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DIVISION OF POLICING NEWS

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From the Chair

It has been a tremendously rewarding experience to serve as the Chair of the Division of Policing (DOP) Executive Committee for the past 2-years. Along with serving as an Executive Counselor prior, I have spent 4-years with all of you and want to thank you all for the honor. As we close out the current term, I especially want to thank my fellow Executive Board members – Brenda Bond, Bill King, Chris Koper, Cynthia Lum, and Evan Sorg – for their commitment to the DOP. You have all worked hard to further our mission and uplift the importance of police scholarship and practice within the American Society of Criminology and across the field.

I am also thrilled to announce the newly elected Executive Board: Eugene Paoline (Chair), Jacinta Gau (Vice-Chair), Julie Schnobrich-Davis (Secretary/Treasurer), Brenda Bond (Executive Counselor), Jason Ingram (Executive Counselor), and Evan Sorg (Executive Counselor). Thanks to each of you for stepping up and agreeing to serve on this important Board. Having Brenda and Evan agree to



serve a second term will undoubtedly offer much institutional guidance moving forward. Please see page seven where you can find more information on the new board.

We have been preparing for the annual ASC conference in Atlanta for some time and have several exciting events planned. As further highlighted on page five, the DOP is sponsoring a roundtable on November 15th from 2:00 to 3:20 pm (Marriott, M109, Marquis Level) that will draw on the expertise of the Policy and Practice Committee with a focus on young policing scholars and engaging practitioners. Immediately following the roundtable session, we will host our annual Awards and Reception event from 3:30 to 4:50 pm (Marriott Atrium A, Atrium Level), where we will

recognize this year's award winners (see page five for further details) and enjoy food and beverages as we have a chance to gather in a casual social setting. Finally, for the first time, the DOP will also sponsor a number of student centered panels (see page six for further details). I hope you are able to attend some or all of these events.

Finally, it is with great enthusiasm to announce that we have a tentative deal in place with Emerald Publishing that will make Policing: An International Journal the official journal of the DOP. Connecting the DOP with a partner journal has been something the Executive Board has been working on for more than 3-years and we are truly excited for this to come to fruition. While details of the deal are still being worked out, this partnership will provide all DOP members access to the journal, ensure a DOP board member is on the editorial board, and offer greater visibility for both the DOP and journal.

It has been an honor and I hope to see you all in Atlanta.

William Terrill
Arizona State University

2018 Division of Policing Award Winners



Lifetime Achievement Award

Samuel Walker is Professor Emeritus of Criminal Justice at the University of Nebraska, where he taught for 31 years. He is the author of 14 books which have been published in 39 separate editions. His most recent book is the

3rd edition of *The New World of Police Accountability*, with Carol Archbold, which will be available in January. He is also the author of *Justice Department reports on Early Intervention Systems for Law*

Enforcement Agencies and Mediating Citizen Complaints Against Police Officers. In 2015 he was invited to speak to the President's Task Force on 21st Century Policing.

Distinguished Scholar Award



Eugene A. Paoline III is a Professor and Graduate Director in the Department of Criminal Justice at the University of Central Florida. His research interests include police culture, police use of force, and occupational attitudes of criminal justice practitioners. He is the author of *Rethinking Police Culture* (2001, LFB Scholarly Publishing) and *Police Culture: Adapting to the*

Strains of the Job (2014, Carolina Academic Press). He has also published numerous research articles that have appeared in a variety of peer-reviewed journals. In addition, he was a Co-Principal Investigator on a large-scale National Institute of Justice grant that examined the variation in American less lethal use of force policies and their

impact on a variety of outcomes. He is currently serving as Co-Principal Investigator on a National Institute of Justice grant that is examining the structure, operation, and effectiveness of Early Intervention (EI) systems that track problematic police behaviors.

Celebrate our award winners on Thursday, November 15th, 3:30 to 4:50 pm at the Marriott Atrium A (Atrium Level).

Outstanding Law Enforcement Practitioner Award

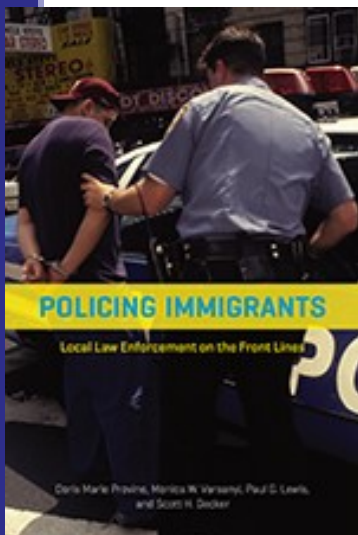


Renée J. Mitchell has served in the Sacramento Police Department for twenty years and is currently a Police Sergeant. She holds a M.A., M.B.A., J.D. and a Ph.D. in Criminology from the University of Cambridge. She was one of two 2009/2010 Fulbright Police Research

Fellows. She is a cofounder and executive committee member of the American Society of Evidence-Based Policing. She is a Police Foundation Fellow, a member of the George Mason Evidence-Based Policing Hall of Fame and a visiting scholar at the University of Cambridge. You can

find her TEDx talks “Research not protests” and “Policing Needs to Change: Trust me I’m a Cop” online where she advocates for evidence-based policing.

