

## Academic Appointments

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### Northeastern University

#### School of Criminology and Criminal Justice

#### School of Law

Associate Professor 2025-  
Affiliated Faculty, Center for Law, Information & Creativity (CLIC)  
Affiliated Faculty, Corrections and Reentry Lab

### Rutgers University-Newark

#### School of Criminal Justice

Associate Professor 2021-2025  
Assistant Professor 2015-2021

### American Bar Foundation

Affiliated Scholar 2021-  
JPB Foundation Access to Justice Faculty Scholar 2020-2021

## Visiting Academic Appointments

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### Columbia University, Department of Sociology

Visiting Scholar 2023

### Universitat Pompeu Fabra School of Law, Barcelona, Spain

Visiting Researcher 2019

## Education

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Rutgers Law School 2023  
JD, Certificate in Criminal Law & Procedure

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, Department of Sociology 2015  
MA, PhD in Sociology

Washington University in St. Louis, School of Arts & Sciences 2007  
BA in Anthropology, BA in History

## Books

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Sarah Lageson. 2020. **Digital Punishment: Privacy, Stigma, and the Harms of Data-Driven Criminal Justice**. Oxford University Press.

**Media:** Slate, The Markup, CNN, The Crime Report, Team Human Podcast, Digital Privacy News, Collateral Consequences Resource Center, ApexArt, Probable Causation Podcast, Drexel Magazine, WDET 'Tracked and Traced' Podcast, Black Box Podcast

**Reviews:** American Journal of Sociology, European Journal of Sociology, Punishment & Society, British Journal of Criminology, Criminal Justice Review, Journal of Constitutional History, Security Dialogue, Journal of Sociology & Social Welfare, Surveillance & Society, Law Library Journal, European Journal of Probation, Religious Studies Review, Probation Journal

**Awards:** American Society of Criminology 2021 Michael J. Hindelang Outstanding Book Award; Honorable Mention for the 2021 Law and Society Association Jacob Prize; Privacy Law Scholars Conference Junior Scholar Award

Kyle Green and Sarah Lageson. 2018. **Give Methods a Chance**. New York: W.W. Norton.

**Reviews:** Teaching Sociology. 2019. 47(2): 161–163.

## Articles

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- 2026 Sarah Lageson. "Criminal Data Function Creep." Forthcoming in *Journal of Criminal Law & Criminology*.
- 2025 Sarah Lageson. "The Artificially Unintelligent Data Double." Forthcoming in *Surveillance & Society*.
- 2025 Sarah Lageson and Robert Apel. "The Mark or Trace of a Criminal Record: A Survey Experiment of Race and Criminal Record Signaling." *Criminology* 63(2):382-410, <https://doi.org/10.1111/1745-9125.12406>
- 2025 Sarah Lageson and Chloé Sudduth. "Digital Punishment, Lateral Surveillance & The Sex Offense Registry." *Punishment & Society*, <https://doi.org/10.1177/14624745251370758>
- 2025 Elsa Chen, Sarah Lageson, and Ericka Adams. "This is Everyone's Issue': Policy Entrepreneurs, Issue Framing, and Coalition Building in the Passage of Automatic Criminal Record Expungement." *Criminology & Public Policy*, <https://doi.org/10.1111/1745-9133.70003>
- 2025 Sarah Lageson, Carolina R. Caliman, Elsa Chen, and Ericka Adams. "Online Recruitment for Interview Participants Impacted by the Criminal Legal System." *Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice & Criminology* 15(1):129-164, <https://doi.org/10.21428/88de04a1.feded292>
- 2025 Ericka Adams, Elsa Chen, and Sarah Lageson. "The Symbiotic Harms of a Criminal Record." Forthcoming in *Criminal Justice and Behavior*.
- 2025 Kathleen Powell, Sarah Lageson, Nate Link, Jordan M. Hyatt, Christopher Uggem, and Loni Tabb. "[The Intersection of Cannabis Legalization, Criminal Record Relief, and Emerging Adulthood](#)." *The Ohio State Journal of Criminal Law* 22(2):235-271.
- 2024 Sarah Lageson and Alessandro Corda. "[Chasing a Clean Slate: The Shifting Roles of Privacy and Technology in Criminal Record Expungement Law and Policy](#)." *Harvard Journal of Law & Technology* 38(1):1-48.
- 2024 Valerio Baćak, Sarah Lageson, and Kathleen Powell. "The Stress of Injustice: Public Defenders and the Frontline of American Inequality." *Social Forces*. <https://doi.org/10.1093/sf/soae027>
- 2024 Sarah Lageson and Robert Stewart. "[The Problem with Criminal Records: Discrepancies Between Official State Records and Private Sector Background Checks](#)." *Criminology* 62(1):5-34.  
Selected by journal editors as lead article, February 2024 issue  
Media: The Appeal, The Hill, The Marshall Project, Empirical Legal Studies Blog, Sentencing Law and Policy Blog, Maryland Today, HR Dive
- 2024 Katie Young, Karin Martin, and Sarah Lageson. "Access to Justice at the Intersection of Civil and Criminal Law." *Punishment & Society* 26(4):599-609.

