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**EDUCATION**

2002 Ph.D., Sociology/Justice, American University, Washington, D.C.  
1990 M.S., Justice, Law and Society, American University, Washington, D.C.  
Graduate Research Fellowship, 1988-1990  
1988 B.A., Triple Major: Sociology/Criminal Justice/Spanish, University of Richmond,  
Virginia. (*Magna Cum Laude*)

**Doctoral Dissertation**

2002 Title: *Schools as Attractors and Generators of Crime: Routine Activities and the Sociology of Place*. Chair: James P. Lynch

National Institute of Justice Dissertation Grant, 2000  
National Science Foundation Dissertation Grant, 2000

**Additional Education/Training**

2018 Latent Class Analysis, Statistical Horizons, Philadelphia  
2013 Social Network Analysis, Statistical Horizons, Philadelphia  
2013 Longitudinal Data Analysis, Statistical Horizons, Philadelphia  
2012 Structural Equation Modeling, Statistical Horizons, Philadelphia  
2011 Programming in R  
2002 Structural Equation Modeling, Scientific Software International, Chicago  
2001 Hierarchical Linear Modeling, Scientific Software International, Chicago  
2001 Spatial Regression, ICPSR, Michigan  
2000 Advanced Spatial Analysis with ArcView, ESRI, Fairfax, VA

**POSITIONS HELD**

July 2020 to present	Professor, Dept. of Criminal Justice, Temple University
April 2022 to present	Professor, Center for Urban Bioethics, Lewis Katz School of Medicine Temple University (secondary appointment)
2014 to June 2020	Associate Professor, Dept. of Criminal Justice, Temple University
Fall 2008 to Spring 2014	Assistant Professor, Dept. of Criminal Justice, Temple University
2003 to 2008	Senior Research Associate, The Urban Institute
1990 to 2002	Research Associate, The Urban Institute

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

January 1990 - October 1990	Research Coordinator, Koba Associates, Washington, DC
September 1989 - January 1990	Researcher/Writer, National Criminal Justice Association, Washington, DC
February 1989 - December 1989	Research Assistant, Office of Research and Evaluation, Federal Bureau of Prisons (FBOP)
August 1988 - August 1990	Research/Teaching Assistant, Social Science Research Lab, American University

## PUBLICATIONS

### Books

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## SELECTED GRANTS/PROJECTS

### ***Participation in the Criminal Legal System by Witnesses of Violent Crime: Developing a State of Knowledge*** Co-Principal Investigator (PI: Tom Scott, RTI).

We know little about why witnesses of severe community violence participate in the criminal legal system (CLS), from reporting the crime to the police to testifying in court. This proposed project has two objectives: (1) to document the universe of factors that impact witness participation across different stages of the CLS, including those related to CLS practices, and (2) to develop two survey instruments for future use to understand how local police agencies and state prosecutors' offices support witness participation through the system. The project will also explore what is known about witness intimidation following violent crimes. Funded by Arnold Ventures. 2023-2024.

### ***Violence Intervention and Prevention (VIP) Grants Evaluation initiative*** (Co-Investigator)

Temple University and NORC at the University of Chicago are partnering in this evaluation project to assess the outcomes of selected PCCD-funded Violence Intervention Program grantees and five Coordinated Community Violence Intervention (CCVI) grantees. The mixed-methods research design includes a process evaluation, an implementation study, and an outcome evaluation (using a comparative time-series design) to identify the strengths and weaknesses of VIP and CCVI programs. Funded by PA Commission on Crime and Delinquency (PCCD). 2023-2025.

### **Stoneleigh Emerging Leader Fellow - Host Organization Grant** (Roman, Co-PI & Lead Mentor)

This joint grant between Department of Criminal Justice and CLA's Public Policy Lab provides funding to host a young scholar who will develop an accessible online Resource Hub to provide free tools and resources that can assist direct service organizations in their capacity-building needs to respond to gun violence. 2023-2025.

### **Green Family Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship in Violence Prevention** (Roman, PI & Mentor)

This project was designed to expand the applied research capacity of Temple's Department of Criminal Justice and CLA's Public Policy Lab. This grant provided funding to hire a three-year postdoctoral Fellow who will conduct applied research that will support the implementation and scaling of evidence-based and innovative programs and initiatives designed to reduce community violence and gun violence with a particular focus on the areas and neighborhoods across North Philadelphia and Kensington-Fairhill. 2023-2025.

