

**Curriculum Vitae**  
**Stacy C. Moak, JD, PhD**  
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**EDUCATION**

University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA; Ph.D. in Urban Studies. May 1998  
Dissertation Title: *Untangling Relationships of the Social Bond, Religiosity, and Juvenile Delinquency*.

Loyola School of Law, New Orleans, LA; J.D. May 1991.

Student Bar Association, Phi Delta Phi, New Orleans Bar association Student Division

Street law Program: Designed and participated in the pilot Street Law Program, a program developed to take law into the inner city high schools. Participants in the program were required to teach two hours a week in an inner city school. The program is designed to bring awareness to the “at risk” students of their rights as well as their responsibilities within the legal system.

Member Moot Court, Chairman of Reception Committee. In charge of coordinating banquets and receptions for various members of the Louisiana legal community including judges.

University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, MS 1984-1987; B.S. Criminal Justice.  
Related Block in Math and Business. GPA 3.59

Awards Included: Honor Graduate, Jackie Dole Sherril Award for the Outstanding Criminal Justice Female Student, Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society, Phi Eta Sigma Society, Golden Key National Honor Society, National Dean’s List Scholar.

Activities Included: Delta Delta Delta Sorority serving as Historian 1985, Criminal Justice Association, Student Alumni Association, USM Majorette for two years.

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

August 2005 – Present: Associate Professor Criminal Justice at the University of Arkansas, Little Rock. Program Coordinator for Master’s of Arts in Criminal Justice 2010 – 2011. Graduate coordinator for MA, MS, and PHD 2011 – present.

Director of the Juvenile Justice Center. 2005 – present.

Joint appointment with University of Arkansas, Fayetteville (2009-present).

August 1998-August 2005: Assistant/Associate Professor of Criminal Justice at the University of Louisiana at Monroe, Monroe, LA. In August 2004, I was promoted to Associate Professor of Criminal Justice and Tenured.

Advising load was approximately 60 students and Graduate committee service was about 15 students.

Faculty advisor for Lambda Alpha Epsilon Alpha Phi Sigma (ULM, 2000-2005).

Director of the Institutes for Corrections and Juvenile Justice

August 1994-August 1997, University of Southern Mississippi, Instructor of Criminal Justice. Teaching responsibilities included: Introduction to Juvenile Justice, Juvenile Corrections, Introduction to Corrections, Family Law, Juvenile Law, and Crime Prevention and Security.

## **SCHOLARSHIP**

### **Publications**

Community Context and Disproportionate Minority Contact: An HLM Model, Co-authored with Dr. Shaun Thomas and Dr. Jeffery T. Walker. Revised and Resubmitted to *Youth Justice, An International Journal* (Sept. 6, 2011.)

Evolving Standards of Decency: Analysis of *Graham v. Florida*. Forthcoming in *ACJS Today*. Co-authored with Alesa Liles, PHD Student.

Human Ecology (Fall 2012). *The Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice*. Eds Jay Albanese and Barbara Sims.

Does the Shoe Fit? Using Child Pornography Laws to Respond to Sexting. (2011) Co-authored with Jeffery T. Walker. *International Journal of Crime and Criminal Justice* Vol 5, Issue 1.

Child's Play or Child Pornography. *ACJS Today*. March 2010. Co-authored with Dr. Jeffery T. Walker.

Examining the Ways that Participation in Regional Conferences Promotes Scholarship. (March 2010). *The American Journal of Criminal Justice*.

"Juvenile Sex Offenders: Issues of Definition and Treatment." (2009). *Sexual Assault: The Victims, the Perpetrators, and the Criminal Justice System 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition*. Chapter 13, pp. 267 – 280. Carolina Academic Press

Radical Non Intervention and Delinquency. (2009). *The Encyclopedia of Criminological Theory*. Sage Publications. Co-authored with Shaun M. Gann.

