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## **DIVISION OF POLICING NEWS**

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### From the Chair

After a one-year hiatus, the annual ASC conference has returned and the Division has a number of events lined up for Chicago. Several members will be presenting at Division sponsored panels that cover policing during the pandemic, policing and public health, procedural justice, police culture, and the role of dispatchers in policing (see page 6 for more information). For those attending the conference, we encourage you to support your fellow members and go hear about their current projects.

On Thursday, November 18th from 12:30-1:50 p.m. (in Salon 3, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor), we will hold a Division Roundtable that features contributors from our very first special issue in *Policing: A Journal of Policy and Practice.* Authors will share information about their projects, as well as discuss components of successful researchpractitioner partnerships.



Be on the lookout for the special issue in early 2022 edited by Secretary/Treasurer Julie Schnobrich-Davis and former Division Chair Gene Paoline.

Also on Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup> from 3:30-5:00 p.m. our annual awards and reception event will take place (in the Empire Room, Lobby Level). Professor Emeritus Wesley Skogan will provide a keynote address. We will also celebrate this year's award recipients. Thanks to DOP **Executive Counselor, Barak** Ariel, and the Awards Committee (Roni Factor, Tal Jonathan-Zamir, John Sloan III, Renee Mitchell, and Molly Slothower) for their work in overseeing this year's award selection process.

Congratulations to our award

### recipients!

Finally, I would like to thank Vice-Chair Laura Huey for setting up several coffee meet-and-greets taking place during the conference. The meet-and-greets allow student members to connect with policing scholars and offer a great networking opportunity.

In non-conference related news, the Division held a virtual forum on the job market at the end of September (see page 4). It was great to see so many of our members involved in this event. It was very successful, and we hope to continue these in the future. Thanks to Executive Counselor, Janne Gaub, and Student Representative, Alexis Rockwell, for coordinating and hosting this event.

The DOP Executive Board looks forward to seeing you in Chicago!

### Sincerely,

Jason Ingram Sam Houston State University

# **2021 Division of Policing Award Winners**



## **Distinguished Scholar Award**

William (Bill) Terrill is an Associate Dean in the Watts College of Public Service and Community Solutions, and a Professor in the School of Criminology and Criminal Justice, at Arizona State University. He earned his B.S. from Penn State Harrisburg and his M.A. degree and Ph.D. from Rutgers Newark. Over the past 25 years, Bill's research has centered on police attitudes and behavior with an emphasis on use of force and culture. He recently completed a U.S. Department of Homeland Security grant in partnership with the Federal Law Enforcement Training Centers (FLETC) examining body-worn camera video footage to help identify escalation and de-escalation in relation to police use of force behavior. Presently, he is conducting several projects with the Phoenix, Arizona Police Department, including a study on officer perceptions of firearm danger, an assessment of the agency's newly revised use of force training modules, and as project lead on an advisory team working to ensure use of force data are publicly accessible and transparent. Finally, Bill serves as Co-Editor for *Policing: A Journal of Policy and Practice*.



## Early Career Award

John Shjarback is an assistant professor in the Department of Law and Justice Studies at Rowan University. He earned his Ph.D. in Criminology and Criminal Justice from Arizona State University in 2016. He has published close to 30 peer-reviewed articles, book chapters, and technical reports on topics broadly related to transactional violence between police officers and citizens, race/ethnicity, and accountability. Additionally, he is a proponent of public/

translational criminology and he has written op-ed essays geared towards the general public for The Washington Post, the New York Daily News, The Dallas Morning News, and Smerconish.com, among other media outlets. He has collaborated with a number of law enforcement agencies and practitioners on various projects and evaluations, and his research has impacted policy and informed data collection efforts. For example, his work on use of force and officer-involved

shootings has been cited during legislative and agency efforts in Philadelphia, Utah, Georgia, and New Jersey. John has also provided testimony regarding best practices for civilian oversight bodies for the New Jersey State Legislature.

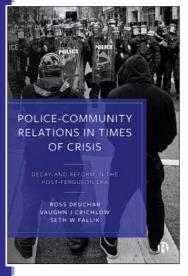
Celebrate our award winners on Thursday, November 18th, 3:30 to 5:00 pm in the Empire Room, Lobby Level.



## **Outstanding Practitioner Award**

Detective Inspector Mike Newman has served with the Queensland Police Service for 29 years. He is currently the Manager of Cyber Crime Investigations, Crime and Intelligence Command. Mike has served in numerous capacities in the QPS including operational roles as a Detective, Officer in Charge of a Tactical Crime Squad and manager of crime intelligence. He has also performed a variety of corporate roles as a support officer, the manager of training units and as a Visiting Fellow at the University of Queensland. Mike has been involved with evidence-based policing (EBP) since 2014 when he was the project manager for the Mobile Police Community Office and other projects. Since then, he has championed EBP within the QPS and other policing agencies through the Australia and New Zealand Society of Evidence Based Policing where he has sought to foster organisational partnerships and engagement with researchers to deliver substantive research that changes or validates policing responses to victims, communities and crime.





**Ross Deuchar, Vaughn** Crichlow, and Seth Fallik's **Police-Community Relations** in Times of Crisis: Decay and Reform in the Post-Ferguson Era tells the story of policing efforts after high profile shooting death of Michel Brown. The death of Michael Brown at the hands of a white Ferguson police officer has uncovered an apparent legitimacy crisis at the heart of American policing. Some have claimed that de-policing may have

led officers to become less proactive.

