

Curriculum Vitae
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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

- 2020 Ph.D., Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Missouri – St. Louis
Dissertation: *Dual disadvantage: An examination of racial disparities in victim and suspect criminal justice treatment*
Committee: J. Lauritsen, R. Rosenfeld, B. Huebner, D. Klinger, B. Johnson
- 2014 B.A., Sociology, Loyola Marymount University
- 2014 B.A., Psychology, Loyola Marymount University
- 2012 Study Abroad: Akademie für Internationale Bildung, Bonn, Germany

ACADEMIC/RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

University of South Carolina, Criminology and Criminal Justice

2025 – Present Assistant Professor of Criminology and Criminal Justice

Spring Hill College, Sociology and Criminology

2022 – 2025 Pre-Law Advisor

2021 – 2025 Assistant Professor of Sociology and Criminology

University of Missouri – St. Louis, Criminology and Criminal Justice

2016 – 2024 Research Assistant/Research Specialist, Dr. Richard Rosenfeld

Funding: National Institute of Justice, PI Richard Rosenfeld

2015 – 2018 Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Michael Campbell

Funding: National Science Foundation, Co-PIs Michael Campbell and Heather Schoenfeld

2016 – 2017 Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Karlijn Kuijpers

American Society of Evidence-Based Policing

2021 – 2023 Applied Criminology and Data Management Course Evaluator

Funding: National Institute of Justice, PI Reneé Mitchell

Yale Law School

- 2020 – 2021 Postdoctoral Research Fellow in Law and Social Science, Justice Collaboratory, Dr. Tom R. Tyler
- 2019 – 2020 Research Scholar, Justice Collaboratory

The RAND Corporation

- 2018 – 2019 Summer Associate; Adjunct Researcher
- Funding: National Institute of Justice, Co-PIs Priscillia Hunt and Dionne Barnes-Proby

Loyola Marymount University, Sociology

- 2014 RAINS Research Assistant, Dr. Anna Muraco
- 2013 – 2014 RAINS Research Assistant, Dr. Stephanie Limoncelli

Loyola Marymount University, Psychology

- 2013 – 2014 RAINS Research Assistant, HeadsUP Research Lab
- 2013 – 2014 Research Assistant, Dr. Michael Foy
- 2011 – 2012 Research Assistant, Dr. David Hardy and Dr. Larry Bernard

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Spring Hill College, Sociology and Criminology

- 2021 – 2025 SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology, SOC 250: Social Problems, SOC 253: Criminology and Criminal Justice, SOC 299: Introduction to American Justice Systems; SOC 314: Deviance and Social Control, SOC 354: Juvenile Delinquency, SOC 355: Sociology of Race and Ethnicity, SOC 483: Sociology of Law, SOC 499: Sociology of Punishment, SOC 499: Honors Thesis Research, PTH 101: Pathways First-Year Seminar (Community and Well-Being), PTH102: Pathways First-Year Seminar (Engagement and Outreach), PTH302/303: Pre-Law and Social Sciences Internship

Loyola Marymount University, Sociology

- 2021 SOCL 3130: Sociology of Law

Yale Law School

- 2020 – 2021 LAW 21496: Social Science and Institutional Design: The Empirical Evaluation of Laws and Legal Policies and Practices (as Co-Instructor with T. R. Tyler), LAW 20660: Legitimacy: Theoretical Models of Criminal Justice (as TA)

University of Missouri – St. Louis

2015 – 2019 CRIMIN 2240: Policing, CRIMIN 2130: Criminal Justice Policy (as TA), CRIMIN 3290: Crime, Law, and Urban Change in a Global Context (Rotterdam, The Netherlands; as TA), CRIMIN 4350: Victimology (as TA), CRIMIN 4330/GS 4330: Violence Against Women (as TA), CRIMIN 2260: Corrections (as TA), CRIMIN 4360/SOC 4362: Sociology of Law (as TA)

