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Professional Employment

Cook County Sheriff's Office (2009 to Present) (Contract through Loyola)

Research Coordinator, Reentry Policy for the Cook County Jail; Special Assistant to the Sheriff

Loyola University Chicago (1991 to Present)

Professor, Department of Criminal Justice & Criminology (2010 to present)

Chairman, Department of Criminal Justice & Criminology (2004 to 2011)

Director, Forensic Science Program (2006 to 2008)

Associate Professor, Department of Criminal Justice & Criminology (2003 to 2010, tenured 2003)

Assistant Professor, Department of Criminal Justice & Criminology (1997 to 2003)

Lecturer (Part-time), Department of Criminal Justice & Criminology (1991 to 1997)

Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority (1988 to 2006)

Senior Research Scientist, Research & Analysis Unit (1996 to 2006)

Director/Senior Research Analyst, Information Resource Center, Research & Analysis Unit (1990 to 1996)

Research Analyst, Statistical Analysis Center, Research and Analysis Unit (1988 to 1990)

Cook County Court Watchers, Inc., Chicago, IL (1987 to 1988)

Court Monitor

Other Professional Employment (Contractual Research, Evaluation & Policy Analysis Consulting)

Safer Foundation (2011)

Illinois Sentencing Policy Advisory Council (2010 - 2012)

Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts' Probation Services Division (2009 - 2011)

Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority/Illinois Department of Corrections (2006 - 2010)

Morgan County Probation Department (2008)

Northwestern University School of Law, Children and Family Justice Center (2006)

Elgin Police Department (2000 to 2002)

Gateway Foundation (2000 to 2002)

Skokie Police Department (1999 to 2000)

Macon County, Illinois, Probation and Court Services Department (1998)

Treatment Alternatives for Safe Communities-TASC (1997-1999)

Kansas Juvenile Justice Authority with Huskey & Associates Inc. (1997-1998)

Montana Department of Justice, Helena, MT. (1993).

Education

University of Illinois, Chicago

Doctor of Philosophy, Political Science/Public Policy Analysis, December 1996

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Criminal Justice Methodology and Analysis: Recidivism Data Workshop

National Institute of Justice Fellowship, June 1993

University of Illinois, Chicago

Master of Arts, Criminal Justice, August 1991

Loyola University Chicago

Bachelor of Science (*Cum Laude*), Criminal Justice, May 1988

Honors/Awards

Recipient of the 2011 Hans W. Mattick Award for outstanding accomplishments in the field of criminology and criminal justice research presented by the Illinois Academy of Criminology.

Co-author of *The Chicago alternative policing strategy: A reassessment of the CAPS program*, which was the 2011 winner of the Outstanding Paper Award for the Literati Network Awards for Excellence.

Co-author of *Criminal Justice Plan for the State of Illinois*, which received the Justice Research and Statistics Association's 2001 Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis.

Recipient of the 1999 Justice Research and Statistics Association's Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis for *Trends in Illinois Drug Arrests*, published by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority.

Co-author of *Trends and Issues '97: Criminal and Juvenile Justice in Illinois*, which received the Justice Research and Statistics Association's 1997 Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis (September 1997).

Recipient of the Assistant United States Attorney General's Graduate Research Fellowship, April 1996 to March 1997.

Recipient of the "Certificate of Appreciation for Outstanding Contributions and Dedicated Service to the National Criminal Justice Community," conferred by the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance on December 8, 1994.

Co-author of *Final Report: Governors Task Force on Crime and Corrections*, which received the Justice Research and Statistics Association's 1993 Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis.

Co-author of *Trends and Issues '89: Focus on Drugs, AIDS, and DUI*, which received the Criminal Justice Statistics Association's 1988 Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis.

Loyola University Honorary (Academic) Scholarship, 1987 and 1988

Dean's List (6/8 Semesters of Undergraduate Study at Loyola University Chicago)

Research Grants Secured and Managed

Principal Investigator, Data Analysis and Research Services for the Cook County Sheriff's Office. Funded by the Cook County Sheriff's Office, July 2011 through June 2012, \$31,412.

Principal Investigator, Evaluation of the Cook County Sheriff's Ford Heights Policing Initiative. Funded by the Cook County Sheriff's Office, August 2010 through September 2011, \$18,000.

Principal Investigator, Data Analysis and Research Services for the Cook County Sheriff's Office. Funded by the Cook County Sheriff's Office, July 2010 through June 2011, \$31,412.

Principal Investigator (with Stalans, Escobar & O'Brien), A Detailed Examination of the Growth of Illinois' Prison Population and an Assessment of Risk and Recidivism Among Prison Releasees. Funded by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, December 1, 2009 through August 30, 2010, \$70,825.

