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On the following pages reporters, producers, and bookers for all media outlets will find more than 100 John Jay College of Criminal Justice Professors who have academic and real-world experiences in hundreds of topics ranging from criminal justice to immigration, from virology to politics. This is just a sample of all the people at John Jay who can provide expert, unbiased information to educate your audience about the day’s most important stories.

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ART & CRIME



ERIN THOMPSON
Associate Professor of Art Crime,
Director of the Women’s Center for Gender Justice

Author of *Smashing Statues: The Rise and Fall of America’s Public Monuments and Possession: The Curious History of Private Collectors from Antiquity to the Present*

EXPERTISE: Art crime, including art theft, museum security, the deliberate destruction of art during war and protest, and the repatriation of stolen or looted art and cultural heritage.

RESEARCH: How terrorist groups both sell and destroy art to support their genocidal campaigns, legalities and ethics of digital reproductions of cultural heritage.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Thomas Jefferson Statue Removal \(BBC News\)](#)

CIVIL RIGHTS



GLORIA BROWNE-MARSHALL
Professor of Constitutional Law, U.S. Supreme Court correspondent,
Syndicated columnist, Playwright

Author of *She Took Justice: The Black Woman, Law, and Power—1619 to 1969*, *The Constitution: Major Cases and Conflicts* and *The Voting Rights War*.

EXPERTISE: Constitutional law, race and the law, gender and justice.

EXPERIENCE: Civil rights attorney who litigated cases for Southern Poverty Law Center in Alabama, Community Legal Services in Philadelphia, and the NAACP Legal Defense Fund, Inc., syndicated columnist and legal commentator, executive editor of “*The Report on the Status of Black Women and Girls*,” playwright.

RESEARCH: The protection of vulnerable groups under constitutional and international law. The legal history of racial justice and oppression.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Gloria Browne-Marshall \(Sizzle Reel\)](#)



JANICE JOHNSON DIAS

**Associate Professor of Sociology and
Dean of Student Engagement and Retention**

Author of *Parent Like It Matters: How to Raise Joyful, Change-Making Girls*

EXPERTISE: Puts into practice results of research on systemic inequality by helping predominantly Black mothers and children develop into societal changemakers. Research on how perception vs reality of crime may lead to discriminatory policy making.

EXPERIENCE: Founder and President GrassROOTS Community Foundation (GCF), worked with New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy on urban and regional growth, public health transition with Newark Mayor Ras J. Baraka and public health initiatives with local and state lawmakers in Philadelphia.

MEDIA APPEARANCE:

[Dias On The Importance Of Affirmations, Admitting Mistakes + New Book \(Hot 97\)](#)

[Fear of Crime in NYC \(PBS\)](#) at 4:04 mark



ALEXANDRA MOFFETT-BATEAU

Assistant Professor in the Department of Political Science

Black politics, the impact of race and gender on political engagement, the impact of violence on American political habits, police brutality within black communities, non-voting as a form of political engagement, medical discrimination, medical abuse, and the politics of chronic illness.

RESEARCH: The non-traditional political engagement methods of marginalized communities, specifically black women, and people living below the poverty line.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Malcolm X \(Arise News\)](#)

CORRECTIONS/RE-ENTRY/INCARCERATION



GERARD BRYANT

**Adjunct Assistant Professor in the
Department of Psychology, Director of Counseling**

EXPERTISE: Correctional management, management of inmates in special housing units, suicide prevention and intervention, suicide reconstructions in prisons, management of mentally ill inmates, substance abuse assessment and treatment, crisis management, employee assistance programs, hostage negotiation, new correctional psychologist training, psychology treatment programs, sexual assault prevention and intervention, special needs offenders, work place violence and working with female offenders.

EXPERIENCE: Retired Associate Warden, Regional Psychology Services Administrator and Chief Psychologist, Federal Bureau of Prisons.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [El Chapo In Prison \(Al Jazeera\)](#)



MARC BULLARO

**Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Department of Law,
Police Science & Criminal Justice Administration**

EXPERTISE: Correction administration, constitutional law, jail investigations (escapes, suicides, assaults), intelligence gathering and gang assessment.

EXPERIENCE: Retired after 28+ years of service with the NYC Department of Correction, 16 Years in the rank of Assistant Deputy Warden, Commanding Officer of the Intelligence Bureau, Executive Officer of the Correction Academy, Deputy Director of the Investigations Division.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Town Hall on Rikers Island \(CUNY TV\)](#)



JEFF COOTS

Director of From Punishment to Public Health initiative

EXPERTISE: Mental Health Responders for 911 calls, health home enrollment and primary care promotion, pre-arrest diversion of homeless individuals seeking shelter in NYC subway trains and stations campaign, Release of Aging People in Prison (RAPP), re-entry mapping with smartphone application, evaluation of Citywide Drug Court and Mental Health Court Diversion Program.

EXPERIENCE: Delivered dialogue-based “Healthy Re-entry” workshops to introduce strategies for working in collaboration with a primary care provider to prevent new infections and mitigate the effects of chronic disease, Development Officer at Goodwill of Greater Washington where he worked on increasing funding to support workforce development programs and wrap-around services available to those returning from jail and prison.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [911 Mental Health Calls \(Fox 5 New York\)](#)
[Decarceration & Health Care during COVID-19 \(Legal Action Center\)](#)



BAZ DREISINGER

Professor of English, Founder & Executive Director of the Incarceration Nations Network, Founder of John Jay’s Prison-to-College Pipeline program, Global Fulbright Scholar

Author of *Incarceration Nations: A Journey to Justice in Prisons Around the World*, *Near Black: White-to-Black Passing in American Culture*.

EXPERTISE: Criminal justice through the lens of the humanities, American/African-American/Diasporic cultural studies.

RESEARCH: Restorative justice, mass incarceration, hip-hop, criminal justice reform, the prison industrial complex, race, crime, media, pop culture, music of the African diaspora.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Prison Reform \(eNCA TV\)](#)



MARTIN HORN

Distinguished Lecturer of Corrections (retired)

EXPERTISE: Corrections administration and policy, probation, parole and sentencing policy, re-entry programs.

EXPERIENCE: Former Commissioner of the New York City Department of Correction and Probation, former Secretary of Administration for the state of Pennsylvania, former Pennsylvania Secretary of Corrections, former Executive Director at the New York State Division of Parole, former Executive Director of the New York State Sentencing Commission.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Closing Rikers Island \(CUNY TV\)](#)



REVEREND KIMORA

Adjunct Full Professor in the Department of Law, Police Science, and Criminal Justice Administration

Author of *When Young People Break the Law: Debating Issues on Punishment for Juveniles and Ethnic Profiling: A Modern Framework*

EXPERTISE: Corrections, correctional educational programs, mental illness, re-entry.

EXPERIENCE: Education Director for Treatment Services at the Osborne Association, ordained minister for prisons and jails in New York, California, Utah, Minnesota, and Canada.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: At 14:05 mark: [Criminal Justice Roadmap 2022 \(WBAI\)](#)



EVAN MANDERY

Professor of Criminal Justice, co-creator of the Peabody and Emmy Award winning ARTIFICIAL, a live interactive series on Twitch

Author of *Harvard’s Broken Promise: Elite Colleges, Suburbs & The End of the American Dream* (forthcoming), *A Wild Justice: The Death and Resurrection of Capital Punishment in America*, *Capital Punishment: A Balanced Examination*, *Eyes on City Hall: A Young Man’s Education in New York City Political Warfare*, as well as several novels.

EXPERTISE: Capital punishment, educational equity, constitutional law, criminal law, law and ethics.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Alan Dershowitz on Trump Impeachment \(CNN\)](#)



JEFF MELLOW

Professor of Criminal Justice, Director of the Criminal Justice MA Program, Consulting Investigator for the Transition from Jail to Community Project

Co-author of *The Transition from Jail to Community Online Learning Toolkit*.

EXPERTISE: Issues in correctional policy, practice and organizational effectiveness, re-entry, evaluation of criminal justice programs, escapes.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Reintegrating Formerly Incarcerated Individuals \(PBS Newshour\)](#)

COURTS, PROSECUTION & SENTENCING



ALISSA MARQUE HEYDARI

Deputy Director of the Institute for Innovation in Prosecution (IIP) at John Jay College of Criminal Justice

EXPERTISE: Prosecution, criminal justice reform, policing.

EXPERIENCE: Former Manhattan Assistant District Attorney.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Indictment of Officer in Breonna Taylor Killing \(CBSN\)](#)



KEVIN McCARTHY

**Adjunct Professor in the Department of Law,
Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration**

EXPERTISE: Terrorism, political corruption, and organized crime.

EXPERIENCE: Former criminal prosecutor at the New York County District Attorney's Office and United States Attorney's Office in New Jersey, Chief of the Organized Crime Strike Force Division.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [East Village Gas Explosion \(New York Times\)](#)



EUGENE O'DONNELL

**Lecturer in the Department of Law,
Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration**

EXPERTISE: Policing issues, crime rates, police use of force, organized labor, police administration and training, law enforcement investigations.