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Vaughn, P. E.** & Huber, G. A. (2025). Seeing the state in action: Public preferences about and judgments of common police-civilian interactions. *Criminology*.
- Vaughn, P. E.** & Mitchell, R. J. (2025) Advancing police-researcher collaboration and evidence-based policing: an evaluation of the applied criminology and data management course. *Police Practice & Research*.
- Torres, L., **Vaughn, P. E.** , & Williams, J. (2025). Detention or Dissent: Judicial Utilization of Public Safety Assessments During Pretrial Detention Hearings in a New Jersey Courtroom. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*.
- Thompson, K. R., **Vaughn, P. E.**, Giuffre, A., & Huebner, B. (2025). Fines and fees in flux: Exploring changes in municipal violation sentencing after reform. *Justice Quarterly*.
- Williams, J. H., **Vaughn, P. E.**, & Vogel, M. (2024). How do county-level ethno-racial composition and residential segregation influence pretrial decisions? Results from a multi-level, multi-decade study. *Punishment & Society*.
- Rubin, A., & **Vaughn, P. E.**, & Rudes, D. S. (2024). Neo-institutional analyses of criminal legal organizations and policies. *Annual Review of Law and Social Science*.
- Vaughn, P. E.**, Greene, C., & Klinger, D. (2024). Revenge effects and electronic control weapons: A cautionary tale about the unintended consequences of technology in the American justice system. *Journal of Criminal Justice*.
- Williams, J. & **Vaughn, P. E.** (2023). Cheap on punishment: Examining the impact of prison population racial demographics on state-level corrections spending. *Justice Quarterly*.
- Peyton, K., Weiss, C. M., & **Vaughn, P. E.**, (2022). Beliefs about minority representation in policing and support for diversification. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*.
- Vaughn, P. E.**, Williams, J., Rosenfeld, R., & Deckard, M. (2022). Minority victim neglect and the case processing of firearm crimes. *Victims & Offenders*.
- Vaughn, P. E.**, Peyton, K., & Huber, G. A. (2022). Mass support for proposals to reshape policing depends on the implications for crime and safety. *Criminology & Public Policy*.
- Gripp, C., Jha, C., & **Vaughn, P. E.** (2021). Enhancing community safety through interagency collaboration: Lessons from Connecticut's Project Longevity. *Journal of Law, Medicine & Ethics*.
- Vaughn, P. E.** (2020). The effects of devaluation and solvability on crime clearance. *Journal of Criminal Justice*.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jcrimjus.2020.101657>
- Campbell, M. C., Schoenfeld, H., & **Vaughn, P.** (2019). Same old song and dance? An analysis of legislative activity in a period of penal reform. *Punishment & Society*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1462474519887945>

Kenney, S., Napper, L., LaBrie, J., & **Vaughn, P.** (2018). Reasons for accessing mental health services as predictors of college student alcohol risk. *Journal of College Counseling*. <https://doi.org/10.1002/jocc.12092>

PUBLICATIONS UNDER REVIEW

Slocum, L. & **Vaughn, P. E.** (Under Review at *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*). Devalued or not willing to cooperate? Disentangling the relationship among prior police contact, police investigatory effort, victim cooperation, and case clearance using victim data.

TECHNICAL REPORTS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Vaughn, P. E. (2024). Evaluation of the ASEBP Program in Applied Criminology and Crime Management. Final report to the National Institute of Justice.

Vaughn, P. E. & Rosenfeld, R. (2024). The St. Louis Police Partnership: An individualized focused deterrence implementation guide.

Vaughn, P. E. & Rosenfeld, R. & (2024). The impact of individualized focused deterrence on criminal and prosocial outcomes: Final report to the National Institute of Justice.

Rosenfeld, R., & **Vaughn, P. E.** (2022). The St. Louis Police Partnership: Second Interim Report. Report prepared for the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department and the St. Louis Division of Probation and Parole.

Peyton, K., & **Vaughn, P. E.** (2022). Police legitimacy in Yonkers, NY: Evidence from the Community Vitality Survey. Report prepared for the Yonkers Police Department.

Peyton, K., & **Vaughn, P. E.** (2022). Crime, safety, and policing in relation to police perceptions in Yonkers, NY: Evidence from the Community Vitality Survey. Report prepared for the Yonkers Police Department.

Peyton, K., & **Vaughn, P. E.** (2022). Crime, safety, and policing in relation to police legitimacy in Yonkers, NY: Evidence from the Community Vitality Survey. Report prepared for the Yonkers Police Department.

