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# ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2020 – Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice, Department of Social Sciences, Texas A&M International University

2015 – 2020 Instructor, Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University, Bloomington

2015 Adjunct Instructor (Psychology), Department of General Studies, ITT Technical Institute of Indianapolis

# EDUCATION

# 2020 Ph.D. in Criminal Justice (minor in Statistical Sciences), Indiana University

Dissertation: *Organizational variables affecting treatment decisions for criminal justice-involved individuals with serious mental illness in community mental health centers*.

Committee: *Drs. Bruce Sales (Chair), Marla Sandys, Richard Lippke, Mary Lee Luskin*

2015 M.S. in Criminal Justice and Public Safety, Indiana University

Graduate Certificate in Homeland Security
FEMA, National Incident Management System (NIMS), IS-00700.a (2013)
FEMA, Introduction to Incident Command System, IS-00100.b (2013)

2013 B.S. in Psychology, Purdue University

**GRANTS**

2023 – 2024 Pathways into the Juvenile Justice and Mental Health Systems for Minority Youth Criminally Detained in South Texas, Texas A&M International, Presidential Research Development Award, $50,000, Principal Investigator (Awarded)

2023 – 2028 Pathways into the Juvenile Justice and Mental Health Systems for Minority Youth Criminally Detained in Texas, Texas A&M International, National Institute of Justice FY22 Research on Juvenile Justice Topics (Priority 1A), $800,000, Co-Principal Investigator (Not Funded)

2021 – 2023 Pathways to Treatment in Severely Mentally Ill Offenders: A Retrospective Life History Calendar Perspective, Texas A&M International, University Research Development Award, $25,000, Principal Investigator (Awarded)

# PUBLICATIONS

\*Indicates student co-author
**Peer-Reviewed Research Articles**

2024 **Hood, B.J.** & Campos, A.\* (revised for resubmission). Pathways into the criminal justice and mental health systems for Adult Latino Males with Histories of Mental Health and Substance Use Histories.

 **Hood, B.J.** (Under Review). Qualitative insights into mental health treatment through telemedicine during the COVID-19 crisis: A natural experiment in community mental health centers.

2023 Scott, D. W. & **Hood, B. J.** Goals, control, & empowerment: A comparison of boy and girl ever gang involvement. *Journal of Crime and Criminal Behavior*, 3(2), 433-456. https://doi.org/10.47509/JCCB.2023.v03i02.09

**Hood**, **B. J.** Latino attitudes toward mental health treatment and criminal justice involvement: It’s great for you; it’s just not for us. *Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice*, 21(2), 156-165. 10.1080/15377938.2023.2223155

**Hood, B.** **J.** &Komoski, M.C. Treating trauma in criminal justice involved with SMI: “Trauma is a huge part of it”. *Journal of Community Mental Health,* 59(8), 1537-1548. 10.1007/s10597-023-01141-x.

**Hood, B.J.** Organizational variables affecting treatment decisions for criminal justice-involved individuals with serious mental illness in community mental health centers. *The Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice and Criminology,* 12(1). https://doi.org/10.21428/88de04a1.c6d6c454

2022 **Hood, B.J.**, White, P.\*, & Bunner, J.\* Method of identification: Catching serial killers. *Forensic Science International*, 337(2022), 1-11. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.forsciint.2022.111377

2021 **Hood, B.J.** & Gaston, S. How families respond to the collateral consequences of incarceration and prisoner reentry. *Family Relations*, 71(3), 1175-1190*.* http://doi.org/10.1111/fare.12616.

2018Ray, B., Canada, K., Hudson, M.K., & **Hood, B. J**. Examining changes in procedural justice over time and problem-solving court outcomes. *Behavioral Sciences & the Law.* 36(1), 32-45. DOI:10.1002/bsl.2329.

# 2017 Northcutt-Bohmert, M., Hood, B. J., & Meckes, J. Evaluating recidivism and job quality

# outcomes for participants in the Hoosier Initiative for Reentry Employment (HIRE) program.

# *Corrections: Policy, Practice and Research.* 2(2), 110-129*.* DOI:10.1080/23774657.2016.1277378.

# 2015 Salyers, M. P., Hood, B. J., Schwartz, K., A., & Aalsma, M. The experience, impact, and

# management of professional burnout among probation officers in juvenile justice settings. *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation*. 54(3): 175-193. DOI: 10.1080/10509674.2015.1009967.