Principal Investigator with D. Stemen and R. Lombardo, Implementation and Impact of Illinois' Capital Punishment Reforms. Funded by the Illinois Capital Punishment Reform Study Committee, October 2009 through June 2010, \$45,000.

Principal Investigator, Data Analysis and Research Services for the Cook County Sheriff's Office. Funded by the Cook County Sheriff's Office, June 2009 through May 2010, \$31,412.

Principal Investigator with D. Stemen and R. Lombardo, Implementation and Impact of Illinois' Capital Punishment Reforms. Funded by the Illinois Capital Punishment Reform Study Committee, October 2008 through June 2009, \$75,000.

Principal Investigator, Evaluation of the Sheridan and Southwestern Correctional Centers and Support to the Sheridan/SWICC Oversight Council. Funded by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, September 1, 2007 through January 31, 2010, \$30,670.

Principal Investigator, The Impact of Illinois' Truth-in-Sentencing Legislation on Sentence Length & Inmate Disciplinary Violations. Funded by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, September 1, 2007 through August 30, 2008, \$30,670.

Principal Investigator, Implementation and Impact of Illinois' Capital Punishment Reforms. Funded by the Illinois Capital Punishment Reform Study Committee, January 2007 through December 2007, \$50,000.

Principal Investigator, Implementing Evidence Based Practices for Probation Initiative in Cook and DuPage Counties. Funded by the National Institute of Justice/National Institute of Corrections through the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, October 1, 2006 through March, 30, 2008, \$20,000.

Principal Investigator, Evaluation of the Illinois Department of Corrections' Sheridan Correctional Center. Funded by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, October 2006 through January 2008, \$30,000.

Co-Principal Investigator with Loretta Stalans, Assessing the Risk of Sexual Assault and Violent Recidivism and Identifying Differences in Risk Factors: Comparing Probation Supervision and Released Imprisoned Sex Offenders. Funded by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, January 2007 through December 2007, \$79,700.

Co-Principal Investigator with Phil Stevenson and Jan Ciekowski, Research to Support Illinois' Probation Evidence-Based Practices (EBP) Initiative. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, National Institute of Justice through the National Institute of Corrections, April 2004 through March 2006, \$198,000.

Principal Investigator with Steven Karr (Illinois Department of Corrections), Evaluation of the Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance through the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, January 2004 through March 2006.

Principal Investigator, Long-Term Impact and Outcomes of Cook County (Chicago) Drug Treatment Court Participants. Funded by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, December 1, 2004 to June 30, 2006, \$35,000.

Co-principal Investigator with Arthur J. Lurigio (Loyola University Chicago), An examination of recidivism among adult probationers in Cook County (Chicago), Illinois. Funded by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, November 2003 to December 2005, \$40,000.

Principal Investigator, Recidivism of Gang and Non-Gang Members Released from the Illinois Department of Corrections. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention through the Institute for Intergovernmental Research, April 2002 to July 2003, \$50,400.

Co-principal Investigator with James R. Coldren, Ph.D. (University of Illinois at Chicago), Evaluation, Review and Redesign of the Illinois Department of Corrections' Reception and Classification Center. Funded by the Illinois Department of Corrections, January 2002 to August 2002, \$45,000.

Principal Investigator, Evaluation of the Implementation and Impact of the Cook County (Chicago) Drug Treatment Courts. Funded by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, August 2001 to December 2002, \$65,000.

Co-principal Investigator with Gerard F. Ramker, Ph.D. (Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority), An Examination and Comparison of the Characteristics of Multi-jurisdictional Drug Enforcement Unit and Traditional Police Department Targets. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, January 1999 to December 2001, \$100,318.

Principal Investigator, Evaluation of the Capacity Expansion for Substance Abusing Offenders Program in Cook County (Chicago), Illinois. Funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, January 1999 to December 2002, \$214,044.

Principal Investigator with Arthur Lurigio, Evaluation of the Implementation and Impact of the Cook County (Chicago) Drug Treatment Courts. Funded by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, April 1998 to September 1999, \$50,201.

Program Director, Statewide Strategy to Control Drug and Violent Crime Impact Evaluation Program. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, February 1997 to September 1998, \$850,000.

Principal Investigator, Juvenile Crime and Justice System Activities in Illinois: An Overview of Trends. Funded by the Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission, December 1996 to February 1997, \$9,000.

Program Director, Statewide Strategy to Control Drug and Violent Crime Impact Evaluation Program. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, May 1, 1996 to September 30, 1997, \$866,667.

Program Director, Statistical Analysis Center (SAC II). Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, May 1, 1996, to April 30, 1997, \$50,000.