- 2023 Sarah Brayne, Sarah Lageson, and Karen Levy. "[Surveillance Deputies: When Ordinary People Surveil for the State.](#)" *Law & Society Review* 57(4), 462-488.  
Media: Jotwell, Contexts Magazine
- 2023 Sarah Lageson. "[Criminally Bad Data: Inaccurate Criminal Records, Data Brokers, and Algorithmic Injustice.](#)" *University of Illinois Law Review* 5, 1771-1810.  
Media: Legal Theory Blog
- 2022 Sarah Lageson. "Digital Criminal Record Stigma and Surveillance." *Annual Review of Criminology* 5: 67-90.
- 2022 Leslie Schneider, Mike Vuolo, Sarah Lageson, and Chris Uggen. "Before and After Ban the Box: Who Complies with Anti-Discrimination Law?" *Law & Social Inquiry* 47(3):749-482.
- 2022 Juan Sandoval and Sarah Lageson. "Patchwork Disclosure: Divergent Public Access and Personal Privacy Across Criminal Record Disclosure Policy in the United States." *Law & Policy* 44(3):255-277.
- 2022 Elizabeth Webster, Kathleen Powell, Sarah Lageson, and Valerio Baćak. "Satan's Minions' and 'True Believers': How Criminal Defense Attorneys' Employ Quasi-Religious Rhetoric." *Justice System Journal* 43(1): 53-67.
- 2021 Sarah Lageson, Elizabeth Webster and Juan Sandoval. "Digitizing and Disclosing Personal Data: The Proliferation of State Criminal Records on the Internet." *Law & Social Inquiry* 46(3): 635-665.  
Media: Vice, The Crime Report, Digital Privacy News, This Week in Sociological Perspectives Podcast, Criminal Legal News
- 2020 Alessandro Corda and Sarah Lageson. "Disordered Punishment: Workaround Technologies of Criminal Records Disclosure and the Rise of a New Penal Entrepreneurialism." *British Journal of Criminology* 60(2):245-264.  
Media: Collateral Consequences Resource Center blog
- 2020 Valerio Baćak, Sarah Lageson, and Kathleen Powell. "Fighting the Good Fight: Why Do Public Defenders Remain on the Job?" *Criminal Justice Policy Review* 31:939-961.
- 2020 Sarah Lageson. "Privacy Loss as Collateral Consequence." *The Annual Review of Interdisciplinary Justice Research* 9:16-31.
- 2019 Sarah Lageson, Megan Denver, and Justin Pickett. "Privatizing Criminal Stigma: Experience, Intergroup Contact, and Public Views about Publicizing Arrest Records." *Punishment & Society* 21(3): 315-341.
- 2019 Sarah Lageson, Suzy Maves McElrath, and Krissinda Palmer. "Gendered Public Support for Criminalizing 'Revenge Porn.'" *Feminist Criminology* 14(5):560-583.
- 2018 Sarah Lageson and Shadd Maruna. "Digital Degradation: Stigma Management in the Internet Age." *Punishment & Society* 20(1):113-133.