### ***"Too Far Gone?" A PAR Study of Gun-Violence Prevention Workers' Most Challenging Participants***

Roman, Co-PI (PI: Peter Simonsson). This project was developed to systematically explore the informal and formal assessment and engagement strategies that Cure Violence workers utilize when making decisions about who to engage and how. Sponsored by the Fund for a Safer Future. 2023-2025.

***The UMass Chan & Temple Collaborative RRTC on Community Living and Participation among Transition Age Youth with Serious Mental Health Conditions.*** (Co-Investigator; PIs: Elizabeth Thomas [Temple] and Kathryn Sabella, UMass-Chan Medical School). This grant will establish a Rehabilitation Research and Training Center designed to improve community participation outcomes among transition-age youth with serious mental health conditions from marginalized backgrounds. There will be five distinct projects designed and implemented. Sponsored by the National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR). 2023-2027

***Process Assessment of YEAH Philly's Violent Crime Intervention (Principal Investigator)***

This Neubauer Family Foundation-funded project creates a research-practitioner partnership to develop and conduct a process assessment of YEAH Philly's innovative Violence Reduction Initiative. The process assessment will utilize a participatory approach that involves hiring citizen scientists/peer researchers to develop and collect information on program processes, and document successes and challenges. 2023-2024.

***John Bartram High School Youth Violence Reduction Initiative (YVRI) (Principal Investigator)***

This grant provides research and strategy development support to the Office of School Safety at the School District of Philadelphia with regard to implementing OJJDP's Comprehensive Gang Model in Bartram High School. Neubauer Family Foundation-2022-2023; OJJDP grant - 2022-2024.

***HAVEN: Modern Methods to Cost Crime Victimization: Statistical Modelling with Integrated and Survey Data to Comprehensively Measure Harm. 2020-V3-GX-0078.*** Co-Principal Investigator (PI:

John Roman, NORC). This project will develop a conceptual model of victimization costs that redefines key constructs in measuring harms from violence and uses those constructs to create a new methodology for financial cost modeling of victimization. To develop and test the model we are obtaining and analyzing innovative integrated data systems (IDS) that link criminal justice, health, labor, and human services data in three counties and conducting an in-person household-based random survey sample of males in Cook and Camden counties to: 1) observe the prevalence of victim harms in trauma, quality of life, and repeat victimization and 2) examine the use of very under-studied victim services. 2021-2023. Sponsored by the National Institute of Justice (\$1,226,000)

***Assessing a Community-City Partnership Implemented by the Black Male Community Council of Philadelphia (B.M.C.C.P) (Principal Investigator)***

This grant provides support for a Temple research team to conduct a process evaluation of a new project developed by the Black Male Community Council of Philadelphia to improve community-police relations with regard to homicide investigations. Sponsored by the Neubauer Family Foundation. 2022-2024.

***Beyond Gun Violence Reduction.*** Principal Investigator. This project, in collaboration with the Philadelphia District Attorney's Office, extends Dr. Roman's evaluation research on Philadelphia CeaseFire/Cure Violence and Philadelphia Focused Deterrence to examine whether the interventions differentially influenced clearance rates for shootings. The project will also assess what types of deterrence processes were at work with Focused Deterrence. 2021-2023. Sponsored by the Fund for a Safer Future (\$200,000).



***Enhancing Healthy Reintegration and Recovery for High-Risk Opioid Users.*** Co-Investigator (Steven Belenko, PI). The project is testing a new intervention to link people with opioid use disorders returning to Philadelphia from prison or jail to comprehensive treatment services at Temple University Health System. The project also involves a training a diversity training component in collaboration with Lincoln University. Sponsored by the PA Department of Health, with funding from the PA Commonwealth Universal Research Enhancement Program (CURE). 2020-2023.

***Gun Violence and Desistance: The Role of Mentoring and Social Relations among Early Violence Desisters***

This post-doctoral fellowship project (PI: Peter Simonsson) explores gun violence desistance mechanisms at work among high-risk young people newly involved in the street outreach-based Cure Violence (CV) model. Dr. Roman will work collaboratively with Dr. Simonsson as his mentor. Dr. Shadd Maruna is also collaborating with the research team. 2021-2022.

***Innovations in Supervision Initiative: Community Corrections Collaborations to Reduce Violent Crime and Recidivism.*** Principal Investigator on subcontract with PADOC. This project developed a research-practitioner partnership that paired researchers with strategy leaders from the PA Department of Corrections and State Parole to assist in developing new methods of data collection and analyses for Philadelphia's Project Safe Neighborhoods, a focused deterrence initiative targeting individuals with violent case histories leaving state prisons. 2019-2022. Sponsored by Council of State Governments and the U.S. Bureau of Justice Assistance (\$133,000).

