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## CURRICULUM VITAE

January 2008

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### EDUCATION

- 2004 Ph.D. Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder (2001-2004)
- 1996 M.A. Criminal Justice, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York (1993-1996)
- 1991 B.A. Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder (1987-1991)

### ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2005-Present **University of Colorado at Boulder**  
Department of Sociology  
*Assistant Professor*, August 2005-Present  
Center for the Study of Ethnicity and Race in America (CSERA)  
*Affiliate*, September 2005-Present  
Women and Gender Studies Program  
*Affiliate*, January 2007-Present
- 2004-2005 **Arizona State University**  
School of Justice and Social Inquiry  
*Visiting Assistant Professor*, August 2004-May 2005
- 1997-2004 **Metropolitan State College of Denver**  
Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology  
*Assistant Professor*, August 2003-May 2004  
*Visiting Assistant Professor*, August 1999-May 2003  
*Adjunct Instructor*, January 1997-May 1998
- 2002-2003 **Regis University**, Denver, CO  
Department of Sociology  
*Instructor*, August 2002-May 2003

### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Criminology  
Feminist and Black Feminist Criminology  
Intersections of Race, Gender, Class, and Crime  
Racialized Perceptions of Crime  
Race and Intimate Partner Violence  
Sociology of Race, Gender, and Class Intersections  
Qualitative Research Methods

## SCHOLARSHIP

### Publications

#### Books

- In Press Hillary Potter. *Battle Cries: Black Women and Intimate Partner Abuse*. New York: New York University Press.
- 2007 Hillary Potter (Ed.). *Racing the Storm: Racial Implications and Lessons Learned from Hurricane Katrina*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books (a division of Rowman & Littlefield Publishers).

#### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2007 Hillary Potter. Battered Black Women's Use of Religion and Spirituality for Assistance in Leaving Abusive Relationships. *Violence Against Women*, 13(3):262-284.
- 2006 Stephanie Hindson, Hillary Potter, and Michael Radelet. Race, Gender, Region and Death Sentencing in Colorado, 1980-1999. *University of Colorado Law Review*, 77(3):549-599.
- 2006 Hillary Potter. An Argument for Black Feminist Criminology: Understanding African American Women's Experiences with Intimate Partner Abuse Using an Integrated Approach. *Feminist Criminology*, 1(2):106-124.

Reprinted 2008 in Robert D. Crutchfield, Charis E. Kubrin, George S. Bridges, and Joseph G. Weis (Eds.), *Crime: Readings*, Third Edition, pp. 386-391. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

#### Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters

- Frthcmg Hillary Potter. [Title TBD]. In Chris Powell (Ed.), *Critical Voices in Criminology*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.
- 2007 Joanne Belknap and Hillary Potter. Introduction: From Passion to Practice. In Susan L. Miller (Ed.), *Criminal Justice Research and Practice: Diverse Voices from the Field*, pp. 3-20. Lebanon, NH: University Press of New England.
- 2007 Hillary Potter. Reframing Crime in a Disaster: Perceptions, Reality, and Criminalization of Survival Tactics among African Americans in the Aftermath of Katrina. In Hillary Potter (Ed.), *Racing the Storm: Racial Implications and Lessons Learned from Hurricane Katrina*, pp. 51-65. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.
- 2006 Joanne Belknap and Hillary Potter. Intimate Partner Abuse. In Claire M. Renzetti, Lynne Goodstein, and Susan L. Miller (Eds.), *Rethinking Gender, Crime, and Justice: Feminist Readings*, pp. 168-184. Los Angeles, CA: Roxbury Publishing Company (Oxford University Press).

#### Invited Essays and Reviews

- Frthcmg Hillary Potter. Review of *Violence in the City of Women: Police and Batterers in Bahia, Brazil* by Sarah J. Hautzinger. *Gender and Society*.
- 2007 Hillary Potter. The Need for a Multi-Faceted Response to Intimate Partner Abuse Perpetrated by African Americans. *Criminology and Public Policy*, 6(2):367-376.
- 2007 Hillary Potter. Review of *Locked Out: Felony Disenfranchisement and Democracy* by Jeff Manza and Christopher Uggen. *Social Forces*, 85(3):1443-1444.
- 2005 Joanne Belknap and Hillary Potter. The Trials of Measuring the "Success" of Domestic Violence Policies. *Criminology and Public Policy*, 4(3):559-566.