- 2018 Sarah Lageson. "The Politics of Public Punishment." *Criminology & Public Policy* 17(3): 635-642.
- 2017 Sarah Lageson. "Crime Data, the Internet, and Free Speech: An Evolving Legal Consciousness." *Law & Society Review* 51(1):8-41.
- 2017 Mike Vuolo, Sarah Lageson, and Chris Uggen. "Criminal Record Questions in the Era of 'Ban the Box.'" *Criminology & Public Policy* 16(1):139-165.
- 2017 Mike Vuolo, Chris Uggen, and Sarah Lageson. "Race, Recession, and Social Closure in the Low Wage Labor Market: Experimental and Observational Evidence." *Research in the Sociology of Work* 30:141-183.
- 2016 Sarah Lageson. "Found Out and Opting Out: The Consequences of Online Criminal Records for Families." *The ANNALS of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 665(1):127-141.
- 2016 Sarah Lageson. "Digital Punishment's Tangled Web." *Contexts* 15(1):22-27.  
Reprinted in *Contexts Reader* 3rd Edition, 2018. Syed Ali & Philip N. Cohen, eds. New York: W.W. Norton.
- 2016 Mike Vuolo, Chris Uggen, and Sarah Lageson. "Statistical Power in Experimental Audit Studies: Cautions and Calculations for Paired Tests with Dichotomous Outcomes." *Sociological Methods & Research* 45(2):260-303.
- 2015 Sarah Lageson, Mike Vuolo, and Chris Uggen. "Legal Ambiguity in Managerial Assessments of Criminal Records." *Law and Social Inquiry* 40(1):175-204.
- 2014 Chris Uggen, Mike Vuolo, Sarah Lageson, Ebony Ruhland, Hilary Whitham. "The Edge of Stigma: An Experimental Audit of the Effects of Low-level Criminal Records on Employment." *Criminology* 52(4):627-654.
- 2014 Mike Vuolo, Chris Uggen, and Sarah Lageson. "Taste Clusters of Music and Drugs: Evidence from Three Analytical Levels." *British Journal of Sociology* 65(3):520-54.

## Grants

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- 2025-2026 The Mills Institute Innovation Lab, Northeastern University Oakland, \$12,000  
Bridging the Expungement Gap: Race, Gender, and Access to Clean Slate Relief in California  
Co-PI with Bay Area Legal Aid and The Access Project
- 2024-2026 Clean Slate Initiative \$322,435  
Do Data Brokers Comply with Clean Slate?  
Co-PI with Robert Stewart (University of Maryland)

- 2024-2026 Clean Slate Initiative, \$424,881  
Impact and Awareness of Clean Slate Policy: A Longitudinal Multistate Investigation  
Co-PI with Elsa Chen (Santa Clara University) and Ericka Adams (San Jose State University)
- 2024-2026 Russell Sage Foundation, \$74,973  
The Consequences of Expungement Policy on Immigration Outcomes  
Principal Investigator, co-PI Lorena Avila (Villanova University)
- 2024-2027 U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics, \$2 million  
U.S. Civil Legal Needs Survey  
Project Advisor; led by co-PI's Jeanette Hussemann (NORC), John Roman (NORC), and Rebecca Sandefur (ABF)
- 2023-2025 William T. Grant Foundation, \$544,030  
The Promise of Marijuana Legalization to Reduce Racial Disparities in Youth Legal System Contact in New Jersey  
Co-PI with Jordan Hyatt (co-PI, Drexel University), Nate Link (co-PI, Rutgers University-Camden), Loni Tabb (co-PI, Drexel University), Chris Uggen (co-PI, University of Minnesota)
- 2022-2024 Chancellor's Impact Seed Grant, Rutgers University, \$25,000  
Expanding Access to Criminal Expungement in New Jersey  
Co-PI with Meredith Schalick (Rutgers Law)
- 2021-2023 Clean Slate Initiative & New Venture Fund, \$441,093  
The Impact of Automated Record Clearance on Individuals, Families, and Communities  
Co-PI with Elsa Chen (Santa Clara University) and Ericka Adams (San Jose State University)
- 2020-2021 American Bar Foundation/JPB Foundation Access to Justice Scholar Award, \$74,000  
Realizing a Clean Slate: Expanding Access and Improving Outcomes for Automated Criminal Record Expungement  
Principal Investigator
- 2018-2020 National Institute of Justice, New Investigator/Early Career Award, \$190,909  
Multi-level Analyses of Accuracy and Error in Digital Criminal Record Data  
Principal Investigator
- 2017-2019 Chancellor's Office Award, Rutgers University, \$94,500  
The Nebulous Nature of Criminal Records  
Co-PI with Rob Stewart (University of Maryland)
- 2017 Big Data Analytics Grant Program, Rutgers University, \$40,000  
Understanding Systems and Outcomes of Indigent Defense using Big Data  
Co-PI with Valerio Baćak and Lee Dicker