***The Kensington Initiative: Implementing and Evaluating the Violent Crime and Opioid Reduction Partnership (VCORP).*** Principal Investigator on subcontract with the PA Office of the Attorney General. This collaborative project led by the Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General (OAG) (lead agency) expanded and evaluated an innovative prosecution strategy, known as the Violent Crime and Opioid Reduction Partnership (VCORP). VCORP is designed to reduce violent crime tied to drug markets, but with specific emphasis on collaborative analysis-driven targeting, investigation and smart prosecution of crime drivers. The Temple research team developed a detailed set of performance measures and conducted an impact evaluation. 2019-2022. Sponsored by the U.S. Bureau of Justice Assistance (Temple subcontract: \$196,000).

***Toward an Agenda for Policy-Relevant Research on Reducing Community Violence.*** Principal Investigator. This short-term, collaborative project identified priority research questions of interest across the community violence literature, evaluated the level of rigor of research in the literature, assessed the quality and impact of research results, and developed issue areas that need further research. Summer 2021. Sponsored by Arnold Ventures.

***Reducing Violence without Police: A Review of Research Evidence*** (Consultant to John Jay Research and Evaluation Center; Dr. Jeffrey Butts, PI). This Arnold Ventures funded project reviewed and summarized available research evidence for policies and programs that may help to reduce community violence without relying on police. A diverse group of academic experts across various fields came together to answer the question: *How can communities ensure the health and security of their residents without depending on law enforcement?* Fall 2020. Final product: <https://johnjayrec.nyc/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/AV20201109.pdf>

***Performance Measurement Support and Evaluation of the Phila District Attorney Office's Crisis Assistance, Response, & Engagement for Survivors Strategy (CARES) Strategy.*** Principal Investigator. This project involved data collection and reporting support for leaders of an innovative program that provides survivors of homicide victims comprehensive support. 2019 to 2021. Sponsored by the PA Commission on Crime and Delinquency (\$181,000).

***The Victim-Offender Overlap: Examining Police and Service System Networks of Response among Violent Conflicts.*** Principal Investigator. This project examined how police and victim service system networks responded after violent street conflicts and collected qualitative and quantitative data to assess whether victims with offense/arrest histories are treated differently from victims who are not labeled as "offenders." 2017 to 2019. Sponsored by the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) and Office for Victims of Crime (\$579,000).

***Measuring Success in Focused Deterrence through an Effective Researcher-Practitioner Partnership.*** Principal Investigator. The project supported the creation and maintenance of an effective, long term, sustainable research partnership that facilitated an overall research and evaluation approach utilizing joint strategy planning and development around focused deterrence law enforcement practices in the city of Philadelphia. 2014-2018. Sponsored by NIJ (\$298,265).

***CRIME-PA: Crime Model Evaluation for Physical Activity.*** Subcontract Principal Investigator. The study evaluated a trans-disciplinary conceptual model of the relation of crime and crime-related perceptions to physical activity and other cardiovascular disease-related outcomes across the life span. Research activities included development of reliable measures of crime-related constructs that will be applicable across the life span. 2013 to 2018. Sponsored by the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, NIH. Prime Award # 1R01HL117884-02 (Subcontract: \$199,000).

***Debt and Prisoner Reentry: Examining the Influences of Prisoners' Legal and Financial Obligations on Reentry.*** Principal Investigator. The study used secondary data from SVORI to assess the relationship between prisoner debt, child support, employment and successful community reintegration. 2013 to 2014. Sponsored by the NIJ. (\$40,000)

***City of Philadelphia Youth Violence Prevention Resource and Gap Analysis.*** Principal Investigator. This DHS-funded research grant supported the development of a data-driven multi-agency collaborative strategy to reduce homicides and shootings in Philadelphia. 2013 to 2014. (\$182,000)

***Implementation Study of Cure Violence/CeaseFire - A Pilot Grant.*** Co-Principal Investigator. This study examined how model fidelity can be measured when evaluating the well-known, evidenced-based intervention of Cure Violence. The pilot grant assessed whether cities such as Philadelphia would have neighborhoods that could support a rigorous evaluation of Cure Violence. 2013. Sponsored by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. (\$50,000)

***Gangs, Social Networks and Geography: Understanding the Factors Associated with Gang Desistance.*** Principal Investigator. (RAND - fiscal agent). This study, involving collaboration between Temple University, RAND, and the Urban Institute, examined the factors that influence gang

desistance. The research team employed social network methods to study gang youth in the Philadelphia and the District of Columbia. Sponsored by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP). 2012-2016. (\$990,000)