"Arkansas Legislative Reforms Continue to Support *Parens Patriae* Philosophy of Juvenile Court" (Winter, 2007) *Juvenile and Family Court Journal*. Vol. 58, No. 1 pp. 37-46. Co- authored by Lauren Hamilton and Dr. James W. Golden.

“Religion as an Insulator of Delinquency in Schools” (2005). *American Journal of Criminal Justice*. Vol. 29, No. 2, pp. 217 – 233. Co-authored by Lisa Hutchinson and Nathan Moore.

“Attitudes of Louisiana Practitioners Toward the Changing Juvenile Court System.” *Journal of Juvenile Justice and Detention Services*. Volume 18, No 2, pp. 113-121. (Fall 2003).

“Legal Changes in Juvenile Justice: Then and Now.” (2003). *Journal of Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice*. Volume 1, No. 3, July 2003: Sage Publications.

“Statewide Assessment of Response to Domestic Violence in Louisiana.” *Juvenile and Family Court Journal* (Winter, 2003).

“Statewide Assessment of Juvenile Justice: The Louisiana Experience,” *The Juvenile and Family Court Journal* (Winter 2002).

“Attitudes of Louisiana Juvenile Justice Practitioners Toward Rehabilitation of Juvenile Offenders,” (Spring, 2000). *American Journal of Criminal Justice* (Spring 2000). Volume 4, No. 2, pp. 272 – 285. Co-authored with Lisa Hutchinson.

Juvenile Justice Think Tank 2000. A monograph published through the Louisiana Community Policing Institute at LSU, Shreveport.

The People to People Ambassador Programs: Journal of Professional Proceedings. *Juvenile Justice and Crime Delegation to China*. (September 15, 2000-September 27, 2000). “Juvenile Justice Think Tank 2000 Findings.”

### **Papers in Progress:**

Disproportionate Minority Contact and Community Context: The Role of Racial and Symbolic Threat. Co-authored with Shaun Thomas and Jeffery T. Walker. Under review at *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*.

The Implications of *Graham v. Florida* on Policy and Practice in Juvenile Court. Submitted to *Journal of Juvenile and Family Court Judges*. Co-authored with Alesa Liles.

International Influence on Juvenile Rights in the United States. Submitted to the *Journal of Youth Justice*.

Theoretical Explanations of Teen Sexting Behaviors in Korea. Co-authored with Chang Hun Lee and Jeff Walker.

### **Book Contracts**

Contract with Anderson Publishing to revise Ronald Carlson's Book on Criminal Procedure. Anticipated publication date is July 2012.

Contract with Cengage to revise *Juvenile Justice: The System Process and Law* by del Carmen and Chad Trulson. We are in the negotiation stage.

### **Technical Reports**

2009 Arkansas Juvenile Crime Analysis presented to the Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services.

Examination of Alternatives to Secure Detention in Kentucky (2007).

Arkansas Juvenile Crime Analysis 2007 presented to the Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services.

Community Needs Assessment Final Report (August 2007). Presented to the Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services.

Community Needs Assessment Pilot Study Results (February 2007). Presented to the Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Service.

Final Report on Project Safe Neighborhoods for Western District of Louisiana, September 30, 2005.

Indigent Defense in Northeast Louisiana: a study of the Public Defender System of the Third, Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Judicial Districts. December, 2004.

Project Safe Neighborhoods – Quarterly Reports for Western District of Louisiana, January 2003 – 2004.

### **Grants and Contracts**

2006-2007 DYS online training. Contract to develop and provide online training to juvenile justice practitioners. Total award amount, \$60,000.00.

2006-2007 DYS Community Needs Assessment. Contract to conduct a community level needs analysis regarding risk and protective factors for juvenile delinquency in the State of Arkansas. Total award amount, \$100,000.00

2007 – Summer Research Stipend from the College of Professional Studies. Award Amount \$5,000.00.

DYS Continuing Data Analysis. Contract to provide continued data analysis for juvenile justice in Arkansas with particular attention to issues of disproportionate minority contact.