- 2017 Chancellor’s Seed Grant, Rutgers University, \$31,500  
Social and Administrative Networks in Prison-Based Higher Education  
Co-PI with Sara Wakefield
- 2016 Chancellor’s Seed Grant, Rutgers University, \$75,000  
Community Court Mental Health Initiative  
Co-PI with Andres Rengifo
- 2016 Chancellor’s Seed Grant, Rutgers University, \$25,000  
Criminal Justice Data Practices in Newark  
Principal Investigator
- 2015 Social Cohesion and Technology Grant, Univ. of MN, \$2,500  
‘Give Methods a Chance’ Podcast Development  
Co-PI with Kyle Green
- 2014-2015 Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, University of Minnesota, \$22,500
- 2013-2014 Bilinski Educational Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, \$25,500
- 2011-2013 Graduate Digital Media Fellowship, University of Minnesota, \$45,000

**Awards**

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- 2023 Rutgers Law School Scholarship and Leadership Award
- 2021 Michael J. Hindelang Outstanding Book Award, American Society of Criminology
- 2021 Herbert Jacob Book Prize, Honorable Mention, Law & Society Association
- 2019 New Jersey State Office of Innovation Research Award, \$2,500
- 2018 Privacy Law Scholars Conference Junior Scholar Paper Award, \$2,500
- 2017 University of Minnesota Best Dissertation Award, \$1,000
- 2012 Ron Anderson Technology and Social Cohesion Award, \$2,500
- 2011-2013 Professional Development Award, University of Minnesota, \$3,000
- 2010 Public Sociology Award, University of Minnesota
- 2010 Graduate Research Partnership Program, University of Minnesota, \$4,000
- 2010 Academic Technology Award Univ. Minn., Office of Information Technology
- 2008 Segal Americorps Education Award, \$5,000
- 2007 Helen & Isaac Izenberg History Writing Award, Washington University in St. Louis

**Public Writing**

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- 2023 Faulty background checks are violating privacy and ruining lives. *The Hill*.
- 2023 Will the Real David Sosa Please Stand Up? *Wired*.
- 2023 A Mug Shot Could Play Right Into Trump’s Hands. *Wired*.
- 2023 Facial Recognition Surveillance is Creating New Problems for Litigators. *New York Law Journal*.
- 2022 Formerly Incarcerated Job Seekers Need More Than Training. *Wired*.
- 2022 ‘Clean Slate’ Laws Offer a Second Chance – Only for Some. *Wired*.
- 2022 Do People Caught on Ring Cameras Have Privacy Rights? *Wired*.
- 2022 Sex-Offender Laws sent a man to prison over a prayer livestream. *Wired*.

