

Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. 2007 Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Maryland at College Park
Dissertation: General Strain Theory and Stability in Offending and Substance Use over Time:
A Dynamic Approach
Dissertation Chair: Sally S. Simpson
- M.A. 2004 Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Maryland at College Park
Master's Thesis: A Test of General Strain Theory Using a Sample of Incarcerated Women: An
Examination of Temporal Ordering, Recency, Duration, Clustering, and Accumulation.
- B.A. 1997 Sociology and Biology, with Honors
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

2007—Present Assistant Professor, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of
Missouri, St. Louis

RESEARCH MANUSCRIPTS

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Morris, Nancy, and Lee Ann Slocum. Forthcoming. Estimating country level terrorism trends using
group-based trajectory analysis: A comparison of latent class growth analysis and general
mixture modeling. *Journal of Quantitative Criminology* (expected publication: March 2012).
- Berg, Mark, Lee Ann Slocum, and Rolf Loeber. Forthcoming. Illegal behavior and police reporting
by victims of violence. *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*.
- Slocum, Lee Ann, Andres F. Rengifo, and Kristin Carbone-Lopez. Forthcoming. Specifying the
strain-violence link: The role of emotions in women's use of violence. *Victims and Offenders*
(expected publication: January 2012).
- Owens, Jennifer G., and Lee Ann Slocum. Forthcoming. Moffitt's developmental taxonomy and
abstainers: An exploration of characteristics that distinguish abstainers from offenders. *Crime
& Delinquency*.
- Slocum, Lee Ann, Sally S. Simpson, Alison E. Hipwell, and Rolf Loeber. 2011. Young girls' and
caretakers' reports of problem behavior: Comprehension and concordance across age, race,
and behavior. *Youth & Society* 43(3): 1010 – 1040.

- Slocum, Lee Ann, Terrance J. Taylor, Bradley T. Brick, and Finn-Aage Esbensen. 2010. Neighborhood structural characteristics, individual-level attitudes, and youths' crime reporting intentions. *Criminology* 48(4):1063 - 1100.
- Slocum, Lee Ann. 2010. General Strain Theory and the development of stressors and substance use over time: An empirical examination. *Journal of Criminal Justice* 38(6): 1100-1112.
- Morris, Nancy and Lee Ann Slocum. 2010. The validity of self-reported prevalence, frequency and timing of arrest: An evaluation of data collected using a life events calendar. *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency* 47:210-240. Authors listed alphabetically.
- Slocum, Lee Ann. 2010. General Strain Theory and continuity in offending over time: Assessing and extending GST explanations of persistence. *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice* 26:204-223.
- Bushway, Shawn, Brian Johnson, and Lee Ann Slocum. 2007. Is the magic still there? The use of the Heckman two-step correction for selection bias in criminology. *Journal of Quantitative Criminology* 23:151-78. Authors listed alphabetically.
- Slocum, Lee Ann, Sally Simpson, and Douglas Smith. 2005. Strained lives and crime: Examining within-individual variation in strain and offending in a sample of incarcerated women. *Criminology* 43:1067-109.

GOVERNMENT REPORTS

- Weisman, Stephanie A., Shannon C. Womer, Melissa A. Kellstrom, Sean L. Bryner, Amy Kahler, Lee Ann Slocum and Denise C. Gottfredson, 2002. *Maryland After School Community Grant Program, Report on the 2001-2002 School Year Evaluation of the Phase 3 After School Programs*. Technical report available from lead author.

FUNDING

- Co-Investigator with Andres Rengifo (PI). "Dynamics of Crime, Order, and Disorder." UMSL Research Award. Start date: June 1, 2010 (\$39,517).

UMSL Office of Research Administration Travel Grant. November 2010 (\$1,000)

- Co-Investigator with Andres Rengifo (PI). "Aggregation Issues and the Association between Signs of Disorder and Crime." UMSL Research Award. Start date: June 1, 2008 (\$12,333).

UMSL Small Grant Award to attend ICPSR class, "Longitudinal Data Analysis with Stata". June 2008.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2010 Morris, Nancy A., and Lee Ann Slocum. Applying Latent Class Growth Analysis and Growth Mixture Modeling to Terrorism Data: Preliminary Findings. Invited Presentation as part of the Department of Economics Vandever Seminar Series at Southern Illinois University Carbondale, Carbondale, IL (October 21).
- 2010 Morris, Nancy A., and Lee Ann Slocum. Applying Latent Class Growth Analysis and Growth Mixture Modeling to Terrorism Data: Preliminary Findings. Invited Presentation at the Symposium

on Quantitative Methods and the Study of Terrorism at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York, New York, NY (October 8).