This contract includes development of an online resource center for juvenile justice practitioners through the Juvenile Justice Center. Total award amount approximately \$75,000.00.

DYS Mentoring Contract. Contract to develop a training curriculum for mentors to be implemented throughout Arkansas. Total award amount \$94,754.00.

2003- 2005: Project Director for Project Safe Neighborhoods Grant: a \$150,000 grant from the Department of Justice for a 3 year study of gun violence in the Western District of Louisiana.

2001-2003: Contract Researcher for Louisiana Community Policing Institute, Louisiana State University at Shreveport, and for the Southern Consortium of Crime Prevention, also from LSUS (2000-2001).

1997-1998: Oversight of research assistance and research coordinator for a grant entitled “Mississippi Status Offenders Research Project” which is designed to assess the needs of status offenders in Mississippi. The grant was awarded through the Department of Corrections, Youth Services Division for the State of Mississippi. Activities included assisting in research, assisting in statistical calculations, overseeing 2 graduate assistants.

#### **Applications Submitted:**

Current: Proposal for secondary data analysis from BJS. Co-authored with Shaun Thomas and Jeff Walker. Award amount \$25,000 – 30,000.

National Institute of Justice – Juvenile Court Improvement Measures to Improve Effectiveness. Submitted Spring 2006 for approximately \$300,000. Project not funded.

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention: Arkansas Juvenile Justice System Improvement: Improving Pre/Post Adjudication Community Substance Abuse Interventions. Submitted June 28, 2007 in the amount of \$838,930.00. Project not funded.

#### **Training Curriculum**

Juvenile Justice and the Practical Professional. Ten Modules of online instruction regarding the juvenile justice process. The topics include the History of Juvenile Justice, Terms, Definitions and Acronyms; Roles and Responsibilities; Juvenile Services ;The Process of Juvenile Justice; Juvenile Justice and Arkansas Laws; Significant Cases in Juvenile Justice; Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act; and Disproportionate Minority Contact.

Juvenile Officer Certification Training: 120 hour training on juvenile justice issues including adolescent development, legal issues, and the juvenile justice system.

#### **Presentations**

Upcoming:

November 2011—American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C.  
“A test of adolescent-limited versus life-course persistence in a cohort of juvenile males.”  
With Johanna Thomas.

March 2011 – Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting. Toronto, Canada.  
“An HLM Model of Race and Length of Stay in Detention.”

November 2010—American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA.  
“Which theoretical framework best explains sexting behaviors in Korea.” With Chang-Hun Lee and Jeff Walker.

February 2010 – Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting. San Diego California. “Racial Disparities in Length of Stay of Juveniles in Detention.

July, 2010 – Environmental Crime and Crime Analysis Conference in Brisbane, Australia.  
From Surfing to Foraging: Internet Predators as Foragers. Co-authored with Jeff Walker.

March, 2010 – Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference in San Diego, CA. Understanding Disproportionate Minority Contact using HLM statistical modeling. Co-authored with Shaun Thomas, Jeff Walker, and Shaun Gann.

July 2009 – Environmental Crime and Crime Analysis Conference in Brasilia, Brazil.  
“Are neighborhoods point attractors? Understanding neighborhoods from a complex system perspective.” With Jeffery T. Walker.

March, 2008: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting. Cincinnati, Ohio.  
“Neighborhood Conditions and Juvenile Commitments in Pulaski County.” With Dr. Lisa Hutchinson and Dr. Jim Golden.

October, 2007: Southwest Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting in Corpus Christi, Texas. “Understanding the Community Influences that Impact Child Maltreatment” with Dr. James Golden and Dr. Lisa Hutchinson.

September, 2007: Arkansas Coalition for Juvenile Justice Annual Meeting: Discussant for Round Table regarding Juvenile Justice System Improvement in Arkansas.

July, 2007: Juvenile Probation Officers Association. State of Arkansas. Subject matter “Online Training for Juvenile Justice Professionals.”