Outstanding Book Award



Doris Marie Provine, Monica W. Varsanyi, Paul G. Lewis, and Scott H. Decker for their book, *Policing Immigrants: Local Law Enforcement on the Front Line*. *Policing Immigrants* traces the transition of immigration enforcement from a traditionally federal power exercised primarily near the US borders to a patchwork system of local policing that extends throughout the country’s interior. Since federal authorities set local

law enforcement to the task of bringing suspected illegal immigrants to the federal government’s attention, local responses have varied. While some localities have resisted the work, others have aggressively sought out unauthorized immigrants, often seeking to further their own objectives by putting their own stamp on immigration policing. Tellingly, how a community responds can best be predicted not by

conditions like crime rates or the state of the local economy but rather by the level of conservatism among local voters. What has resulted, the authors argue, is a system that is neither just nor effective—one that threatens the core crime-fighting mission of policing by promoting racial profiling, creating fear in immigrant communities, and undermining the critical community-based function of local policing.

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Early Career Award

Cody Telep is an assistant professor in the School of Criminology and Criminal Justice at Arizona State University. He received his Ph.D. from the Department of Criminology, Law and Society at George Mason University, where he worked as a research associate at the Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy. His research focuses on synthesizing research to assess what works in policing; partnering with agencies to examine the impact of police practices on crime, disorder, and citizen perceptions of legitimacy; and

examining and increasing receptivity to research and evidence-based practice in policing. He is currently working on funded research projects on the impact of intelligence officers in Phoenix; the effects of training officers working in hot spots in four cities to use procedural justice, and the effects of police partnerships to address homelessness in Indio, CA.



Outstanding Student Paper Award

Stephen Wulff is a doctoral student in the Department of Sociology at the University of Minnesota. His research interests include policing, punishment, social movements, critical race theory, and qualitative research methods. His research has appeared in the *Oxford Handbook of Social Movements* and the *International Journal of Criminology & Sociology*. His dissertation investigates the role of insurance and risk in regulating police behavior and how municipalities—e.g., city councilmen, police leaders, risk

management officers—think about risk, accountability, and misconduct-related payouts. His project elucidates how municipalities operating with and without market-based insurance perceive risk; how they decide when and how much to pay out; and analyzes a novel, grassroots individual-level insurance alternative. His award-winning paper examines professional liability insurance for police, a potential alternative to existing (self)-insurance practices, and is forthcoming (Spring 2019) in *Law & Social Inquiry*.



ASC 2018 Reception and Award Ceremony

The Division will once again host a Reception and Awards Ceremony at the ASC Annual Meeting in Atlanta. The ceremony will be held on **Thursday, November 15th, 3:30 to 4:50 pm, Marriott Atrium A located on the Atrium Level.**

Division updates will be provided by outgoing Chair William Terrill and he will introduce the new Executive Board of the Division of Policing who will serve until November 2020. We will also present the 2018 Division awards to our award recipients. Snacks, drinks, and our 2018 Division of Policing buttons will be available. We hope to see everyone there!

2018 Division of Policing Sponsored Panels

We are excited to announce that in addition to our policy and practice committee roundtable, the Division of Policing has sponsored three students panels. The panels' speakers are graduate students engaged in policing research, and each panel will include a Division of Policing Executive Board member as a discussant. We encourage our members to come out in support of our graduate students.

Division of Policing: Policy and Practice Roundtable

When: Thursday, November 15th, 2-3:20pm

Where: Marriott, M109, Marquis Level

Please join us for this exciting roundtable session. This year we decided to mix things up and do a split topic panel. During the first portion of the session we will pose the question "where are the young policing scholars?" We will then pivot to a discussion focused on engaging practitioners in police-researcher partnerships.