- 2008 Slocum, Lee Ann, Kristin Carbone-Lopez, and Andres Rengifo. Specifying the Strain-Violence Link. Presented at the Presidential Plenary session for the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in St. Louis, MO (November 13th).
- 2005 Johnson, Brian D., Shawn Bushway, and Lee Ann Slocum. Selection Bias in Criminological Research: Problems, Prospects, and the Relevance of the Heckman Two-Step Correction. Invited presentation at the 1st Annual Crime and Economics Summer Symposium, Belmont Conference Center, Elkridge, MD (June).
- 2004 Slocum, Lee Ann. Models and Muddles: A Test of General Strain Theory. Presented at the Brownbag Seminar on the Research Process at the University of Maryland, Department of Criminology (September).
- 2003 Simpson, Sally and Lee Ann Slocum. Women's Pathways to Jail: Lessons from a Life Event Calendar. Presented to the Gender, Work, and Family Seminar at the University of Maryland, College Park (October).

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND PAPERS

- 2010 Slocum, Lee Ann, Terrance J. Taylor, and Finn-Aage Esbensen. Contextual Determinants of Youths' Willingness to Report. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in San Francisco, CA (November 19th).
- 2009 Rengifo, Andres, and Lee Ann Slocum. Does the level of aggregation matter? Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Philadelphia, PA (November 4th).
- 2009 Owens, Jennifer, and Lee Ann Slocum. Moffitt's developmental taxonomy of abstainers: An exploration of characteristics that distinguish abstainers from offenders. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Philadelphia, PA (November 4th).
- 2009 Rengifo, Andres, and Lee Ann Slocum. Streets, blocks and census tracts: Specifying the ecology of the disorder-crime link. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the European Society of Criminology in Ljubljana, Slovenia (September 11th).
- 2009 Slocum, Lee Ann, Bradley Brick, Terrance J. Taylor, and Finn-Aage Esbensen. Factors Influencing Youths' Willingness to Report Crimes: Differences by Race and Ethnicity. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Western Society of Criminology in San Diego, CA (February 6th).
- 2008 Slocum, Lee, and Brian D. Johnson. Race Differences in Stressor Exposure and Illegal Behavior: Birth through Adulthood. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in St. Louis, MO (November 13th).
- 2007 Slocum, Lee Ann. General Strain Theory and Stability in Substance Use over Time: A Dynamic Approach. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Atlanta, GA (November 15th).
- 2006 Simpson, Sally S., Carole E. Gibbs, and Lee Ann Slocum. Why Do Managers Comply? Comparing Predictors of Corporate Anti- and Pro-Social Behavior. Paper presented by Sally Simpson at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Los Angeles, CA (November 2nd).

- 2004 Slocum, Lee Ann, and Nancy Morris. Do Time-Varying and Offender Characteristics Affect the Accuracy of Self-Report Life Event Calendar Data? Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Nashville, TN (November).
- 2003 Slocum, Lee Ann, and Nancy Morris. Validity of Life Event Calendars. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Denver, CO (November).
- 2002 Slocum, Lee Ann, and Sally S. Simpson. A Test of General Strain Theory Using Incarcerated Women: An Examination of Causal Ordering, Recency and Clustering. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Chicago, IL (November).

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

- 2009 Morris, Nancy A., and Lee Ann Slocum. Applying Latent Class Analysis and Growth Mixture Modeling to Terrorism Data: Issues and Implications. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Philadelphia, PA (November).
- 2006 Slocum, Lee Ann. The Childhood Origins of Adolescent Stressful Life Experiences. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Los Angeles, CA (November).
- 2005 Slocum, Lee Ann and Sally S. Simpson. The Interactive and Main Effects of Childhood Stressful Experiences on Short-Term Changes in Offending. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Toronto, Canada (November).
- 2004 Slocum, Lee Ann, Sally S. Simpson, and Douglas Smith. The Conditioning Effects of Strain in a High Risk Population: A Dynamic Test of General Strain Theory. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Nashville, TN (November).