## Encyclopedia Entries

- Frthcmg Hillary Potter. Domestic Violence, African Americans. In Helen Taylor Greene and Shaun L. Gabbidon (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Race and Crime*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Frthcmg Hillary Potter. Hurricane Katrina. In Helen Taylor Greene and Shaun L. Gabbidon (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Race and Crime*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- Frthcmg Hillary Potter. Wanda Jean Allen. In Vickie Jensen and Karren Baird-Olson (Eds.), *Women and Crime: An Encyclopedia of Issues and Cases*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press.
- Frthcmg Hillary Potter. Frances Newton. In Vickie Jensen and Karren Baird-Olson (Eds.), *Women and Crime: An Encyclopedia of Issues and Cases*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press.
- 2004 Hillary Potter. African American Prisoners. In Mary Bosworth (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Prisons and Correctional Facilities*, pp. 18-21. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- 2004 Hillary Potter. Co-Correctional Facilities. In Mary Bosworth (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Prisons and Correctional Facilities*, pp. 139-141. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- 2004 Hillary Potter. Intermediate Sanctions. In Mary Bosworth (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Prisons and Correctional Facilities*, pp. 479-482. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- 2004 Hillary Potter. Lesbian Prisoners. In Mary Bosworth (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Prisons and Correctional Facilities*, pp. 542-544. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

## Research Reports

- 2004 Hillary Potter. Effective Alternatives to Jail Confinement: A Report and Recommendation to the Public Safety Committee of the Denver City Council. Public Safety Committee, Denver City Council, Denver, CO.

## Dissertation

- 2004 *Intimate Partner Violence against African American Women: The Effects of Social Structure and Black Culture on Patterns of Abuse*.

Committee: Joanne Belknap (Chair), Patti Adler, Janet Jacobs, Polly McLean, Michael Radelet.

## Additional Manuscripts in Progress

Amanda Burgess-Proctor and Hillary Potter. Curricular Transformation in Criminology: Teaching Intersections of Race, Class, and Gender. Preparing for submission to *peer-reviewed journal*.

Hillary Potter. *Black Feminist Criminology* (book-length manuscript). Preparing for submission to university and academic presses.

Hillary Potter. "It Ain't Worth It to Have a Man": Lingering Effects of Intimate Partner Abuse on Future Relationships of African American Women. Preparing for submission to *peer-reviewed journal*.

Hillary Potter. "I Don't Think a Cop Has Ever Asked Me If I Was OK": Battered Black Women's Experiences with Police Intervention. Under review at *peer-reviewed journal*.

Hillary Potter and Allison Cotton. *Racialized Perceptions of Crime* (book-length manuscript). Under review at university and academic presses.

Hillary Potter and Stacy Mallicoat. "Bill Kurtis Rocks!" Factors Influencing Undergraduates to Major in Criminal Justice and Criminology. Preparing for submission to *peer-reviewed journal*.

## Awards and Funding

- 2007 New Scholar Award, Division on Women and Crime, American Society of Criminology.
- Dean's Fund for Excellence, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Colorado at Boulder, \$700.
- American Society of Criminology Undergraduate Student Minority Scholar/Mentor Research Grant, with Thuy Huynh, "Offender Decision-Making in Punishment Options," September 2007-May 2009, \$10,000 (to Huynh).
- 2006 IMPART (Implementation of Multicultural Perspectives and Approaches in Research and Teaching) Faculty Fellowship Award, University of Colorado at Boulder, "Interracial Domestic Abuse Project," \$3,496.
- 2005 Quick Response Research Grant, Natural Hazards Center, University of Colorado at Boulder, "Reframing Crime: Race, Gender, Class, Criminality, and Enforcement of Laws in a Natural Disaster," \$2,907. Funds contributed by the National Science Foundation.
- 2005 National Consortium on Violence Research (NCOVR) Postdoctoral Fellow, 2005-2007, \$10,000. Supported under Grant #SES021551, National Science Foundation.
- 2004 Ralph and Barbara Dakin Award for Outstanding Scholarship, Department of Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder, \$1,000.