- 2021 Transparency laws let criminal records become commodities. *Wired*.
- 2021 How the Criminal Justice System Deploys Mass Surveillance on Innocent People. *Vice*.
- 2020 Companies accused of crimes get more digital privacy rights than people under new Trump policy (with Liz Chiarello). *The Conversation*.
- 2020 The Perils of Zoom Justice. *The Crime Report*.
- 2020 How criminal background checks lead to discrimination against millions of Americans. *Washington Post*.
- 2020 Mugshots don't belong on search engines. *San Francisco Chronicle*.
- 2020 The Purgatory of Digital Punishment. *Slate*.
- 2020 The Chan-Zuckerberg Initiative funds Clean Slate policy. So why won't Facebook take down mugshots? *The Appeal*.
- 2020 Small businesses just got a \$300B bailout but many who need a second chance won't get a dime (with Colleen Chien). *New Jersey Star Ledger*.
- 2020 The Problem with 'Clean Slate' policies: Could broader sealing of criminal records hurt more people than it helps (with Jen Doleac). *Niskanen Center*.
- 2020 The Criminal Justice System's Big Data Problem. *Oxford University Press Blog*.
- 2019 Model Law on Non-Conviction Records (advisor). *Collateral Consequences Resource Center*.
- 2019 It's Time for the Digital Mug Shot Industry to Die. *Slate*.
- 2019 Privacy Concerns Don't Stop People from Putting Their DNA on the Internet to Help Solve Crimes. *The Conversation*.
- 2019 There's No Such Thing as Expunging a Criminal Record Anymore. *Slate*.
- 2019 It's Time to Address the Damage of a 'Criminal' Digital Reputation (with Jordan Hyatt). *Collateral Consequences Resource Center*.
- 2019 Can a Criminal Record Ever Be Fully Expunged? *Pacific Standard*.
- 2019 Policy Proposals for the 2019 Legislative Session. *Scholars Strategy Network*.
- Provide Individual Access to Personal Criminal Records
  - Enforce Private Sector Compliance with Criminal Record Expungement Orders"
  - Reclassify Mugshots as Closed, Private Records
- 2019 Criminal Background Checks for Employment Screening. *New Jersey State Office of Innovation, Future of Work Task Force*.
- 2017 Online Criminal Records & Legal Consciousness Theory. *Law & Society Review Blog*.
- 2016 Op-Ed: The Downside of Highlighting Crime on Social Media. *Minneapolis Star-Tribune*.
- 2016 Briefing: The Harmful Effects of Online Criminal Records. *Scholars Strategy Network*.
- 2014 The Enduring Effects of Online Mug Shots. *The Society Pages*.
- 2014 Health, Science, and Shared Disparities. *The Society Pages*
- 2012 Correcting American Corrections. *The Society Pages*.
- 2012 Love, Family and Incarceration: A Conversation with Megan Comfort. *The Society Pages*.
- 2012 Social Scientists Studying Social Movements. With Kyle Green and Sinan Erensu. *The Society Pages*.

## Book Chapters & Reviews

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- 2023 Sarah Lageson. "Privacy and Rehabilitation after a Criminal Conviction in the Digital Age." In *Privacy, Technology, and the Criminal Process*. Andrew Roberts, Joe Pursehouse, Jason Bosland, eds. Routledge.
- 2021 Sarah Lageson. "Digital Punishment." In *Fundamental Rights and Criminal Procedure in the Digital Age*. Sao Paolo, Brazil: InternetLab.
- 2021 Sarah Lageson and Kateryna Kaplun. "Public Accusation on the Internet." In *Media and Law: Between Free Speech and Censorship. Sociology of Crime, Law, and Deviance, Volume 26*. Deflem, Mathieu and Derek M.D. Silva, eds. Bingley, UK: Emerald Publishing.
- 2021 Sarah Lageson. "Book Review: Captivating Technology: Race, Carceral Technoscience, and Liberatory Imagination in Everyday Life edited by Ruha Benjamin." *Contemporary Sociology* 50(1): 28-29.
- 2021 Sarah Lageson. "Studying Surveillance and Tech Through 'Digital Punishment'" in *Society, Ethics & The Law: A Reader*, David A. Mackey and Kathryn M. Elvey, eds. Burlington, MA: Jones & Bartlett.
- 2020 Sarah Lageson. "Book Review: *The Digital Street* by Jeff Lane." *American Journal of Sociology* 125(4):1156-1158.
- 2019 Sarah Lageson. "Digital Legal Subjects and the Use of Online Criminal Court Records for Research." *The Elgar Research Handbook on Law and Courts*.
- 2018 Mike Vuolo, Chris Uggen, and Sarah Lageson. "To Match or Not to Match? Statistical and Substantive Considerations in Audit Design and Analysis." in S. Michael Gaddis, editor, *Audit Studies: Behind the Scenes with Theory, Method & Nuance*. New York: Springer.
- 2018 Sarah Lageson. "Book Review: Policing and Social Media: Social Control in an Era of New Media by Christopher J. Schneider." *Contemporary Sociology* 47(2):217-219.
- 2017 Sarah Lageson and Christiane Schwarz. "Criminal Records." In *Oxford Bibliographies in Criminology*. Ed. Beth M. Huebner. New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2015 Sarah Lageson. "Book Review: The Eternal Criminal Record by James B. Jacobs." *The Canadian Journal of Crime and Criminal Justice*. Available online.
- 2015 Sarah Lageson. "Music and the Quest for a Tribe." *Getting Culture*. New York: W.W. Norton
- 2014 Sarah Lageson. "Correcting American Corrections, with Francis Cullen, David Garland, David Jacobs, and Jeremy Travis." *Crime and the Punished*. New York: W.W. Norton.
- 2014 Sarah Lageson and Sarah Shannon. "Discovering Desistance." In *Crime and the Punished*. New York: W.W. Norton.
- 2013 Sarah Lageson and Chris Uggen. "How Work Affects Crime – and Crime Affects Work – Over the Life Course." In *Handbook of Life Course Criminology*, edited by Marvin Krohn and Chris Gibson. New York: Springer.
- 2013 Sarah Lageson, Kyle Green, and Sinan Erensu. "Laughter and the Political Landscape." In *The Social Side of Politics*. New York: W.W. Norton.
- 2011 Sarah Lageson, Kyle Green, and Sinan Erensu. "The Wire Goes to College." *Contexts* (10)3:12-15.