***National Evaluation of the Community-Based Violence Prevention Program.*** Co-Principal Investigator. This study involved a comprehensive process and outcome evaluation of OJJDP's \$8.6 million Community-Based Violence Prevention Demonstration Program (CBVP). The CBVP demonstration program replicated practices associated with some of the most effective recent innovations in violent crime prevention and control, such as Cure Violence and Focused Deterrence. Sponsored by OJJDP. 2010 to 2014. (\$1,000,000)

***Assessing Systems Change within the National Forum on Youth Violence Prevention.*** Co-Principal Investigator. Temple University worked in partnership with John Jay College of Criminal Justice to conduct a six-city assessment of the development and implementation of youth violence prevention and intervention strategies arising from the National Forum on Youth Violence Prevention. The Forum was a White House initiative designed to facilitate the development of comprehensive city-wide strategies to reduce youth violence. Sponsored by OJJDP. 2010 to 2012. (\$375,000)

***Norms and Networks of Latino Youth.*** Principal Investigator. The project examined the composition of Latino youth friendship and peer networks to derive the structural properties that influence the commission of crime. Through social network data collection and analysis, the study assessed both individual and group dynamics contributing to criminal behavior and group-related activity among Latino youth and young adults. Sponsored by OJJDP. 2007 to 2011. (\$600,000)

***Salud America: The Effects of Crime on Physical Activity and Outdoor Recreation among Latino Adolescents.*** Consultant. The study employed an ecological framework to examine how fear of crime, level of crime victimization, and perceived community disorder affect physical activity and outdoor recreation among Latino children of various acculturation levels and whether physical activity levels have any effects on involvement in crime. Sponsored by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. 2009 to 2011. (\$200,000)

***Evaluation of the Corporation for Supportive Housing's Returning Home Initiative – Chicago.*** Principal Investigator. This project employed a randomized design to test the hypothesis that homeless frequent users of jail who are provided supportive housing will be less likely to recidivate and use homeless shelters than a control group. NIJ and various sponsors. 2007 to 2012. (\$400,000)

***Best Practices for the District of Columbia's Focused Improvement Areas.*** Co-Principal Investigator. This project sought to develop guidelines and performance measures for a DC mayoral initiative targeted to reduce violence crime and provide services to high-risk families across 5 neighborhoods. D.C. Mayor's Office. 2010. (\$15,000)

***The Hard to House Demonstration Project.*** Co-Principal Investigator *through 2008 move to Temple.* Researchers evaluated a pilot project that provided enhanced case management services to residents of two Chicago public housing developments to determine whether the demonstration improved housing outcomes, reduced crime and substance abuse, and improved overall quality of life.

Sponsored by the MacArthur Foundation, the Annie E. Casey Foundation, and the Rockefeller Foundation. 2006 to 2010. (\$1,000,000)

***Community Organizations and Crime: An Examination of the Social-Institutional Processes of Neighborhoods.*** Principal Investigator. The study examined how local organizations are linked to social control and crime in order to inform policy, research and practice around community development for crime control and public safety. The goal was to define an innovative new measure of neighborhood organizational capacity based on survey measures of the capacity of community-based institutions. Sponsored by NIJ. 2005 to 2009. (\$200,000)

***Evaluation of the Ridge House Residential Program.*** Co-Principal Investigator. The Ridge House is a faith-based transitional housing program operating in Reno, Nevada, that provides prisoner reentry services to men and women leaving prison. The evaluation assessed the impacts of the program with regard to reducing recidivism. Sponsored by NIJ. 2004 to 2009. (\$750,000)

***Alcohol Availability and Crime.*** Principal Investigator. The main goal of the study was to examine the relationship between alcohol availability, distribution policies and alcohol-related injury, homicide, assault, and disorder. The project was based on the development of a geographic information system (GIS) containing neighborhood crime and health indicators and demographic and locational characteristics for Washington, D.C. Sponsored by NIJ. 2006 to 2008. (\$100,000)

***Strategic Planning for and Evaluation of DC Project Safe Neighborhoods.*** Principal Investigator. The research team partnered with numerous local DC and federal law enforcement agencies to assist in strategic planning efforts to reduce gun crime. Analyses of violent crime and gang data were used to guide the development of a focused deterrence strategy to reduce gun violence. Sponsored by the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA). 2003 to 2007. (\$225,000)

***The Housing Landscape for Returning Prisoners in DC.*** Principal Investigator. This study documented the geographic concentrations of returning prisoners; developed an assessment of housing capacity in neighborhoods where offenders are returning; and explored the programs and services available to assist returning citizens in their transition back to the community. Sponsored by the Fannie Mae Foundation, 2003 to 2006. (\$50,000)