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Division of Policing Student Panels

Student Panel I: Police Organizations

When: Wednesday, November 14th, 12:30-1:50pm

Where: Marriott A707, Atrium Level

Discussant: Cynthia Lum

- Rylan Simpson and John Hipp. *A Typological Approach to Understanding Police Agency Trajectories, 1993-2013*.
- Kathleen E. Padilla. *Becoming a Chameleon: An Exploration into Preparing Successful Detectives*.
- Paige Vaughn, Theodore Lentz, Richard Rosenfeld, and Beth M. Heubner. *Endogenous Effects of Various Activities on Violent Crime*.

Student Panel II: Exploring the Ferguson Effect

When: Wednesday, November 14th, 12:30-1:50pm

Where: Marriott, International 4

Discussant: Evan T. Sorg

- Rachel Lautenschlager, Joel A. Capellan, and Jason R. Silva. *Deconstructing the Ferguson Effect: A Multilevel Mediation Analysis of Public Scrutiny, De-policing, and Crime*.
- Scott F. Allen, Lorie Fridell, and George Burruss. *Violence Against the Police, What Direction is it Heading?*
- Anthony Michalka and Timothy Maher. *The Ferguson Effect: A Qualitative Study of Police Officers in the Epicenter of Change*.

Student Panel III: Police Proactivity, Use of Force, and Misconduct

When: Friday, November 16th, 9:30-10:50am

Where: Marriott, International 4

Discussant: William Terrill

- Logan Somers and William Terrill. *Assessing Weapon Usage in Police-Citizen Interactions*.
- Jessica Huff. *A Spatial Examination of Police Behavior: Evaluating Sociological Ecological Theories of Police Proactivity and Misconduct*.
- Amanda L. Thomas and Kevin T. Wolff. *Crime Distortion within the NYPD: A Potential Method for Estimating Crime Misclassification within CompStat Statistics*.

Meet Our New Executive



Eugene Paoline



Jacinta Gau



Julie Schnobrich-Davis



Evan Sorg



Brenda Bond



Jason Ingram

Our new Executive Board was elected in November and begins a two year term at ASC:

Chair:

Eugene A. Paoline III is a Professor and Graduate Director in the Department of Criminal Justice at the University of Central Florida. His research interests include police culture, police use of force, and occupational attitudes of criminal justice practitioners. He is the author of *Rethinking Police Culture* (2001, LFB Scholarly Publishing) and *Police Culture: Adapting to the Strains of the Job* (2014, Carolina Academic Press). He has also published numerous research articles that have appeared in a variety of peer-reviewed journals. He is currently serving as Co-Principal Investigator on a National Institute of Justice grant that is examining the structure, operation, and effectiveness of Early Intervention (EI) systems that track problematic police behaviors.

Vice Chair

Jacinta Gau is an associate professor in the Department of Criminal Justice at the University of Central Florida. Her research focuses are policing, race, and quantitative methods. She publishes her work in numerous peer-reviewed journals, and she has

written the books *Criminal Justice Policy: Origins and Effectiveness* (Oxford University Press) and *Statistics for Criminology and Criminal Justice* (Sage Publications). Dr. Gau is also the editor-in-chief of *Race and Justice: An International Journal*, the journal of ASC's Division on People of Color and Crime.

Secretary-Treasurer:

Julie Schnobrich-Davis is an Associate Professor at Central Connecticut State University in the Criminology & Criminal Justice Department. She received her PhD from SUNY, Albany and her Master's from University of Cincinnati in criminal justice. She has worked on several federal and state funded grants with police agencies on various crime reduction and collaboration strategies. She has several publications related to policing, multi-agency collaborations, problem solving, intelligence analysis, and focused deterrence. Her research interests include an emphasis on planned change efforts in policing.

Executive Counselors:

Brenda J. Bond is Associate Professor and Chair of the Institute for Public Service at Suffolk University and has over 20 years of experience working with police and community agencies on a variety of research and

practitioner initiatives. Dr. Bond's area of expertise is criminal justice and social policy implementation and comprehensive and collaborative community approaches to community safety and the organizational aspects of public safety implementation. She is currently writing a book on organizational and community change in policing.

Evan Sorg is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Law and Justice Studies at Rowan University. He received his Ph.D. in Criminal Justice from Temple University in 2015 and is a former New York City Police Officer. He begins work as a Co-Principal Investigator on a National Institute of Justice grant that will examine whether the detention and deportation of illegal immigrants under the 287(g) program have crime reduction benefits.

Jason Ingram is an Associate Professor in the Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology at Sam Houston State University. He earned his Ph.D. in Criminal Justice from Michigan State University in 2010. His primary research interests are in the areas of police culture, administrative policy, and police supervision. His work has appeared in *Criminology*, *Journal of Criminal Justice*, *Police Quarterly*, and *Policing: An International Journal*.