AWARDS & HONORS

- 2009 Gerald and Deanne Gitner Excellence in Teaching Award
- 2004 – 2007 Pre-doctoral Fellow for the National Consortium for Violence Research
- 2005 Travel award to attend the National Longitudinal Survey of Youth users' workshop at The Ohio State University
- 2001 – Present Alpha Phi Sigma National Criminal Justice Honor Society
- 1997 Howard W. Odum Undergraduate Sociology Award
- 1996 – Present Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society
- 1993 – 1997 Dean's List at University of North Carolina—four semesters
- 1996 Maryland Troopers' Association Scholarship Award
- 1994 Maryland Troopers' Association Scholarship Award
- 1993 Maryland Troopers' Association Scholarship Award

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Graduate Courses Taught

The Nature of Crime (Fall 2008, Fall 2010)

Statistical Applications in Criminology and Criminal Justice (Spring 2010, Spring 2011)

Independent Study (2008 – 2011, 5 graduate students, 18 credit hours)

Undergraduate Courses Taught

Statistical Analysis for Criminal Justice and Criminology (Summer 2005, 2006; Fall 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011; Spring 2008, 2009, 2010)

Theories of Crime (Spring 2008)

Senior Seminar in Criminology and Criminal Justice (Fall 2011)
Independent Study (2008 – 2009, 4 undergraduate students, 13 credit hours)

Dissertation Committees

Bradley Brick (member, completed Fall 2009)
Michele Stacey (member, completed Summer 2010)
Dena Carson (member, completed Summer 2011)
Andrea Nichols (member, anticipated completion Fall 2011)

MA Thesis Committees

Theron Jackson (member, completed Spring 2011)
Jacob Perkins, Sociology (member)

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2005 – 2007 Managing Editor, *Criminology*

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2008 – 2009 Western Society of Criminology
2006 – Present Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences
2001 – Present American Society of Criminology and the Division on Women and Crime
2001 – Present American Sociological Association and the Division on Crime, Law and Deviance
2002 – 2007 Maryland Population Research Center, University of Maryland

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2011 ASC Student Affairs Committee member
2010 ASC Program Committee Area Chair (Causes of Crime and Criminal Behavior: Micro-social Perspectives—Learning, Control, Strain, Rational Choice)
2010 Session Chair for ASC Annual Meeting
2010 ASC Student Awards Committee Member
2009 Panel Co-Organizer for the American Sociological Association session on Communities and Crime
2009 Sub-Area Chair for the American Society of Criminology Program Committee (Race/Ethnicity, Class, Gender and Criminal Justice Policy)
2009 Session Chair for Western Society of Criminology Annual Meeting
2008 Chair of the American Society of Criminology Outstanding Paper Award Committee
2008 Member of the American Society of Criminology Local Arrangements Committee

Reviewer for *Criminology*; *British Journal of Sociology*; *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*; *Social Problems*; *The Sociological Quarterly*; *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology*; *Western Criminology Review*; *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice*; *World Journal of Pediatrics*; and *Criminal Justice: An International Journal of Policy and Practice*

UNIVERSITY AND DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

2010 – Present UMSL College of Arts and Sciences Undergraduate Statistics Review Committee
2009 – Present UMSL CCJ Comprehensive Exam Committee Member
2008 – Present UMSL CCJ Grade Grievance Committee Member
2007 – Present Guest speaker for UMSL CCJ Graduate Student Professional Development Brownbag Series
“Comprehensive Exams” (February 4, 2011)
“Comprehensive Exams and Dissertation” (September 10, 2010)
“Balancing Work and Life” (March 19, 2010)
“Comprehensive Exams and Dissertation” (September 12, 2009)

“Publishing in Academic Journals” (October 2008)
“Surviving the Job Market” (April 18, 2008)
2002 – 2003 Graduate Student Representative, University of Maryland

COMMUNITY WORK

2003 – 2006 Mentor for graduate students entering the Criminology program at the University of Maryland
1998 – 1999 Americorps tutor in Baltimore City
1998 – 1999 Nurturing Center volunteer in a Baltimore City elementary school
1999 Reading tutor at Camp Imoja and Julie Community Center day camp in Baltimore
1996 Intern at Child Support and Enforcement Agency of North Carolina

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Offending over the life course, strain, ecological approaches to studying problem behavior, macro-micro integration, and research methods