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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

John Jay College of Criminal Justice

2015- Project Director/Senior Investigator, Research and Evaluation Center
2014-2015 Director of Research, Evidence Generation Initiative
2012-2014 Visiting Scholar, Research and Evaluation Center
2011-2012 Research Analyst, Research and Evaluation Center

Mercy College

2017 Associate Professor, Criminal Justice, School of Social and Behavioral Sciences
2012-2016 Assistant Professor, Criminal Justice, School of Social and Behavioral Sciences
2012-2017 Fellow, Center for Social and Criminal Justice

Other Appointments

2017 Adjunct Professor, NJ STEP, East Jersey State Prison
2016 Adjunct Professor, Rutgers School of Criminal Justice
2016 Adjunct Professor, Hudson Link for Higher Education, Taconic Correctional Facility
2013 Adjunct Professor, Sullivan County Community College

EDUCATION

Ph.D. 2012 Indiana University, Bloomington
 Primary field: Criminal Justice
 Secondary field: Social Psychology
 Dissertation: "Registration Nation: The Impact of Sex Offender Laws"

M.A. 2008 Indiana University, Bloomington
 Thesis: "Perceptions of the Victimization of Persons with Disabilities"

B.A. 2004 Indiana University, Bloomington
 Major: Psychology with Departmental Honors
 Minors: English, Telecommunications
 Senior Honors Thesis: "The Effects of Confidence Priming on Compliance"

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Criminal Stigma
Education in Prison
Police-Citizen Interactions

Program Evaluation
Incarceration and Public Health
Reentry

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- Evans, D. N., Pelletier, E. & Szkola, J. Education in prison and the self-stigma – empowerment continuum. *Crime & Delinquency* [in press].
- Furst, T. R. & Evans, D. N. (2017). Renting apartments to felons: Variations in real estate agent decisions due to stigma. *Deviant Behavior*, 38(6), 698-708.
- Evans, D. N. (2016). The Effect of criminal convictions on real estate agent decisions in New York City. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 39(3), 363-379.
- Evans, D. N. & Furst, R. T. (2016). Stigma and outdoor smoking breaks: Self-perceptions of outdoor smokers in Manhattan. *Social Theory and Health*, 14(3), 275-292.
- Evans, D. N., & Williams, C. L. (2015). Stop, Question, and Frisk in New York City: A survey of public opinions. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*. doi:10.1177/0887403415610166
- Evans, D. N. & Cubellis, M. A. (2015). Coping with Stigma: How Sex Offenders Manage their Public Identities. *American Journal of Criminal Justice*, 40(3), 593-619.
- Evans, D. N. & Porter, J. R. (2015). Criminal history and landlord rental decisions: A New York quasi-experimental study. *Journal of Experimental Criminology*, 11(1), 21-42.
- Furst, T. R. & Evans, D. N. (2015). An exploration of stigma in the lives of sex offenders and heroin abusers. *Deviant Behavior*, 36(2), 130-145.
- Jia, L., Hirt, E. R. & Evans, D. N. (2014). Putting the freeze on priming: The role of need for cognitive closure on the prime-norm dynamic. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 40(7), 931-942.
- Evans, D. N., Maragh, C. L. & Porter, J. R. (2014). What do we know about NYC's Stop and Frisk program?: A spatial and statistical analysis. *Advances in Social Sciences Research Journal*, 1(2), 130-144.
- Evans, D. N. (2013). Perceptions of the victimization of individuals with intellectual disabilities. *Advances in Applied Sociology*, 3(2) 114-123.
- Scott, J. E., Evans, D. N. & Verma, A. (2009). Does higher education affect perceptions amongst police personnel? A response from India. *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice*, 25(2), 214-236.