Program Director, Statewide Strategy to Control Drug and Violent Crime Impact Evaluation Program. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, February 1, 1996, to September 30, 1997, \$566,667.

Principal Investigator, Assessment of Minority Representation in 26 Illinois Counties (Phase II). Funded by the Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission, July 1, 1995, to June 30, 1996, \$50,000.

Program Director, Statewide Strategy to Control Drug and Violent Crime Impact Evaluation Program. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, October 1, 1994 to September 30, 1995, \$1,133,333.

Principal Investigator, Assessment of Minority Representation (Phase I) and Support to the Illinois Legislative Committee on Juvenile Justice. Funded by the Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission, April 1, 1995, to June 30, 1995, \$30,000.

Principal Investigator, Overview of Juvenile Crime and the Justice System's Response in Illinois. Funded by the Illinois Juvenile Justice Commission, June 13, 1994, to September 30, 1994, \$13,895.

Program Director, Statewide Strategy to Control Drug and Violent Crime Impact Evaluation Program. Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, June 15, 1993 to September 30, 1994, \$1,333,333.

Program Director, Statistical Analysis Center (SAC II). Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, May 1, 1995, to April 30, 1996, \$50,000.

Program Director, Statistical Analysis Center (SAC I). Funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, January 1, 1993 to April 30, 1995, \$50,000.

Courses Taught

Undergraduate: Introduction to Criminal Justice, Principles of Criminal Behavior (Theory), Juvenile Justice, Corrections in America (Institutional), Research Methods, Guns and Violence, Drug Abuse Control, Correctional Policy and Practice, and Senior Capstone.

Graduate: Politics and Policy, Research Methods, Statistics, Advanced Statistics, Managerial and Organizational Techniques, Program Evaluation, Drug Control Policy and Practice.

University Committees and Service

Member, Campus Safety Advisory Committee (2012 to present)
 Search Committee, Urban Affairs & Public Policy Analysis Program Director (2007-2008)
 Search Committee, Water Tower Campus Assistant Dean (2007)
 Loyola University Chicago, Finnegan-Rammler Scholarship Selection Committee (1999 to 2009)
 Search Committee, Water Tower Campus Assistant Dean (2006)
 Loyola University Chicago, Lakeside Research Committee (2001 to 2003)
 Loyola University Chicago, Academic Council (April 1999 to May 2003)
 Loyola University Chicago, Chair, Academic Council By-Laws Committee (2002 to 2003)
 Loyola University Chicago, Academic Council Elections Committee (2000-2001)
 Loyola University Chicago, Academic Council Curriculum Committee (1999-2000)
 Loyola University Chicago, Research Leave Task Force (2000)
 Loyola University Chicago, Faculty Council Research Committee (1997 to 2002)

Loyola University Chicago, Department of Criminal Justice, Comprehensive Examination Committee (September 1997 to present)

Loyola University Chicago, Department of Criminal Justice, Grievance Committee (1997 to present)

Dissertation Committee for Megan Alderden (UIC), Sharon Shipinski (UIC) and Phil Stevenson (Loyola)

Thesis Chair for Nancy Smith, Debra Stein, Stephanie Albertson, Jennifer Brees, Brendan Dooley, Alexander Drayer, Frank Silva, Robert Bauer, Stephanie Lambert, Rachel Sterk, Jordan Boulger, Jana Krepel, Connor Concannon.

Thesis committee member for Jane Zawadowski, Heather Scott, Tom Lemmer, and Julie Ores.

Directed major research paper for Kelly MacDowell, Carolyn Symington, Shelly Thomas, Melissa Spooner, Ana Lalley, Wayne Miceck, Tom Nichols, Izabella Milot, and Chris Rivera.

Organizational Memberships

Illinois Academy of Criminology (Current)

National Philosophy Honor Society (Current)

Midwestern Criminal Justice Association (Current)

American Society of Criminology (Current)

Justice Research and Statistics Association (Current)

American Political Science Association (Former)

American Correctional Association (Former)

Illinois Correctional Association (Former)

Illinois Academy of Criminology (Executive Committee, 1992 and 1993)

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (Former)

Chicago-Area Drug and Violence Research Association (Former)

Law Enforcement Task Force, Campaign for a Drug Free West Side-North Austin Council (1990-1992)

Illinois State Epidemiology Work Group (1990 to 1991)

Peer Review Activities

Peer Reviewer, U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, 2011.

Peer Research and Evaluation Reviewer, National Science Foundation, Division of Social and Economic Sciences, 2011

External Program Reviewer, Lewis University, Justice, Law and Public Safety Studies Program, 2011

Lead Technical Research and Evaluation Reviewer, U.S. Department of Justice, National Institute of Justice, 2011

Lead Technical Research and Evaluation Reviewer, U.S. Department of Justice, National Institute of Justice, 2010

Reviewer, *The Journal of Legal Studies* (2010)

External Program Reviewer, Illinois' Governor's State University Criminal Justice Program (2009)

Judge, Justice Research and Statistics Association's 2008 Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis Publication Competition.