May, 2007: Arkansas Public Defenders Association. State of Arkansas. Subject matter “Online Training for Juvenile Justice Professionals.”

March, 2007: Academy of Criminal Justice Annual Meeting in Seattle, Washington. “Are we Excessively Entangled? The first Amendment and the Office of Faith-Based Initiatives” with Dr. Lisa Hutchinson.

March, 2007. Academy of Criminal Justice Annual Meeting in Seattle, Washington. “Applying Social Disorganization Theory to Spatial Analysis of Crimes Surrounding Schools in Little Rock” with Dr. James Golden.

March, 2007. Academy of Criminal Justice Annual Meeting in Seattle, Washington. “Packaging Yourself: You New Job’s First Look at You” student workshop.

February, 2007: Poster presentation at College of Professional Studies research Symposium, UALR. Title of poster “Community Needs Assessment in 10 Arkansas Counties: Results of a Pilot Study” with Jennifer Maher.

September, 2006: Southern Criminal Justice Annual Meeting in Charleston, South Carolina. “A New Look at an Old Theme: Using Strain theory to examine religion and delinquency” with Dr. Lisa Wallace.

September, 2006: Southern Criminal Justice Annual Meeting in Charleston, South Carolina. Panel presentation entitled “Juvenile Justice in America.”

March, 2006: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting in Baltimore, Maryland. “School Time and Crime: Is there a Connection?” with Dr. James Golden.

March, 2006: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting in Baltimore, Maryland. “Examining Gender Bias in use of Detention Among Female Status Offenders” with Dr. Tana McCoy.

March, 2005: Academy of Criminal Justice Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL “Crime Mapping of Juvenile Crimes in the Shreveport, Louisiana area.”

September, 2004: Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual meeting in Raleigh, NC. “Using Crime Mapping to Understand Gun Crime in the Western District of Louisiana. “

September, 2004: Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual meeting in Raleigh, NC. “Religiosity as a Mitigating Factor in School Violence” with Dr. Lisa Wallace.

March, 2004: Academy of Criminal Justice Annual Meeting in Las Vegas, Nevada. “Understanding Gun Violence in the Western District of Louisiana.”

March, 2004: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting in Las Vegas, Nevada. “New Legislation in Louisiana: The Juvenile Justice Reform Act of 2003.”

September ,2003: Southern Criminal Justice Association in Nashville, TN. “Overcoming Obstacles to data collection in the Western District of Louisiana.”

April, 2003 :Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting in Boston, MA.  
“Gun Violence Reduction in Louisiana”

April, 2003: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting in Boston, MA.  
“Assessing the Role of Anger and Frustration in Self-Reported Drug and Alcohol Use in Students.”

March, 2002: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting in Anaheim, CA  
entitled “Louisiana Assessment of Domestic Violence Policies and Procedures.

April, 2001: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C.  
“Cops, Child Protective Services and Child Abuse” and  
“Juvenile Justice in China.”

May, 2001: Louisiana Families in Need of Services Association Sixth Annual Conference  
-- New Orleans. Presentation Topic “Juvenile Justice Think Tank 2000 Results.”

August, 2001: Attended Governor’s Conference on Juvenile Justice in New Orleans, LA.

September, 2001 – Panel Chair for Domestic Violence Session and Presentation at  
Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting in Baton Rouge, LA entitled  
“Perspectives and Practices in Domestic Violence.”

September, 2001 – Attended Department of Justice Conference on Juvenile Justice in  
New Orleans, LA.

July, 2000: Coordinated at Statewide Juvenile Justice Think Tank for Louisiana. The  
Think Tank was a cooperative effort between Louisiana Community Policing Institute  
from Louisiana State University at Shreveport and the Institutes for Corrections and  
Juvenile Justice from the University of Louisiana at Monroe. From this event, a “white  
paper” was produced which is being distributed both at the state and federal levels.