EXPERIENCE: Former prosecutor in Queens and Brooklyn District Attorney's Offices, former NYPD police officer, Director of Intake and Advocacy at the New York City Commission on Human Rights, campaign aide to the late Bill Lynch Jr., campus coordinator of John Jay at the Police Academy of Puerto Rico and in the Dominican Republic. Instructor in the United States Department of State's International Law Enforcement Academies in Eastern Europe and Africa, Visiting Professor at the Police College of the United Kingdom at Bramshill, acting coordinator of the New York State Law Enforcement Executive Institute.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Policing in America \(C-SPAN\)](#)



JEFFREY BUTTS

**Director of the Research and Evaluation Center
at John Jay College of Criminal Justice**

EXPERTISE: Policy analysis, program evaluation, crime statistics.

EXPERIENCE: Former principal investigator and research director at the Urban Institute, Chapin Hall at the University of Chicago, and the National Center for Juvenile Justice.

RESEARCH: Community-based alternatives, violence reduction strategies, court processing of delinquency cases, program evaluation methods.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Crime and Murder Rates \(C-SPAN\)](#)



CHRISTOPHER HERRMANN

**Associate Professor in the Department of Law,
Police Science & Criminal Justice Administration**

Author of *Micro-Place Homicide Patterns in Chicago (1965-2017)*.

EXPERIENCE: Former NYPD Crime Analyst Supervisor where he worked on crime prevention and control strategies, officer and resource allocation, and research of longitudinal crime trends throughout New York City.

RESEARCH: Study of crime at micro-levels using GIS and spatiotemporal relationships between businesses, neighborhood socioeconomic factors, and crime, violence prevention initiatives with the New York City Housing Authority research team at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, concentrating on gun violence in New York City.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Gun Violence Spike in Cities \(NBC Today\)](#)



MIKE REMPEL

Director of the Data Collaborative for Justice

Expertise: Justice reform in New York as well as national efforts focused on bail reform, discovery reform, case delays, prosecutor-led diversion, adult drug courts, reentry courts, and court responses to domestic violence.

RESEARCH: Incarceration reform including the closing of Rikers Island, reducing incarceration in New York City, and early release.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [NYC Bail Reform \(NPR\)](#) | [\(Fox News Channel\)](#)



ELI SILVERMAN

Professor Emeritus, John Jay College and Graduate Center, CUNY

Author of The Crime Numbers Game: Management by Manipulation and NYPD Battles Crime: Innovative Strategies in Policing.

EXPERTISE: Police performance management, community policing, policy analysis, stop and frisk, police practices, CompStat, crime statistics.

EXPERIENCE: Special Assistant, U.S. Department of Justice, Research Associate, National Academy of Public Administration, Exchange Professor, Police Staff College, United Kingdom, Visiting Professor, School of Criminal Justice, Toulouse University, France.

CONSULTANT/EXPERT WITNESS: Floyd et. al. v. City of New York, Maryland State Police, Stimson v. City of New York, New York State Public Employment Review Board, New York State Division of Parole and Department of Corrections, Nunavut Canada, Springfield Mass., Schoolcraft v. City of New York and law enforcement agencies in Canada, Mexico, Europe, Asia, and Australia.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: NYPD Compstat (CUNY TV)



DAVID KENNEDY

Director and Founder of the National Network for Safe Communities, Professor of Criminal Justice

Author of Deterrence and Crime Prevention: Reconsidering the Prospect of Sanction, Don't Shoot, One Man, a Street Fellowship, and The End of Violence in Inner-City America.

EXPERTISE: Gun violence, crime reduction strategies, community and problem-solving policing, gang violence, drug markets, domestic violence, intimate partner violence, firearms trafficking, other public safety issues, stop and frisk.

EXPERIENCE: Led the Boston Gun Project, "Operation Ceasefire" resulting in 63 percent reduction in youth homicide victimization and has since been effectively implemented in numerous cities as the Group Violence Intervention (GVI), helped design and field the Justice Department's Strategic Approaches to Community Safety Initiative, the Treasury Department's Youth Crime Gun Interdiction Initiative, and the Bureau of Justice Assistance's Drug Market Intervention Program.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: Creating Safer Communities (CUNY TV)

Gun Violence in Columbus (NBC 4)

CYBERSECURITY



ADAM SCOTT WANDT

Assistant Professor and Vice Chair for Technology in the Department of Public Management, practicing Attorney and Counselor-at-Law (New York)

EXPERTISE: Law enforcement use of technology, cybersecurity, digital evidence, digital forensics, open source intelligence, social media investigations, mobile device investigations, data interception.

EXPERIENCE: Cyber investigations instructor for the Association of Inspectors General, former sworn law enforcement officer. Regularly teaches graduate courses Data Communications: Interception, Forensics and Security, and Information Security, also taught at United States Military Academy at West Point.

RESEARCH: Received \$600,000 NIJ grant to research Fentanyl sales on the Darkweb. Has conducted sponsored research for the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Interpol, the United Nations, the Department of Justice, the United States Bureau of Justice Statistics, Sprint, and BlackBoard.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: Data Tracking (CBS This Morning)



JOHN BANDLER

Adjunct Lecturer, Department of Security, Fire and Emergency Management, Attorney and Consultant

Author of Cybercrime Investigations and Cybersecurity or the Home and Office.

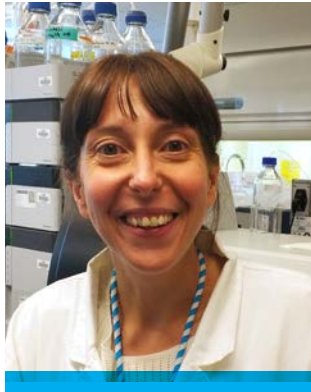
EXPERTISE: Cybersecurity, cybercrime, cybercrime investigations, traditional investigations, fraud, money laundering, virtual currency (cryptocurrency), privacy, law, criminal justice, policing, trees, and horticulture in urban settings.

EXPERIENCE: Attorney and consultant, teacher, speaker, former Assistant District Attorney (New York County), and State Trooper (New York State Police).

MEDIA APPEARANCE: At 18:50 mark: Data Privacy & Protection (NPR)

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MARTA CONCHEIRO-GUISAN

Associate Professor in the Department of Sciences

EXPERTISE: Forensic and Clinical Toxicology.

EXPERIENCE: Former Research Scientist at the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), National Institutes of Health (NIH).

RESEARCH: Toxicological study of the new psychoactive substances (synthetic opioids, cathionics, and benzodiazepines), detection and interpretation of drug exposure during pregnancy, development of novel analytical methodologies for the determination of drugs and metabolites in biological samples.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Faculty Research Spotlight \(John Jay College\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



ANGELIQUE CORTHALS

Associate Professor in the Department of Sciences

EXPERIENCE: Former Scientific Director of the BioBank at SUNY Stony Brook University School of Medicine in the Department of Pathology, faculty and curatorial positions at the University of Manchester, the American Museum of Natural History (AMNH), and at the Stony Brook University Department of Anthropology.

RESEARCH/EXPERTISE: Covid-19/coronavirus, etiology of autoimmune diseases, biological/forensic anthropology, bioinformatics solutions for applications in all areas of research, pathology, field medicine (medical emergency response-Medecins sans Frontieres-Doctors Without Borders), archaeology/Egyptology, epidemiology, ecology of infectious diseases, co-evolution of host/parasite, taphonomy, osteology, evolutionary biology, natural history specimens curation and preservation, conservation biology, environmental monitoring.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: At 4:16 mark: [Taser Drowning \(The Intercept\)](#)

LANGUAGES: French, Spanish, Russian, Dutch and German



LAWRENCE KOBILINSKY

Professor Emeritus in the Department of Sciences

EXPERTISE: Crime scene forensic investigation DNA technology, and analysis.

EXPERIENCE: Board Certified Forensic Examiner, Advisor to criminal labs in Mexico, China, Brazil, Dominican Republic, Advisor to the State Dept. on forensic science labs in the Ukraine, autopsies.

MEDIA APPEARANCE:

[George Floyd Autopsy \(CNN\)](#) | [Gabby Petito Case \(CNN\)](#)



NATHAN LENTS

Professor of Biology

EXPERTISE: Molecular biology, genetics, plants and forensic botany, forensic DNA analysis, pharmacology and toxicology, synthetic marijuana, evolution and evolutionary biology, microbiology, human decomposition and postmortem analysis, death investigations.

RESEARCH: Detecting controlled substances in urine and other fluids and analyzing ways that people use to circumvent detection. Study on postmortem human microbiome focused on microbes that live on decaying human corpses and how time of death can be determined.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [DNA Transfer \(48 Hours\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



MECHTHILD PRINZ

Associate Professor and Director of the Master's Program in Forensic Science

EXPERTISE: DNA Analysis, Forensic Genetics.

EXPERIENCE: Director, Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, Dept. of Forensic Biology, forensic DNA specialist and crime laboratory manager where she provided DNA testing results for criminal casework, missing persons, and disaster victim identification.

RESEARCH: Recovery and detection of protein markers in contact traces, developing a method for integrating DNA and latent print processing for paper evidence.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [The Science of Justice \(World Science Festival\)](#)

[Gilgo Beach Murder Forensics \(NBC New York\)](#)

LANGUAGES: German



LOUIS SCHLESINGER

Professor of Psychology

Author of *Psychiatric Aspects of Criminal Behavior: The Collected Papers of Eugene Revitch*, *Sexual Murder: Catathymic and Compulsive Homicides*.

