Advisor, The University of Southern Mississippi. (2012 - 2014).

Professional Service

Workshop Organizer, American Society of Criminology. (2016).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Deviant Behavior. (2016).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Journal of Criminal Justice and the Law. (2016).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Youth and Society. (2016).

Session Chair, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Orlando, Florida. (2015).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Crime and Delinquency. (2015).

Workshop Organizer, American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, California. (2014).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Youth and Society. (2014).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Criminal Justice Policy Review. (2012).

Program Chair, American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, California. (2010).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Journal of Criminal Justice and Popular Culture. (2010).

Public/Community Service

Board Member, The Rock Foundation, Greeley, Colorado. (August 2015 - Present).

DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES ATTENDED

Workshop, "ALI," University of Northern Colorado. (August 2014 - December 2016).

Teaching Academy Online, "TAO," University of Northern Colorado. (February 2016 - May 2016).

Workshop, "Academic Assessment Workshop," Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Denver, Colorado. (March 28, 2016).

Seminar, "Seminar in Writing and Speaking Pedagogy Workshop." (2014).

Workshop, "Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (ACJS) SAGE Junior Faculty Professional Teaching Workshop." (2013).

Seminar, "Scientific Teaching Seminar," Learning Enhancement Center at the University of Southern Mississippi. (2012).

Workshop, "Foundations of Meta-Analysis: Quantitative Training Program of Psychology and the Center for Research Methods and Data Analysis," The University of Kansas Summer Institutes. (2011).

Continuing Education Program, "service Learning 101: Using service learning in the classroom effectively," University of Nebraska – Omaha. (2010).

Conference Attendance, "Qualitative Research Methodology and Analysis: American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting." (2008).

Workshop, "Writing Across the Curriculum (WAC): Dr. Nora Bacon." (2008).

"Using the Newspapers in the Classroom Effectively in the Classroom," Dr. Carolyn Thompson: University of Tennessee. (2007).

"When "Smart" Students Fail: Emotional Intelligence and Academic Success." (2007).

AWARDS AND HONORS

Teaching

Nominated for: HSS Diversity in the Classroom Award, College of Humanities and Social Sciences. (November 2017).

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Colorado Organization for Victim Assistance. (2005 - Present).

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. (1994 - Present).

American Society of Criminology. (1994 - Present).