Peer Reviewer, Stanford University Press (2008)

Judge, Justice Research and Statistics Association's 2007 Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis Publication Competition

Research Proposal Peer/Consensus Reviewer, U.S. Department of Justice, National Institute of Justice, 2007

Research Proposal Peer/Consensus Reviewer, U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, 2006

Reviewer, *International Review of Law and Economics* (2006)

Reviewer, *Criminal Justice and Behavior* (2006)

Reviewer, *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation* (2006)

Reviewer, *Criminal Justice Policy Review* (2004)

Reviewer, *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology* (2003 to present)

Reviewer, *Crime and Delinquency* (June 2003 to present)

Reviewer, *Law and Society Review* (February 2002 to present)

Reviewer, *Criminal Justice Organizations, 2nd Edition*, Wadsworth Publisher

Review, *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice* (September 1998 to Present)

Reviewer, *Journal of Quantitative Criminology* (May 1998 to Present)

Peer Reviewer, National Institute of Justice's Technical Assistance and Support Program (1995)

Reviewer, *Journal of Crime and Justice* (March 1995-Present)

Reviewer, *Criminal Justice Policy Review* (January 1993-Present)

Manuscript Reviewer/Evaluator, American Correctional Association (1992 to 1993)

Other Professional Activities (Advisory Boards, Commissions and Task Forces)

Delegate, Justice Research and Statistics Association (JRSA) Executive Committee (2011-2012)

Member, Transition Team, Cook County Board President Toni Preckwinkle (2010-2011)

Member, Alder School of Professional Psychology, Institute on Public Safety and Social Justice Advisory Board (2010 to 2011).

Member, Illinois Department of Corrections Advisory Board. Gubernatorial Appointment. Term from October 2009 through September 2014

Member, Illinois Department of Corrections Advisory Board, Women's Issues Subcommittee.

Member, Illinois Disproportionate Justice Impact Study Research Advisory Group (2009 to 2010)

Member, Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice Advisory Board. Gubernatorial Appoint. Term from August 2008 thorough May 2013

Member, Illinois Department of Corrections' Sheridan Correctional Center/Southwestern Correctional Center Oversight Program Council (2008 to 2010)

Member, Cook County Sheriff's Reentry Council (2008 to present)

Member, The Collaborative on Reentry, Chicago Metropolis 2020 (2008 to 2010)

Member, Criminal Law Edit, Alignment and Reform (CLEAR) Initiative, Data and Sentencing Structures Work Group (2008 to 2009)

Chair, Research Sub-Committee, Salvation Army's Community Correctional Services Program (2005 to present)

Advisory Committee Member, Salvation Army's Community Correctional Services Program (2003 to present)

U.S. Department of Justice, National Criminal Justice Reference Service's Consumer Advisory Network (2003 to 2009)

Panel Chair, Corrections and the Community, Annual Conference of the Midwest Criminal Justice Association, Chicago 2007

Member, Planning Committee, Annual Conference of the Midwest Criminal Justice Association, Chicago 2007

Panel Chair, Substance Abuse Treatment: In-Prison Therapeutic Community Programs, Annual Conference of the American Society of Criminology, November 2006

Member, Jane Addams Substance Abuse Research Committee Advisory Group (2005 to 2007)
Co-chair, John Howard Association's Policy Committee (2004 to 2006)

Member, Governor's Community Safety and Re-Entry Management Workgroup (2004 to 2006).

Co-chair, Governor's Community Safety and Re-Entry Management Commission, Reception and Classification System Committee (2005-2006)

Member, Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts Probation Services Division's
Implementing Effective Correctional Management of Offenders in the Community Statewide
Policy Team (2004 to 2006)

Steering Committee Member for reopening the Sheridan Correctional Center as a model drug
treatment prison, Illinois Governor's Office (2003)

Organizer and Co-Chair, Illinois Substance Abuse Monitoring Network, sponsored by the
Illinois Department of Human Services' Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse and Illinois
Criminal Justice Information Authority (2002 to 2003)

Advisory Committee Member, Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts' Probation On-Line
Automated Reporting Information System (POLARIS) (2000 to 2003)

Advisory Committee Member, Justice Research and Statistics Association & U.S. Department of
Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Web-Based Evaluation Project (2002)

U.S. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Center for Substance Abuse
Treatment, Treatment Capacity Expansion Program Criminal Justice Cluster/National Cross-site
Evaluation Workgroup Member & Spokesperson, 1998 to 2002

Workgroup Facilitator, Illinois Criminal Justice Planning Assembly, June 2000

Provided pro-bono consulting to Florida Department of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee Regional
Operations Center (1999)

Provided pro-bono consulting, Arlington Heights Police Department (1998-current)

Reviewer, Illinois Local Law Enforcement Block Grant Solicitation, Illinois Criminal Justice
Information Authority, 1997, 2000 and 2002

Member, Project Advisory Committee, *The Role of Gender in Juvenile Justice Processing*,
Center for Legal Studies, University of Illinois at Springfield (April 1997- June 1998).