EXPERTISE: Homicide, sexual homicide, and criminal psychopathology.

EXPERIENCE: Co-principal investigator in joint research project with the FBI Behavioral Science Unit, Diplomate in Forensic Psychology of the American Board of Professional Psychology, former President of the New Jersey Psychological Association, a Distinguished Practitioner in the National Academies of Practice, Fellow of the American Psychological Association.

RESEARCH: Extraordinary crimes, including serial and non-serial sexual murder, rape, homicide, mass murder and crime scene behavior.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: At 0:46 mark: [Serial Killer Ed Kemper \(Oxygen\)](#)

ECONOMICS



GEERT DHONDT

Chair and Associate Professor in the Department of Economics

EXPERTISE: Economics of crime and justice, relationship between race in the post-segregation era, logic of neoliberal capitalism and the criminal justice system, stratification economics, political economy of race, economic history, history of economic thought.

RESEARCH: National Institute of Justice grant to study the empirical relationship between prison cycling and crime rates.

MEDIA APPEARANCE:

[Predicting Crime Through Incarceration \(John Jay College\)](#)



JESSICA GORDON-NEMBHARD

Author of *Collective Courage: A History of African American Cooperative Economic Thought and Practice* and *Capital Control, Financial Regulation, and Industrial Policy in South Korea and Brazil*

EXPERTISE: Community economics, Black political economy, solidarity economics, cooperative economics, and popular economic literacy.

EXPERIENCE: Director of John Jay's McNair Post-Baccalaureate Achievement Program. Affiliate Scholar, CUNY Graduate School Environmental Psychology Ph.D. program and John Jay Economics Master's Program Faculty Fellow and Mentor with the Institute for the Study of Employee Ownership and Profit Sharing at Rutgers University School of Management and Labor Relations.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Black Families Buy 90 Acres of Land \(CNN\)](#) at 2:28 mark



J.W. MASON

Associate Professor in the Department of Economics

EXPERTISE: Economics of government spending and debt, monetary policy and the Federal Reserve, household debt, business cycles, fiscal policy and public spending, productivity growth, rent control.

EXPERIENCE: Fellow at the Roosevelt Institute (2015-present).

RESEARCH: Macroeconomic policy, finance, central banks, public budgets.

MEDIA APPEARANCE:

[Inflation \(Bloomberg\)](#) | [Economic Lessons from WWII \(Bloomberg\)](#)



MICHELLE HOLDER

Assistant Professor in the Department of Economics

Author of *African American Men and the Labor Market during the Great Recession*.

EXPERTISE: Double wage gap, impact of depression/recession on communities of color, labor economics, labor market discrimination, poverty, racial and social justice, women/gender justice.

RESEARCH: Labor force and poverty trends in New York City, Labor Economics, Labor Market, Discrimination, Wage Gaps, Blacks and women in the U.S. Labor market.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Labor Market Crisis During COVID-19 \(CNN\)](#)



LUDY THENOR

Adjunct Professor in the Departments of Economics and Africana Studies

EXPERTISE: Gentrification, international economies and immigrant populations, COVID-19 pandemic relief for Latino communities in NYC, pandemic impact on commercial real estate, restaurants, tax levies, the impact of inflation on vulnerable communities, redlining, bank decisions impacting economic development and education, redistricting as new redlining, and media Strategy for elected officials.

EXPERIENCE: Director of Youth Services for Queensboro President Donovan Richards.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Inflation Reduction Act and Green Jobs for Latinos \(El Diario NY\)](#)

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ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY & PROTECTIONS



ANTHONY CARPI

Dean of Research, Professor of Environmental Chemistry, Founder of Program for Research Initiatives for Science Majors (PRISM) which focuses on minority student entry into STEM fields

EXPERTISE: Environmental chemistry and toxicology, effect of climate change on environmental pollution, and mentoring and education of undergraduates in science, especially of underrepresented students in STEM disciplines.

RESEARCH: Conducts research (field studies in New York and Brazil) on the bio-geochemical cycle of mercury and the potential impact of climate change on the environmental transport and transformation of mercury.

MEDIA APPEARANCE:

[Toxic Mercury under South Street Seaport \(The New York Times\)](#)

[Undergraduate STEM education \(PAESMEM Alumni Interview\)](#)



CHRISTIAN PARENTI

Associate Professor of Economics

Author of *Radical Hamilton: Economic Lessons From a Misunderstood Founder*.

EXPERTISE: Social justice, environmental justice, globalization, climate change and climate justice, sustainable energy, American economic and environmental history, political sociology, the Middle East, states and political violence.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Alexander Hamilton \(Jacobin\)](#)

FINANCIAL FRAUD/WHITE COLLAR CRIME



DANIEL FELDMAN

Director MPA Program in Inspection and Oversight, Professor of Public Management

EXPERTISE: Legislative process, certain aspects of gun control, NYS criminal law, administrative law, government oversight, ethics and accountability.

EXPERIENCE: Elected New York State official (Member of Assembly, 1981-1998), former chair of Assembly Committee on Corrections (prisons), former Assistant Deputy NYS Attorney General (director of Legal Policy and Program Development unit), Special Counsel to NYS Comptroller for Law & Policy, Executive Director and General Counsel of NYS Trial Lawyers Association, Investigative Counsel to NYS Assembly Committee on Oversight & investigation, Executive Assistant to Member of Congress, law firm associate specializing in securities litigation.

RESEARCH: Administrative law issues, anti-corruption strategies, statutory interpretation issues, ethics issues.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [NJ Gov wants to raise firearms fees \(Fox 5 New York\)](#)



RANDALL LaSALLE

Associate Professor of Accountancy

EXPERTISE: Forensic accounting.

EXPERIENCE: Certified Fraud Examiner, former CPA and consultant for accounting and fraud related matters.

MEDIA APPEARANCE:

[General Electric under fire to to dump its auditor \(CNN\)](#)



MARIE SPRINGER

Assistant Professor in the Department of Public Management

Author of *The Politics of Ponzi Schemes: History, Theory and Policy*

EXPERTISE: Ponzi schemes, financial markets frauds, elder fraud in financial markets, affinity fraud.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [The Ponzi Scheme Next Door \(The New York Times\)](#)



HENRY PONTELL

Distinguished Professor and past Chair of the Department of Sociology

Author of *International Handbook of White-Collar and Corporate Crime*; *Social Deviance*; *Big Money rime: Fraud and Politics in the Savings and Loan Crisis*.

EXPERTISE: White-collar and corporate crime, identity theft, cybercrime, and a range of other criminological and criminal justice issues at universities and government offices throughout the world.

EXPERIENCE: Testified before the United States Congress on financial fraud during the savings and loan crisis and the 2008 financial meltdown, has provided testimony on mortgage fraud before President Obama's Financial Crisis Inquiry Commission, Vice-President of the American Society of Criminology and President of the Western Society of Criminology, former President of the White-Collar Crime Research Consortium of the National White-Collar Crime Center, Editor of the Oxford University Press book series, Keynotes in Criminology and Criminal Justice, and is Editor-in-Chief of the Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice.

RESEARCH: Comparative research on white-collar and corporate crime in China, examining both criminological understandings of such offending as well as their domestic, regional and global effects.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Paul Manafort Sentencing \(The Guardian\)](#)
[Sociology Talks \(John Jay College\)](#)



DAVID SHAPIRO

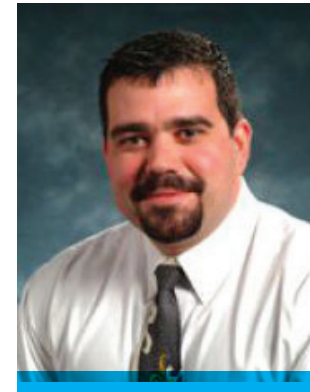
Distinguished Lecturer in the Department of Public Management

EXPERTISE: Fraud examination, financial crimes and investigations, corporate governance, internal controls, risk management and assessment, and organized crime.

EXPERIENCE: Former private sector forensic auditor, federal criminal investigator, and county public prosecutor. Published articles in venues such as the Journal of Corporate Accounting & Finance, Strategic Finance, and the Encyclopedias of White-Collar Crime & Corporate Crime and Criminal Justice Ethics. Author of articles and a book on accounting information systems, and a chapter on investment fraud and ponzi schemes.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [How to Become an FBI Agent \(Inside Edition\)](#)
[Trump Tax Records \(PIX 11 News\)](#)

GUN VIOLENCE/BALLISTICS



WARREN ELLER

Chair of the Department of Public Management

Author of *Gun Violence: Evaluating Perceptions, Causes, and Consequences* (forthcoming).

EXPERTISE: Emergency management and recovery with special interest in vulnerable populations, gun violence.

