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EDUCATION

Doctoral Student, Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Missouri – St. Louis: In Progress

Master of Arts, Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Missouri – St. Louis: 2025

Master of Science, Criminal Justice and Public Safety
Paul H. O'Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs
Indiana University Purdue University – Indianapolis: 2020

Thesis Title: Biases and their Effect on Judicial Overrides for Juvenile Risk
Assessments: A focus on Gender and Race/Ethnicity. Committee: Dena Carson (chair),
Eric Grommon, and Crystal Garcia.

Bachelor of Science, Criminal Justice; Minor in Psychology
Indiana University Purdue University – Indianapolis: 2017

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Punishment, Offender Re-entry, Drug Courts and Rehabilitation, Mass Incarceration and
Supervision, Drug Offender Policy

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2025-Present Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Rebecca Lennox, University of Missouri – St.
Louis

2024-Present Research Assistant, Dr. Hsun-Ta Hsu, University of North Carolina

2024-Present Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Chris Sullivan, University of Missouri – St.
Louis

2023-Present Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Lee Slocum, University of Missouri – St. Louis

2022-2023 Research Assistant, IUPUI. Long-Term Follow-Up of the National Evaluation of
Gang Resistance Education and Training Project. Funded by the National Institute
of Justice awarded to Michigan State University. Subcontracted to IUPUI. Co-PI:
Dena Carson

Tasks included: open-source data collection from federal prisons and state prisons
in seven states.

- 2018-2020 Graduate Research Assistant, IUPUI, Quasi-Experimental Evaluation of the “This is (Not) About Drugs” (TINAD) Program. Contract with Overdose Lifeline. PI: Dena Carson
O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs
- Tasks included: Manual data entry and coding within Microsoft Excel, utilized SPSS to analyze data, synthesized multiple articles and research data, prepared manuscript for publication, and implemented bivariate and qualitative analysis techniques to analyze data
- 2016 Undergraduate Research Assistant, IUPUI, Bradley Ray
O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs
- Tasks included: Manual data entry and coding within Microsoft Excel and Utilized offender database for offender lookup and cross referencing
- 2015-2016 Undergraduate Research Assistant, IUPUI, Think Scientist, Think: Stereotypes of women scientists may be more positive than we think. PI: Margaret Stockdale
School of Science; Psychology
- Tasks included: Utilized Qualtrics database for survey data, compiled raw survey data for analysis, coded raw survey data, and synthesized data for academic presentation

GRANT EXPERIENCE

- 2023 Graduate Research Assistant
Safety and Justice Challenge and Research Consortium: A Multi-Method Approach to Redefining Public Safety
Principal Investigator: Dr. Lee Ann Slocum
Funding provided by the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation
- 2024 Graduate Research Assistant
Understanding and Refining Violence Intervention Implementation: St. Louis (MO) as a Crucial Case
Principal Investigators: Dr. Chris Sullivan, Dr. Lee Ann Slocum, and Kiley Bednar
Funding provided by the National Institute of Justice

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2021 Carson, Dena C. and **Emelyne B. Lane**. A quasi-experimental evaluation of a school-based prescription opioid misuse education program. *Journal of Drug Education* 50: 84-97. DOI: 10.1177/00472379211072857

Reports

- 2023 Lee Ann Slocum, Claire Greene, Beth M. Huebner, Kiley Bednar, Adriano Udani, Robert Boxerman, Sarah Kirk, Konstadina Spanoudakis, Hayden Steingrubby, Elizabeth Lyne, & **Emelyne Lane**. “Redefining Community Safety in Three U.S. Counties.” Safety and Justice Challenge – *Supported by the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation*.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 Lee Slocum, **Emelyne Lane**, Claire Green, Konstadina Spanoudakis, and Beth Huebner. “‘While That is a Crime to You, That’s Work for Me.’ An Exploration of How System-Impacted Individuals Conceptualize Safety.” Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.
- 2023 **Emelyne Lane** and Dena C. Carson. “Biases and their Effect on Practitioner Overrides for Juvenile Risk Assessments: A focus on Gender and Race/Ethnicity.” Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2019 Dena C. Carson and **Emelyne Lane**. “A Quasi-Experimental Evaluation of a School-based Prescription Opioid Misuse Education Program.” Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.
- 2016 Margaret S. Stockdale, **Emelyne Lane**, and Sarah Commiskey. “Think Scientist, Think ?: Understanding the Bias Against Female Scientists.” Presented at the Annual Mid-America Undergraduate Psychology Research Conference. Richmond, IN.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2024 **Graduate Teaching Assistant**
University of Missouri – St. Louis — Crime Prevention; Undergraduate
- 2023 **Graduate Teaching Assistant**
University of Missouri – St. Louis — White Collar Crime; Undergraduate
- 2018-2020 **Teaching Assistant**
O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs — Theoretical Foundations of Criminal Justice Policies; Undergraduate
- 2019 **Teaching Assistant**
O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs — Juvenile Justice; Undergraduate

AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2024 University of Missouri – St. Louis,
Individual Conference Grant: \$1,200
- 2023 University of Missouri – St. Louis,
Individual Conference Grant: \$1,000
- 2018 - 2020 Indiana University Purdue University – Indianapolis
O’Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs Graduate Assistantship
Scholarship: Tuition remission and \$10,000 annually
- 2013 – 2017 Indiana University Purdue University – Indianapolis
Dean of Faculties Scholarship Award: \$16,000 annually
- 2014 Indiana University Purdue University – Indianapolis
University College Scholarship Award: \$1,500

SERVICE

Department Service

- 2025 – Present Vice President: Graduate Student Association – Department of
Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Missouri – St. Louis
- 2024 – Present Peer Mentor: Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Missouri – St. Louis
- 2024 – 2025 Treasurer: Graduate Student Association – Department of Criminology
and Criminal Justice
University of Missouri – St. Louis
- 2023 – Present Member: Graduate Student Association – Department of Criminology and
Criminal Justice
University of Missouri – St. Louis

Journal Service

- 2025 Reviewer: *Journal of Criminal Justice*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- 2019 – Present American Society of Criminology
- 2024 – Present Law and Society Association