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EDUCATION

- 2008 **M.A. in Criminal Justice**, University of Arkansas, Little Rock
THESIS: Differences in Meth Users and Cocaine Users
COMMITTEE: Stacy Moak, PhD (Chair), Mary Parker, PhD, Lisa Hutchinson, PhD
- 2004 **B. A. in Political Science**, Lyon College

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2009 – Present Advanced Instructor
Department of Criminal Justice
University of Arkansas at Little Rock
- 2007 – 2009 Project Coordinator
SVORI Mentoring Program
Juvenile Justice Center
Department of Criminal Justice
University of Arkansas at Little Rock
- 2007 Interim Grant Director
Department of Criminal Justice
University of Arkansas at Little Rock
- 2006 – 2007 Research Assistant
Department of Criminal Justice
University of Arkansas at Little Rock
- 2005 – 2006 Criminal Probation Officer
North Little Rock Criminal Court
North Little Rock, Arkansas

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (*Writing Intensive)

Undergraduate Face to Face Courses:

Introduction to Criminal Justice
Seminar on Domestic Violence
Seminar on Sex Offenders
Mentoring Internship [service learning course]*

Undergraduate Online Courses:

Introduction to Criminal Justice
Seminar on Domestic Violence (QM Certified)
Seminar on Sex Offenders
Sex Crimes (QM Certified)*
Drug Abuse (QM Certified)
Police and Society
Psychology and the Criminal Justice Process
Correctional Psychology
Race, Ethnicity, and Criminal Justice
Seminar on the History of Criminal Justice*
Crime and Behavior
Juvenile Delinquency
Juvenile Law and Process
Criminal Evidence (QM Certified)
Comparative Criminal Justice Systems
Mentoring Internship [service learning course]*

Graduate (Online) Courses:

MS Proseminar (QM Certified)*
MS Capstone*

SERVICE

Undergraduate Academic Advisor – 2019 to present

ADHE Review Committee Member, 2021

UALR Mentoring Program, Co-Director - 2017 to 2019

Assessment Committee, Criminal Justice Department - 2017 to present

Institutional Effectiveness Committee, Criminal Justice Department - 2018

AWARDS

Best PhD Student of the Year – 2021

Professional Faculty Member of the Year – 2014

University of Arkansas at Little Rock, College of Professional Studies

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRAININGS/CERTIFICATIONS

Monday Morning Mentoring Series – 2020 through 2021 (16 weeks each semester)

Black Board Advanced Teaching Certification - 2018 (6 weeks)

Black Board Exemplary Course Webinar Series - 2018 (5 weeks)

Quality Matters Applying the QM Rubric - 2017 (2 weeks)

Quality Matters Teaching Online Certificate - 2016

Gauging Your Technology Skills (1 week)

Evaluating Your Course Design (2 weeks)

Exploring Your Institution's Policies (2 weeks)

Orienting Your On-Line Learners (1 week)

Connecting Learning Theories To Your Teaching Strategies (1 week)

Creating Presence In Your On-Line Course (2 weeks)

Assessing Your Learners (1 week)

Academy of Teaching and Learning Excellence, New Faculty Orientation, University of Arkansas, Little Rock – 2009-2010

PUBLICATIONS

Articles

Walker, J. T. & Raptopoulos, K. (2008). Journal editors and journal writers: Publication vs. service as a measure of faculty and department productivity. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, 19(2), 251-274.

Erwin-Raptopoulos, V. K. (2006). Facing violence: The path of restorative justice and dialogue, a book review. *Criminal Justice Review*, 31(1), 96-97.

ten Bensel, T., Gibbs, B. R., & Raptopoulos, K. (2019). The role of childhood victimization on the severity of adult offending among female sex offenders. *Victims & Offenders*, 14(6), 758-775.

Manuscripts in Progress

Raptopoulos, K., & ten Bensel, T. (in progress). Media coverage of female sex offenders: A qualitative content analysis.

Khan, A., ten Bensel, T., & Raptopoulos, K. (in progress). Mentorship: The struggles and joys in the mentoring experience.

Lewis, R., Price, T., & Raptopoulos, K. (in progress). The effect of empathy on trauma and victimization based on gender and sexual orientation.

ten Bensel, T., Steely, M., & Raptopoulos, K. (in progress). Special considerations: Female sex offenders. In *Best practices in sexual offender assessment and management*. Springer.

