

## **CURRICULUM VITA**

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### **ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

- 1982            Ph.D., Sociology, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO. Dissertation:  
"Measurement Error in Survey Research: An Examination of Interviewer  
Effects Upon Adolescent Respondents in a National Youth Survey."
- 1976            M.A., Sociology, Tufts University, Medford, MA. Thesis: "Birth Order and  
Its Implications for Treatment Alternatives for Delinquent Youth."
- 1973            B.A., magna cum laude, German and Sociology, Tufts University, Medford,  
MA.

### **AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Youth Violence  
Evaluation Research

Juvenile Delinquency  
Research Methodology

### **TEACHING POSITIONS**

- 2009-present    Chairperson: Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of  
Missouri-St. Louis.
- 2001-present    E. Desmond Lee Professor of Youth Crime and Violence: Department of  
Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Missouri-St. Louis.
- 1994-2001        Professor: Department of Criminal Justice, University of Nebraska at Omaha.
- 1992-1994        Associate Professor: Department of Criminal Justice, University of Nebraska at  
Omaha.
- 1989-1992        Visiting Lecturer: Department of Sociology and Department of Continuing  
Education, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.

- 1982-1986 Assistant Professor: Department of Criminal Justice and Department of Sociology, Western Carolina University, Cullowhee, NC.
- 1979-1982 Instructor: Department of Sociology, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.
- 1979 Instructor: Department of Sociology, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, CO.
- 1977-1978 Teaching Assistant: Department of Sociology, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.

### **GRANTS and RESEARCH POSITIONS**

- 2006-2012 Principal Investigator: Process and Outcome Evaluation of G.R.E.A.T. Funded by the National Institute of Justice, \$2,497,585.
- 2003-2009 Principal Investigator: Evaluation of Teens, Crime, and the Community Program and Community Works Training. Funded by the National Institute of Justice, \$1,625,274.
- 1999-2000 Principal Investigator: Youth Groups and Gangs in Europe.” Funded by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. \$14,000.
- 1994-2001 Principal Investigator: National Evaluation of the Gang Resistance Education and Training (G.R.E.A.T.) Program. Funded by the National Institute of Justice. \$1,560,000.
- 1987-1992 Research Associate: Institute of Behavioral Science, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO. During the period January 1, 1987 through June 1992, I served as an investigator on the following grants. My primary work was on the OJJDP, NIDA, and MacArthur grants. I was involved in proposal writing, designing the research, developing interview schedules, and conducting analyses. On the NIMH grant, I was involved exclusively with analyses.

Investigator: "Understanding Delinquency: A Longitudinal Multi-disciplinary Study of Developmental Patterns." Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. U. S. Department of Justice. October 1986 - September 1992. \$2,509,000.

Investigator: "Children, Youth, and Drugs: A Longitudinal Study." National Institute of Drug Abuse. June 1988 - June 1992. \$400,000.

Investigator: "The Research Program on Successful Adolescent Development" and "The Denver Neighborhood Study." The John D. Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation. January 1990 - August 1992. \$250,000.

Investigator: "The National Youth Survey." National Institute of Mental Health.

January 1990 - December 1992. \$1,600,000.

- 1980-1981 Research Analyst: Behavioral Research Institute, Boulder, CO. Evaluation of National Institute of Corrections Jail Center and National Evaluation of Juvenile Diversion Projects. Funded by the National Institute of Corrections and the National Institute of Justice.
- 1976-1977 Research Associate: Department of Psychology, Catholic University, Washington, D.C. Evaluation Study of Berkshire County House of Corrections, Pittsfield, MA. Funded by the National Institute of Corrections.
- 1975-1976 Research Assistant: Systems Evaluations Research Corporation, Denver, CO. Study of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Among Minorities.
- 1974 Research Assistant: Center for Criminal Justice, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA. Evaluation of the De-Institutionalization of the Massachusetts Department of Youth Services. Funded by the Department of Justice.

## BOOKS

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Stephen E. Brown, **Finn-Aage Esbensen**, and Gilbert Geis. 2010. *Criminology: Explaining Crime and Its Context. 7th Edition*. Newark, NJ: LexisNexis. (Previous editions published in 2007, 2004, 2001, 1998, 1996, 1991.)