EXPERIENCE: Former faculty at the Bush School of Public Service at Texas A&M, served as the Associate Director of the Stephenson Disaster Management Institute at LSU, as the Department Chair and MPA Director at the University of North Carolina Pembroke, and most recently as faculty at the School of Public Health at WVU.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Gun Violence During COVID-19 \(CBS\)](#)
[Concealed Firearms \(CNN\)](#)



JOSHUA FREILICH

Professor of Criminal Justice

EXPERTISE: Active shooter, hate crimes, school shootings, terrorism & violent extremism.

EXPERIENCE: Creator and Co-Director of the Extremist Crime Database (ECDB), an open source relational database of violent and financial crimes committed by political extremists in the U.S., and the Creator and Co-Director of the School Shooting Database (SSDB), an open source relational database of all school shootings in the U.S. resulting in at least 1 injury.

RESEARCH: Causes of and responses to terrorism, bias crimes, mass violence, open source research methods, measurement issues, and criminology theory, especially environmental criminology and situational crime prevention.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [U.S. Extremist Crime Database \(CUNY Spotlight\)](#)

HATE CRIMES



JAMES MULVANEY

Adjunct Professor in Department of Law and Police Science

EXPERTISE: Police use of force, civil rights issues in law enforcement, hate crimes, media relations, white collar crime.

EXPERIENCE: Former journalist and winner of Pulitzer Prize for Investigative Reporting, former Deputy Commissioner of New York State Division of Human Rights, the nation's oldest state civil rights enforcement agency, NYS Governor's Blue Ribbon Task Force Monitoring \$28 billion in federal stimulus spending.

RESEARCH: Law enforcement interactions with disabled persons.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Armed Guards in Schools \(Criminal Justice Matters\)](#)
[Police Shoot Miriam Carey \(Washington Post\)](#)



KEVIN NADAL

Distinguished Professor of Psychology

Author of *Filipino American Psychology: A Handbook of Theory, Research, and Clinical Practice*, *Queering Law and Order: LGBTQ Communities and the Criminal Justice System*.

EXPERIENCE: Past President of the Asian American Psychological Association, Former Executive Director of the Center for LGBTQ Studies, Vice President of the Filipino American National Historical Society (FANHS) and co-founder of the LGBTQ Scholars of Color National Network.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Mental Health Toll of Anti-Asian Hate \(Newsy\)](#)
[Anti-Asian Hate Crimes \(Bloomberg\)](#)
[Microaggressions are a big deal \(NPR\)](#)



FRANK PEZZELLA

Associate Professor of Criminal Justice in the Department of Criminal Justice

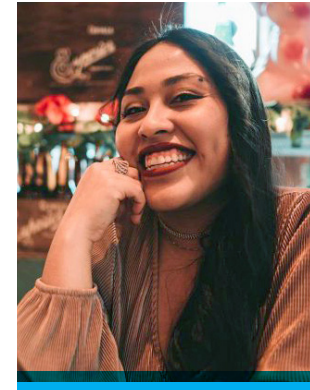
Author of *Hate Crime Statutes: A Public Policy and Law Enforcement Dilemma*.

EXPERTISE: Hate crimes victimizations, race, crime and justice, variations in sentencing, circumstances surrounding the authorized use of deadly force.

EXPERIENCE: Deputy Chief Clerk and Principal Court Analyst assigned to budgeting, planning and implementing mental health, drug treatment and re-entry court.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Gender-related Hate Crimes \(The Marshall Project\)](#)

IMMIGRATION



DENISE VIVAR

Immigrant Student Success Interim Specialist at John Jay's Immigrant Student Success Center

EXPERTISE: Undocumented student support systems, creating educator networks.

EXPERIENCE: Former Special Assistant to New York State Senator Gustavo Rivera, working with the immigrant community to build a supportive network and advocate for their rights to live a life with dignity and respect.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [VOLS Immigration Project \(VOLS Briefing\)](#)
[Sanctuary Campuses \(Rolling Stone\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish

JURY/EYEWITNESS IDENTIFICATION



MARGARET KOVERA

Presidential Scholar and Professor in the Department of Psychology

Author of *The Psychology of Juries*, *Jury Selection*, *Evaluating Eyewitness Identification*.

EXPERTISE: Longtime funding from National Science Foundation for research on eyewitness identification, pretrial publicity, jury selection, and legal decision making.

EXPERIENCE: Former Editor-in-Chief of Law and Human Behavior, former President of the American Psychology-Law Society (APLS).

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Harvey Weinstein Jurors \(The New York Times\)](#)
[Being Editor of Law and Human Behavior \(APLS Spotlight\)](#)



JENNIFER DYSART

Associate Professor of Psychology

Co-author of *Eyewitness testimony: Civil and Criminal (5th Ed.)*.

EXPERTISE: Eyewitness identification, police identification procedures.

RESEARCH: Conducts research on eyewitness accuracy, the use of show-ups and mug shot searching on identification accuracy, double-blind administration, and cross-race identification.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Eyewitness Errors \(Cincinnati Law Spotlight\)](#)



MATTHEW BARRY JOHNSON

Professor in the Department of Psychology

Author of *Wrongful Conviction in Sexual Assault: Stranger Rape, Acquaintance Rape, and Intra-familial Child Sexual Assaults*

EXPERTISE: Interrogation and confession, wrongful conviction, parental rights termination in family court, death penalty, criminal investigative errors.

EXPERIENCE: Expert witness in criminal and family court; Executive Committee of New Jerseyans for Alternatives to the Death Penalty; American Bar Association, Task Force on Mental Disability and the Death Penalty; Board of the National Association of Black Psychologists.

MEDIA APPEARANCES:

[The Lie Detector \(PBS\)](#) at 9:47, 14:40, & 25:10 marks

[‘Here & Now’ Recording Interrogation \(WABC\)](#)

[Stroke Raises New Doubt About 2013 Murder \(WNBC\)](#) at 4:02 mark



SAUL KASSIR

Distinguished Professor of Psychology

Author of *Duped: Why Innocent People Confess—and Why We Believe Their Confessions*

EXPERTISE: False confessions, false memories, police interviewing, and interrogation.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [False Confessions \(NBC Nightly News\)](#)



STEVEN PENROD

Distinguished Professor of Psychology

EXPERTISE: Juries, eyewitnesses, law.

RESEARCH: Effects of jury size and decision rules on jury decision-making, death penalty decision-making, juror’s use of probabilistic and hearsay evidence, comprehension of legal instructions, the impact of extra-legal influences such as pretrial publicity, joinder of charges, the effects of cameras in the courtroom, and the effects of juror questioning of witnesses on jury performance.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Eyewitness ID Errors \(Vera Institute of Justice\)](#)

[Expert Witness Testimony \(American Psychology-Law Society\)](#)



DERYN STRANGE

Professor in the Department of Psychology

EXPERTISE: Memory errors, eyewitness testimony, impact of trauma on memory.

EXPERIENCE: Testifies in court cases where memory is an issue.

RESEARCH: How we remember and misremember traumatic events, how we promote and maintain memory distortions and whether we can correct those distortions, memory distortions in legal settings, the development and maintenance of false memories in children and adults.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [False Memories \(Fox News Channel\)](#)

JUVENILE JUSTICE



CARLA BARRETT

Academic Director of the Prison-to-College Pipeline, Associate Professor in the Department of Sociology

Author of *Courting Kids: Inside an Experimental Youth Court*.

EXPERTISE: Raise the Age, criminal prosecution of adolescents, alternative to incarceration programs and the unintended consequences of punitive criminal justice legislation on young people, prison education and higher education in prison programs.

RESEARCH: Misdemeanor case processing and policing, the decriminalization of “quality of life” offenses.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Juvenile Offenders as “Superpredators” \(PBS\)](#)

POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS/CONGRESS/LEGISLATIVE



BRIAN ARBOUR

Associate Professor of Political Science

Author of *Candidate-Centered Campaigns: Political Messages, Winning Personalities, and Personal Appeals*.

EXPERTISE: Political communication and campaign strategy in congressional elections, American government, political parties, the news media, and campaigns and elections.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Biden and the Youth Vote \(Fox News Channel\)](#)



HEATH BROWN

**Associate Professor of Public Policy
in the Department of Public Management**

Author of *Homeschooling the Right: How Conservative Education Activism Erodes the State*, *Immigrants and Electoral Politics: Nonprofit Organizing in a Time of Demographic Change*, *Pay-to-Play Politics: How Money Defines the American Democracy*, *Tea Party Divided: The Hidden Diversity of a Maturing Movement*, *Lobbying the New President: Interests in Transition*.

EXPERTISE: New York City politics, political campaigns, presidential transitions, money in elections.

EXPERIENCE: Research Fellow at the US Congressional Budget Office, Policy Assistant at the American Bus Association, Research and Policy Director at the Council of Graduate Schools, Reviews Editor for Interest Groups & Advocacy, Host of the podcast *New Books in Political Science*, Expert contributor to *The Hill* as well as to *The Atlantic* magazine and *American Prospect* magazine.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Elections \(CUNY TV\)](#)



SUSAN KANG

Associate Professor in the Department of Political Science

Author of *Human Rights and Labor Solidarity: Trade Unions and the Global Economy*.

EXPERTISE: NYC local and New York state elections, voting rights, grassroots politics, left and socialist politics, social movements, economic and social rights, human rights, protest, international law.