## Expert Testimony

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- 2025 United States District Court for the District of Idaho, *Does v. Wasden*
- 2023 Court of Common Pleas, Philadelphia County, *Pugh v. CHHS Hospital Co.*
- 2022 United States District Court, Western District of Missouri, *Doe v. Olson*
- 2022 United States District Court, Eastern District of Michigan, *Does v. Whitmer*

2021	California State Assembly Committee on Privacy and Consumer Protection, AB-1475 Law Enforcement-Social Media Assembly Bill
2020	United States District Court, Central District of California. <i>Doe v. Barr et al.</i>
2020	United States District Court, District of New Mexico, <i>N. et al v. Alamogordo Police Department et al</i>
2019	United States District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania, <i>Taha v. Bucks County Correctional Facility</i>
2018	New Jersey State Assembly Judiciary Committee, A-3620 Expedited Expungement Assembly Bill

### **Invited Presentations**

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2026	Drexel University
2025	University of Texas at Austin Law School
2025	Justice, Law and Inequality Working Group at UAlbany
2025	University of Denver Sturm College of Law
2025	University of Nebraska
2025	Access to Justice Network, Stanford University
2025	Duke Law School (seminar)
2024	ABF Access to Justice Initiative's Early-Career Scholar Workshop Series
2024	Privacy Law Scholars Conference
2024	Columbia University Sociology, Science Knowledge and Technology Workshop
2024	American Bar Foundation & Wayne State University Law School
2024	Moritz College of Law, The Ohio State University
2024	Northeastern University, College of Social Sciences and Humanities
2023	Mitchell Hamline Law School
2023	University of California-Berkeley, Jurisprudence & Social Policy
2023	Duke Law School
2023	University of Alberta
2022	Duke Law School Empirical Criminal Law Roundtable
2022	International Criminological Research Unit at The University of Liverpool
2022	Global Dating Insights San Francisco Conference
2022	Mitchell Hamline Sex Offense Litigation and Policy Resource Center
2022	National Institute of Justice
2022	University of California -Berkeley Center for the Study of Law and Society
2022	Columbia University Sociology
2021	Detroit Science Gallery
2021	New York Office of the Appellate Defender
2021	County of Santa Barbara Public Defender
2021	SEARCH: National Consortium for Justice Information and Statistics
2021	Massachusetts Committee for Public Counsel Services
2021	Society for the Study of Social Problems Book Panel
2021	RAND Corporation and the Arnold Foundation
2021	Privacy Law Scholars Conference
2021	Texas A&M Law School
2021	Department of Criminal Justice, Temple University
2021	The Young Women's Leadership School of Astoria, NYC
2021	Department of Sociology, University of Hong Kong
2021	New York State Youth Justice Institute
2021	Zicklin Center for Corporate Responsibility at Baruch College, CUNY