Manuscripts in Progress

- Cubellis, M. A., Evans, D. N., & Fera, A. Sex offender vigilantism: A media content analysis. *Criminal Justice Policy Review* [under review]
- Furst, T. R., Evans, D. N. & Rodriguez-Rivera, N. Frequency of college student smartphone use: Impact on homework assignments. *Journal of Technology in Behavioral Science* [under review]

Evans, D. N. & Blount-Hill, K. Renting post-reentry: A comparison of landlord and agent reactions to prospective tenants with a criminal record. *Journal of Experimental Criminology*. [under review]

Evans, D. N. & Szkola, J. Full disclosure: Online dating with a criminal record. *Criminology* [under review]

Book Chapters

Butts, J. A. & Evans, D. N. (2014). The second American crime drop: Trends in juvenile and youth violence. In Church, W. (Ed.) *Juvenile justice sourcebook* (2nd Ed.). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Scott, J. E., Evans, D. N. & Verma, A. (2013). Impact of higher education on perceptions of police officers in India. In Unnithan, P. (Ed.) *Crime and justice in India*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Evans, D. N. (2013). Reforming juvenile justice: Case studies in reinvestment and realignment. In Trejos-Castillo, E. (Ed.) *Youth: Practices, perspective and challenges*. New York: Nova.

Butts, J. A., Evans, D. N. & Fontaine, J. (2012). Reducing the risks and consequences of crime victimization in schools. In Davis, R. C., Lurigio, A. J. & Herman, S. (Eds.), *Victims of crime* (4th Ed.) Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Reports and Monographs

Evans, D. N. & O'Toole, M. (2016). *Savings rate: How wraparound advocacy may reduce the costs of state commitment for justice-involved youth*. New York, NY: Research & Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York.

Butts, J. A., Tomberg, K., Evans, D. N., Peirce, J., & Irvine, A. (2016). *Reclaiming futures and organizing justice for drug-using youth*. New York, NY: Research & Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York.

Evans, D. N. (2014). *The debt penalty – Exposing the financial barriers to offender reintegration*. New York, NY: Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice.

Evans, D. N. (2014). *Punishment without end*. New York, NY: Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice.

Evans, D. N. (2014). *Compensating victims of crime*. New York, NY: Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice.

Evans, D. N. & Butts, J. A. (2013). *Comparing juvenile justice systems around the world*. New York, NY: Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice. [<http://jjcompare.org/>]

Delgado, S., Negredo, L., Begum, P., Cubellis, M., Henninger, A., Evans, D., Tomberg, K. & Butts, J. (2013). *Gun violence reduction in New York City: Year 1 assessment*. Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice. [http://johnjayresearch.org/rec/citycouncil_1/]

Evans, D. N. (2012). *Pioneers of youth justice reform: Achieving system change using resolution, reinvestment, and realignment strategies*. Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice.

Butts, J. A., Tomberg, K., Evans, D. N., Ramdeen, R., Roman, C. & Taylor, C. (2012). *Implementation assessment of the National Forum on Youth Violence Prevention: Interim report 1*. Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice. [<http://tinyurl.com/co3dteq>]

Evans, D. N. (2012). Could focused deterrence strategies reduce drug-related violence in Mexico? *Research and Evaluation Data Bits* [2012-03]. New York, NY: Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice.

Butts, J. A. & Evans D. N. (2011). *Resolution, reinvestment, and realignment: Three strategies for changing juveniles justice*. New York, NY: Research and Evaluation Center, John Jay College of Criminal Justice.

Book Reviews

Evans, D. N. (2010). Review of the book *Sells Like Teen Spirit: Music Youth Culture and Social Crisis*. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 39(4), 434-435.

Evans, D. N. (2008). The State of Disability. Review of the book *Disability and Impairment: Working with Children and Families*. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 37(8), 1025-1027.

Encyclopedia Entries

Evans, D. N. (2009). Film. In Greene, H. T. & Gabbidon, S. L., (Eds.). *The Encyclopedia on Race and Crime*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Evans, D. N. (2009). Violent Crime. In Greene, H. T. & Gabbidon, S. L., (Eds.). *The Encyclopedia on Race and Crime*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Evans, D. N. (2012). Probation Mentor Home Program. In Barton-Bellessa, S. M. & Golson, J. G., (Eds.). *The Encyclopedia of Community Corrections*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

EXTERNAL FUNDING

Evaluation of Project Fast Track (2017-2019). Budget: \$1,121,000. Assessment of a system-wide effort in New York City to expedite and enhance arrests, prosecutions, and sentencing in felony firearm cases. Sponsor: New York City Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice. Role: Project Director. PI: Dr. Jeffrey Butts.

