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EMPLOYMENT

2020-present University of Missouri-St. Louis, Assistant Professor

EDUCATION

2020 Ph.D., The Pennsylvania State University, Criminology

2016 M.A., The Pennsylvania State University, Criminology

2014 B.A., Indiana University, Sociology with Honors, Highest Distinction

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Crime Trends, Communities and Crime, Delinquency, Life Course

FUNDING AND AWARDS

2019-2020 Harry Frank Guggenheim Dissertation Fellowship, \$20,000

2019 Graduate Student Achievement Award in Criminology

2015 Center for Life Course and Longitudinal Studies Graduate Student Summer Supplement, \$1,500

2014 Hutton Honors College Thesis Award

2014 Ulysses Grant Weatherly Award for Best Undergraduate Paper

2014 Hutton Honors College Research Grant, \$1,200

PUBLICATIONS

Baumer, Eric, Kelsey Cundiff and Liying Luo. "The contemporary transformation of American youth: An analysis of changes in crime prevalence, 1991-2015." *R&R at Criminology*.

Cundiff, Kelsey. "Colleges and Community Crime: An Analysis of Campus Proximity and Community Crime Rates." *Conditional Accept at Crime and Delinquency*

Staff, Jeremy, Alyssa Yetter, Kelsey Cundiff, Nayan Ramirez, Mike Vuolo, and Jeylan T. Mortimer. "Is Teenage Employment Still A Risk Factor For High School Dropout?" *Forthcoming at Journal of Research on Adolescence*.

Staff, Jeremy, Nayan Ramirez, and Kelsey Cundiff. 2017. "The Vanishing Teenage Worker." in *Young People's Development and the Great Recession: Uncertain Transitions and Precarious Futures*, edited by Ingrid Schoon and John Bynner. Cambridge University Press.

Staff, Jeremy, Jennifer Maggs, Kelsey Cundiff, and Rebecca J. Evans-Polce. 2016. "Childhood cigarette and alcohol use: Negative links with adjustment." *Addictive Behaviors* 62:122-128.

Manuscripts in Progress

Becker, Jacob, Patrick Cundiff, and Kelsey Cundiff. "Homicide Hot Spots in San Francisco: Changes Over Time & Space, 1849-2003." *Under Review*

Cundiff, Kelsey and Eric Baumer. "An analysis of the temporal change in adolescent alcohol use, 1991-2015."

Cundiff, Kelsey. "The Effects of Teenage Work Quality on Delinquency." *Under Review*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2018; 2019 Online Instructor, Introduction to Criminal Justice

2017 Instructor, Introduction to Criminology

2016 Instructor, Introduction to Criminal Justice

PRESENTATIONS

2018 "An Examination of the Drop in Violence Among Two Cohorts of Youth"
• Presented at the annual ASC meeting, Atlanta, GA

2017 "An Analysis of the Temporal Change in Adolescent Alcohol Use, 1991-2015"
• Presented at the annual ASC meeting, Philadelphia, PA

2017 "The Contemporary Transformation of American Youth: An Analysis of Changes in Crime Prevalence, 1991-2015"
• Roundtable discussion at the annual ASA meeting. Montreal, Quebec

2016 "The Effects of Teenage Work Quality on Delinquency"
• Presented at the annual ASC meeting. New Orleans, LA

2015 "Youth Employment's Effects on Educational Outcomes and Juvenile Delinquency"
• Presented at the annual ASC meeting. Washington, D.C.

2014 "The Effects of College Campuses on Surrounding Community Crime Rates"
• Presented at the annual ASC meeting. San Francisco, CA

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Criminology
American Sociological Association