***Evidence-based Housing Programs for Persons with Mental Illness Returning from Prisons and Jails.*** Principal Investigator. This study involved developing a paper identifying evidence-based housing models used for persons with mental illness who have had contact with the justice system. Sponsored by the National GAINS Center. 2005. (\$10,000)

***Weed and Seed Strategies: Understanding the Spatial and Temporal Displacement of Crime.*** Principal Investigator. The goal of this study was to develop and apply a replicable methodology for assessing the displacement effects of interventions undertaken by law enforcement agencies in Weed and Seed sites in South Florida. Sponsored by the Executive Office of Weed and Seed/Community Capacity Development Office. 2003 to 2005. (\$200,000)

**National Evaluation of the SafeFutures Program.** Project Team Member. This project was a multi-year national, cross-site evaluation of OJJDP's SafeFutures partnerships to reduce youth crime and victimization. 1995 to 2005.

**Understanding Community Justice Partnerships.** Principal Investigator. This study developed and validated a conceptual framework for measuring and assessing community-based crime prevention partnerships. The final report developed performance measures, identified useful data sets and tools for monitoring and evaluating partnership development, implementation and outcomes. Sponsored by NIJ. 2002 to 2005. (\$125,000)

**Housing, Homelessness and Reentry: A National Focus.** Principal Investigator. This Fannie Mae Foundation-sponsored project was conducted to bring research and practice to bear on the priority issues for promoting a sensible agenda for communities, states and the nation with regard to overcoming the barriers to safe and affordable housing that individuals face upon release from prison or jail. Roundtable held October, 2003. (\$70,000)

**The Role of Community Institutional Capacity in Social Capital.** Principal Investigator. The study developed and validated a strategy for measuring community institutional capacity and its role as a key component of social capital. Sponsored by the Aspen Roundtable on Comprehensive Community Initiatives, 2002 to 2003. (\$200,000)

**Community Assessment of the Neighborhood Transformation Initiative.** Principal Investigator. This study involved the conduct of a community assessment in the 72-block neighborhood of Sandtown-Winchester in Baltimore to gauge changes in the well-being of the community in relation to a number of more recent revitalization efforts funded by the Kellogg Foundation. 2002. (\$50,000)

**Victimization In and Around Schools.** Principal Investigator. This project examined the relationship among indicators of social disorganization, community institutions and levels of violent crime. Sponsored by OJJDP. 1999 to 2002. (\$43,000)

**Evaluation of the Prince George's County Curfew Law.** Principal Investigator. An interrupted time series analysis design was used to determine the impact of the county's law on victimization, arrests and calls for service. Sponsored by NIJ. 1999 to 2000. (\$100,000)

**Violence in the District of Columbia.** Co-Principal Investigator. This project included an analysis of patterns of violent crime and the development of a series of presentations to inform efforts to reduce violence in DC. Sponsored by the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council. 2000 to 2001. (\$200,000)

**Evaluation of Opportunity to Succeed Program.** Project Manager. Opportunity to Succeed (OPTS) offered a program of community-based aftercare services (including drug treatment, counseling, skills building in family relationships, employability, and other pro-social domains; health and mental health) for substance-abusing ex-offenders. The research study encompassed process, impact, and cost-benefit analyses of demonstrations in three sites. Sponsored by the NIJ and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. 1994 to 1999.

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### **Invited Talks**

Temple University Public Policy Lab Roundtable on Gun Violence in America, March 30, 2023. Moderator and Essay Contributor: Tackling Overdose Deaths and Gun Violence with Pennsylvania's Opioid Settlement Funds. [Issue #3 of PPL Lab Report](#), Philadelphia, PA.

COVID-19 and Gun Violence in Philadelphia: What's Drugs Got To Do With It? Presentation at the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine (NASEM) Workshop on "Crime Rates during the COVID-19 Pandemic." November 10.

*2023 Summary of NASEM Workshop can be found here: <https://www.nationalacademies.org/our-work/crime-rates-during-the-covid-19-pandemic-a-workshop>*

Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation's at the Crossroads Forum, March 29, 2022, New York City: Panelist, Gun Violence, What Works and What We Don't Know: <https://www.hfg.org/hfg-at-the-crossroads-forum/>

University of Pennsylvania's 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Norman Glickman Lecture in Urban Studies. Philadelphia and the Ecology of Homicide. Presentation link [here](#). November 9, 2021.

Biden-Harris Administration's Community Violence Intervention (CVI) Panel. Webinar Series Part 4: Community-Centered Evaluation. Building the Evaluation for Community Violence Intervention. September 15, 2021.