Evidence Generation for Youth Services (2015-2016). Amount: \$150,000
Helping agencies that offer community-based alternatives for justice-involved youth to enhance their evidence base by developing data collection tools and designing and implementing quasi-experimental studies of youth clients. Role: Co-Principal Investigator.

Fidelity Assessment for Community-Based Criminal Justice Programs (2014-2017). Amount: \$210,732. Assessing the extent to which alternative to incarceration programs in New York City operate with fidelity to the principles of effective correctional intervention. Sponsor: New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services. Role: Co-Principal Investigator.

Criminal Justice Policy Research Grant (2013-2014). Amount: \$90,000.
Exploring restorative practices in criminal justice systems to analyze the diversity of available programs and mechanisms of restoration and assess their effectiveness. Sponsor: Justice Fellowship. Role: Principal Investigator.

Registered Stigma: Legal Consciousness and the Sex Offender Identity (2011-2012). Amount: \$5,000. Interviewed registered sex offenders, treatment counselors, and parole officers in New York City about the nature and impact of registration laws on sex offenders, treatment, and the criminal justice system. Sponsor: Association for the Treatment of Sex Abusers. Role: Principal Investigator.

Youth Advocates Program, Inc. (2011-2014). Amount: \$100,000. Conducting preliminary analyses of post-discharge data on youth released from YAP and working with YAP managers to improve methods of data collection for long term experimental evaluation studies. Role: Project Manager. PI: Dr. Jeffrey Butts.

PRESENTATIONS

Invited

Furst, R. T. & Evans, D. N. "An Exploration of Stigma in the Lives of Sex Offenders and Heroin Abusers." Drugs and Society Seminar, Columbia University. New York, NY. May 2015.

Conferences

Szkola, J. & Evans, D. N. "Unpacking Credible Messengers from the Cure Violence Model." Presentation to the Northeastern Association of Criminal Justice Sciences, Bristol, RI. June 2017.

Evans, D. N., Kerrigan, M. J. & Mendez, M. "Online Dating with a Criminal Record." Poster presentation to the Northeastern Association of Criminal Justice Sciences, Bristol, RI. June 2017.

Evans, D. N. & Whitfield, J. "The Stigma of Race and Criminal Record in Housing Access." Poster presentation to the Northeastern Association of Criminal Justice Sciences, Bristol, RI. June 2017.

Evans, D. N., Blount-Hill, K., & Szkola, J. "Contextualizing Criminal Justice System Imposed Stigma and Methods of Resistance." Presentation to the 12th Annual Left Forum, New York, NY. June 2017.

Evans, D. N. & Feng, S. Q. "Research from the Inside: Inmate Analyses of Prison Culture." Presentation to the 72nd Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, New Orleans, LA. November 2016.

Lichtenberg, I. & Evans, D. N. "Student Perceptions from a Prison Tour: A Quasi-Replication." Presentation to the 72nd Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, New Orleans, LA. November 2016.

Evans, D. N. & Williamson, T. "The Effect of Higher Education in Prison on Post-Release Stigma." Presentation to the Northeastern Association of Criminal Justice Sciences, Bristol, RI. June 2016.

Evans, D. N., Blount-Hill, K., Blute, T., Lozada, L., Moreta, E., Valles, S., & Williamson, T. "How Citizens, Individuals Under the Control of the System, and Criminal Justice Actors Respond to Neoliberal Social Control." Presentation to the 11th Annual Left Forum, New York, NY. May 2016.

Evans, D. N. "The Effect of Education in Prison on Life Outcomes." Presentation to the 53rd Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Denver, CO. April 2016.

Author Meets Critic: *Dealing with International Crimes in Africa: When are Indigenous Justice Systems Better than Criminal Trials?* by Simeon P. Sungi. Presentation to the 71st Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC. November 2015.

Magno, C. & Evans, D. N. "Organizing a Spatial Justice Movement in a Punitive Neoliberal City." Presentation to the 10th Annual Left Forum, New York, NY. May 2015.

Evans, D. N. & Maragh, C. L. "Stop, Question and Frisk in New York City: A Study of Public Opinions." Presentation to the 52nd Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Orlando, FL. March 2015.