EXPERIENCE: Regular Contributor on Spectrum News NY1's Inside City Hall with Errol Louis, Leadership of NYC Democratic Socialists of America, former co-founder of NoIDCNY, contributor to national and local press outlets

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Ranked Choice Voting \(Spectrum NY1\)](#)



MAXWELL MAK

Associate Professor in the Department of Political Science

EXPERTISE/RESEARCH: Judicial decision-making at the U.S. Courts of Appeals and the Supreme Court, presidential and congressional elections, voting behavior, and judicial confirmations.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Supreme Court on Obamacare Lawsuit \(1010 Wins\)](#)



ANDREW SIDMAN

Associate Professor & Chair of the Department of Political Science

Author of *Pork Barrel Politics: How Government Spending Determines Elections in a Polarized Era*.

EXPERTISE: American politics, Congress, the presidency, federal elections, polarization, judges, federal courts, the Supreme Court, public opinion.

EXPERIENCE: Consulted on campaigns and public opinion projects in Canada and the UK, including several Canadian federal elections and the 2014 Scottish Independence Referendum.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Governor Cuomo Resignation \(Al Jazeera\)](#)

NYC HISTORY



JEFFREY KROESSLER

Associate Professor in the Lloyd Sealy Library

Author of *New York, Year by Year* and *The Greater New York Sports Chronology* and *Sunnyside Gardens: Planning and Preservation in a Historic Garden Suburb* (forthcoming).

EXPERTISE: New York City history, terrorism in New York, crime in New York, urban planning, planned communities, oral history, and historic preservation.

EXPERIENCE: Initiated *Justice in New York: An Oral History*, conducting interviews with leaders in the field of criminal justice and law. Involved in historic preservation issues in the city for more than three decades, with the Historic Districts Council, the Municipal Art Society, and The City Club of New York.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Sunnyside Gardens \(Indoor Voices Podcast\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Working knowledge of German



JUDY-LYNNE PETERS

Doctoral Lecturer in the Department of Public Management

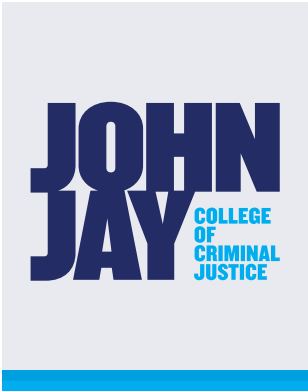
EXPERTISE: Slavery in New York City and the Northeast

EXPERIENCE: Co-Director of the [Northeast Slavery Records Index](#) (NESRI)

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [NY Slavery-Related Artwork \(harlemworldmagazine.com\)](#)

[Honoring enslaved people's history \(AFT Voices\)](#)

NYPD/POLICE MENTAL HEALTH



HEATH GRANT

Associate Professor in the Department of Law,
Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration

EXPERTISE: Police officer wellness and stress, compassion fatigue, positive psychology in youth crime prevention and resiliency, youth resiliency, rule of law promotion internationally, social crime prevention.

EXPERIENCE: Former Research Director of the Police Executive Research Forum, Former CEO of Success for Kids, a multi-national youth resiliency program, lead curriculum developer, trainer, and evaluator of the State Department INL's Culture of Lawfulness police training and school-based crime prevention programs.

RESEARCH: Police officer wellness, social emotional learning in crime prevention and rehabilitation, international rule of law promotion, police integrity, assisted criminal justice interventions.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [NYPD Officer Suicides \(CBS New York\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



THOMAS COGHLAN

Adjunct Professor in the Department of Psychology

EXPERTISE: Mental illness in law enforcement, policing, police-community relations.

EXPERIENCE: Licensed clinical psychologist, First Responder Psychologist in the Department of Homeland Security, retired NYPD Detective, past Visiting Law Enforcement Fellow at the International Association of Chiefs of Police. Provides psychotherapy to police officers and their families, evaluates candidate psychological disqualification appeals. Conducts pre-employment evaluations and fitness-for-duty evaluations for various public safety agencies in New York and New Jersey.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Police Mental Health \(Tribuna TV\)](#)

LATINX STUDIES



MARCIA ESPARZA

Associate Professor in the Department of Criminal Justice

Author of *Silenced Communities: Legacies of and Resistance to Militarization and Militarism in a Rural Guatemalan Town*.

EXPERTISE: State violence, genocide, collective memory-silence in the aftermath of mass killings, military sociology in Latin America, Spain, and the Balears Island of Mallorca.

EXPERIENCE: Founder and Director of the Historical Memory Project, a forum for documenting and promoting the historical memory of state violence.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [State Violence & Genocide in Latin America \(Criminal Justice Matters\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



JOSÉ LUIS MORÍN

Professor and Chair of the Department of Latin American and Latinx Studies

Author of *Latino/a Rights and Justice in the United States: Perspectives and Approaches*.

EXPERTISE: Domestic and international criminal justice, international human rights law, civil rights, Latina/o studies, and Latin American studies.

EXPERIENCE: Attorney with the Latino Justice/Puerto Rican Legal Defense and Education Fund and the Center for Constitutional Rights, former Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost of Stella and Charles Guttman Community College, Interim Dean of Undergraduate Studies at John Jay College, Interim Director of the CUNY-wide Latino Faculty Recruitment Initiative.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Faculty Spotlight \(John Jay College\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish

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VERÓNICA MICHEL

Associate Professor in the Department of Political Science

Author of *Prosecutorial Accountability and Victims' Rights in Latin America*.

EXPERTISE: Private prosecution, prosecutorial accountability, criminal procedure reform, victims' rights, legal mobilization against human rights violations and gender violence (femicide), cause lawyering, and access to justice. Region of expertise: Latin America.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [President Trump Impeachment \(Telemundo\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



LISANDRO PEREZ

Professor of Latin American and Latinx Studies

Author of *Sugar, Cigars, and Revolution: The Making of Cuban New York*.

EXPERTISE: Ethnicity, immigration, Latinxs (esp. Cubans) in the U.S., Cuban history and society, historical research methods, New York ethnic history, political culture, and Cuban Americans and U.S. policy towards Cuba.

EXPERIENCE: Former Chair of the Department of Latin American Studies and founding Director of Florida International University's Cuban Research Institute.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Cuban-United States relations \(CUNY TV\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



JODIE ROURE

Associate Professor of Latin American Studies, Director and Founder of Ronald H. Brown Law School Prep Program and the University of Houston Prelaw Programs, Director of the Domestic Violence in Puerto Rico Project

Author of *Immigrant Women, Domestic Violence*

EXPERTISE/RESEARCH: Violence against women and girls in Brazil, Puerto Rico, Dominican Republic, Cuba, and the United States, pipeline education, gender rights, criminal justice, international human rights, international criminal justice, race, class and ethnicity in the United States, and Latina/o Studies.

RESEARCH: Human rights including violence against women and girls in Brazil, Puerto Rico, Dominican Republic, Cuba, and the United States, pipeline education, race, class ethnicity and gender in the United States.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Hurricane Maria \(John Jay College\)](#)

[Femicide \(Brut Media\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



JOHN A. GUTIÉRREZ

Assistant Professor in the Department of Latin American and Latinx Studies

EXPERTISE: Cuba, Spanish-Speaking Caribbean, History of Public Health and Disease, Latino Nonprofit Sector, Latino Politics in the United States, Campaigns and Elections.

EXPERIENCE: Former Latino Nonprofit Executive. Fundraising and Communications Staff for Latino-Led Political Consulting and Public Affairs Firm, Television Political Analyst.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: Hurricane Maria (Tiempo-WABC7) [Part 1](#) | [Part 2](#)
[2020 Presidential Debate \(Spectrum NY1\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish

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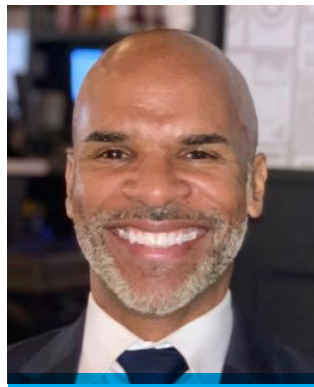
CARL BORNSTEIN

Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Department of Public Management

EXPERTISE: New York and federal criminal laws defining corruption, fraud, racketeering and financial crimes, oversight and investigation of government procurement, internal controls, and compliance concepts, the acquisition of documents as evidence, labor laws applicable in public construction, immunity, and the strategies used to develop admissible proof, labor & union issues, organized crime, stop and frisk.

EXPERIENCE: Attorney at Law, former federal and state prosecutor, former inspector general, chief operating officer and a co-founder of the Fortress Monitoring Group, a joint venture, which served as Integrity Monitor for the \$3+ billion construction of 1 World Trade Center reporting to the Inspector General of the Port Authority of New York & New Jersey.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Wasteful Government Spending \(Spotlight PA\)](#)
[Trump Taxes \(The Daily Beast\)](#)



CHARLES DAVIDSON

**Assistant Dean of Student Professional Advancement,
Director of the Center for Post-Graduate Opportunities.**

EXPERTISE: Diversity pipeline programs, diversifying professions, Critical Race Theory and racial politics, race in higher education, and international public and criminal law,

EXPERIENCE: Director, Pre-Law Institute and Center for Post-Graduate Opportunities; Director of the Center for the Advancement of Teaching at John Jay College, Assistant Professor of International Law at the American University in Cairo (AUC), Legal Consultant in the Middle East and the former Soviet Union, Civic Education Project, Open Society Foundation (Budapest), the Ford Foundation, USAID, advisor and special consultant with the American Bar Association's Rule of Law Initiative in the Middle East and North Africa, member of US Department of Justice's Honors Program and an Attorney-Advisor at DOJ.