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Roman, Caterina. 2021. Speaker. Everytown for Gun Safety Safer City Convening. Virtual. April 15, 2021.

Roman, Caterina G. 2020. Leveraging the Pushes and Pulls of Gang Disengagement to Advance Gun Violence Reduction. Presented during the 2020 American Society for Adolescent Psychiatry (ASAP) eConference Forum titled: *Shots Fired: Gun Violence and Mental Health*. July 18, 2020.

Roman, Caterina. 2019. Why is it So Hard to Reduce Community Violence? The Challenges of Street Culture, Delinquent Networks and Gangs. Public Policy Lab Colloquium. October 3, Temple University.

Roman, Caterina. 2019. Speaker. Pre-Institute on Gun Violence Reduction. Everytown for Gun Safety and Cities United. Cities United 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Convening. Hampton, VA. August 20, 2019.

Roman, Caterina. 2019 [Invited Lecture/Video] Johns Hopkins University Massive Open Online Course (MOOC). Reducing Gun Violence in America: Evidence for Change. Segment: Focused Deterrence: A Law Enforcement Strategy to Reduce Gun Violence. June 2019:  
<https://www.coursera.org/learn/gun-violence>

Roman, Caterina G. 2018. Speaker. Villanova University's Ryan Policy Forum 2018. Presented: Creating and Facilitating Best Practice Alternatives to Jails and Prisons for Persons with Mental Illness: Housing Opportunities and Challenges. Villanova University, Villanova, PA. March 16, 2018. <https://www1.villanova.edu/villanova/law/newsroom/webstories/2018/0213.html>

Roman, Caterina G. 2018. Speaker. Violence as a Health Crisis: What Does the Research Say about Reducing Violence? Presented to the Association of Baltimore Area Grantmakers. Baltimore, MD. February 22, 2018.

Roman, Caterina G. 2017. Speaker. Symposium on Violence Prevention held by the Bloomberg American Health Initiative at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. The Evidence on Gun Violence Reduction: Key Gaps and Challenges. Baltimore, MD, December 8, 2017.

Roman, Caterina G. 2017. Featured Speaker for Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health Gun Violence Speaker Series: A Comparison of Two Gun Violence Reduction Strategies in the US: Lessons Learned from Philadelphia. Baltimore, MD. October 2, 2017.

Roman, Caterina G. 2017. Invited Discussant/Panelist: Next Steps in Community-Level Violence Prevention and Reduction Research. Sponsored by the National Institute of Justice. Society for Prevention Research 25th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, June 2, 2017.

Roman, Caterina G. 2017. Invited Panelist for Temple University's Public Policy Panel on Criminal Justice Policy in Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA. February 21, 2017.s

Roman, Caterina G. 2015. Speaker for Rutgers, Camden Urban Research Speaker Series: Social Network Analysis, Delinquency and Gangs: Using New Methods to Study High Risk Criminal Behaviors, April 16, 2015.

Roman, Caterina G. 2015. Speaker. The Promise of Integrated Data to Advance Community Health. ARISE Camden Kickoff Event, Sponsored by the Camden Coalition of Healthcare Providers. Camden, NJ, January 15, 2015.

Roman, Caterina G. 2013. Invited Discussant: Community Exposure to Violence at the Convening on Mental Health Consequences to Violence. Hosted by the US Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children, Youth and Families. June, 24-25, 2013.

Roman, Caterina G. 2012. Invited Speaker. The Socio-Institutional Processes of Neighborhoods: Implications for Violence Prevention. Johns Hopkins University Seminar Series. April 23rd.



Roman, Caterina G. 2011. Invited Speaker. The Role of Community Organizations in the Well-being of Neighborhoods. Presented at the New Jersey Youth Development Forum on Fragile Families, Princeton, NJ, May 11th.

Roman, Caterina G. 2010. Invited Speaker. The Influence of Crime, Fear, and the Built Environment on the Health of Neighborhoods. University of Pennsylvania Injury Forum, Philadelphia, PA (October 27).

Stodolska, M., Shiness, Kim J., Acevedo, Juan C., and Roman, Caterina G. 2010. [Invited Presentation]. Fear of crime and physical activity among Latino middle school students. Paper presented at the Salud America Scientific Summit, San Antonio, TX.

Roman, Caterina G. 2010. Invited Speaker: "Recent Research to Inform Reentry." Back to the Community: Making Systems Work for Reentry. Camden, NJ, April 8.