How exactly has the policing of gangs and violence changed in the post-Ferguson era? This book explores this question, drawing on participant observation field notes and in-depth interviews with officers, offenders, practitioners, and community members in a Southern American state.

As demands for police reform have once again come into focus following George Floyd's death, this crucial book informs future policing practice to promote effective crime prevention and gain public trust.

-Bristol University Press

## **Division Virtual Forum on the Job Market**

On Friday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Division sponsored the *Virtual Forum on the Job Market*. Janne Gaub, Executive Board member, and Alexis Rockwell, student representative, created, organized, and moderated the forum. The forum included 5 different panels on different aspects of the job market.

The first panel of the day, Perspectives from the Search Committee, included individuals who have either served on or chaired academic job search committees. The panelists included Drs. Melissa Morabito, Jason Ingram, William King, and Belen Lowrey-Kinberg.

The next panel, *Preparing for the Tenure Track*, provided insights on how to prepare for the tenure track for later-career Ph.D. students and early career scholars. The panelists included Drs. Thomas Mrozla, Marthinus Koen, Kyle McLean, Sherah Basham, and Thaddeus Johnson.

The Interviewing Before and During COVID-19 panelists discussed their experiences on the job market, particularly interviewing, depending on when they were on the job market. Those with the 'before' perspective discussed in-person interviewing and campus visits. Those with the 'after' perspective explained their experiences with video conferencing and navigating an online presence. This attendees for this panel heard from Drs. Elias Nadar, Kathleen Padilla, John Shjarback, and Natalie Todak.

The Jobs Outside Academia panelists were Drs. Daniel Lawrence, Shelley Hyland, Kwan-Lamar Blount-Hill, and Ms. Carlena Orosco. This panel's discussion focused on applying for and working within agencies outside of academia.

The final panel of the day was a workshop on *Application Documents*. Panelists Drs. Lin Huff-Corzine, Justin Nix, Rachel Lautenschlager, Rob Tillyer, and Rick Moule provided actionable steps for attendees to use for their documents to best prepare them for the job market.

In total, there were over 80 attendees. The forum was a great success, and the DOP is planning additional virtual panels in the future. More information to come. We would like to thank the division members who volunteered to serve as panelists and the DOP executive board for their assistance in this first virtual forum.





Jason Ingram





Julie Schnobrich-Davis





Janne Gaub







Alexis Rockwell

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## **ASC 2021 Reception and Award Ceremony**

The Division will once again host a Reception and Awards Ceremony at the ASC Annual Meeting in Chicago. The ceremony will be held on <u>Thursday, November 18th, 3:30 to 5:00 pm, Empire Room, Lobby</u> <u>Level</u>.

We are excited to have Professor Wesley Skogan (Emeritus Professor at Northwestern University) as our

Keynote speaker to discuss police researcher—practitioner partnerships and his experiences. Over the past four decades, he has directed several Institute for Policy Research crime studies, including research on policing, fear of crime, the impact of crime on communities, public involvement in crime prevention, locally-based prevention projects, victimization, victim responses to crime, and services for crime victims. Professor Skogan has been involved with the Chicago Police Department on various projects since the early 1990's, and currently is a member of the Chicago Police Department's Community Policing Advisory Panel. He has several published articles, books and awards relating to his work with police departments. Most recently, he has



co-edited a book with Jacques de Maillard, titled *Policing in France*, that addresses the unique and diverse challenges faced by French Police organizations. Please come join us for what is sure to be an exceptional keynote address.



Also, please join us for a <u>Roundtable @ 12:30-1:50pm – Policing Policy & Practice – Salon 3,</u> <u>3<sup>rd</sup> Floor.</u> Panelists include authors from our inaugural Special Edition in *Policing: A Journal of Policy & Practice* to discuss collaborative science and highlight the working relationships between our members and practitioners.

### **RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP FOR 2022**

We thank you for your support in 2021! Please renew your membership for 2022. If you weren't a 2021 member, we invite you to become a new member! Dues are only \$20 a year and dues for students are just \$5 annually. You can join the Division of Policing at the same time you renew your ASC membership. Go to www.asc41.com to access the online or paper membership forms.



## 2021 Division of Policing Sponsored Panels

Roundtable:	Contemporary Issues in Policing: Police Code of Silence in Times of Change
When:	Wednesday, November 17 <sup>th</sup> , 8:00-9:20 am
Where:	Harvard Room, 3rd Floor
Participants:	Sanja Kutnjak Ivković, Jon Maskály, Ahmet Kule, Maria (Maki) Haberfeld
Thematic Panel I:	Advancing Fairness/Justice Research
When:	Wednesday, November 17 <sup>th</sup> , 9:30-10:50 am
Where:	Madison Room, 3rd Floor
Chair:	Scott Wolfe
Thematic Panel II:	The Role of Dispatchers in 21st Century Policing
When:	Friday, November 19 <sup>th</sup> , 9:30-10:50 am
Where:	Salon 12, 3rd Floor
Chair:	Rylan Simpson
Thematic Panel III:	Policing, Public Health and Vulnerable Populations
When:	Friday, November 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2:00-3:20 pm
Where:	Marshfield Room, 3rd Floor
Chair:	Jerry Ratcliffe
Thematic Panel IV: When: Where: Chair:	Policing During the COVID-19 Pandemic: Changes in Crime, Policing Practices, and Community Reactions Friday, November 19 <sup>th</sup> , 3:30-4:50 p.m. Crystal Room, 3rd Floor Cynthia Lum

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FOR A FULL LISTING OF POLICING RE-LATED PANELS OF INTEREST AT ASC 2021 IN CHICAGO