2020 Philadelphia District Attorney's Office  
 2020 Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Maryland  
 2020 Baruch College, the City University of New York  
 2020 InternetLab perquisa em direito e tecnologia Internation (Brazil) Conference on Fundamental Rights and Criminal Procedure in the Digital Age (Keynote)  
 2020 McCourt School of Public Policy, Georgetown University  
 2020 Cleveland Legal Aid Society  
 2020 Data Science for Public Service Meetup, Atlanta Regional Commission  
 2020 Department of Criminology, Georgia State University  
 2020 Crime, Law & Deviance Working Group, Dept of Sociology, UT-Austin  
 2020 American Bar Foundation Seminar Series  
 2020 School of Criminal Justice, University of Cincinnati (postponed)  
 2019 Student-Invited Speaker, University of California-Irvine  
 2019 Sociology Workshop, University of Minnesota  
 2019 International Seminar, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, Spain  
 2019 Digitizing Justice Conference (Keynote), University of Winnipeg  
 2019 Drug Policy Alliance, New York City  
 2018 Tech/Law Colloquium, Cornell University  
 2018 Amsterdam Privacy Conference  
 2018 Department of Public Policy, Rochester Institute of Technology  
 2018 Department of Sociology, SUNY-Brockport  
 2018 Measures for Justice, Rochester NY  
 2018 Sociology Colloquium, Washington University in Saint Louis  
 2018 Media Studies Colloquium, Queens College New York  
 2018 Technology, Law and Society Institute, University of California-Irvine  
 2018 Privacy Law Scholars Conference, Washington DC  
 2018 Automated Justice Workshop, Collegium Helveticum, Zurich  
 2018 LSA Punishment & Society Digital Speaker Series  
 2018 The University of Manchester Centre for Criminology and Criminal Justice  
 2018 Queens University Belfast School of Law  
 2017 Law, Crime & Deviance Workshop, New York University Sociology  
 2015 Robina Institute, University of Minnesota Law School, Minneapolis, MN.

## Courses Taught

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**Law Courses:** Data Privacy

**Graduate Courses:** Justice, Technology & AI; Criminal Justice Policy; Criminal Law & Society; Mixed Methods; Research & Evaluation

**Undergraduate Courses:** Introduction to Criminal Justice; Constitutional Issues in Criminal Justice; Current Issues in Crime Control; Criminal Law in American Society; Introduction to American Criminal Justice

**Poynter Institute for Media Studies:** Journalist's Guide for Covering Jails and Police Reform

## Service

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### Service to the Discipline

- 2025-2026 Michael J. Hindelang Book Award Committee  
2024-2026 National Science Foundation/ASU Law and Science Dissertation Improvement Grant Program Advisory Council  
2024-2026 University of Denver Law School Hughes-Ruud Research Grant Advisory Committee  
2024 Racial Democracy, Crime and Justice Network (RDCJN) Mentor  
2023-2026 American Bar Foundation Access to Justice Scholars Advisory Council  
2023-2026 Law and Society Association Board of Trustees  
2023 Duke Law School Criminology Roundtable Co-Organizer (with Ben Grunwald)  
2023 Law and Society Association Graduate Student Workshop Mentor  
2018-2023 Law & Society Association, Tech/Law/Society Research Network Chair  
2018- Crime & Justice Research Alliance (CJRA) Expert  
2018- National Incarceration Association (NIA) Expert Advisor  
2017- American Society of Criminology (ASC) Program Committee (three 1-year terms)  
2016-2018 National Science Foundation Research Experience for Undergraduates Mentor  
2016-2017 New Jersey Scholarship and Transformative Education in Prisons Committee  
2008-2009 McNair Scholars Program Research Mentor, University of Minnesota

### Service to the University

- 2025- Northeastern University Institutional Review Board Faculty Member  
2025-2026 Northeastern University, School of Criminology and Criminal Justice Graduate Program Committee  
2022-2024 Rutgers University PhD Committee  
2023 Rutgers University Presidential Fellowship Selection Committee  
2022-2023 Rutgers University Mentor to New Faculty  
2022 Rutgers University Faculty Hiring Committee  
2021-2022 Rutgers University Research & Professional Development Committee Chair  
2021 Rutgers University Undergraduate Bridge Program Committee Chair  
2020-2021 Rutgers Law School Criminal Law Society, Evening Student Representative  
2019-2021 Rutgers University Program on Learning & Teaching Faculty Governance Committee  
2018-2021 Rutgers University Research & Professional Development Committee  
2015-2020 Rutgers University M.A. Program Committee  
2017-2018 Rutgers University Faculty Hiring Committee  
2015-2016 Rutgers Engaged Scholarship & New Professoriate Committee (chair)  
2013-2014 University of Minnesota Promotion, Tenure & Salary Committee  
2010-2011 University of Minnesota Sociology Research Institute Committee