Roman, Caterina G. 2010. Invited Speaker: Crime Prevention in Outdoor Spaces in Urban Neighborhoods. Paper Presented at the Urban Sustainability Forum, Philadelphia, PA, January 28.

Roman, Caterina, G. 2009. The Socio-Institutional Processes of Neighborhoods: The Impact of Local Geography on Crime. Presentation at the 2009 National Institute of Justice Research and Evaluation Conference, Washington, DC June 16.

Roman, Caterina G. 2009. Invited Address: Crime Prevention for Active Living in Urban Neighborhoods. 2009 Childhood Obesity Conference, Los Angeles, June 10.

Roman, Caterina G. 2008. *Best Practices in Gang Control in the United States: Lessons for Central America*. Paper Presented for the Anti-Gang Efforts program of the Sub-Regional Project for Central America and Panama. Washington, DC, June 16.

Roman, Caterina G. 2007. Plenary Address. Fear of Walking Outdoors: An Ecological Analysis of Violence and Disorder in Urban Neighborhoods. 2007 Active Living Research Conference, San Diego, February 23.

Roman, Caterina Gouvis. 2006. Best Practices for Developing Anti-Gang Strategies: The United States Experience. Foro Internacional: La Violencia Juvenil en la Región: Un Diálogo Pendiente, San Salvador, El Salvador, October.

Roman, Caterina Gouvis. 2006. Is There a New Youth Crime Wave? Panel member for Urban Institute's Thursday's Child series. November, 16.

Gouvis, Caterina. 2000. Conceptualizing a Model for Understanding Victimization In and Around Schools. Paper Presented at the Annual Conference on Criminal Justice Research and Evaluation, Washington, D.C., July.

Gouvis, Caterina. 2000. Using GIS to Analyze the Association between Violent Crime and the Routine Activities of Youth. Paper presented at the Fourth Annual International Crime Mapping Research Conference, San Diego, Florida, December.

Gouvis, Caterina. 1999. The Spatial and Temporal Dynamics of Victimization before and After Implementation of A Youth Curfew. Third Annual International Crime Mapping Research Conference, Orlando, Florida, December.

## TEACHING

### *Courses Taught at Temple University*

**Capstone: Gun Violence in Philadelphia** (UG) – Fall 2023

**Capstone: Criminal Justice Reform** (UG) – Fall 2021, Spring 2023

**Capstone: Crime and Social Policy** (UG) – Spring 2017

**Capstone: Critical Issues in Prisoner Reentry** (CJ 4097) Fall 2019, 2020

**Communities and Crime** (graduate level) (CJ 8233) – Spring 2021, 2018, 2016, 2011

**Contemporary Issues in Youth Gangs** - graduate level (CJ8227 – Fall 2022; Spring 2019; CJ8310 - Fall 2012)

**Gangs** -undergraduate level (CJ3000-001) – Fall 2016 (as “special topics”); Spring 2018 (converted to recurring course)

**Honors Youth and Crime** (CJ4941) – Spring 2020; Fall 2016; 2017

**Nature of Crime** (UG) (CJ2401) 2008-2010; Spring 2012

**Youth and Crime** (UG) (CJ4401 and CJ3406) – Fall 2010; Fall 2013, Spr & Fall 2014; Spr & Fall 2015;

### *Courses Taught as an Adjunct Professor, American University (2003-2006)*

**Criminological Theory** (graduate class); Spring 2003 through Spring 2006

### *Independent Study/Directed Readings Courses Supervised, Temple University*

Fall 2019	Mollie Ducaste	The Benefits of Community Engagement in Criminal Justice Initiatives
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Spring 2010	Liana R. Taylor:	Evaluation Research and Crime Control
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Spring 2011	Nathan Link	Legal Barriers to Prisoner Reentry
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Spring 2013	Ida Goldkorn	The Logic of Behavior Change in Violence Intervention Programs
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Spring 2014	Brittany Kriner (UG)	Developing a Gang Intelligence System for Juvenile Probation
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Spring 2017	Kris Castner	Social Media and the Production of Firearm Violence
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### *4+1 Summer Research Project Supervision/Advising*

Summer 2018	Conner Workman	Data Management and Analysis of the Philadelphia Reentry Coalition Stakeholder Survey
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	Meghan Sager	Logic Modeling and Performance Measures for Outcome Analysis for the US Attorney’s Office
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Summer 2017 Casey Rice      The Victim-Offender Overlap: Annotated Bibliography and Research Review