Encyclopedia Entries

Raptopoulos, K. & ten Bensel, N. D. (2010). The Christian crusades. *Religion and Violence: An Encyclopedia of Faith and Conflict from Antiquity to the Present*. Armonk, New York: M. E. Sharpe.

Raptopoulos, K. (2008). The life of J. Edgar Hoover and the creation of the FBI. *Icons of Crime Fighting*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Publishing.

Raptopoulos, K. (2008). Gangs: the 1980's. *The Eighties in America*. Pasadena, CA: Salem Press.

Technical Reports

Raptopoulos, Kilby. (2011) "Mentoring Program for System Involved Youth: A Year End Report" The Mentoring Project Year Four Outcome delivered to the Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services.

Raptopoulos, Kilby. (2008) "Mentoring Program for System Involved Youth: A Year End Report" The Mentoring Project Year One Outcome delivered to the Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services.

Parker, Mary and Kilby Raptopoulos. (2007) "Establishing an Intensive Aftercare Program Approach for Juveniles in Central Arkansas" The SVORI Project Outcome Evaluation presented to the Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services.

Training Curriculum

Hutchinson, Lisa and Kilby Raptopoulos. (2010). "Implementing Evidence Based Programming" National Demonstration Project for the Miami--Dade Police

Department.

Hutchinson, Lisa and Kilby Raptopoulos. (2007) "UALR Mentoring Program Manual for System Involved Youth" The program manual for the SVORI Mentoring Program -- the Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

"The Role of Childhood Victimization on Adult Offending among Female Sex Offenders" Presentation presented at the American Society of Criminology Conference: Atlanta, Georgia. November 2018.

"QM Teaching Online Certificate Earners Panel" Presentation presented at the Quality Matter's Connect Conference: Fort Worth, Texas. September 2017.

"Instilling Resilience in System Involved Youth" with Lisa Hutchinson and Erica West. Presentation presented at the Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice: Little Rock, Arkansas. October 2010/Arkansas Coalition for Juvenile Justice: Little Rock, Arkansas. October 2010.

"Journal Editors and Journal Writers: Publication vs. Service as a Measure of Faculty and Department Productivity" with Jeffrey T. Walker. Paper presented at the Annual Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences: Seattle, Washington. March 2007.

"The Impact of Solitary Confinement on its Prisoners: A Review of the Literature, Legal Cases, and Future Policy Implications" Paper presented at the Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice: Fort Worth, Texas. September 2006.

"A Comparison between Juvenile and Adult Sex Offenders" Paper presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences: Baltimore, Maryland. March 2006.

"A General Theory of Crime for Hispanics" Paper presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences: Chicago, Illinois. March 2005.

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS EXPERIENCE

DYS/UALR Mentoring Program for System Involved Youth – The Department of Human Service, Division of Youth Services – Faculty Advisor. 2011--2012.
\$55,316.80.

DYS/UALR Mentoring Program for System Involved Youth – The Department of Human Service, Division of Youth Services – Project Director. 2010--2011.
\$71,655.

The SVORI Mentoring Program – The Department of Human Service, Division of Youth Services – Project Coordinator. 2007--2008. \$94,754.

The Arkansas Victim Assistance Academy – The Office for Victims of Crime – Project Coordinator. 2007.

The On--Line Training for Juvenile Justice Practitioners – The Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services – provided technical assistance as well as program monitoring. 2008.

Serious Violent Offender Reentry Initiative – Department of Human Services, Division of Youth Services -- Research Assistant for the Evaluation Component. 2007.

CONSULTATIONS

McGraw--Hill Publishing Company – Reviewer for the Masters CJ Course Connect Online Ancillary Materials. 2011

McGraw--Hill Publishing Company – CJ Realities and Challenges, 2nd edition review. 2012

Pearson Publishing Company - Drugs, Society, and Criminal Justice, 4th edition review. 2017

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Criminology - Division of Victimology

Academy of Criminal Justice Society - Division of Teaching, Learning, and Scholarship

Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice – Ethics Committee

ONGOING DATA COLLECTION PROJECTS

Assessing empathy levels of undergraduate criminal justice students

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Media portrayal of victims and offenders
Empathy among criminal justice students
Sex offenders
Domestic violence
Mentoring as a juvenile delinquency prevention strategy