## Research and Professional Presentations

### Invited Presentations

- 2008 Hillary Potter. Presidential Session: *Home Girls: 25 Years Later*. *Annual Meeting of Pacific Sociological Association*, Portland, OR (Forthcoming April 2008).
- Hillary Potter. Battle Cries: Dynamic Resistance and Battered Black Women. Criminal Justice Research Center, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.
- 2007 Hillary Potter. Domestic Violence among African American women. *Current Intimate Partner Violence Research in Colorado*, Domestic Violence Research and Action Coalition.
- Hillary Potter. Guest Lecture: Black Women and Crime. *History and Contemporary Issues of Black Women Course (WGST 3505)*, Instructor Michelle Miles, Women and Gender Studies Program, University of Colorado at Boulder.
- Hillary Potter. Guest Lecture: African Americans and Intimate Partner Violence. *Domestic Violence Course (LAWS 7513)*, Instructor Carolyn Ramsey, University of Colorado at Boulder Law School.
- 2006 Hillary Potter. Guest Lecture: Race and Crime. *U.S. Race and Ethnic Relations Course (SOCY 1021)*, Instructor Duke Austin, Department of Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder.
- Hillary Potter. Author Meets Critics: *Knowing What We Know: African American Women's Experiences of Violence and Violation* by Gail Garfield. *Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology*, Los Angeles, CA.
- Hillary Potter. New Experiences in a Familiar Place: Reflections of a First Year Faculty Member. *Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology*, Los Angeles, CA.
- Hillary Potter. Forum: Use of the N-word. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter. "Looters and Shooters": Perceptions, Reality, and Criminalization of Survival Tactics among African Americans in the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.

Hillary Potter. Racial Implications of Hurricane Katrina. Department of Sociology, University of Colorado at Colorado Springs.

Hillary Potter. Guest Lecture: African Americans. *U.S. Race and Ethnic Relations Course (SOCY 1021)*, Instructor Paul Harvey, Department of Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter. "People Like Us" Panel. Department of Communication, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter. "Race and Crime" Panel. *Multiversity Television Series*, School of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter and Lisa Calderón. Violence against Women of Color. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Symposium, *Rekindling the Dream: Understanding the Legacy of Commitment and Sacrifice*, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter. Social Class and Crime. Training workshop for Secretaries of the Colorado Public Defender's Office, Denver, CO.

2005 Hillary Potter. Perceptions, Police, and Katrina: Racial Implications in the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. Safehouse Progressive Alliance for Nonviolence, Boulder, CO.

Hillary Potter. Intimate Partner Violence against African American Women. Violence against Women of Color Panel Discussion for *Breaking the Global Silence: Exposing Violence against Women*, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter. Feminism: Violence against Women. President's Leadership Class, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter and Emmanuel David. Reframing Crime: Race, Gender, Class, Criminality, and Enforcement of Laws in a Natural Disaster. *Hurricane Katrina Symposium*, Natural Hazards Center, Institute of Behavioral Science, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter. Racing the Storm: Race and Class Implications of Citizen and Government Transgressions in the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. *Center for Studies of Ethnicity and Race in the Americas (CSERA) Colloquium*, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter. Battered Black Women's Experiences with Intimate Partner Violence and Resultant Policy Implications. *Awesome Alliances and Creative Collaborations: Threats Management to Increase Victim, Organizational, and Community Safety*, Denver, CO.

Joanne Belknap, Hillary Potter, and Mark Schwartz. Violence against Women. *Life Skills Course*, University of Colorado Athletic Department, Boulder, CO.

Joanne Belknap, Joanna Starek, and Hillary Potter. Establishing Sexual Consent. Training presentation to the University of Colorado Football Team, Boulder, CO.

Hillary Potter. Policy Implications for African American Women's Experiences with and Responses to Intimate Partner Violence. City of Scottsdale Victim Services, Scottsdale, AZ.