**Finn-Aage Esbensen**, Stephen G. Tibbetts, Larry Gaines. 2004. *American Youth Gangs at the Millennium*. Long Grove, IL: Waveland Press. **(2004 Choice Award)**

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Lee Slocum, Terrance J. Taylor, Bradley T. Brick, and **Finn-Aage Esbensen**. Forthcoming November 2010. "The Effect of Neighborhood Structural Characteristics and Individual-Level Attitudes and Experiences on Youth's Crime Reporting Intentions." *Criminology* 48: 1063-1100.

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Recipient: 1992 Outstanding Paper Award. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences.

**Finn-Aage Esbensen** and David Huizinga. 1991. "Juvenile Victimization and Delinquency." *Youth and Society* 23:202-228.

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David Huizinga, **Finn-Aage Esbensen**, and Anne W. Weiher. 1991. "Are There Multiple Paths to Delinquency?" *Journal of Criminal Law and Criminology* 82:83-118.

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Editorial Advisory Board Member:

*Justice Quarterly*, 2010 – 2012.

*Youth and Society*, 2006 – 2012.

*European Journal of Criminology*, 2002 – present.

*Crime and Delinquency*, 2001 – present.

*American Journal of Criminal Justice*, 1993 – 1996.

*Criminal Justice Review*, 1984 – 1998.

*Social Science Journal*, 1985 – 1987.

## **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION ACTIVITY**

### **American Society of Criminology**

Member, 1982 – present

Executive Counselor, 2002-2005

Chair, Student Affairs Committee, 2009

Chair, Student Awards Committee, 1993

Member, Publications Committee, 2009 - 2011

Member, Program Committee, 1995, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2010

Member, Ruth Cavan Young Scholar Award Committee, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2001  
 Member, Methods Workshop Committee, 2011  
 Member, Ethics Committee, 2002  
 Member, Student Affairs Committee, 2007  
 Member, Division of International Criminology, 1984-2009  
 Member, Division on Women and Crime, 1987-1998

#### **Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences**

Member, 1982 – present  
 Chair: Publications Committee, 1992  
 Chair: Annual Program Committee, 1989  
 Chair: International Criminal Justice Committee, 1986-1988  
 Deputy Chair: Annual Program Committee, 1988  
 Member, William Simon Outstanding Paper Award Committee, 2011  
 Member, Publications Committee, 2002  
 Member, Awards Committee, 1994, 1996  
 Member, Program Committee, 1986, 1987  
 Member, International Criminal Justice Committee, 1985-1986

#### **Western Society of Criminology**

Member, 1995 – present  
 Executive Counselor, 2002 – 2003; 2007-2010  
 Chair, Awards Committee, 2007-2009  
 Member, Annual Program Committee, 2002, 2007, 2008, 2009

#### **Southern Criminal Justice Association**

Member, 1982 - 1988  
 Chair, Long Range Planning Committee, 1986-87  
 Second Vice-President, 1986-1987  
 Member, Awards Committee, 1985-1986

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Chancellor's Award for Outstanding Research and Creativity. University of Missouri-St. Louis. 2010.

Recipient of the William L. Simon Outstanding Paper Award from the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, 2010 (co-authors Chris Melde and Terrance J. Taylor).

President's Award (for contributions to the field of Criminology and positive influence on the current president's career), Western Society of Criminology, February 2009.

Paul Tappan Award (for outstanding contribution to the field of Criminology) Western Society of Criminology, February, 2005.

Outstanding Academic Title list by *Choice Magazine* for *American Youth Gangs at the Millennium* (co-edited with Stephen Tibbetts and Larry Gaines), January 2005.

Fellow Award (award to individuals generally associated with the Western region who have made important contributions to the field of criminology), Western Society of Criminology, (2002)

Recipient of the Award for Distinguished Research or Creative Activity, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000.

Recipient of the Anderson Outstanding Paper Award for paper presented at the 1992 Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, (1993) (co-authors David Huizinga and Anne Weiher).

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