September, 2000: Member of Juvenile Justice and Crime Delegation to the People’s  
Republic of China. This program was sponsored by People to People International from  
the Dwight D. Eisenhower foundation in Spokane, Washington. Paper presentation of  
highlights from the Think Tank to the Social Science Research Center in Beijing, China.

October, 2000: Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting: “What Cops  
Believe About Child Abuse” by Jeff Rush and Stacy C. Moak

March, 2000: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Paper title “Juvenile Justice  
Practitioners Attitudes Toward Maintaining or Abolishing the Juvenile Justice System in  
Louisiana.

October, 1998: Presentation at Mid-South Sociological Association. Paper title “Juvenile Delinquency and Religiosity.”

March, 1999: Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Paper title “Children in Need of Supervision: Attitudes of Practitioners in the State of Mississippi.”

September, 1999: Southern Criminal Justice Association. Paper title “Is Rehabilitation still the Goal of Juvenile Justice Practitioners in Louisiana?”

November, 1999: Presentation at Mid-South Sociological Association. Paper title “Conflicting Goals of Juvenile Justice in Louisiana”

#### Awards and Honors

Keynote Speaker for Southern Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting. Charleston, S.C. September 2009.

Co-Delegation Leader for People to People to The People’s Republic of China. June 2008.

#### TEACHING

##### Courses Taught

Introduction to Criminal Justice, Juvenile Delinquency, Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Constitutional Law, Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice, Graduate classes in Minorities and Juvenile Justice.

##### Undergraduate

Introduction to Criminal Justice; Juvenile Delinquency; Criminal Law; Criminal Procedure; Constitutional Law; Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice; Judicial Process

##### Graduate

Minorities in the Criminal Justice System; Juvenile Law and Justice; Juvenile Delinquency Problems; Criminal Law; Sociology of Law

##### Online

Introduction to Criminal Justice; Seminar in School Violence, Juvenile Law and Process, Graduate Juvenile Delinquency Problems, Graduate Criminal Law

##### Graduate Thesis Committee Service

2011 – Chair Graduate Thesis Committee for Alesa Liles. Research includes interviews with female inmates imprisoned for homicide.

2011 – Chair Graduate Portfolio Committee for Ingrid Bolton. Research topic concerns short and long term health outcomes for those exposed to violent criminal incidents.

2011 – Chair Graduate Portfolio for Marilyn Stewart

2011—Chair Graduate Thesis for Christy Tipton Byrd

2011 – Member Dissertation Committee for Gavin Lee.

2011 – Member Dissertation Committee for Tom Zawiza.

2011 – Chair Graduate Portfolio committee for Sherri Mausau.

2010 – Chair Graduate Portfolio Committee for Amy Mahon Thomas.

2010 – Chair Graduate Portfolio Committee for Andrea Carter.

2010 – Member Graduate Thesis Committee for Shaun M. Gann. *Expanding the Life Course Theory to Examine the Juvenile Life Course.*

2010—Member Graduate Portfolio Committee for Candice Greenlee.

2010 – Member Graduate Portfolio Committee for Heather Freeman.

2009 – Chair Graduate Portfolio Committee for Matthew Pate. *Agent Based Modeling of Police Officer Patrol Effectiveness.*

2009 – Chair Graduate Portfolio Committee for Candace Hooks. *Safe Holding's Manual for Arkansas Juvenile Offenders.*

2007 – Chair Graduate Thesis Committee for Kilby Raptopoulos. Thesis topic *Differences in Methamphetamine Users and Crack Cocaine Users.*

2007 – Chair Graduate Thesis Committee for Joseph McSherry. Thesis topic *Examining the Experiences of Juveniles Confined in Adult Correctional Facilities in Arkansas.*

2007-- Graduate Thesis Committee for Jennifer Maher. Thesis topic *Community Needs Assessment for Juvenile Delinquency Risk Factors.*