Chair. Cubellis, M. A., Evans, D. N. & Fera, A. "Sex Offender Vigilantism: The costs of Registration and notification laws." Presentation to the 70th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA. November 2014.

Evans, D. N., Maragh, C. L. & Porter, J. R. "What Do We Know about NYC's Stop and Frisk Program? A Spatial and Statistical Analysis." Presentation to the 69th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA. November 2013.

Evans, D. N. "'Is the apartment still for rent?' The stigmatic impact of a sex offense conviction." Presentation to the 69th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA. November 2013.

Scott, J. E. & Evans, D. N. "Managing the criminal label: A study of experienced offender self-stigma." Poster presentation to the 69th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA. November 2013.

Evans, D. N., Marks, M. B. & Delgado, S. "The impact of advocacy services on academic progress among a sample of youth from the Youth Advocate Program, Inc." Presentation to the 50th Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Dallas, TX. March 2013.

Evans, D. N. "Registration, stigmatization, and the creation of the sex offender identity." Presentation to the 67th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC. November 2011.

Evans, D. N. & Scott, J. E. "Social categorization and stigma: Perceptions of race and criminality." Poster presentation to the 66th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA. November 2010.

Evans, D. N. "Understanding the victimization of people with disabilities." Presentation to the 65th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA. November 2009.

Evans, D. N. & Scott, J. E. "Perceptions of criminal stigma." Presentation to the 65th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA. November 2009.

Evans, D. N. "The vulnerability of individuals with developmental disabilities." Presentation to the 64th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, St. Louis, MO. November 2008.

Scott, J. E. & Evans, D. N. "Does higher education affect perceptions amongst police personnel? An affirmative answer from India." Presentation to the 64th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, St. Louis, MO. November 2008.

Evans, D. N. "Behavioral effects of rude versus polite primes." Presentation to the 77th Annual Meeting of the Midwest Psychological Association, Chicago, IL. May 2005.

Ph.D. Dissertation Mentoring

Member of Ph.D. Dissertation Committee. Evan Misshula (In Progress). *Quasi-experimental design for evaluation of CURE-Violence*. John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Department of Criminal Justice.

Member of Ph.D. Dissertation Committee. Margaret Schmuhl. *Patriarchy and varieties of violence against women: A multi-level analysis*. John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Department of Criminal Justice.

Member of Ph.D. Dissertation Committee. Emily Pelletier. *Procedural justice for youth: Discrepancies in the provision of procedural justice for youth in the juvenile justice system*. John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Department of Criminal Justice.

TEACHING

Courses Taught

Introduction to the Criminal Justice System
Criminology/Theories of Crime and Deviance
Juvenile Justice Systems
Research Methods
Senior Seminar/Directed Research
Sociology
Crime in Different Cultures
Alternate Social Control Systems
Techniques of Data Analysis/Statistics
Criminal Investigation
Cultural Diversity in Criminal Justice
Criminal Law and Procedure
American Law
Introductory Psychology

SERVICE

Service to the Field

Peer reviewer:

Journal of Experimental Criminology; Law and Human Behavior; Journal of Crime and Justice; Journal of Offender Rehabilitation; The Sociological Quarterly; Journal of Criminology & Public Policy; Criminal Justice Policy Review; Justice Quarterly; Criminal Justice Review; Violence Against Women; Social Theory and Health; American Journal on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

Service to the College and Department

Mercy College

*Institutional Review Board Committee
Research Infrastructure Group
Faculty Search Committee
Criminal Justice Program Review and Assessment
Academic Standards, Policies, and Regulations Committee*

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS & VOLUNTEER WORK

2015-Present	Young Life, Youth Mentor
2015-Present	Young Center, Immigrant Child Advocate
2013-Present	Alpha Phi Sigma, Advisor, Mercy College chapter
2013-Present	It Could Happen to You, Board Member
2012-Present	Hudson Link for Higher Education in Prison, Affiliate
2007-Present	American Society of Criminology, Member
2007-Present	Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Member
2008-2012	Midwest Pages to Prisoners, Volunteer
2008-2010	Interfaith Homeless Shelter, Volunteer