Rosenfeld, R., & **Vaughn, P. E.** (2021). The Police Partnership: A preliminary evaluation. Report prepared for the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department and the St. Louis Division of Probation and Parole.

Meares, T., & **Vaughn, P. E.** (2021). Review of “No procedural justice, no peace? Judgements of police legitimacy in ‘real-time’ interactions captured on camera - A registered report.” *Royal Society Open Science*.

Vaughn, P. E., Feigenberg, B., & Luben, L. (2021). Procedural justice in policing. Report prepared for the *Council on Criminal Justice* and *University of Chicago’s Crime Lab*.

Vaughn, P. E., Gripp, C., & Sebastian, T. (2020). Interagency Task Force on Community Safety. Policy Memo for the Biden-Harris Administration.

Peyton, K., **Vaughn, P. E.**, & Huber, G. “Americans don’t support the idea of defunding the police.” The Washington Post. 31 August 2020.

Vaughn, P. E. (2020). Review of Patrick Sharkey’s *Uneasy Peace: The Great Crime Decline, the Renewal of City Life, and the Next War on Violence*. *Punishment & Society*.

- Vaughn, P.** (2019). Research opportunities outside of the university: A summer at RAND. *The Criminologist*.
- Vaughn, P.** (2018). A multilevel theory of the state's monopoly on violence: Explaining the effect of the police on violence. In M. Deflem (Ed.), *Homicide and Violent Crime* (Vol. 23 of Sociology of Crime, Law and Deviance).
- Campbell, M., & **Vaughn, P.** (2018). The collateral consequences of punishment. In B. Huebner & N. Frost (Eds.), *ASC Division on Corrections and Sentencing Handbook* (Vol. 3).
- Vaughn, P.** (2014). Intersecting oppressions and mass incarceration: Male opportunity over the life course. *Digital Commons at Loyola Marymount University and Loyola Law School*.

PRESENTATIONS

- 2025 **Vaughn, P. E.** Using NCVS data to examine correlates of victim perceptions of crime clearance, presented at Interdisciplinary Policing Workshop 2025, University of South Carolina.
- 2025 **Vaughn, P. E.** Comments on how institutional design shapes resident engagement with civilian oversight agencies by Arvind Krishnamurthy, presented at Interdisciplinary Policing Workshop 2025, University of South Carolina.
- 2024 **Vaughn, P. E.** Legacy in mentorship: Reflections on Dr. Richard Rosenfeld's enduring impact, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- 2024 **Vaughn, P. E.,** Rezey, M. L., & Slocum, L. Using national crime victimization survey data to examine correlates of victim perceptions of crime clearance over time, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- 2024 Rezey, M. L., **Vaughn, P. E.,** & Slocum, L. Clearance from a victim's perspective: Patterns and trends in national clearance rates from the National Crime Victimization Survey, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- 2024 Slocum, L., Rezey, M. L., & **Vaughn, P. E.** Examining changes in national crime clearance rates over time: A comparison of police and victim data from 1993-2020, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- 2024 **Vaughn, P. E.,** & Mitchell, R. J. Promoting police-researcher collaboration and evidence-based policing: Promising findings from the Applied Criminology and Data Management Program, presented at the American Society of Evidence-Based Policing Annual Meeting, Spokane, WA.
- 2023 **Vaughn, P. E.** & Rosenfeld, R. The impact of the St. Louis Police Partnership on criminal and prosocial outcomes, presented to the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department and the St. Louis Division of Probation and Parole, St. Louis, MO.
- 2023 **Vaughn, P. E.** & Rosenfeld, R. Reducing firearm violence and promoting pro-social behavior: promising findings from the St. Louis Police Partnership, presented at the American Society of Evidence-Based Policing Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV.