#  Ray, B., Hood, B. J., & Canada, K. What happens to mental health court noncompleters?

# *Behavioral Sciences & the Law*. *33*(6), 801-814. DOI: 10.1002/bsl.2163.

***Book Chapters & Sections***

**Hood, B. J.** & Ray, B. Specialty Courtsin Griffin. Hayden O. III & Woodward*,* Vanessa H.

*Handbook of Corrections in the United States* (pp. 231-241). New York; London: Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group.

***Technical Reports and Policy Briefs***

**Hood, B.J.** (2024). Mobile crisis response in Laredo, Texas: An evaluation of stakeholder attitudes. Volume prepared for Border Region Behavioral Health Center, SCAN, Pillar, Laredo Police Department, and Webb County Sheriff’s Office.

**Hood, B.J.** (2021). First-year faculty experiences. Volume prepared for Dr. Pablo Arenaz, President of

 Texas A&M International University

**Hood, B.J.** (2021). Organizational level variables affecting treatment decisions for criminal justice-involved individuals with serious mental illness in community mental health centers. Volume prepared for Indiana community mental health centers. DOI: 10.13140/RG.2.2.28897.12649

Ray, B., Lawson, S., & **Hood, B. J**. (2015). Indiana problem-solving court multi-site evaluation: Volume

prepared for the Indiana Judicial Center as part of the Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant #2013-DCBX 0018.

**Hood, B.J.** (2015). *Indiana Nonprofit Summit: Conference synopsis* [White Paper]*.* The Polis Center,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

**Hood, B.J**., (2015). *FEMA’s Pathway to Resilience.* publicINreview. 1(4), 1-15. Available from <http://journals.iupui.edu/index.php/spea/article/view/18520/18539>.

***Manuscripts in Preparation***

**Hood.** **B.J.** & Campos, A.\* Specialty courts: Special for whom?

**Hood, B.J.** & McMahon-Williams, D.\* Role of criminal justice involvement in mental health treatment decisions.

**Hood.** **B.J.** Mobile Crisis Response in a Predominately Hispanic Community.

**ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS**\*Indicates student co-author

**Hood, B.J.** & Long, M.\* (2023, November). *Mobile Crisis Response in a Predominately Hispanic Community*. [Poster presentation]. To be presented at American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA.

**Hood, B.J.** &Campos, A.\* (2023, March). *The most common pathways to treatment for criminal justice involved individuals with substance abuse and serious mental illness*. [Poster presentation]. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, National Harbor, MD.

Sanchez, A\*. & **Hood, B. J.** (2023, March). *Serial homicide: A comparison between American and international serial killers*. [Poster presentation]. Texas A&M University System Pathways Student Research Symposium, Galveston, TX.

**Hood, B. J.** (2022, November). *Treating Serious Mental Illness During COVID-19: A natural experiment* [Paper presentation]. American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Sanchez, A.\* & **Hood, B. J.** (2022, October). *Kid Farmers: Case Studies of Female UK Serial Killers.* [Paper presentation]. Texas A&M International University, Laredo, TX.

**Hood, B. J.** & Scott, D.(2022, September). *Are they mentally in it?: A look at mental health among male and female juvenile gang members* [Paper presentation]. Southern Criminal Justice Association, Asheville, NC.

**Hood, B. J.** (2022, March). *Perceptions of stigma towards mental illness and offending in a Hispanic community* [Paper presentation]. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Vegas, NV.

Tejeda, H.\*& **Hood, B. J.** (2022, March). *Hispanic serial killers* [Paper presentation]. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Vegas, NV.

**Hood, B. J.** & Montemayor, I.\* (2022, March). *Pathways into the criminal justice and mental health systems* [Paper presentation]. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Vegas, NV.

**Hood, B. J.** &Komoski, M. C. (2021, November). *The role of trauma in treatment decisions for criminal justice clients with serious mental illness* [Paper presentation]. American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL.