2004 Hillary Potter. Effective Alternatives to Jail Confinement: A Report and Recommendation to the Public Safety Committee of the Denver City Council. Public Safety Committee Meeting, Denver City Council, Denver, CO.

Stephanie Hindson, Hillary Potter, and Michael L. Radelet. Race, Gender, Region, and Death Sentencing in Colorado, 1980-1999. School of Law, University of Colorado at Boulder.

- 2003 Stephanie Hindson, Hillary Potter, and Michael L. Radelet. Race, Gender, Region, and Death Sentencing in Colorado, 1980-1999. Colorado Public Defender's Office, Denver, CO.

#### **Additional Presentations**

- 2007 Lisa Engweiler and Hillary Potter. Intimate Partner Homicide among Interracial Couples. *Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology*, Atlanta, GA.

Shelby McKinzey and Hillary Potter. Gender, Race, and Sexuality Biases Concerning Women and Capital Punishment in the United States. *Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology*, Atlanta, GA.

Hillary Potter and Devon Thacker. Women's Experiences with Interracial Intimate Partner Abuse: Racial Preferences in Dating Patterns. *Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology*, Atlanta, GA.

Hillary Potter. Intimate Partner Abuse among Interracial Couples: A New Realm for Analysis. *Annual Meeting of Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, Seattle, WA.

Hillary Potter. Nuances of Interracial Intimate Partner Violence and Provisions for Support of Victims. *Annual Meeting of Western Society of Criminology*, Scottsdale, AZ.

- 2006 Hillary Potter. Race, Katrina, and Crime. Race and Crime Panel, *New Directions in the Study of Race and Ethnicity*, Departments of Sociology and Ethnic Studies, University of Colorado at Boulder.

- 2005 Hillary Potter. An Argument for "Black Feminist Criminology." *Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology*, Toronto, ON.

Hillary Potter. Female Batterer Intervention Programs. *NCOVR Summer Workshop*, Cancun, MX.

Hillary Potter. Fighting Back: Battered Black Women's Rejection of the Victim Label and Resistive Responses to Intimate Partner Violence. *Annual Meeting of Western Society of Criminology*, Honolulu, HI.

- 2004 Hillary Potter. "Strong Black Women": A Black Feminist Theoretical Perspective on Battered Black Women's Perceptions of Themselves and Other Battered Women. *Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology*, Nashville, TN.

Hillary Potter. Battered Black Women's Perceptions of Police Effectiveness in Domestic Violence Cases. *Annual Meeting of Association of Black Sociologists*, San Francisco, CA.

Hillary Potter. Battered Black Women's Perceptions of Police Effectiveness in Domestic Violence Cases. *Annual Meeting of Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, Las Vegas, NV.

- 2003 Hillary Potter. Cultural Implications for Intimate Partner Violence against African American Women. *Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology*, Denver, CO.

Hillary Potter. The African American Woman's Role in Black Culture and its Relationship to Intimate Partner Violence. *Sociology in Progress Session*, Department of Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Hillary Potter. Mayhem and the Media: The Inspirational Factors Influencing the Decision to Major in Criminal Justice. *Annual Meeting of Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, Boston, MA.

Additional Research Training

2003 *Experiments in the Social Sciences*, Summer Program, Yale University.

TEACHING

Formal Pedagogy Training

2000-2001 *Master Teacher Program*, Metropolitan State College of Denver.

Courses Taught

University of Colorado at Boulder, Department of Sociology

*Undergraduate*

SOCY 2041: Social Construction of Reality

SOCY 2044: Crime and Society

SOCY 3314: Violence against Women and Girls (Crosslisted: WMST 3314)

SOCY 4004: Topics in Criminology: Crime, Punishment, and Society \*

SOCY 4014: Criminology

SOCY 4084: The American Criminal Justice System: An Advanced Overview

*Graduate*

SOCY 5214: Patterns of Criminal Behavior

SOCY 6016: Topics in Sex and Gender: Women and Crime

Arizona State University, School of Justice and Social Inquiry

JUS 200: The Female Offender \*

JUS 329: Domestic Violence

JUS 425: Race, Gender, and Crime

Metropolitan State College of Denver, Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology

