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EDUCATION

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| 2021 (Expected) | Ph.D., Criminology, The Pennsylvania State University
Dissertation: <i>Closing the Macro-Micro Link: Testing the Effects of Hot Spots Policing on Individual Adolescent Outcomes</i>
Committee: Thomas Loughran (Chair), Eric Baumer, Jennifer L. Maggs and Jeremy Staff |
| 2017 | M.A., Criminology, The Pennsylvania State University |
| 2014 | B.A., Sociology, The University of Massachusetts Amherst |
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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Policing, Offender Decision-Making, Informal Social Control, Adolescent Development, Delinquency & Substance Use

PUBLICATIONS

Bucci, Rebecca and Staff, Jeremy. (2020). "Pubertal Timing and Adolescent Delinquency." *Criminology*, 58(3), 537-567. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1745-9125.12245>

Staff, Jeremy, Maggs, Jennifer, **Bucci, Rebecca** & Mongilio, Jessica. (2019). "Changes in Externalizing Behaviors After Children First Have an Alcoholic Drink and First Drink Heavily." *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 80, 472-479.
<https://doi.org/10.15288/jsad.2019.80.472>

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW [AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST]

Bucci, Rebecca. "Testing the Effects of 'Operation Safe Streets' on Perceptions of Arrest Risk and Procedural Justice."

Bucci, Rebecca, Staff, Jeremy, Maggs, Jennifer L. & Dorn, Lorah D. "Pubertal Timing and Adolescent Alcohol Use: The Mediating Role of Parental and Peer Influences." [Revise & Resubmit]

Staff, Jeremy, Mongilio, Jessica, **Bucci, Rebecca** & Maggs, Jennifer L. "Pubertal Timing and Boys' Psychological Wellbeing."

PUBLICATIONS (OTHER)

Bucci, Rebecca. (2018). *Policing Strategies and Violence Reduction*. The Laura and John Arnold Foundation.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Summer 2018 Graduate Research Associate
 Laura and John Arnold Foundation (*now Arnold Ventures*)

PRESENTATIONS

Invited

- 2019 **Bucci, Rebecca.** “Closing the Macro-Micro Link: Deterrent Effects on Individual Substance Use & Offending.” Pennsylvania State University Criminology Forum. State College, PA.
- 2019 **Bucci, Rebecca** & Greenfelder, Theodore. “Advanced Imputation Tips & Tricks.” Coding & Data Management Working Group – Population Research Institute. State College, PA.
- 2019 **Bucci, Rebecca.** “Pubertal Timing and Adolescent Delinquency.” Criminology Student Brown Bag. State College, PA.

Conference Presentations

- 2020 **Bucci, Rebecca,** Staff, Jeremy, Maggs, Jennifer L., & Dorn, Lorah. “Perceived Pubertal Timing and Adolescent Alcohol Use: The Role of Peers & Parents.” American Sociological Association (ASA). San Francisco, CA. (Virtual Conference).
- 2019 **Bucci, Rebecca,** Thomas, Kyle & Loughran, Thomas. “Co-Offending and Perceptions of Risk, Cost & Reward.” American Society of Criminology (ASC). San Francisco, CA.
- 2018 **Bucci, Rebecca** and Staff, Jeremy. “Late (or Early) to the Party: The Effects of Pubertal Development on Delinquency.” American Society of Criminology (ASC). Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 Graif, Corina and **Bucci, Rebecca.** “Extra-local Ties, Bridging Social Capital, and Neighborhood Safety.” American Society of Criminology (ASC). Atlanta, GA.
- 2017 **Bucci, Rebecca.** “The Impact of Residential Spatial Isolation on Violent Victimization.” American Society of Criminology (ASC). Philadelphia, PA.
- 2016 **Bucci, Rebecca.** “Variation in Early Childhood Alcohol Use by Parental Substance Use.” American Society of Criminology (ASC). New Orleans, LA.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Summer 2019	Lecturer <i>Policing in America</i> (Crim 435)
Spring 2017	Graduate Teaching Assistant <i>Victimization</i> (Crim 422)
Fall 2015-Spring 2016	Graduate Teaching Assistant <i>Criminology Research Methods</i> (Crim 250W)

AWARDS

- 2019 Research and Graduate Studies Office (RGSO) Dissertation Support Award
- 2019 Criminal Justice Research Center (CJCR) Graduate Student Research Award
- 2019 Honorable Mention, Penn State 10th Annual Criminology Student Paper Competition

PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT

2016 – Present	American Society of Criminology (ASC)
2019 – Present	American Sociological Association (ASA)
2020 – Present	Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management (APPAM)

REVIEWER

Social Problems

CERTIFICATIONS

Fall 2020	Course in College Teaching
Summer 2019	Online Teaching Certificate
Spring 2019	Quantitative Methods Certificate

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

Summer 2020 – Present	Department Advisory Committee Criminology Student Representative
Spring 2019 – Present	Journal Club Chair (Spring 2019 – Present)
Fall 2015 – Present	Community Service Committee

	Co-Chair (Fall 2017 – Spring 2019)
Fall 2016 – Present	Criminology Graduate Student Recruitment Weekend Chair (Fall 2017 – Fall 2019) Co-Chair (Spring 2020 – Present)
Fall 2017 – Spring 2018	Criminology Forum Committee

PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

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