Gutierrez, A.,\* **Hood, B. J.** (2021, July). *Serial killers: Dead or alive* [Paper presentation]. Texas A&M International Undergraduate Student Research Bootcamp. (Virtual)

**Hood, B. J.,** Bunner, J.,\* White, P.,\* Johnson, S.,\* Betley, M.,\* & Finley, A.\* (2021, April). *Contemporary approaches to criminal justice: A data-driven perspective* [Paper presentation]. Criminal Justice Undergraduate Research Symposium. (Virtual)

**Hood, B. J.,** Bunner, J.,\* & White, P.\* (2021, April). *Method of apprehension: Catching serial killers* [Paper presentation]. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. (Virtual)

**Hood, B. J.** & Johnson, S.\* (2020, November*). The role of Medicaid in treatment decisions for offenders with severe mental illness* [Paper presentation]. Criminology Consortium. (Virtual)

**Hood, B. J.** (2020, November). *Organizational variables affecting treatment decisions for criminal justice-involved individuals with serious mental illness* [Paper presentation]. American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC. (Conference cancelled)

**Hood, B. J.,** Holland, C.,\* & Miller, A\*. (2020, March*). Method of apprehension: Catching serial killers* [Paper presentation]. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, San Antonio, TX. (Conference cancelled)

**Hood, B. J.** (2019, November). *A critical look at focal concerns theory* [Paper presentation].American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.

**Hood, B. J.** (2019, March). *Specialty courts, special for whom?* [Paper presentation]. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Baltimore, MD.

**Hood, B. J.** (2018, November). *Cooling off: Including ‘spree’ killers in serial murder research* [Paper presentation]. American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Ray, B. & **Hood, B. J.** (2016, August). *Procedural justice and compliance in mental health court* [Paper presentation]. Society for the Study of Social Work, Seattle, WA.

**Hood, B.J.** (2016, November). *The effects of procedural justice and coercion on specialty court outcomes* [Paper presentation]. American Society of Criminology, New Orleans, LA.

**HOSTED RESEARCH TRAININGS**

2023 Administering Semi-Structured Interviews (15 Attendees)

2021 Conducting Qualitative Research: An Overview (5 Attendees)

**ADDITIONAL RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

Acted as a research evaluator for veteran’s court training; assisted in developing eligibility criteria for

Bartholomew, Harrison, and Washington county’s veteran’s courts using on evidence-based practices;

created and modified program phases for current and new veteran courts; developed a data

collection plan for the courts’ participant information to prepare for an evaluation of the program’s

efficacy. Awarded to Indiana Judicial Center and funded by the National Association for Drug Court Professionals (2016).

Assisted in probation officer training and new director orientation for Indiana probation departments and certified specialty courts Staffed Indiana Probation and Alcohol & Drug Court conferences. Also, collected and compiled data for state-wide conference presentations. Indiana Judicial Center, Indianapolis. Project Manager supervised by Mary Kay Hudson (2014-2015).

Collected data for Social Assets and Vulnerabilities Indicators (SAVI) and the Education Alliance Report

Card. Conducted geographical analyses using ArcGIS. Sharon Kandris, The Polis Center, Indianapolis,

Graduate Research Assistant on the Data Implementation Team (2014).

**AWARDS & HONORS**

Texas A&M International University, College of Arts and Sciences, Distinguished Teacher of the Year nominee (2024).

Indiana University, Provost’s Travel Award for Women in Science to attend the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences in San Antonio, TX (2020). - $650

Indiana University, Provost’s Travel Award for Women in Science to attend the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in San Francisco, CA (2019). - $600

Indiana University, Department of Criminal Justice, Hue & Cry Award for demonstrating substantial concern for, and expended substantial efforts toward, the welfare of the department and all its students (2019). - $100

Indiana University, Department of Criminal Justice Travel Fellowship to attend the annual meeting of the

American Society of Criminology in Baltimore, MD (2019). - $150

Indiana University, College of Arts & Sciences, Travel Award to attend the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences in Baltimore, MD (2019). - $250

Indiana University, Office of the Provosts for Research, Provost’s Travel Award for Women in Science to attend the annual meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences in Baltimore, MD (2019).