- 2022 **Vaughn, P. E.**, & Slocum, L. The effects of prior police contact on police and victim behaviors, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- 2021 **Vaughn, P. E.**, & Slocum, L. Assessing the relationship between police contact, effort, and clearance, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2021 Thompson, K., **Vaughn, P. E.**, Giuffre, A., & Huebner, B. Fines, fees, and Ferguson: Exploring changes in municipal violation sentencing after court reform, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2019 **Vaughn, P. E.** The effects of devaluation and solvability on crime clearance, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- 2019 Barnes-Proby, D., Mendoza-Graf, A., Hunt, P., & **Vaughn, P.** Community perspectives on firearm violence in four major US cities, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- 2019 **Vaughn, P.**, Greene, C., & Klinger, D. Revenge effects and non-lethal weapons: A cautionary tale about the unintended consequences of technology in the American justice system, presented at the Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2018 **Vaughn, P.**, Lentz, T., Rosenfeld, R., & Huebner, B. Endogenous effects of various police activities on violent crime, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 **Vaughn, P.** What affects firearm violence? A look at Pittsburgh neighborhoods, presented to the RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA.
- 2018 **Vaughn, P.**, & Campbell, M. Mobilizing localized interests in state penal reforms: A case study of New Jersey interest groups, presented at the Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Toronto.
- 2017 **Vaughn, P.** Evaluating reactive policing in St. Louis, MO, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2017 **Vaughn, P.**, & Ryan, A. Drug offending, in-prison program completion, and recidivism: Data from Recidivism of Prisoners Released in 1994, presented at the Annual National Conference on Higher Education in Prison, Dallas, TX.
- 2017 Rosenfeld, R., & **Vaughn, P.** The Police Partnership: A preliminary examination, presented to the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department and the St. Louis Division of Probation and Parole, St. Louis, MO.
- 2017 Campbell, M., **Vaughn, P.**, & Schoenfeld, H. State of reform? A comparative analysis of reform efforts in New Jersey in the 21st century, presented at the Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Mexico City.
- 2016 **Vaughn, P.** Chronic discontent, police illegitimacy, bureaucratic disorganization, and homicide, presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
- 2016 Campbell, M., **Vaughn, P.**, & Schoenfeld, H. Penal change and fiscal crisis: An analysis of state level developments in New Jersey since 2000, presented at the Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

- 2014 **Vaughn, P.** Expressing attitudes about involvement in international affairs, presented at Loyola Marymount University's Undergraduate Research Symposium, 2014.
- 2014 Napper, L., LaBrie, J., & **Vaughn, P.** Social anxiety and drinking refusal self-efficacy as moderators of the relationship between playing drinking games and alcohol-related consequences, presented at the 37th Annual Research Society on Alcoholism Scientific Meeting and 17th Congress of International Society for Biomedical Research on Alcoholism (ISBRA), Bellevue, Washington.
- 2012 Insua-Rieger, S., Cowley, C. R., & **Vaughn, P.** Evolutionary motivators: Male and female differences in rating facial attractiveness, presented at the Southern California Conference for Undergraduate Research, Camarillo, California, November 17, 2012 and Loyola Marymount University's Undergraduate Research Symposium, Los Angeles, CA, 2012.

INVITED TALKS/CONFERENCES

- 2023 **Vaughn, P. E.** Assessing racial disparities across criminal justice systems: Findings, research challenges, and implications, presented at the Jacksonville Urban League's Racial Healing and Reconciliation Monthly Conversation (February 2, 2023)
- 2022 Justice and Injustice Conference Participant, Institution for Social and Policy Studies/Center for the Study of American Politics, Yale University
- 2022 **Vaughn, P. E.,** & Justice, N. P. Contemporary Issues in Policing and Promising Reforms, presented at Spring Hill College, Foley Center (April 19, 2022)
- 2022 **Vaughn, P. E.** Researching Racial Disparities Within and Across Criminal Justice Systems, presented to *Measures For Justice* (March 3, 2022)
- 2021 O'Bryant, J., & **Vaughn, P. E.** Psychological and Sociological Factors Affecting Black Americans' Experiences with Crime and Justice, Spring Hill College (September 22, 2021)
- 2021 **Vaughn, P. E.** Police-Community Relations, presented at the University of the Pacific, Benerd College's *Conversations in Criminal Justice* (April 7, 2021)

AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2025 Arnold Ventures Planning Grant (\$79,302)
Project: *The effects of drones on crime clearance* with Wendy Regoeczi, University of South Carolina
- 2024 Irving and Frances Grodsky Silver Faculty Scholar Award, Spring Hill College (\$17,000)
- 2024 Ignatian Great Ideas For Teachers Award (\$125)
- 2022 Midwest Political Science Association's Lucius Barker Award
Paper: *Beliefs about minority representation in policing and preferences for increasing officer diversity*
- 2022 Mitchell Faculty Scholarship Grant (\$500), First Place
- 2021 Richard Block Award (Homicide Research Working Group), American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL

Dissertation: *Dual disadvantage: An examination of racial disparities in victim and suspect criminal justice treatment*

2021 Laura Bassi Scholarship, Honorable Mention

2019 Junior Scholars Workshop Participant, Law and Society Association, Washington, D.C.

2014 Sociology Program Scholar, Loyola Marymount University

2014 Loyola Marymount University Undergraduate Library Research Award, First Place

Paper: *Intersecting oppressions and mass incarceration: Male opportunity over the life course*

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

2022-Present Advisory Board Member, Punishment and Society Collaborative Research Network
Law and Society Association

2022 Award Committee Member, Richard Block Dissertation Award
Homicide Research Working Group

2022 Sub-Area Chair for Police Strategies, Interventions, and Evaluations
American Society of Criminology

2021 Building evidence for effective investigations: A collaborative workshop to identify research needs,
Arnold Foundation

Manuscript Reviewer for *American Journal of Sociology*, *Criminology*, *Criminology & Public Policy*, *Law & Society Review*,
Social Problems, *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*, *Justice Quarterly*, *Journal of Criminal Justice*, *Journal of*
Contemporary Criminal Justice, *Police Quarterly*, and *Police Practice and Research*

DEPARTMENTAL/UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2024-2025 Foley Service Center Task Force Member
Spring Hill college

2024-2025 Sexual Assault Response Team Member
Spring Hill College

2023-2025 Academic Standards Committee Member
Spring Hill College

2023-2025 HillSpeak Team Member
Spring Hill College, Office of Violence Prevention

2023-2025 International Service and Immersion Program Advisor
Spring Hill College (2023 Dominican Republic faculty advisor)
Spring Hill College (2024 Belize faculty advisor)

2022-2025 Pre-Law Society Faculty Advisor
Spring Hill College

2022-2025	Student Justice Coalition Faculty Advisor Spring Hill College
2022-2025	Justice League Member Spring Hill College
2022-2025	Internship Task Force Member Spring Hill College
2019	Graduate Student Judge, Undergraduate Research Symposium University of Missouri – St. Louis
2017	Graduate Student Judge, United Nations Day Student Essay Contest University of Missouri – St. Louis
2016 – 2017	Student Government Association Representative, CCJ Graduate Student Association University of Missouri – St. Louis
2013 – 2014	President, LMU Sociology Society Loyola Marymount University

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/OUTREACH

2024-2025	Girls Leadership Program Mentor, Strickland Youth Detention Center Mobile, AL
2023-2025	Community Coalition for Violence Prevention Member Mobile, AL
2022-2025	Project THRIVE Member, Mobile Youth Violence Prevention Mobile, AL
2020	Pitch Partners Mini Grant Evaluator, Violence Prevention Institute for Public Health, Washington University, St. Louis
2019	Policy and Systems Change Committee Member, Violence Prevention Commission, St. Louis, MO
2019	Community Engagement Committee Member, Violence Prevention Commission, St. Louis, MO
2017	Volunteer Researcher, Ferguson Independent Monitoring Team (DOJ), Ferguson, MO
2017-2018	Volunteer Intern, East St. Louis Police Department East St. Louis, IL
2014-2015	Intake Assistant, Fulltime Volunteer, South Alabama Volunteer Lawyers Program Mobile, AL
2014	Volunteer Instructor, Soledad State Prison, Soledad, CA
2014	Volunteer Intern and Instructor, The Francisco Homes

South Los Angeles, CA

2013-2014 Intern, Los Angeles District Attorney's Victim-Witness Assistance Program
Los Angeles, CA

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Criminology

American Society of Evidence-Based Policing

Alpha Kappa Delta

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