CJC 1010: Introduction to the Criminal Justice System

CJC 1100: Evolutionary Legal Concepts in Criminal Justice

CJC 3280: Classification and Case Management of the Offender

CJC 3290: Probation, Parole, and Community Corrections

CJC 3340: Correctional Problem Solving

CJC 3350: Delinquency Causation, Prevention, and Control

CJC 3400: Criminal Behavior and Criminal Careers

CJC 3450: Behavior Development

CJC 3710: Women and the Law (Crosslisted: WMS 3310, PSC 309j, SOC 365b)

CJC 405i: The Female Offender \* (Crosslisted: WMS 425g)

CJC 405k: Hate Crime \*

CJC 4300: The American Correctional System

CJC 4400: Criminal Justice Planning, Policy Analysis, Program Evaluation, and Budgeting Systems

CJC 4410: Contemporary Police Administration

CJC 4610: Special Topics in Criminal Justice Administration

Regis University, Department of Sociology

SO 203: Social Problems

SO 450: Criminology (Crosslisted: CJ 450)

SO 451: Juvenile Delinquency (Crosslisted: CJ 451)

SO 459: Female Offenders \* (Crosslisted: CJ 459)

(\*Originally developed courses)

## Student Committees and Supervision

### **Ph.D. Dissertation Committee**

#### *Committee Member for*

Tracy Crosby, Sociology – Completed Spring 2007  
Allison Foley, Sociology  
Allison Hicks, Sociology  
Katherine Lineberger, Sociology  
Tara Opsal, Sociology  
Katy Sirles, Sociology  
Eve Willadsen-Jensen, Psychology – Completed Fall 2007  
Summer Woo DuBois, Sociology

### **Ph.D. Specialty Comprehensive Examination Committee**

#### *Committee Chair for*

Lisa Engweiler, Sociology

#### *Committee Member for*

Duke Austin, Sociology  
Allison Foley, Sociology – Completed Fall 2006  
Allison Hicks, Sociology – Completed Fall 2007  
Tara Opsal, Sociology – Completed Spring 2006  
Katy Sirles, Sociology – Completed Fall 2007  
Summer Woo DuBois, Sociology – Completed Fall 2006

### **Graduate Research Assistants**

Emmanuel David, “Reframing Crime” Project – Fall 2005  
Shelby McKinzey, “Interracial Domestic Abuse” Project – Fall 2006  
Devon Thacker, “Interracial Domestic Abuse” Project – Fall 2006-Spring 2008

### **Graduate Teaching Assistants**

Shannon Coffey, SOCY 2044: Crime and Society – Fall 2007  
Bethany Everett, SOCY 4014: Criminology – Spring 2006  
Shelby McKinzey, SOCY 2044: Crime and Society – Fall 2006  
Tamar Silberman, SOCY 3314: Violence against Women and Girls – Fall 2005

### **Graduate Faculty Advising in Sociology**

Lisa Engweiler  
Shelby McKinzey – 2006-2007

### **M.A. Thesis Committee**

#### *Committee Member for*

Jennie Bennett, Sociology – Completed Fall 2005

### **B.A. Honors Thesis Committee**

#### *Committee Chair for*

David Lassiter, Sociology – Completed Spring 2007

#### *Committee Member for*

Christopher Blankenship, Psychology  
Kawatia Conway, Ethnic Studies – Completed Spring 2007  
Devon Thacker, Sociology – Completed Spring 2006  
Jordan Wood, Psychology

### **Ronald E. McNair Postbaccalaureate Achievement Program**

#### *Faculty Advisor for*

Vera Jackson, Ethnic Studies – 2006-2008

### **Undergraduate Independent Study Advising**

Tiffany Blais – Summer 2006  
Lindsey Caplan – Spring 2007  
Vera Jackson – Fall 2007