MEDIA APPEARANCE:
[Historic Swearing in of Justice Ketanji Brown-Jackson \(Fox 5\)](#)



MOLLY KALMUS

Adjunct Professor in the Department of Criminal Justice and Ph.D. student (Policy Oversight & Administration) at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY Graduate Center.

EXPERTISE: NY criminal law.

EXPERIENCE: Practicing criminal defense attorney, former law enforcement experience.

RESEARCH INTERESTS: Human trafficking, terrorism, the intersection of psychology and law.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Defenders' Rights \(Augusta Chronicle\)](#)



DMITRIY SHAKHNEVICH

**Attorney at Law and Adjunct Lecturer in the Department of Law,
Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration**

EXPERTISE: Criminal law and procedure, civil litigation, criminal, civil, regulatory, administrative and internal investigations, legal process.

EXPERIENCE: Criminal defense and civil litigation attorney in NYC, legal analyst on criminal cases involving Antonio Brown, Connor McGregor, Kristaps Porzingis, Ghislaine Maxwell and Harvey Weinstein.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Deadly Bodega Stabbing \(CBS2\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Russian



WALTER SIGNORELLI

Adjunct Professor of Law in the Department Administration of Law, Police Science, and Criminal Justice

Author of Criminal Law, Procedure, and Evidence, Rome and America: The Great Republics, The Constable Has Blundered, The Crisis of Police Liability Lawsuits.

EXPERTISE: Consultant on police practice and procedure litigation, police pursuits.

EXPERIENCE: Attorney at Law, retired NYPD Inspector.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: Police Shooting Victim Settlement (The New York Times)



HERMANN WALZ

Adjunct Professor in The Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration

EXPERTISE: Criminal procedure, constitutional law, hate crimes, legalization of drugs and the right to remain silent, immigration, employment, trusts and estates, and matrimonial law.

EXPERIENCE: trial attorney in criminal defense and civil rights litigation, former Assistant District Attorney in both Queens and Kings Counties.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: Qualified Immunity (Newell Normand Show)

LAW ENFORCEMENT/POLICING/POLICE-COMMUNITY RELATIONS



MICHAEL J. ALCAZAR

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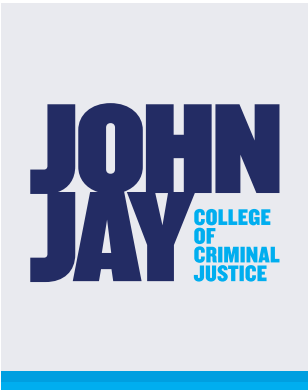
EXPERTISE: Major crime and organized crime investigations, investigating hate crimes.

EXPERIENCE: Retired NYPD Detective, Former NYPD Hostage Negotiator, Undercover/Investigator Organized Crime Investigations, Lead Instructor of the NYPD Detective Bureau Training Unit, Coordinator of the NYPD Homicide Investigators Course.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: Mayor Eric Adams Crime Plan (CBSN)

Gabby Petito Investigation (News Nation)

Michael K. Williams Death Investigation (Fox 5 NY)



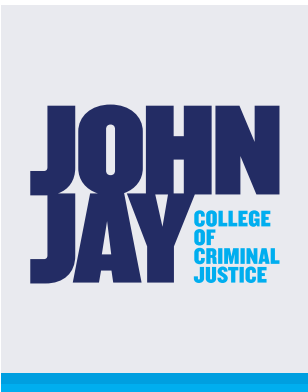
VINCENT DEL CASTILLO

Associate Professor in The Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration

EXPERTISE: Police labor relations, fear of crime and victimization.

EXPERIENCE: Former Chief of the New York City Transit Police Department, assisted in the creation of a branch campus of John Jay College within the Police Academy of the Puerto Rico Police Department.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: MTA Fare Evasion (Fox News Channel)



RALPH CILENTO

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EXPERTISE: Police use of force, Police interrogation techniques, police ethics, ghost guns.

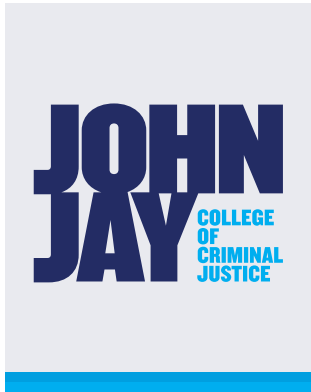
EXPERIENCE: Retired NYPD Lieutenant

MEDIA APPEARANCE: Ghost Guns (Fox 5 NY)

Violent Shootings in NYC (Fox 5 NY) | Gabby Petito Case (News 12)

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JAMES DOOLEY

Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Department of Sociology

EXPERTISE: NYPD’s ‘use of force’ policy & training, counter terrorism deployments, and mass transit terror–related threats and counter measures.

EXPERIENCE: Police executive, public safety, security, and counter terrorism leader & trainer, former NYPD Captain on Patrol in NYPD’s Transit Bureau, former NYPD Supervisor on Police Patrol, Law Instructor at the NYPD Police Academy.

RESEARCH: The NYPD’s Stop, Question & Frisk Policy.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [MTA Subway Vandalism \(Pix 11 News\)](#)



JOSEPH GIACALONE

Adjunct Professor in the Department of Law, Police Science, and Criminal Justice Administration

Author of *The Criminal Investigative Function: A Guide for New Investigators*.

EXPERTISE: Cold cases, homicide, sexual assault, missing persons, general criminal investigation, officer-involved shootings.

EXPERIENCE: Sergeant Supervisor Detective Squad in the New York City Police Department, Commanding Officer of the Bronx Cold Case Squad, Commanding Officer of Crime Stoppers Unit, Executive Officer of Detective Bureau Training Unit, Director of NYPD Homicide School, Executive Officer of the 110th Precinct Detective Squad.

RESEARCH: Homicide Clearance Rates, Serial Killers, Criminal Identification Technologies.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Reinstating the NYPD Plainclothes Unit \(CNN\)](#)



MARIA HABERFELD

Professor of Police Science in, Chair of Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration, Coordinator of Police Leadership Online Certificate Program

Author of *Critical Issues in Police Training, Russian Organized Corruption Networks and their International Trajectories, Policing Muslim Communities, Co-editor of Modern Piracy and Maritime Terrorism: The Challenge of Piracy for the 21st Century*.

EXPERTISE: Policing with emphasis on training, leadership, integrity and ethics, comparative criminal justice, counterterrorism, police procedure, police interactions with the mentally ill, policing minorities.

EXPERIENCE: Lieutenant in the Israel National Police, special consultant for the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration in the New York Field Office.

RESEARCH: Public and private law enforcement, police conduct and integrity, counterterrorism.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Mental Health & Violent Crime Crisis \(Spectrum NY1\)](#)

[The Impact Of 9/11 Terror Attacks \(CNA Insider\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Polish, Hebrew



DELORES JONES-BROWN

Professor Emerita in the Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration and Founding Director of the John Jay College Center on Race, Crime and Justice

Author of *Policing and Minority Communities: Bridging the Gap*.

EXPERTISE/RESEARCH: Race, crime and the administration of justice, police-community relations, juvenile justice, and the legal socialization of adolescent males, stop & frisk, confidential informants.

EXPERIENCE: Criminal justice practitioner in prosecution, community-based and institutional corrections and program development for court-involved youth, involved with the development of law and justice-related education for middle schools and high schools.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [The Broken Policing and Criminal Justice System \(MNN\)](#)



DENNIS JAY KENNEY

Professor of Criminal Justice

EXPERTISE: Policing conflict, police management and change, police pursuits and use of force (including Tasers). Former police officer.

EXPERIENCE: Former Director of Research and Associate Director of the Police Executive Research Forum, Former Editor of the American Journal of Police and Police Quarterly, designed and directed programs focused on strategic approaches to the issues of policing in conflict and post conflict settings in several countries.

RESEARCH: Police pursuits, use of force, the role of the police in abortion related conflict, police fatigue and the evaluation of police performance.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Police Use of Force Legislation \(CBSN\)](#)

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PETER MOSKOS

Associate Professor in the Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration, Director of John Jay College's NYPD Executive Master's Program

Author of *Cop in the Hood: My Year Policing Baltimore's Eastern District*.

EXPERTISE: Police patrol and crime prevention, police culture, community policing, use of force, qualitative methods.