Spring 2005 – Chair Graduate Thesis Committee for Kelly Wright. Thesis topic: *Understanding Juvenile Gun Crime in The Western District of Louisiana.*

Fall 1999-- Chair Graduate Thesis Committee for Kimberly Benoit. Thesis topic: *A Descriptive Study of Female Homicide Offenders in Louisiana.*

Thesis Committee Member 2005: Courtney Joiner and Kaine Jones

SERVICE: University  
University of Arkansas, Little Rock Service:

University Undergraduate Core Curriculum Revision Task Force. August 2010-present.  
College Council 2005-2009  
Graduate Council 2006-Present; Curriculum Sub-Committee; Personnel Subcommittee  
Co-Advisor for Alpha Phi Sigma and the CJ Society

Previous University Service:

Faculty advisor for Lambda Alpha Epsilon Alpha Phi Sigma (ULM, 2000-2005).

University Committee Service ULM: Technology Committee (Fall 1998), Student Appeals Committee (Fall 1998-Present); Library Liaison for the Criminal Justice Program (March 2000-present). Arts and Sciences Core Curriculum Committee (Spring 2004); Scholarship Selection Committee for Criminal Justice; Comprehensive Exam Committee for Criminal Justice; Chair, Faculty Search Committee for Criminal Justice in 2003-2004.

SERVICE: Professional

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences:

Lifetime Member;

Member of Local Arrangements Committee 2000;

Member of Juvenile Justice Section serving as Executive Counselor 2003-2005 and Vice-Chair 2006-2008 and Chair for 2009 and 2010.

Student Affairs Committee 2006-Present service as Deputy Chair 2007.

Editorial Board for the *Journal of Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice* 2006-current

Editorial Board for the *American Journal of Criminal Justice*. 2009- Current

Assessment Committee of ACJS 2010 – Current

Program Committee for ACJS 2012 Conference

Critical Criminal Justice Section member 2010- Present

ACJS Assessment Committee for Certification 2010 – 2011

Secretary/Treasurer Critical Criminal Justice Section 2011 -- Present

SERVICE: Community

Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services:

Member of Stakeholders Committee 2006-Present serving as Chair of Funding Formula Subcommittee 2006 and Chair of System Reform Subcommittee 2007. Disproportionate

Minority Contact Committee 2007.

Alexander Juvenile Correctional Facility

Community Advisory Board

Administrative Office of the Courts

Juvenile Code Revision Subcommittee

Prior Community Service

2000-November 2003: Board of Directors for Court Appointed Special Advocate Program of Northeast Louisiana. Vice-President June – November 2003. Serving as

treasurer 2002-2003. Also serving head of the Barn Party Silent Auction Committee, and the Internal Auditing and Strategic Planning Committees.

Board of Directors for Northeast Louisiana Teen Court Program. Serving as President of the Board for the 2001-2002 year. In this capacity, I have written three grants for Teen Court: a \$2500 grant from Chase, \$32,000 from the Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant dollars in the state of Louisiana. The final grant was for \$2000 from the American Bar Association. Further responsibilities include serving as Teen Court Judge on an as needed basis.

Lifetime member of Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences: member of the Juvenile Justice Section. Local Arrangements committee for the 2000 conference in New Orleans. Currently serving a 2 year term as Executive Counselor to the Juvenile Justice Section.

Member of Southern Criminal Justice Association

Board of Directors Northeast Louisiana Children's Coalition; serving on the Nomination Committee for new membership, and fundraising committee. Currently serving as President-Elect for 2005.

Advisory Board for Volunteers of American, Northeast Louisiana office and as a member of the Board of Directors for Volunteers of America, North Louisiana Area Office in Shreveport, Louisiana (President 2004-2005)

### **Media Interviews**

February 4, 2010, Channel 11 – Juvenile Justice : What should parents look for as indicators that their children may be involved in delinquent activities?

Channel 4 – Sexting

Channel 11 – Offenders on the I-40 Corridor

Channel 7 – Serial Killers Next Door