 - $500

Indiana University, University Graduate School, Research Travel Award to attend the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Atlanta, GA (2018). - $300

Indiana University, Department of Criminal Justice Travel Fellowship to attend the annual meeting of the

American Society of Criminology in Atlanta, GA (2018). - $700

Indiana University, Provost’s Travel Award for Women in Science to attend the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Atlanta, GA (2018). - $700

Indiana University, Graduate and Professional Student Government, Travel Award to attend the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in New Orleans, LA (2016). - $500

Indiana University, Department of Criminal Justice Travel Fellowship to attend the annual meeting of the

American Society of Criminology in New Orleans, LA (2016). - $300

Indiana University, College Arts & Humanities Institute, Travel Award to attend the annual meeting of

the American Society of Criminology in New Orleans, LA (2016). - $300

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**Undergraduate**

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| *Course* | *Course Title* | *Format* | *Term* |
| CRIJ 3308 | Victimology | F2F | Spring 2024 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 4321 | Senior Seminar | Hybrid, F2F | Spring 2023 (TAMIU)Spring 2022 (TAMIU)Spring 2021 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 4340 & CJUS 260 | Special Topics: Serial Homicide | F2F, Hybrid, & Online | Spring 2023 (TAMIU)Summer 2022 (TAMIU Fall 2021 (TAMIU)Summer 2021 (TAMIU)Fall 2021 (TAMIU)Fall 2019 (IU)Spring 2018 (IUPUI)Spring 2017 (IUPUI)Fall 2015 (IUPUI) |
| CRIJ 4340 | Music & Crime | F2F | Wintermester 2022 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 4340 | Special Topics: Crime, Mental Health, and Substance Abuse | Online | Maymester 2022 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 4390 & CJUS 498 | Undergraduate Research  | Ind. Study | Spring 2022 (TAMIU)Fall 2020 (IU)Spring 2020 (IU) |
| CRIJ 1301 | Introduction to Criminal Justice | Online | Fall 2020 (TAMIU)Spring 2019 (IU) |
| CJUS 314 | Law & Society | F2F | Spring 2020 (IU)Fall 2019 (IU) |
| CJUS 290 | The Nature of Inquiry (Research Methods) | F2F | Fall 2018 (IU)Spring 2018 (IU)Fall 2017 (IU)Spring 2017 (IU) |
| CJUS 304 | Probation & Parole | F2F | Spring 2018 (IU) |
| CJUS 260 | Mass Murder | F2F | Fall 2017 (IUPUI) |
| CJUS 300 | Techniques of Data Analysis (Statistics) | F2F | Fall 2016 (IU) |
| CJUS 200 | Theories of Crime & Deviance | F2F | Spring 2016 (IU)Fall 2015 (IU) |
| PSYC 300 | Psychological Theory | F2F | Summer 2015 (ITT- Tech) |
| CJUS 260 | Homicide in Indiana | F2F | Fall 2014 (IUPUI) |

**Graduate**

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| *Course* | *Course Title* | *Format* | *Term* |
| CRIJ 6303 | Advanced Quantitative Statistics: Multiple Regression (Ph.D.) | F2F | Fall 2023 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 6306 | Advanced Mixed Methods (Ph.D.) | Hybrid | Fall 2023 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 5327 | Advanced Quantitative Methods in CRIJ(MS and Ph.D. Hybrid course) | Online  | Summer 2023 |
| CRIJ 5340 | Victimology (MS) | Online  | Summer 2023 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 5340 | Offenders with Mental Illness (MS) | Online | Spring 2023 & 2024 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 6335  | Advanced Topics in Victimology (Ph.D.) | Hybrid | Fall 2022 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 5305 | Seminar on Administration of Criminal Justice (MS) | Online | Summer 2022 and 2023 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 5300 | Foundations in Criminal Justice (MS) | Online | Fall & Spring 2022 (TAMIU)Fall 2021 (TAMIU)Spring 2021 (TAMIU) |
| CRIJ 5395 | Capstone Project in Criminal Justice (MS) | Online | Summer 2021 (TAMIU) |

***Invited Talks***

Garza, S. & **Hood, B.J.** (2024). *Mental health and active shooters****.*** Department of Social Sciences, Texas A&M International University, Laredo, Texas. Issues and Challenges in Law Enforcement, Panel collaboration between criminal justice and criminology researchers on active shooters. Presented to borderland law enforcement agencies and the community.