EXPERIENCE: Former Baltimore City Police Officer, faculty member in CUNY's Doctoral Programs in Sociology, teaches introductory police classes at LaGuardia Community College in Queens, and Senior Fellow of the Yale Urban Ethnography Project.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Baltimore Police Corruption Trial \(WBAL\)](#)



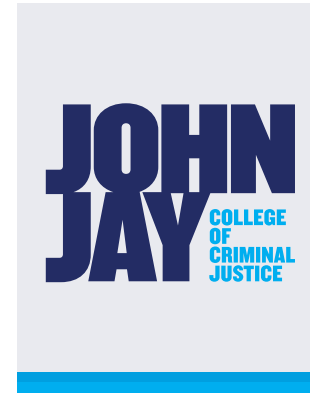
STEPHEN NASTA

Adjunct Lecturer in the Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration

EXPERTISE: Investigations, narcotics, inspector, shootings, management, police involved shootings, police unions, labor, contracts.

EXPERIENCE: Former Chief Investigator in the Office of the Bronx County District Attorney, former Inspector in the New York City Police Department, managed and directed criminal investigations ranging from homicide investigations, narcotics and gang related cases, political corruption cases and internet crime cases.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [NYPD PBA's Declining Political Power \(PIX 11 News\)](#)



JOSEPH POLLINI

Adjunct Lecturer in The Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration

EXPERTISE: Hostage negotiation, major case investigation and management, including homicides, cold cases, kidnapping and gang violence, undercover operations, hijackings.

EXPERIENCE: Former Detective Lieutenant Commander in the New York City Police Department, former bomb and explosives investigator, homicide investigator, narcotics educator to New York City public school students.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Mayor Adams Anti-Crime Plan \(NewsNation\)](#)
[Stop and Frisk \(Pix 11 News\)](#)



KEITH ROSS

Adjunct Professor in the Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration

EXPERTISE: Legal issues in policing, procedural issues in policing, stop, question and frisk, use of force, police training and investigations.

EXPERIENCE: Developed numerous programs/curricula/courses for the NYPD Training Bureau, Master Instructor within the NYPD Training Bureau, Lead Instructor of the Criminal Investigation Course in the NYPD Training Bureau, Law Instructor of the Recruit Training Section in the NYPD Training Bureau.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Mayor Adams Anti-Crime Plan \(NewsNation\)](#)
[Stop and Frisk \(Pix 11 News\)](#)



DOROTHY SCHULZ

Professor Emerita in the Department of Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration.

Author of *Breaking the Brass Ceiling: Women Police Chiefs and Their Paths to the Top*.

EXPERTISE/RESEARCH: Women in policing, transportation policing and safety management, current and historical issues, police leadership and management, transportation policing and safety management.

EXPERIENCE: Capt. (ret), Metro-North Railroad Police, advised federal, state, and local jurisdictions and individual transit agencies on safety and policing issues.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [NYC's First Female Police Commissioner \(CNN\)](#)

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JON SHANE

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Author of articles in *Journal of Criminal Justice*, *Justice Quarterly*, *Security Journal*, *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, *Crime Science*, *Police Quarterly*, *Police Practice & Research*, *Policing: An International Journal of Police Strategies and Management*, *Behavioral Sciences and the Law*, *Marquette Law Review*, *Springer Briefs in Policing*, *Routledge Innovations in Policing*.

EXPERTISE: Police use of force, police management, performance management structures, workload analysis and activity-based budgeting, problem-oriented policing. Theoretical interests include situational crime prevention, environmental criminology, rational choice, crime pattern theory, routine activities, social disorganization, rational-technical theory of organizations.

EXPERIENCE: Former Police Captain (ret.) with twenty-year career with the Newark Police Department, assignments included patrol, anti-crime and planning, senior research associate for the Police Foundation and a subject matter expert for the Center for Problem Oriented Policing.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [NYPD Body Cam Videos \(Spectrum NY1\)](#)



HENRY SMART III

Assistant Professor in the Department of Public Management

EXPERTISE: Police-community relations, criminal justice policy and public administration, the evaluation of criminal justice programs, colorism’s influence on administrative decisions.

EXPERIENCE: Military veteran with over 15 years of service in the U.S. Marine Corps and the National Guard, court administration and nonjudicial punishment.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Termination Of NYPD Officer Daniel Pantaleo \(CBSN\)](#)



JILLIAN SNIDER

Adjunct Lecturer in the Department of Law, Police Science, and Criminal Justice Administration

EXPERTISE/RESEARCH: Public policy on policing, pretrial policy, sentencing, incarceration, juvenile justice and reentry.

EXPERIENCE: Policy Director for R Street’s Criminal Justice & Civil Liberties team, Retired NYPD officer with experience in patrol, undercover vice operations, street-level narcotics, field intelligence and anti-crime units.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Progressive City District Attorneys on Crime \(Dan Abrams Live\)](#)



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**Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Department of Law,
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RESEARCH: The role of law enforcement at WMD incidents, the relationship between educational requirements and police performance

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [911 Memorial \(CBSN\)](#)

[Officers Shot in NJ \(NBC\)](#)

[Police Respond to Armed Driver \(Court TV\)](#)

[Reforming the Criminal Justice \(Bloomberg\)](#)



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EXPERTISE: Policing, police-community relations, community education on policing, homicide investigations, hostage situations.

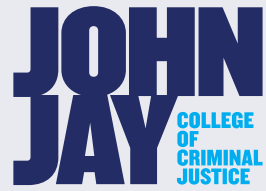
EXPERIENCE: Retired NYPD Homicide Detective and Hostage Negotiator

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [The State of Policing \(CUNY TV\)](#)

[Murder of NYPD Officers \(CBS New York\)](#)[Children’s Book \(NBC New York\)](#)

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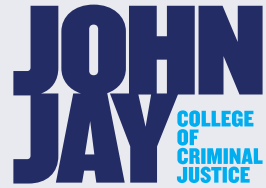
Associate Professor in the Department of Psychology, Director of Clinical Training and Co-Director of the Ph.D. Program in Forensic Psychology

EXPERTISE: Psychopathy and aggression.

EXPERIENCE: Conducted testing, forensic evaluations, and therapy with violent mentally ill offenders.

RESEARCH: Psychopathy in police and FBI, psychopathic traits and predictors of violence in women, juveniles, various multicultural groups and noncriminal populations.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Meet Diana Falkenbach \(John Jay College\)](#)



MICHELE GALIETTA

Associate Professor in the Department of Psychology

EXPERTISE: Forensic psychology, church abuse, assessment, women who kill kids, Munchausen syndrome, personality disorder, violent offender supervision and treatment, stalking, PTSD, jury perceptions of insanity defenses, child sex abuse, self-harm, suicide, mass shooter mental health.

RESEARCH: Decision making in terminally ill cancer patients.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Childhood Abduction \(20/20\)](#)



ELIZABETH L. JEGLIC

Professor in the Department of Psychology

Author of *Protecting Your Child from Sexual Abuse: What You Need to Know to Keep Your Kids Safe*, *Sexual Violence: Evidence Based Policy and Prevention*.

EXPERTISE: Sexual abuse prevention, sexual grooming, coercion, consent, sexual harassment, #MeToo, survivors of sexual abuse, sex offender registries, sex offending, criminal justice reform, offender treatment, sexual education in schools, Title IX.

EXPERIENCE: Co-Director of the Sex Offender Research Lab (SORL), Associate Editor of Sexual Abuse, blogger for Psychology Today.

MEDIA APPEARANCE:

[Train Rape Bystander Effect \(AP\)](#) | [Various Outlets](#)



VERONICA JOHNSON

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EXPERTISE: Racial trauma, workplace racial discrimination, racism-related coping, and racial socialization.

EXPERIENCE: Runs private practice in New York City, facilitates discussions on enhancing multicultural competence in workspaces, serves as a consultant for an executive functioning coaching organization on enhancing the academic success of students with learning differences and difficulties with executive functioning.

RESEARCH: Developing strengths-based approaches to mental health service delivery for client populations of color, enhancing mental health treatment for racial/ethnic minority clients by isolating cultural values that promote psychosocial being.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Microaggressions Against Women of Color \(Newsy\)](#)



CYNTHIA CALKINS

Associate Professor in the Department of Psychology

Author of *Protecting Your Child from Sexual Abuse: What You Need to Know to Keep Your Kids Safe*

EXPERTISE: Clinical expertise in risk assessment and the evaluation of sex offenders.

EXPERIENCE: Licensed clinical forensic psychologist.

RESEARCH: Established empirical evidence for use in sex offender policy and sexual violence prevention, identified risk markers for sexual violence perpetration among a sample of clergy sex offenders, factors promoting desistance from sexual offending and the examination and prevention of sexual violence in Latino cultures.

LANGUAGES: Spanish

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Protecting the Children \(Fox 5 NY\)](#)



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Author of *Palabras al Viento: Antología poética de mujeres dominicanas en New York (forthcoming)*, *Semejanza De Lo Eterno: (Metapoesía)*, *Mitología del Instante*.

EXPERTISE: Hispanic mental health, Dominican literature, track and field.

EXPERIENCE: Clinical Director of Hispanic Mental Health Counseling in New York, Licensed Mental Health Counselor (LMHC), Certified Hypnotherapist, Director of the "International Dominican Book Fair" in New York (since 2010), Founding Director of the Creative Living Runners Club, Road Runners Club of American (RRCA) & USA Track & Field (USATF) Certified Running Coach.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Dating Apps \(Univision\)](#)

[Suicide Prevention \(NY1 Noticias\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



KAREN TERRY

Professor in the Department of Criminal Justice and faculty in the Criminal Justice Doctoral Program at the CUNY Graduate Center

EXPERTISE: Sexual abuse, victimization, sex offender policy.

