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**Dissertation** Title: Smart Sentencing: A Look At The Differential Effects Of Prisons And Jails

### EDUCATION

University of Maryland, College Park

**Ph.D. in Criminology and Criminal Justice (In Progress)**

**2010-Present**

Areas of Interest: Research Methods, Statistical Analysis, Death Penalty, Violence, Theory

University at Albany, SUNY

**M.A. in Criminal Justice**

**2009-2010**

University at Albany, SUNY

**B.A. Criminal Justice and Political Science**

**2005-2008**

Areas of Concentration: Criminology and Criminal Justice

Minor: Mathematics

### WORK EXPERIENCE

American University

**2015-Present**

**Term Faculty**

Department: Justice, Law, and Criminology

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Teaching Assistant to Profess Ray Paternoster in "Statistics for Criminology and Criminal Justice"**

**Fall 2010**

Taught a discussion every week on related material from class, met with students individually when needed, graded exams, and prepared review material

**Teaching Assistant to Profess Dave Mazeika in "Statistics for Criminology and Criminal Justice"**

**Spring 2011**

Taught a discussion every week on related material from class, met with students individually when needed, graded exams, and prepared review material

**Instructor for CCJS 100 "Introduction to Criminal Justice"**

**Summer 2013**

Taught the summer course covering topics including crime, crime measurement, courts and sentencing, corrections, and police, as well as various criminal justice issues ranging from gun control to the death penalty.

**Instructor for JLC 205 and CCJS 105 "Introduction to Criminology"**

**Fall 2014; 2016 & 2017**

Taught the Freshman Connection course which covered the main criminological theories as well as less conventional theories. The course also tied criminological theory to public policy.

**Instructor for JLC 104 "Introduction to Systems of Justice"**

**Fall 2016 & 2017**

Taught on topics relating to police, courts, corrections, and alternative topics such as juvenile delinquency, drugs, and the death penalty. Issues involving criminal justice such as race and crime were discussed relating to each of these areas.

**Instructor for JLC 416/617 "Victimology"**

**Fall 2016 & 2017**

Taught on various topics in victimology including the history of the field, how perceptions of victims have changed, and various topics surrounding victims from issues of sexual assault, bullying, and indirect victimization experiences, for example.

**Instructor for JLC 681 "Research Methods II"**

**Spring 2016 & 2017**

A graduate level statistics course that covers the basic of statistics from measures of central tendency and dispersion up to an including Ordinary Least Squares and Logistic Regression. The course concludes with the production of an original research design and paper.

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

**Research Assistant to Kiminori Nakamura**

August 2011-July-2015

Work on research related to a National Institute of Justice Grant rewarded to Dr. Nakamura using data from the Pennsylvania Department of Corrections and Pennsylvania State Police.

Office of Sex Offender Management, NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services

**Student Assistant at New York State Division of Criminal Justice**

May 2008 -December 2008

Assisted on Projects that range from data-entry to research;  
Used Access to create databases; Lengthy literature review on sex offender management;  
Up-to-date knowledge on New York State Sex Offender Laws

**Intern at Albany County Department of Probation**

August 2007-December2007

Predominantly worked in the Sex Offender unit; Assisted in home visits;  
Completed violations of probation and arrest warrants;  
Aided in daily probation duties; Experienced working with various units;  
Familiarity with the administration of processing arrests

## PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

Maltz, Michael & Kathleen Frey. (2013). How significant is the history of statistics to the study of crime and criminal justice? *Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice*.

Hodwitz, Omi & Kathleen Frey. Anomic Suicide: A Durkheimian Analysis of European Normlessness. (2016) *Sociological Spectrum*. 36(4): 236-254.

Namamura, K. & Kathleen Frey (Working Paper). Effects of Halfway Houses on Parole Recidivism: Conceptual and Empirical Evaluation.

## PRESENTATIONS

American Society of Criminology 2010; *Distributive Justice and the Murder of Police Officers*

American Society of Criminology 2012; *Anomic Suicide: A Durkheimian Analysis of European Normlessness*.

American Society of Criminology 2013: *Crisis, Declassification, and Collective Conscience: Durkheim in Contemporary Context*

American Society of Criminology 2014: *Retributive Prejudice: The Relationship between Racial Threat and Punitive Orientation*

American Society of Criminology 2015: *Recidivism in Prisons and Jails: What Works?*

American Society of Criminology 2016: *The Effects of Punishment on Recidivism: A Quasi-Experimental Approach; In Event: Reentry, Employment, and Work*

## MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Criminology

2010-Present

American Sociological Association

2013-Present

## SERVICE

Deans Graduate Student Advisory Committee

2013-2014 Academic Year

Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice Social Events Coordinator

2013-2014 Academic Year

Education Policy Committee

2016-Present

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

University of Maryland Statistical Applications in Criminology and Criminal Justice

Stanford Online Courses

-Game Theory (Spring 2012)