**Hood, B.J.** (2022). *Honor’s graduation speech*.Texas A&M International University’s Undergraduate Honors and Research Program, Cording event. Presented to the graduating Honor’s students, their families, faculty, and staff as the representative of the University College’s Undergraduate Honors and Research Program.

**Hood, B.J.** (2022). *Mental health: A crime or a disease?* Texas A&M International University’s Office of Student Orientation, Leadership, and Engagement. International Leadership Series on Human Rights. Presented to TAMIU students, staff, and faculty as part of the University’s Strategic Plan to increase global citizenship.

**Hood, B.J.**, Alvarado, R., Garcia, E. & Munoz, M. (2021). *Hispanic mental health matters*. College of Arts and Sciences, Texas A&M International University, Laredo, Texas. Panel collaboration between Texas A&M International’s committee on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion and the Department of Psychology and Communications. Presented to TAMIU students, staff, and faculty on the importance of addressing mental health and ameliorating stigma in the Hispanic community.

**Hood, B.J.** (2021). *Dream* *panel*. As part of the National First-Generation Celebration, TAMIU SOLE and TRiO organized a panel of faculty and students to discuss the challenges and successes of being a first-generation student.

**Hood, B.J.** (2021). *Background, educational experiences & research*. Department of Social Sciences, Texas A&M International, Laredo, Texas. Presented to eight doctoral students in the first Criminal Justice Ph.D. cohort on my education and career background and trajectory, as well as advice to successfully complete a doctorate.

**Hood, B.J.** (2018 & 2019). *Getting into graduate school*. College of Arts & Science’s College Career

Course, Indiana University, Bloomington. Presented on a five-person panel for an undergraduate college

career course to provide information about graduate school, making decisions on the right programs, the

application process, and student life.

**Hood, B.J.** (2018). *Talk nerdy to me: Recruiting students to STEM fields at IU Science Fest*, Office of

Science Outreach at Indiana University, Bloomington. Presented to a diverse group of middle school,

high school, and college students to dispel myths about being a scientist, explain what a social science

researcher does on a daily basis, and why being a scientist is important.

**Hood, B.J.** (2018). *Collaboration and networking in academia*, Professional Development for

Graduate Students at Indiana University, Bloomington. Presented to doctoral students about my

experience in forging relationships and building rapport with faculty, as well as how to network in

academia.

**Guest Lectures**“Singing Songs and Carrying Signs”: Music, Protest, and Social Justice, Social Justice: Disassembling the Patriarchy (Spring & Fall 2023)
Serial Homicide Research, Criminology, University of Akron (Fall 2021)Specialty Courts, Social Work & Criminal Justice, Indiana University (Fall 2019)

**Student Mentoring**

***Doctoral Portfolio Committees***

Allica Campos (Chair), Texas A&M International University Summer 2023 – Present

***Thesis Committees***

Carlos Castillo (Member), Texas A&M International University Fall 2022 – Present

Claina Hernandez (Chair), Texas A&M International University Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

DD Hachar Scholar & Honor’s student
*Mental Illness & Crime* (successfully defended)

***Graduate Student Guidance***

Jenna Arsuaga (Counseling Psych, CJ GRA), Texas A&M International University Fall 2023 - Present

Ronaldo Arriaga (CJ MS), Texas A&M International University Fall 2023 – Present

Mayra Cruz (Counseling Psych, CJ GRA), Texas A&M International University Fall 2023 - Present

Regina Flores (Counseling Psych, CJ GRA), Texas A&M International University Fall 2023 - Present

Dallas McHamon-Williams (CJ MS), Texas A&M International University Summer 2023 – Present

Samantha Gonzalez (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Fall 2022 - Present

Allicia Campos (CJ Ph.D. GRA), Texas A&M International University Fall 2022 – Present
Michael Long (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Summer 2022 – Present

Miguel Ruiz (Counseling Psych, CJ GRA), Texas A&M International University Fall 2023

Cheryl Breland, (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Summer 2023