Adriana Sanchez – Fall 2007  
Joseph Sanders – Spring 2008

### **Undergraduate Sociology Internship Advising**

Alexandra Bratschie – Fall 2005  
Ashley Bulkowski – Fall 2006-Spring 2007  
Meredith Fink – Spring 2006

Kinsey Ingmire – Spring 2006  
Jessica Kean – Fall 2006

## SERVICE

Service to the Profession

### **Journal Editorial Board Membership**

2006-2009 *Feminist Criminology*, Editorial Board Member  
2008 *Sociological Perspectives*, Editorial Board Member

### **Manuscript Peer-Review**

*Criminology*  
*Feminist Criminology*  
*Gender and Society*  
*Justice Quarterly*  
*Sociological Perspectives*  
*Violence Against Women*  
*Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice*  
Roxbury Publishing Company

### **Professional Organization Membership**

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences  
Minorities and Women Section  
American Society of Criminology  
Division on People of Color and Crime  
Division on Women and Crime  
American Sociological Association  
Crime, Law, and Deviance Section  
Racial and Ethnic Minorities Section  
Association of Black Sociologists  
Pacific Sociological Association  
Western Society of Criminology

### **Professional Organization Service**

2007-2010 Ethics Committee Member (appointed), Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences.

2007-2008 Nominations Committee Member (appointed), American Society of Criminology.

Program Committee Section Chair (appointed), 2008 Annual Meeting, American Society of Criminology.

2006-2008 Executive Counselor (elected), Division on Women and Crime, American Society of Criminology.

2006-2007 Secretary/Treasurer (elected), Division on People of Color and Crime, American Society of Criminology.

Fundraising Committee Chair (appointed), Division on People of Color and Crime, American Society of Criminology.

Counselor-at-Large (appointed), Western Society of Criminology

2004-2006 Secretary/Treasurer (elected), Division on People of Color and Crime, American Society of Criminology.

Fundraising Committee Chair (appointed), Division on People of Color and Crime, American Society of Criminology.

2004-2005 Membership Committee Chair (appointed), Division on People of Color and Crime, American Society of Criminology.

- Student Travel Award Chair (appointed), Minorities and Women Section, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences.
- 2003-2004 Assistant Editor (competitive appointment), Newsletter of the Crime, Law, and Deviance Section, American Sociological Association.
- 2000-2001 Planning Committee Member, *Black-on-Black Crime: Prevention of Violence, Gangs, Drugs, and Guns Conference*, Institute for Social Justice, Inc., and Metropolitan State College of Denver, Denver, CO.
- Scholarship Committee Chair (appointed), National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice, Colorado Chapter.
- 2000 Planning Committee Member, *Juvenile and Adult Female Offenders: Problems and Solutions Workshop*, National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice, Colorado Chapter.

### **Conference and Workshop Panel Facilitation**

- 2007 Responses to Intimate Partner Abuse (panel chair). *Annual Meeting* of Western Society of Criminology, Scottsdale, AZ.
- 2006 Recruiting and Maintaining Minority Ph.D. Criminologists (panel chair and discussant). *Annual Meeting* of American Society of Criminology, Los Angeles, CA.
- Race, Culture, Gender, and Crime (topic section organizer). *Annual Meeting* of Western Society of Criminology, Scottsdale, AZ (February 2007).
- Race and Ethnic Identity (panel session organizer). *New Directions in the Study of Race and Ethnicity Conference*, Department of Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder.
- Race and Academic Freedom (panel moderator). *New Directions in the Study of Race and Ethnicity Conference*, Department of Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder.
- Affirmative Action (panel session organizer). *New Directions in the Study of Race and Ethnicity Conference*, Department of Sociology, University of Colorado at Boulder.
- 2005 Crime Myths vs. Reality (panel session organizer). *Annual Meeting* of Western Society of Criminology, Seattle, WA (February 2006).
- "The Negro Criminal": African Americans and Theories of Crime Causation (panel organizer and discussant). *Annual Meeting* of Association of Black Sociologists, Philadelphia, PA.
- Domestic/Family Violence (panel chair). *Annual Meeting* of Western Society of Criminology, Honolulu, HI.
- 2001 Domestic Violence (panel chair and discussant). *Black-on-Black Crime: Prevention of Violence, Gangs, Drugs, and Guns Conference*, Institute for Social Justice, Inc., and Metropolitan State College of Denver, Denver, CO.
- Effective Programs in Jails and Prisons (panel chair and discussant). *Black-on-Black Crime: Prevention of Violence, Gangs, Drugs, and Guns Conference*, Institute for Social Justice, Inc., and Metropolitan State College of Denver, Denver, CO.
- Women in Jails and Prisons (panel chair and discussant). *Black-on-Black Crime: Prevention of Violence, Gangs, Drugs, and Guns Conference*, Institute for Social Justice, Inc., and Metropolitan State College of Denver, Denver, CO.