Staff to the Illinois Truth-in-Sentencing Commission (July 1996-April 1998).

Staff to the Illinois Legislative Committee on Juvenile Justice (June 1994-May 1996).

Member, Bureau of Justice Assistance Planning Committee, *Correctional Options for the Illinois
Department of Corrections' Juvenile Division* (November 1994-April 1995).

Member, Advisory Panel, *A Plan for Estimating the Number of "Hardcore" Drug Users in the United States*, Abt Associates, Inc. (1994 to 1996).

Staff to the Governor's Task Force on Crime and Corrections (February 1992-March 1993).

Moderator, *The Crisis in Criminal Defense: An Issue of Dollars and Sense*, program by the Illinois Academy of Criminology, Chicago, IL., (October 1992).

Panel Chair, *Paying for Justice: Law Enforcement, Adjudication and Corrections Expenditures Over Time, Place, and Circumstance*. American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Reno, NV (November 1989).

Publications in Refereed Journals

Boulger, J., & Olson, D.E.: Distinguishing Between Return to Juvenile versus Adult Prison in Juvenile Recidivism Analyses. *Justice Research and Policy*, Vol. 13, No. 1, 2011.

Lombardo, R., & Olson, D.E.: The Chicago Alternative Policing Strategy: A Reassessment of the CAPS Program. *Policing: An International Journal of Police Strategies and Management*. Vol. 33, No. 4, 2010.

Lombardo, R. & Olson, D.E.: Organizational Responses to Drug Enforcement by Police Departments in the U.S. *Justice Research and Policy*. Vol. 11, February 2010.

Olson, D.E., Rozhon, J., & Powers, M.: Enhancing Prisoner Reentry Through Access to Prison-Based and Post-Prison Aftercare Treatment: Experiences from the Illinois Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community. *Journal of Experimental Criminology*, Vol. 5, No. 3, September 2009.

Lurigio, A. J., Olson, D.E., and Snowden, J.: Predicting Rearrests Among Felony Probationers: The Effects of Setting, Analyses and Probation Status. *Corrections Compendium*, Vol. 34, No. 1, Spring 2009.

Goldschmidt, J., Olson, D.E., & Eckman, M.: The Relationship Between Method of Judicial Selection and Judicial Misconduct. *Widener Law Journal*, Vol. 18, No. 2, 2009.

Stalans, L. J., Yarnold, P. R., Seng, M., Olson, D. E., & Repp, M.: Identifying three types of violent offenders and predicting violent recidivism while on probation: A classification tree analysis. *Law & Human Behavior*, 2004

Bauer, R., & Olson, D.E.: The emergence of methamphetamine in Illinois: Examining law enforcement and treatment indicators to gauge the extent and nature of the problem. *Law Enforcement Forum*, September 2003.

Olson, D.E., Alderden, M., & Lurigio, A.J.: Men are from Mars, women are from Venus: But what role does gender play in probationer recidivism? *Justice Research and Policy*. Fall 2003.

Martin, C., Olson, D.E. & Lurigio, A.J.: Post-Discharge Recidivism of Day Reporting Center

Participants. *Federal Probation*. Spring 2003.

Olson, D.E. & Maltz, M.D.: Right-to-Carry Concealed Weapon Laws and Homicide: The Effect on Weapon Types, Victim Characteristics, and Victim Offender Relationships, *Journal of Law and Economics*, Vol. XLIV, October 2001.

Olson, D.E. & Stalans, L.: Violent Offenders on Probation: Profile, Sentence, and Outcome Differences Among Domestic Violence and Other Violent Probationers. *Violence Against Women*, Vol. 7, No. 10 (October 2001).

Olson, D.E., Lurigio, A.J., & Albertson, S.: Implementing the Key Components of Specialized Drug Treatment Courts: Practice and Policy Considerations. *Law and Policy*, Vol. 23, No. 2 (April 2001).

Olson, D.E., Weisheit, R.A., & Ellsworth, T. Getting Down to Business: A Comparison of Rural and Urban Probationers, Probation Sentences, and Probation Outcomes. *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice* (Winter 2001).