Ashlie Sanchez (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Spring 2022 – Spring 2023

Jenna Bunner, (Master's in Public Affairs), Indiana University Summer 2021 – Fall 2023

Yahaira Gonzalez (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Fall 2022

Isela Montemayor (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Fall 2021 – Summer 2022

Vanessa Medrano (CJ Ph.D.), Texas A&M International University Spring 2022 – Summer 2022 Amanda Sanchez (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Spring 2022

William Camarillo (CJ), Texas A&M International University Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

Edith Garcia (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Spring 2022

Denise Walker (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Spring 2022

Victoria Esquivel (Counseling Psych), Texas A&M International University Spring 2022

Rachel Simon (CJ Ph.D. GRA), Texas A&M International University Spring 2022

Christopher Hernandez, (CJ MS GRA), Texas A&M International University Fall 2021

Talia Marin, Texas A&M International University Summer 2021 – Fall 2021

***Undergraduate Student*** ***Guidance***

Lauren Perez, Texas A&M International University Summer 2022 - Present

Vera Oneyda, Texas A&M International University Spring 2022 – Present

Evelynn Gomez, Texas A&M International University, Honor’s Student Fall 2022 – Fall 2023

Hannia Tejeda, Texas A&M International University, Honor’s Student Fall 2021 – Fall 2023

Cheryl Breland, Texas A&M International University, Honor’s Student Summer 2022 – Spring 2023

Salma Torres, Texas A&M International University, Honor’s Student Spring 2022

Anna Finley, Indiana University Spring 2020 – Fall 2022

Abigail Martinez, Texas A&M International University Spring 2022 – Summer 2022

Jordy Lozano, Texas A&M International University Spring 2021 – Summer 2022

Daniella Delgado, Texas A&M International University, Honor’s Student Spring 2022

Monica Cabello, Texas A&M International University Spring 2022

Paige White, Indiana University Spring 2020 – Spring 2022

Wendy Rodriguez, Texas A&M International University, TRIO Program Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

Stephanie Rendon, Texas A&M International University, TRIO Program Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

Leslie Delgado, Texas A&M International University, TRIO Program Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

Alicia Gutierrez, Texas A&M International University Fall 2020 – Fall 2021
Jenna Bunner, Indiana University Fall 2019 – Spring 2021

Myka Betley, Indiana University Fall 2019 – Spring 2021
Niria Segura, Texas A&M International University Summer 2021

Alyssa Ortegon, Texas A&M International University Fall 2020
Dulce Garcia, Texas A&M International University Fall 2020
Carlos Martinez, Texas A&M International University Fall 2020

Lidia Torres, Texas A&M International University, Honors Program Fall 2020

Marielle McCorkle, Indiana University Spring 2020 – Summer 2021 Remi Musselman, Indiana University Fall 2019 – Spring 2021

Samantha Johnson, Indiana University Fall 2019 – Summer 2021

Bailey Barnes Indiana University Spring 2020
Kara Lynch, Indiana University Spring 2020Carly Holland, Indiana University Fall 2019 – Spring 2020Olivia Crose, Indiana University Fall 2019 – Spring 2020Anastasia Miller, Indiana University Fall 2019 – Spring 2020Makayla York, Indiana University Fall 2019 – Spring 2020 Brianna King, Indiana University Spring 2018 – Spring 2020

***High School Student Mentoring***

Jestiny Galvan, Laredo United Independent School District Spring 2023 - Present
Bella Rosales (AP Research), Brebeuf Jesuit Preparatory School Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

 *Dealing with dysfunction: Revenge or rage?*

**SERVICE EXPERIENCE**

**University & Department**

Search Committee, Member (2020, 2021, 2023, 2024)

University College Honor’s & Undergraduate Research Program Committee (Fall 2021 – Present)

Undergraduate Student Service-Learning Exposition, Judge (Spring 2022, Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2023)

Ad Hoc Committee on Criminal Justice Fellowship Awards (Spring 2022 and 2023)

Texas A&M University System’s Pathways Research Conference, Judge (Spring 2022 & 2023)
College of Arts & Sciences Ph.D. Scholarship Committee (Fall 2022)