EXPERIENCE: Principal investigator for two studies on sexual abuse of minors by Catholic priests in the U.S.

RESEARCH: Sexual offending and victimization, particularly abuse of children in an institutional setting.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Catholic Priest Sexual Abuse Study \(AP\)](#)



SHONNA TRINCH

Associate Professor of Linguistic Anthropology

Co-author of *What the Signs Say: Language, Gentrification and Place-Making in Brooklyn*.

EXPERTISE: Sexual assault, urban development, gentrification, linguistic landscapes in Brooklyn, ethnography of speaking, law and language, forensic linguistics, U.S. Latino Spanish/English, domestic violence, rape, sexual assault, narrative and testimony.

RESEARCH: How Latina women and sociolegal authorities collaborate and conflict in the creation of narratives of domestic abuse, teaches Seeing Rape, a course and annual performance of one-act plays written by students about sexual assault.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Gentrification in NYC \(CUNY TV\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Spanish



PHILIP YANOS

Professor in the Department of Psychology, Director of Clinical Training for Clinical Psychology Ph.D. program at John Jay

Author of *Written Off: Mental Health Stigma and the Loss of Human Potential*.

EXPERTISE: Mental health stigma, housing and community participation among people diagnosed with mental illness, effectiveness of psychological interventions for people diagnosed with severe mental illnesses.

EXPERIENCE: Clinical psychologist, focusing on adults diagnosed with severe mental illness.

RESEARCH: Research community stigma related to mental illness, research on self-stigma and its effects among people diagnosed with mental illness, research on housing and community participation among people diagnosed with mental illness.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Policing the Mentally Ill \(The Youth Channel\)](#)



LISA FISCHEL-WOLOVICK

Adjunct Professor in John Jay’s Forensic Psychology and Forensic Mental Health Programs

Author of *Traumatic Divorce and Separation: The Impact of Domestic Violence and Substance Abuse in Custody and Divorce*

EXPERTISE: Domestic violence, advocacy and counseling for battered women, the courts on the impact of domestic violence and trauma, child custody, child abuse.

EXPERIENCE: Attorney at Law, social worker, provides consultations and training for attorneys, mental health professionals, and the judiciary.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Traumatic Divorce \(Engendered Podcast\)](#)

[Faculty Spotlight \(John Jay College\)](#)

MUSIC



GREGORY SHEPPARD

Doctoral Lecturer in Music, Founder John Jay Singers and John Jay Singers Association Club

EXPERTISE: Voice, opera, choir, music theory

EXPERIENCE: Leading solo artist in concert, opera and recital throughout the US, Canada and Europe including NYCOpera, San Francisco Opera, Syracuse Opera, Central City Opera, Glimmerglass Opera, Chattanooga Opera, Illinois Symphony, Sioux City Symphony, Denver Symphony, Orchestra of St. Luke’s, Little Orchestra Society, Carnegie Hall, David Geffen Hall, NJPAC, Alice Tully Hall and others. Savonlinna Opera (Finland), Munchener Bienalle (Germany), Vienna Festival (Austria), I Solisti di Roma Orchestra (Rome, Florence, Sienna). MET Opera National Council Auditions study grant recipient, Sullivan Foundation, Friday Music Clubs, Syracuse Opera Artist of the Year.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [The Death of NYPD Detective Wilbert Mora \(GoodDay NY\)](#) | [\(Spectrum NY1\)](#) | [\(ABC 7\)](#)

HUMAN TRAFFICKING



CHITRA RAGHAVAN

Professor of Psychology, Deputy Director of The Forensic Mental Health Counseling Program, Coordinator of Victimology Studies in Forensic Psychology

Author of *Domestic Violence: Methodologies in Dialogue*.

EXPERTISE: Intimate partner violence, sex trafficking, coercive control, trauma, and trauma bonding, sexual assault PTSD, dissociative disorders.

EXPERIENCE: Deputy Director of the Forensic Mental Health Counseling Program, created and oversees the Advanced Certificate of Victim Studies and the Victim Track specialization contained within the Forensic Mental Health Counseling degree.

RESEARCH: Power dynamics in intimate partner abuse, sexual assault, sex trafficking and related traumatic outcomes.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [The mindset of sex trafficking survivors \(MSNBC\)](#)

LANGUAGES: Tamil, French, Bahasa Malaysia

ORGANIZED CRIME



THOMAS W. HYLAND

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EXPERIENCE: Deputy Director of the NYC Department of Education, United States Supreme Court (Southern District) appointed Special Master, Oversight Monitor to the New York City Department of Corrections, Special Commissioner of Investigation in New York, Supervising Investigator for the New York City School District, Retired Detective First Grade of the New York City Police Department.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Murder of Staten Island Mob Boss \(Inside Edition\)](#)

SECURITY/EMERGENCY RESPONSE



CHELSEA BINNS

Assistant Professor in the Department of Security, Fire, and Emergency Management

Author of *The Art of Investigation* and *Fraud Hotlines: Design, Performance & Assessment*.

EXPERTISE: Bank and financial crime, corporate crime, corporate security, crime prevention and reduction, cybercrime, financial fraud, investigations, organizational fraud, loss prevention, private security industry, security management, white collar crime.

EXPERIENCE: Former Investigator in the City and State of NY, Director of Corporate Security & Investigation at Morgan Stanley, Senior Vice President in Citibank's Fraud Surveillance Unit in New York City, President of NY Chapter of Association of Certified Fraud Examiners.

RESEARCH: Cybercrime, background checks, employee crime, fraud hotlines, investigations, organizational fraud.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [The Art of Investigation \(PI Perspectives Podcast\)](#)



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EXPERTISE: Firefighting and fire prevention, the development and trends of the American fire protection profession.

EXPERIENCE: Serves on the Fire Code Advisory Council for New Jersey, former member of the Federal Advisory committee of the National Construction Safety Team, technical editor and a columnist for Fire Engineering Magazine.

MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Notre Dame Fire \(CNN\)](#)



BRIAN HIGGINS

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EXPERTISE: Active shooter, school shootings, disaster & emergency response, terrorism & violent extremism.
EXPERIENCE: Retired Chief of the Bergen County, NJ Police Department and Bergen County Director of Public Safety, consultant in public safety and security. Certified medicolegal death investigator.
MEDIA APPEARANCE: [What To Do During a Mass Shooting \(HLN\)](#)
[Defunding the Police \(NJ Spotlight News\)](#)



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Associate Professor in the Department of Security, Fire, and Emergency Management

EXPERTISE: First responder issues, emergency management and fire services.
EXPERIENCE: Director of John Jay’s Christian Regenhard Center for Emergency Response Studies (RaCERS), Former Deputy Commissioner of Public Safety for White Plains(NY), Chief Fire Officer designee from Center for Public Safety Excellence, Fellow of Institution of Fire Engineers, conducted numerous After Action Reviews of major incidents including high-rise fires and mass violence, former firefighter/EMT.
MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Notre Dame Cathedral Fire \(CBSN\)](#)



ROBERT MCCRIE

Professor of Security Management

Author of *Security Operations Management*.
EXPERTISE: Security management, bank robberies, risk assessments, prison reform.
EXPERIENCE: Expert witness on security practices and standards, writes and edits widely about security, crime, and risk reduction, works on prison reform to create safer communities. Founding editor-in-chief of Security Journal.
RESEARCH: Workplace violence and security standards.
MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Security for the United Nations General Assembly \(CGTN America\)](#)

TERRORISM



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Adjunct Lecturer in the Departments of Political Science, Criminal Justice and Sociology

EXPERTISE: Counterterrorism, counterinsurgency, terrorism, surveillance, NYPD (especially counterterrorism and Islam/Muslim related questions), Islamophobia, colonialism, Muslims in France and the United States.
EXPERIENCE: French Institute of Geopolitics, Center for Constitutional Rights, Columbia University.
MEDIA APPEARANCE: [The Impact Of 9/11 Terror Attacks \(CNA Insider\)](#)
[Muslims in France \(Paroles D'Honneur\)](#)
LANGUAGES: French

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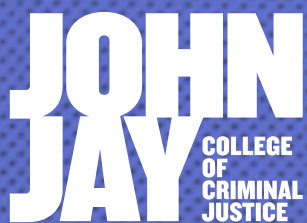
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EXPERTISE: Urban redevelopment (gentrification and eminent domain), violence, ethnicity, gender, human trafficking, environmentalism, law and social justice.
EXPERIENCE: Gentrification and re-development in Brooklyn, including Atlantic Yards/Barclays Center, international fieldwork in Central Asia and Eastern Europe on law, justice, crime, gender, and human rights in post-socialist states.
RESEARCH: Various studies funded by the National Science Foundation, U.S. Department of State, Fulbright IIIE, International Research & Exchanges Board (IREX), and the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID).
MEDIA APPEARANCE: [Gentrification in NYC \(CUNY TV\)](#)
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