Olson, D.E. & Ramker, G.F.: Crime Does Not Pay, But Criminals May: Factors Influencing the Imposition and Collection of Probation Fees, *The Justice System Journal*, Vol. 20, No. 1 (Spring 2001).

Olson, D.E. & Lurigio, A.J. Predicting Probation Outcomes: Factors Associated with Probation Rearrest, Revocations, and Technical Violations During Supervision. *Justice Research and Policy*, Vol. 2, No. 1 (July 2000).

Olson, D.E., Lurigio, A.J., & Seng, M.: A Comparison of Female and Male Probationers: Characteristics and Case Outcomes. *Women and Criminal Justice*, Vol. 11, No. 4 (July 2000).

Olson, D.E. & Myrent, M. Differences and Similarities Between Juvenile and Adult Probationers: Their Implications for Juvenile Justice Policy and Practice. *Journal for Juvenile Justice and Detention Services*, Vol. 15, No. 1 (Spring 2000).

Lurigio, A.J. and Olson, D.E.: An Evaluation of the Cook County Sheriff's Office's Day Reporting Center: A Pretrial Surveillance and Service Program for Drug-Using Defendants. *The International Community Corrections Association Journal* (May 2000).

Lurigio, A.J., Olson, D.E., and Sifferd, K.: A Study of the Cook County Day Reporting Center. *Journal of Offender Monitoring*, Spring 1999, pp.5-11.

Book Chapters

Olson, D.E.: *Special Issues in Corrections*, chapter in Introduction to Criminal Justice, edited by Kendall Hunt, Words and Numbers, Baltimore, MD (in press).

Olson, D.E. & Dooley, B: *Gang Membership and Community Corrections Populations: Their Characteristics and Recidivism Rates "Relative" to Other Offenders*, in *Studying Youth Gangs*, J.F. Short & L.A. Hughes eds., AltaMira, 2006.

Olson, D.E.: *Specialized Drug Enforcement Units*, in Policing and Special Units P. Phillips ed., Prentice-Hall, 2004.

Olson, D.E.: *Financing Police Activities: Current Trends and Future Issues*. In Contemporary Police Organization and Management: Issues and Trends. W. Doerner and M. Dantzker (eds), Butterworth-Heinemann, Weburn, MA, January, 2000.

Publications in Non-Refereed Journals/Periodicals

Roberts, E., Redfield, P., Olson, D., Rawson, R., and Knight, K.: Designing a National Model Meth Program in *Corrections Today*, Vol. 72, No. 4., August 2010.

Olson, D.E.: Assessing the effectiveness of probation. In *The Compiler*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, Chicago, IL, May 1999.

Lurigio, A.J., Olson, D.E., and Swartz, J.A.: Chicago Day Reporting Center Reduces Pretrial Detention, Drug Use, and Absconding, in *Overcrowded Times*, Vol. 9, No. 3, June 1998.

Olson, D.E.: Rural Crime in Illinois: Current Trends, in *The Compiler*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, Chicago, IL, Spring 1998.

Olson, David E. with Smith, N.: Juvenile Detention Admissions Up Sharply; Largest Increase in Rural Areas, in *The Compiler*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, Summer 1996, (pp 16-18).

Olson, D.E.: Illinois Juvenile Justice: A Century of Experience in the *National School Safety Center News Journal*, Westlake Village, CA, Fall 1997.

Olson, D.E.: After sharp rises, juvenile crime in Illinois stabilizes in *The Compiler*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, Chicago, IL, Fall 1997, (pp 16-18), and reprinted in *County to County*, Illinois Association of County Officials, Springfield, IL, Winter 1998, (pp. 26-27).

Olson, D. E and Przybylski, R. K.: Repeat Offenders: A Costly Undertaking, in *The Compiler*, Chicago, IL., Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, Winter 1992, page 17.

Olson, D. E. and Przybylski, R. K.: Potential Savings Could Offset Costs of Drug Treatment for Offenders, *Chicago Daily Law Bulletin*, Chicago, IL., December 1991, pages 2 and 16.

Olson, D. E. and Przybylski, R. K.: Measuring the Cost of Drug Treatment for Offenders, in *The Compiler*, Chicago, IL., Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, Fall 1991, page 18.

Olson, D. E. and Morison, K. P.: Criminal Caseload Increases Outpace Spending by Illinois Court System, *Chicago Daily Law Bulletin*, Chicago, IL., April 1990.

Published Monographs, Research Bulletins and Research Summaries

Olson, D., Escobar, G., and Stalans, L.: *An Examination of Admissions, Exits and End of the Year Populations of Adult Female Inmates in the Illinois Department of Corrections*. Research Report, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, July 2011.