2000 Female Offenders' Experiences in the Criminal Justice System (panel organizer, chair, and discussant; Panel comprised of female prison inmates). *Juvenile and Adult Female Offenders: Problems and Solutions Workshop*, National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice, Colorado Chapter, Denver, CO.

Women in Prison (panel organizer, chair, and discussant). *Juvenile and Adult Female Offenders: Problems and Solutions Workshop*, National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice, Colorado Chapter, Denver, CO.

### **Voluntary Service to Criminal Justice System**

2003-2004 Consultant, Metro Academy at the Betty K. Marler Youth Services Center (for committed delinquent girls), Colorado Division of Youth Services

2003 Application Reviewer, Gender Specific/Female-Responsive Services Grant, Office of Juvenile Justice, Division of Criminal Justice, Colorado Department of Public Safety

1996 Graduate Research Intern, New York City Police Department, Police Academy

Intern Staff, Legal Aid Society, New York City

1991-1992 Youth Member (Appointed by Governor), Colorado Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Council, Office of Juvenile Justice, Division of Criminal Justice, Colorado Department of Public Safety

1991 Intern Line Staff Member, Closed Adolescent Treatment Center, Lookout Mountain Youth Services Center, Colorado Division of Youth Corrections

1990 Intern Line Staff Member, Boulder Community Treatment Center, Correctional Management, Inc., Boulder, CO

### Service to the Department, College, and University

2005-Present University of Colorado at Boulder  
College of Arts and Sciences  
Arts and Sciences Council Member, August 2005-May 2008  
Committee Assignment: Academic Community and Diversity Committee

Department of Sociology  
Diversity Committee Chair, August 2006-May 2008  
Faculty Search Committee Chair, August 2007-December 2007  
Faculty Search Committee Member, August 2005-December 2005

1999-2004 Metropolitan State College of Denver  
Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology  
Curriculum Committee Chair, August 2003-May 2004  
Curriculum Committee Member, August 1999-May 2003  
Department Brochure Committee Member, April-May 2004  
Faculty Selection Committee Member, February-May 2003  
Program Review Committee Member, September 2003-May 2004  
Student Assessment Committee Member, August 2001-May 2004

## EMPLOYMENT IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM

- 1998-2000 Denver Juvenile Probation Department, Denver, CO  
*Probation Officer*, February 1998-June 2000
- 1999-2000 Institute for Substance Abuse Education, Denver, CO  
*Instructor*, February 1999-October 2000
- 1996-1999 Safe Nite Curfew and Diversion Program (Safe City Office), City and County of Denver, CO  
*Program Case Manager/Counselor*, September 1996-February 1999
- 1996 Correctional Management, Inc., Boulder, CO  
Boulder Community Treatment Center  
*Line Staff Supervisor/Community Corrections Technician III*, July-November 1996
- 1992-1995 Correctional Services Corporation, Inc., New York, NY
- Le Marquis Community Corrections Center  
*Assistant Facility Administrator/Program Manager*, July-December 1995
- Le Marquis Female Community Corrections Center  
*Facility Administrator*, January-June 1995
- Le Marquis Male Community Corrections Center  
*Assistant Facility Administrator/Program Manager*, November 1993-December 1994  
*Case Manager/Counselor*, December 1992-November 1993
- 1991-1992 Courthouse, Inc., Aurora, CO  
Aurora Shelter Care  
*Counselor*, July 1991-April 1992