Program Assessment Coordinator (Fall 2021 – Fall 2023)

TRiO STEM Faculty Mentor (Fall 2021 – Fall 2022)

Ad Hoc Committee on Ph.D. Applications (Spring 2021, 2022, 2023)

Ad Hoc Committee on the College of Arts and Sciences Research Release Awards (Summer 2022)

Search Committee, Chair (Spring 2022)

Ad Hoc Committee on Faculty Authored Works (Summer 2021)
Search Committee, Member (Spring 2021)

TAMIU’s Inclusion, Diversity, & Equity (TIDE) Committee, member (Fall 2020 – Fall 2021)

Assistant Assessment Coordinator for Bachelor of Science Degree in Criminal Justice (AY 20-21)

Representative for the Department of Criminal Justice at [Indiana University’s Explore Majors and Career Exposition](https://college.indiana.edu/landing-pages/majors-careers-expo.html) (Fall 2019)

Recruitment [Emissary](http://www.indiana.edu/~gradlife/emissary-1/) for the University Graduate School, Graduate Student Diversity Program, Indiana University, Bloomington (Fall 2018-Spring 2019)

**Discipline**

Outreach table volunteer at the American Society of Criminology’s Division on Corrections and Sentencing
(November 2022)

Special Events committee member for the American Society of Criminology’s Division on Women and Crime

(2021 – 2022).

Membership committee member (Education) for the Texas Association of Criminal Justice Educators. (2021 – 2022).

Award committee member for Sage Junior Faculty Professional Development Awards for the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (2021)

***Community***

Panel discussion & research presentation: Issues and challenges in law enforcement – panel discussant and presenter on the role of mental health in active shooter scenarios (January 2024)

Webb County’s Criminal Justice Advisory Committee (CJAC) Education member – grant reviewer for the Capital Area Council of Governments (CAPCOG) of the Texas Governor’s Office Criminal Justice Advisory Committee (CJAC) (Fall 2021 – Spring 2022).

Hispanic Mental Health Matters – panel organizer, chair, and discussant in collaboration between Texas A&M International University’s committee on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion and the Department of Psychology and Communications (October 25, 2021).

Invited grant reviewer for the Capital Area Council of Governments (CAPCOG) of the Texas Governor’s Office Criminal Justice Advisory Committee (CJAC) (April 2021).

Member of the National Alliance for Mental Illness (NAMI) Leadership Committee in Laredo, Texas. (Fall 2020 – Spring 2021).

Laredo Co-coordinator for Cards for Kids for American families of mass shootings (Fall 2020).

**SOCIAL MEDIA EXPERIENCES**

Blogger for [Conversations in Science at Indiana University](http://blogs.iu.edu/sciu/). Wrote and published on the University Science at IU blog about scholarly works at IU and current criminal justice-related events (Fall 2017-Spring 2019).

**Hood, B.J.** (January 8, 2019).Familial DNA as a method of identifying serial killers. [Blog post]. Available at http://blogs.iu.edu/sciu/author/bjhood/.

**Hood, B.J.** (March 20, 2018). President Trump calls for the re-establishment of mental asylums: A discussion of deinstitutionalization. [Blog post]. Available at http://blogs.iu.edu/sciu/author/bjhood/.

**Hood, B.J.** (January 23, 2018).How researchers use sequencing techniques for social science research. [Blog post]. Available at http://blogs.iu.edu/sciu/author/bjhood/.

**Hood, B.J.** (November 28, 2017). Criminal offending in mentally ill populations. [Blog post]. Available at http://blogs.iu.edu/sciu/author/bjhood/.

**Hood, B.J.** (September 19, 2017). A new method of addressing mental health and crime. [Blog post]. Available at http://blogs.iu.edu/sciu/author/bjhood/.