Olson, D.: *Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community: Year 6. Program Evaluation Summary*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, July 2011.

Olson, D., Stemen, D., and Saltmarsh, K.: *A Retrospective Examination of Felony Sentencing in Illinois*. Research Bulletin, Illinois Sentencing Policy Advisory Council, April 2011.

Olson, D. and Krepel, J.: *Characteristics of Inmates in the Cook County Jail*. Cook County Sheriff's Reentry Council Research Bulletin, March 2011.

Olson, D. and Rozhon, J.: *A Process and Impact Evaluation of the Southwestern Illinois Correctional Center Therapeutic Community Program During Fiscal Years 2007 through 2010*. Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, March 2011.

Olson, D. and Rozhon, J.: *A Process and Impact Evaluation of the Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community Program During Fiscal Years 2004 through 2010*. Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, January 2011.

Olson, D. and Rozhon, J.: *A Process and Impact Evaluation of the Southwestern Illinois Correctional Center Therapeutic Community Program During Fiscal Years 2007 through 2010*. Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, December 2010.

Olson, D., Seng, M., Boulger, J., McClure, M.: *The Impact of Illinois' Truth-in-Sentencing Law on Sentence Lengths, Time to Serve and Disciplinary Incidents of Convicted Murderers and Sex Offenders, Final Report*. Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, July 2009.

Bauer, R. and Olson, D.: *The Evolution of Meth in Illinois*. *Research Bulletin*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, June 2006.

Olson, D.E., Rapp, J., Powers, M., and Karr, S.: *Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community: Year 2. Program Evaluation Summary*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, May 2006.

Olson, D.E., Juergens, R., and Karr, S.P.: *The impetus and implementation of the Sheridan Correctional Center Therapeutic Community. Program Evaluation Summary*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, October 2004.

Olson, D.E., Dooley, B., and Kane, C.M.: *The relationship between gang membership and inmate recidivism*. *Research Bulletin*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, May 2004.

Olson, D.E.: *Drug abuse and the justice system's response in Illinois*. *Research Bulletin*, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, August 2003.

Olson, D.E. and Ramker, G.F.: Comparing Illinois' multi-jurisdictional drug units to local police departments. *On Good Authority*, Vol. 6, No. 3, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, January 2003

Olson, D.E., Albertson, S., Brees, J., Feliciano, L., Juergens, R., & Pasciak, M.: Evaluation of the Cook County Felony Drug Treatment Courts. Loyola University Chicago, January 2003.

Adams, S.B. & Olson, D.E.: Comparison of gang and non-gang members on probation. *On Good Authority*, Vol. 6, No. 2, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, October 2002.

Olson, D.E., Adams, S.B., & Adkins, R.: Results from the 2000 Illinois Adult Probation Outcome Study. Chicago: Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, March 2002.

Olson, D.E. & Adams, S.: Results of the 2000 Illinois Probation Outcome Study. *On Good Authority*, Vol. 5, No. 3, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, January 2002

Olson, D. & Adams, S.: Measuring a felon's likelihood of receiving a prison sentence in Illinois. *Trends and Issues Update*, Vol. 2, No. 4, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, July 2001.

Martin, C., Olson, D.E., & Lurigio, A.J.: An Evaluation of the Cook County Day Reporting Center. Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, October 2000.

Olson, D.E. Violent Crime and the Justice System's Response. Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, September 2000.

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Olson, D.E.: *Overview of Juvenile Transfers to Criminal Court in Illinois*. Presented to the Illinois Legislative Committee on Juvenile Justice, Chicago, IL., April 1995.

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Olson, D.E.: *The Nature and Extent of Drug Abuse and Violent Crime in Illinois*. Presented at the Illinois State Board of Education's Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Conference, Springfield, IL., March 1995.

Olson, D.E.: *Calculating Criminal Justice Costs: Methods, Assumptions, and Implications for Policy Research*. Presented at the Bureau of Justice Statistics/Justice Research and Statistics Association National Conference, Atlanta, GA., October 1994.

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Olson, D.E.: *Sports Violence: Issues for Law Enforcement*. Discussant at plenary session, VIII Annual Futures Conference, Office of International Criminal Justice, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL., April 1994.

Olson, D.E.: *Trends and Characteristics of Intergovernmental Justice Expenditures in the United*

States, 1971-1990. Presented at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Conference, Chicago, IL., March 1994.

Olson, D.E. and Lurigio, A.J.: *Examining the Impact of Narcotics Nuisance Abatement Programs: A Case Study in Cook County.* Presented at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Conference, Chicago, IL., March 1994.

Olson, D.E.: *Applications of a Financial Analysis Model for Policy Decision Making in Montana.* Montana Board of Crime Control, Helena, MT., April 1993.

