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Professional Experience

Research Assistant, International Association of Chiefs of Police/University of Cincinnati Center for Police Research and Policy. August 2019 – Current

- Focused on supporting ongoing research into best practices and policies for law enforcement throughout the United States. Currently concentrating on projects involving community-based crime reduction.

Project Manager, Impact Accelerator, University of Cincinnati. January 2020 – Current

- Provided general and technical interdisciplinary support for various projects, programs, and research within the College of Criminal Justice, Education, Human Services, and Information Technology.

Educational History

Doctor of Philosophy, Criminal Justice, University of Cincinnati

- Expected completion - 2024

Master of Sciences, Criminal Justice, University of Cincinnati

- Included Crime Analysis and Prevention Graduate Certificate
- Completed - 2020

Bachelor of Sciences, Criminal Justice, University of Cincinnati

- Completed - 2019

Research Experience

“Workplace Environments of Police Departments: Differences in Officer Perceptions” (2021).

- Supervisor: Dr. Joseph Nedelec, University of Cincinnati.
- Project comparing the perceptions of workplace climates that police officers hold against their time with the department. This research focused on opinions of the department through different themes such perceptions of policewomen, inter-beat cooperation, and commands structure.

“Untitled Community Based Crime Reduction Evaluation” (2019)

- Supervisors: Dr. Robin Engel Dr. Nicholas Corsaro, University of Cincinnati
- In-progress examination of the effectiveness of community-based crime reduction strategies among violent offenders. Based on an exploratory grant from the U.S. Department of Justice.

“Journey to Overdose: An Analyzation of Overdose Victims” (2018)

- Supervisors: Dr. Sarah Manchak and Dr. Cory Haberman, University of Cincinnati
- Detailed examination of the journeys that victims of the ongoing opioid epidemic endure before succumbing to their overdoses. Explores relationships and correlations between a victim’s home and the site of their overdose.

“Examination of the Effectiveness of Cincinnati’s QRT” (2018)

- Supervisor: Dr. Sarah Manchak, University of Cincinnati
- Examining the effectiveness of task forces containing both law enforcement and mental health specialists; in regards to combating the ever-growing opioid epidemic with the appropriate treatment option for each individual.

“Hockey Faces and Hockey Fights” (2017)

- Supervisor: Dr. Joseph Nedelec, University of Cincinnati
- Comparison of the size of over 1000 faces of hockey players and the proportion of fights they win throughout their careers. Aimed at examining the relationship between an offender’s body and possible violent tendencies of from a biosocial perspective.

“Categorical Crimes and their Effects on Recidivism” (2017)

- Supervisor: Dr. Joseph Nedelec, University of Cincinnati
- Research aimed at identifying the probability of recidivism for specific types of offenders, based on the type of crime that they had recently received a conviction for.

“Race, Violence and Policing: Frames Regarding Police Practice in Reality Television” (2016)

- Supervisor: Dr. Todd Callais, University of Cincinnati Blue Ash
- Content analysis comparing the first 3 seasons of the television show COPS to 3 seasons in the late 2000s to examine whether and how the presentation of minority offenders and officers has improved or declined in the 30 years between seasons.

Presentations

Driscoll, C. (2021). *“Workplace Environments of Police Departments: Differences in Officer Perceptions”* (Poster). Louisville, KY. 2021 Spring Research Conference (March 6, 2021).

Driscoll, C. (2021). *“Workplace Environments of Police Departments: Differences in Officer Perceptions”* (Poster). Cincinnati, OH. Seventh Annual Diversity Matters Research Day, University of Cincinnati (February 24, 2021).

Driscoll, C. (2019) *“Distance to Overdose”* (Poster). Baltimore, MD. 56th Annual Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting (March 28th, 2019).

Driscoll, C. (2017) *“Categorical Crimes and Their Effects on Recidivism”* (Poster). Philadelphia, PA. 73rd Annual American Society of Criminology Meeting (November 11, 2017).

Driscoll, C. (2017) *“Categorical Crimes and Their Effects on Recidivism”* (Poster). Cincinnati, OH. University of Cincinnati Undergraduate Research Conference (April 15, 2017).

Driscoll, C. (2016) *“Race, Violence and Policing: Frames Regarding Police Practice in Reality Television”* (Paper Round Table). Chicago, IL. The North Central Sociological Association Conference (March 25th, 2016).

Driscoll, C. (2016) *“Weird Wonders of World War 2”* (Lecture). Blue Ash, Ohio. University of Cincinnati: Blue Ash. (March 15, 2016).

Skills and Qualifications

- Crime analyzation and mapping.
 - Certified by the University of Cincinnati, 2020.
 - Experience with mapping programs such as ARCGis.
- Experience in various data analysis and statistical programs and languages.
 - Data analysis languages include Python 3.
 - Programs include SPSS and Stata.
- Certified in Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) courses:
 - Academic and Regional Health Centers Core Curriculum
 - Human Subjects Research Core Curriculum
 - Prisoners, Pregnant Women, and Students Research Curriculum

Honors and Awards

- Graduated Magna cum Laude, University of Cincinnati 2019
- CECH Dean's Undergraduate Research Scholarship, University of Cincinnati 2017
- Graduated Summa cum Laude, University of Cincinnati Blue Ash 2016
- North Central Sociological Association Undergraduate paper competition, 3rd place 2016
- Dean's List, University of Cincinnati 2013-2019

Leadership and Professional Affiliations

- Member:
 - Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences
 - The North Central Sociological Association
 - The University of Cincinnati Criminal Justice Society
 - The Alpha Phi Sigma Honor Society
- Student Ambassador and Undergraduate Mentor, University of Cincinnati. 2016 - Current