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EDUCATION

In Progress	Doctoral Student, Criminology and Criminal Justice University of Missouri-St. Louis Anticipated Graduation for PhD: Spring 2027
December 2023	Master of Arts Degree in Criminology & Criminal Justice University of Missouri-St. Louis
December 2020	Bachelor of Arts Degrees in Sociology, Criminology, Law and Justice; Minor in Psychology

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Corrections policy, correctional officer deviance and decision making, applied quantitative and qualitative methodologies.

PUBLICATIONS

Spanoudakis, K., Huebner, B. M., Garcia-Hallett, J., Inzana, V., Givens, A., & Canada, K. E. (2024). The New Age Worker: Morale and Strain Among Staff During a Correctional Staffing Crisis. *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice*, 10439862241272310.

Slocum L.E., Greene C., Huebner B. M., Udani A., **Spanoudakis K.** “Centering Community in the Conceptualization and Measurement of Safety: A Mixed-Method Approach. *Justice Quarterly*, 1–31. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07418825.2024.2446770>

Lambert E.G., Spanoudakis K., Elechi, O., Otu S. “Building Test: Exploring How Workplace Demands and Resources are Related to Organizational Trust Views of Staff at a Nigeria Prison” Submitted to Criminal Justice Policy Review.

Non-Peer-Reviewed Publications

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 Public Safety in Three US Counties” (2023). Report as part of the *MacArthur Safety and Justice Challenge*

Konstadina Spanoudakis “Exploring Private Probation Practices in the State of Missouri” (2024). Report as part of a larger project by *Empower Missouri*

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2024-2025	Exploring 911 practices and calls in St. Louis MO, Tuscon AZ, Baton Rouge LA, Charleston SC, Pennington SD
2023-2024	Exploring Private Probation Practices in Missouri-In partnership with <i>Empower Missouri</i>
2023	Contraband and Corruption among Correctional Staff Personal Project, Full IRB approval
2022-Present	Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Lee Ann Slocum University of Missouri-St. Louis
2022	Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Beth Huebner University of Missouri-St. Louis
2020-2021	Undergraduate Research Assistant- Fellow at the Public Policy Center University of Iowa
2020	Undergraduate Research Trainee under Dr. Marina Zaloznaya University of Iowa
2020	Undergraduate Research Assistant for Dr. Yongren Shi University of Iowa
2019-2020	Undergraduate Research Assistant- Center for the Study of Group Processes University of Iowa

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Missouri-St. Louis

Fall 2023	Graduate Teaching Assistant CRIMIN: 2260 Corrections
Spring 2023	Graduate Teaching Assistant CRIMIN: 4325 Gender, Crime and Justice CRIMIN: 4390 Senior Seminar in Policing CRIMIN: 2260 Corrections

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University of Iowa Spring 2021	Graduate Teaching Assistant CRIM: 1147 Intro to the Criminal Justice System
Fall and Spring 2020	Undergraduate Teaching Assistant CRIM: 4420 Criminal Punishment CRIM: 3420 Juvenile Delinquency

Mentoring

Directed Readings CRIMIN 6485: Independent Study Advisor-MA student: Brooke Anderson

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2021-2022	Correctional Officer at Lebanon Correctional Institution, Lebanon, Ohio
2018	Psychology Intern at the Iowa Medical and Classification Center, Coralville, Iowa

GRANT EXPERIENCE

2024	Graduate Research Assistant <i>Exploring 911 practices and calls in St. Louis MO, Tuscon AZ, Baton Rouge LA, Charleston SC, Pennington SD</i> Principal Investigators: Dr. Lee Ann Slocum, Dr. Joseph Schafer, Dr. Beth Hubner Funding provided by the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation
2023	Graduate Research Assistant <i>Safety and Justice Challenge and Research Consortium: A Multi-Method Approach to Redefining Public Safety</i> Principal Investigator: Dr. Lee Ann Slocum Funding provided by the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2023	“The New Age Worker: Morale and Strain among Staff during a Correctional Staffing Crisis”-American Society of Criminology Conference, November 2023
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“Conceptualizing the Meaning of Safety: Exploring Individual and Community Differences-American Society of Criminology Conference, November 2023

"Safety looks like the bottom of Maslow's hierarchy of needs": Exploring how diverse stakeholders conceptualize community safety- American Society of Criminology Conference, November 2023

GUEST LECTURES

2024	“Experiences Working in a Maximum-Security Prison” Webster University-Prison Course
2023, 2024	“Experiences Working in a Maximum-Security Prison” John Jay College of Criminal Justice-Gender, Crime and Justice course

HONORS AND AWARDS

2022	UMSL Department of Criminology Internal Research Funding: \$500
2020	Undergraduate Research Fellow, Public Policy Center
2020	Academic All-Big Ten, University of Iowa
2020	Big Ten Distinguished Scholar, University of Iowa
2017, 2019, 2020	Deans List Student, University of Iowa

DEPARTMENTAL COMMITMENT

2024	President- Graduate Student Association
2023	Treasurer-Graduate Student Association
2023, 2024	Equity Committee Member-Department of Criminology Criminal Justice

TECHNICAL SKILLS AND PROFICIENCIES

- Multivariate regression modeling
- Field interviewing
- Media/content analysis
- Qualitative methods
Stata, SPSS, MaxQDA, Excel, GIS(Beginner)

LANGUAGES

Greek: Native language
English: Native-Bilingual