Olson, D.E.: *Alternatives to Incarceration in Illinois.* Invited speaker at the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority's Anti-Drug Abuse Act Panel Discussions, Chicago, IL., October, 1992.

Olson, D.E.: *The Extent, Nature, and Implications of Drug Treatment Programs in the Illinois Criminal Justice System.* Presented to the Governor's Task Force on Crime and Corrections' Subcommittee on Alternatives to Incarceration, Chicago, IL., September, 1992.

Olson, D.E.: *Current Trends in the Illinois Criminal Justice System's Response to Drug Law Violations and Drug Abuse.* Presented to the Illinois State Epidemiological Work Group, Chicago, IL., April 1992.

Olson, D.E. and Stout, L.S.: *The Cost of Processing a Drug Offender Through the Criminal Justice System.* Presented at the annual meeting of the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association, Chicago, IL., October 1991.

Olson, D.E.: *The Impact of System Generated Revenue on the Financing of Illinois' Criminal Justice System.* Presented at the annual meeting of the Criminal Justice Statistics Association, Chicago, IL., September 1991.

Olson, D.E.: *Funding Illinois' Justice Activities Within Fiscal Constraints.* Presented at the Illinois Bar Association Legislative Breakfast, Springfield, IL., April 1991.

Olson, D.E.: *Explaining Variance in Illinois County Justice Expenditures.* Presented at the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Conference, Nashville, TN., March 1991.

Olson, D.E.: *Prisons, Jails, and Probation: Illinois Corrections Expenditures in a State and National Perspective.* Presented at the Illinois Correctional Association Training Conference, Lincolnshire, IL., October 1991.

Firman, J., and Olson, D.E.: *Criminal Justice Funding Limitations in Illinois Municipalities.* Presented at the annual Illinois Municipal League Conference, Chicago, IL., September 1990.

Firman, J. and Olson, D.E.: *Justice Expenditures and Activity in Cook County.* Presented at the Cook County Principals Committee meeting, Chicago, IL., August 1990.

Olson, D.E.: *Corrections Expenditures in Illinois - State and Local Trends.* Presented at the

Salvation Army's Annual Luncheon, Chicago, IL., May 1990.

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Olson, D.E.: *Methodologies and Implications for Conducting Local Government Justice Expenditure Analysis*. Presented at the Midwest Statistical Analysis Center Conference, Chicago, IL., March 1990.

Olson, D.E.: *Local Government Criminal Justice Expenditures in Illinois*. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Reno, NV., November 1989.

Full Biography

David Olson currently serves as a Professor in the Criminal Justice and Criminology Department at Loyola University Chicago, where he is also a member of the graduate faculty, and previously served as Department Chair and Director of Loyola's interdisciplinary Forensic Science Program. Dr. Olson is also assigned by Loyola to work part-time for the Cook County Sheriff's Office as a Special Assistant to the Sheriff.

For nearly 20 years, Dr. Olson worked at the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority, where he was the director of Illinois' Statewide Drug and Violent Crime Control Strategy Impact Evaluation Program and was responsible for overseeing the evaluation and monitoring of federally funded drug control efforts in the State of Illinois. David has served as staff to the Illinois Governor's Task Force on Crime and Corrections (1992-1993), the Illinois Legislative Committee on Juvenile Justice (1994-1996), the Illinois Truth-in-Sentencing Commission (1996-1998), the Illinois Governor's Community Safety and Prisoner Re-Entry Management Workgroup/Commission (2004-2006), and the Illinois Capital Punishment Reform Study Committee (2007-2010), and was recently appointed by the Illinois Governor to separate 5 year terms on the Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice and the Illinois Department of Corrections Advisory Boards. David was also appointed to the Justice Research and Statistics Association Executive Committee for 2011-2012. Dr. Olson has worked with a variety of federal, state and local agencies to develop and evaluate programs and policies, particularly in the area of community and institutional corrections, during his 25 years in the field of criminal justice.

Dr. Olson has published more than 100 articles, research bulletins and research reports, and has made more than 100 presentations at professional conferences and training symposia. Some of David's most recent research has been published in the *Journal of Experimental Criminology*, *Widener Law Journal*, *The Journal of Law and Economics*, and *Justice Research and Policy*. Dr. Olson received his B.S. in Criminal Justice from Loyola University Chicago, his M.A. in Criminal Justice from the University of Illinois at Chicago, and his Ph.D. in Political Science/Public Policy Analysis from the University of Illinois at Chicago, where he was the recipient of the Assistant United States Attorney General's Graduate Research Fellowship. In 2011, Dr. Olson was presented with Hans W. Mattick Award for outstanding accomplishments in the field of criminology and criminal justice research presented by the Illinois Academy of Criminology.