### Journal and Editorial Service

- 2023-2026 *Criminology* Editorial Board  
2023-2025 *Law & Society Review* Editorial Board  
2023-2025 *Law & Social Inquiry* Editorial Board  
2024 *Punishment & Society*, Special Issue: *The Nexus Between Civil and Criminal Justice*. Co-guest editor with Kathryn Young and Karin Martin

2022 *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice, Special Issue: Violence, Voice, and Incarceration.* All contributions by people experiencing incarceration. Co-guest editor with Todd R. Clear and Jennifer Yang.

### **Review**

American Journal of Sociology, American Sociological Review, Criminology, Criminology & Public Policy, Criminal Justice Policy Review, European Journal of Criminology, Feminist Criminology, Humanities and Social Sciences, The Information Society, Journal of Black Studies, Journal of Computer Mediated Communication, Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency, Journal of Human Resources Management, Justice Quarterly, Law & Policy, Law & Social Inquiry, Law & Society Review, Punishment & Society, RAND, SAGE Open, Springer, Qualitative Sociology, Social Inclusion, Social Forces, Social Problems, Sociological Methodology, Sociological Theory, National Science Foundation, Dutch Research Council (NWO), Independent Social Research Foundation, Israel Science Foundation

### **Professional Experience**

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#### **Legal & Policy**

2025- Kizuna Advisory Board  
2024- RecordFixer Advisory Board  
2022-2024 Volunteer Lawyers for Justice, Expungement Clinic Volunteer  
2021 New York Legal Assistance Group (NYLAG) Federal Pro Se Program, Legal Intern  
2021-2023 New Jersey Conviction Review Unit, Actual Innocence Project, Legal Volunteer  
2021 New York Office of the Appellate Defender, Legal Intern  
2021 Justice Catalyst, Expert consultant  
2020 Good Call NYC Emergency Arrest Hotline, Expert consultant

#### **Research Consulting**

2015 Minneapolis Police Officer Interview Project  
2014 Crime Victim Service Access Project  
2012 “Mind the Gap” Prisoner Reentry Project  
2012 Seward Towers Housing Complex Community Survey  
2010 Domestic Violence Research Initiative Report for United Way  
2010-2012 ‘Families in Focus’ Program Evaluation, Minnesota Department of Corrections  
2007-2011 Prisoner Re-Entry Family Strengthening Project, Council on Crime and Justice  
2008-2010 Healthy Educational Lifestyles Project, Minnesota Department of Corrections  
2009 Minnesota FATHER Project Program Documentation  
2008 Minneapolis Public Schools Institutional Ethnography  
2008 The State of Fatherhood Programming, Minnesota Fathers & Families Network

#### **Nonprofit**

2008-2009 Research Coordinator, Council on Crime and Justice, Minneapolis, MN  
2007-2008 Research Assistant, Americorps VISTA MN Prisoner Reentry Initiative

#### **Media/Production**

2015-2018 Founding Producer and Host, Give Methods a Chance Social Science Podcast  
2014-2015 Founding Producer and Host, Office Hours Social Science Podcast  
2007-2012 Documentary Producer, On Air Host. KFAI Community Radio, Minneapolis MN

## Community Education

- 2017-2018 Prison-based Tutor, Petey Greene Foundation Prison Education Program  
2008 Instructor, C-Dreams Photography Class for Children of Incarcerated Parents  
2007 Mentor, Youth News Initiative. Minneapolis, MN  
2007 Mentor, International Women's Day Radio Programming. Minneapolis, MN

## Student Advising

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**Dissertation Advising:** Chloé Sudduth (Rutgers, in progress); Lorena Ávila Jaimes (Rutgers PhD 2024, Assistant Professor at Villanova University); Kateryna Kaplun (Rutgers PhD 2023, Assistant Professor at Johnson & Wales University); Katherine Bright (Rutgers PhD 2023, Assistant Professor at University of Colorado, Colorado Springs)

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