**CERTIFICATIONS**

2023 Association of College and University Educators (ACUE) Effective Teaching Practices for Higher Education (25-week course)

2020 Quality Matter’s Teaching Online: An Introduction to Online Delivery

2013 FEMA, National Incident Management System (NIMS), IS-00700.a
2013 FEMA, Introduction to Incident Command System, IS-00100.b

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT TRAINING**

2023 Preparing for Future Classrooms: Embracing Emerging AI Tools (TAMIU)
Humanize Your Course with VoiceThread (TAMIU)
Mixed Methods (NVIVO)

2022 Academic Assessment Training (TAMIU)
National Science Foundation Virtual Grants Conference
Community Needs Assessments (National Network to Eliminate Disparities in Behavioral Health)
Effective Teaching Practices and Effective Online Teaching Practices (Association of College and University Educators)
The Power and Role of Collective Hope an Action for Crisis recovery (Crisis and Recovery Enhancement)

2021 Causal Inference Pitfalls (American Society of Criminology)
Center for the Improvement of Mentored Experiences in Research (CIMER) workshop on Optimizing Mentoring Relationships (TAMIU)

Promoting Wellness and Resiliency in Correctional Staff (National Institute of Corrections)

Bridging the Gap Between Prevention and Recovery (SAMHSA)
Bayesian Modeling for Social Scientists I: Introduction and Application (Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research
Multilevel Models I: Introduction and Application (Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research)
Resources for Participating in the Needs and Joys of Our (Im)migrant Students, Families, and
Community Partners: Exploring and Expanding Our School Mental Health Practice (Pacific Southwest MHTTC)
Strategies for Publication (TAMIU)
Promotion & Tenure Dossiers (TAMIU)
Facilitating Large Graduate Classes (TAMIU)
VoiceThread Conversations in the Cloud (TAMIU)
Blackboard Collaborate Essentials (TAMIU)
Enhancing Inclusiveness with the Quality Matters Framework (TAMIU)
Getting Familiar with Your Classroom Technologies (TAMIU)
Echo360 Engagement Tools (TAMIU)

2020 Trauma Informed Care (National Institute of Corrections)

Expanding Social Science Research to Examine the Impacts of Forensic Science on the Criminal Justice System (National Institute of Justice)

How & Where to Publish (TAMIU)

Health Disparities in Remote Neuropsychology for Treatment of Serious Mental Illness during the Time of COVID-19 and Beyond (SAMHSA)

Using Motivational Interviewing with Serious Mental Illness to Address Medication Non-Adherence, Create Change and Enhance Stability (SMI Advisor)

Overview of Harm Reduction (New York State)

Promoting Wellness and Resiliency in Correctional Staff (National Institute of Corrections)

Broader Impacts & Education Plan Expo and Seminar (National Science Foundation)

High Impact Practices, Do No Harm (TAMIU)

Interactive Study Materials (TAMIU)

 Humanize Your Online Course with VoiceThread (TAMIU)

 Title X for Faculty (TAMIU)

 What to Do and How to Respond to Student Behavior Concerns (TAMIU)

 Instructor Training for Lockdown Browser & Respondus Monitor (TAMIU)

 An Introduction to Online Delivery (Quality Matters)

 How to Easily Engage Your Students in your TAMIU Flex Class (TAMIU)

 Engaging Activities for Any Learning Environment (TAMIU)

 Blackboard Course Design Tips for Better Student Involvement (TAMIU)

 Online Test Proctoring Services & Examity Format (TAMIU)

 Assessment. Why Do We Need It, and How Do I Do It? (TAMIU)

 Meeting Quality Matters Standards: Creating a Syllabus Template (Quality Matters)

**JOURNAL REFERRING**

Health & Justice
Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice & Criminology

Journal of Forensic Psychology Research and Practice

Journal of Restoration, Rehabilitation, & Reentry
Family Relations

Criminal Justice & Behavior

Crime & Delinquency

Women & Justice

Journal of Offender Rehabilitation

Criminal Justice Policy Review

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**
American Society of Criminology, member (2016 – Present) Division of Corrections & Sentencing, member (2016 – Present)

Atypical Homicide Research Group, member (2015 – Present)

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, member (2017 – 2023)
Western Society of Criminology, member (2021 – 2022)

Texas Association of Criminal Justice Educators, member (2020 – 2022)

Southwest Association of Criminal Justice Educators, member (2020 – 2022)
National Alliance on Mental Illness – Texas, member (2020 – 2022)

National Alliance on Mental Illness, leadership board member (2020 – 2021)

Division of Women & Crime, member (2016 – 2021)