*Dissertation Committee Service (Defense month)*

Thuy-Trinh Nguyen (current)	<b>Committee Chair:</b> Legal Estrangement and Post-Victimization Help-Seeking Behavior
Nicole J. Johnson (current)	<b>Committee Chair:</b> Bleeding Out?: Assessing Spillover Effects of Drug Markets On Gun Violence Across A Network of Neighborhoods <i>Award: (\$25,000) Dissertation Fellowship/Grant from National Collaborative on Gun Violence Research/Arnold Ventures (June 2022).</i>
Courtney Harding (March 2020)	<b>Committee Chair:</b> The Relationship between Frequent Emergency Department Visits and Repeat Criminal Justice System Involvement in Camden, New Jersey
Hannah Klein (April 2020)	<b>Committee Chair:</b> Pathways of Trauma and Violence among Gang Youth <i>National Institute of Justice (NIJ) Dissertation Fellowship Award (2019)</i>
Nathan Link (May 2017)	<b>Committee Chair:</b> Paid Your Debt to Society? Legal Financial Obligations and Their Effects on Former Prisoners
Amber Perenzin Askey (Dec 2017)	Quantifying Gang Locations: A Systematic Test of Validity Using Messick's Unified Perspective
Jaime Henderson (Feb 2015)	Estimating the Impacts of SORNA In Pennsylvania: The Potential Cost of Including Juveniles
Liana R. Taylor (Dec 2014)	General Responsivity and Evidence-Based Treatment: Individual and Program Predictors of Treatment Outcomes during Adolescent Outpatient Substance Abuse Treatment
Brandy Blasko (May 2013) Caitlin Taylor (May 2012)	The Uncharted Influence of Prison Staff Decisionmaking Family Support and the Successful Reentry of Formerly Incarcerated Individuals
Bernadette Hohl (Dec 2012)	(School of Public Health): Working with the Community to Develop a New Measure of Neighborhood Youth Support

*Post-Doctoral Mentorship*

2020 – 2022      Peter Simonsson, PHD, Center for Urban Bioethics

*Faculty Advisor - PhD Students*

2021 – present	Kate Kelly
2021 – present	Mea Agers
2020 – present	Autumn Talley

2018 – present	Trinh Nguyen
2017 – present	Nicole Johnson
2015 - 2020	Courtney Harding
2014 - 2020	Hannah Klein
2010 - 2017	Nathan Link (ASC 2014 paper “honorable mention” for the Division on Corrections and Sentencing 2014 Student Paper Award)

#### *Faculty Advisor - Master’s Students*

2017 – present	Rachel Wolfman
2016 – 2019	Conner Workman
2016 – 2018	Casey Rice
2015 – 2018	Kris Castner

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Edward Buthusiem Faculty Research Award, College of Liberal Arts, 2023

Public Policy Lab Fellowship, 2019-2020, Temple University

Sabbatical, Fall 2018

Rotberg Humanities Fellowship, Spring 2011

Sabbatical, Fall 2011

Law Enforcement Award for Excellence in Service (Civilian), 2005

National Institute of Justice Dissertation Grant, 2000

National Science Foundation Dissertation Grant, 2000

Rotary Club of Pennsylvania Academic Scholarship, 1989

American University Academic Fellowship, 1988, 1989

Hellenic University Club Academic Scholarship, 1988

Alpha Kappa Delta Honor Society (Sociology)

Pi Alpha Alpha (Public Affairs and Administration)

### **SERVICE/PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

#### **Service to the Profession**

2023- Conference Mentor, National Research Conference on Firearm Injury Prevention

2021 - Advisor for Vital City, NYC, a new think tank to help drive policy in New York City

2020 - External review of faculty candidates promotion to Associate Professor and Professor

2018 – Mentor, Mentoring Program for the Division of Experimental Criminology, ASC

2018 – Everytown for Gun Safety, the Everytown Community Safety Fund, National Advisory Board

2018 – 2021 New Jersey Gun Violence Research Center, Advisory Board

- 2017 – 2021 APHA Reviewer of Abstracts APHA 2017-2019 Annual Meeting & Expo
- 2020 – 2021 Reviewer of abstracts: Conference of the Society for Advancement of Violence and Injury Research [SAVIR]
- 2016-2017 American Society of Criminology, Chairperson, Local Arrangements Committee
- 2016 National Science Foundation Grant Proposal Reviewer
- 2016 Expert Panelist- the National Research Symposium on Violence, hosted by USDOJ
- 2010-2014 Expert Advisor for the National Reentry Resource Center; Housing and Reentry Working Group
- 2013 - Boy with a Ball (nonprofit), Scientific Advisory Board  
<http://www.boywithaball.com/about/who-we-are/>
- 2011 Expert Panelist, What Works Collaborative (Sponsored by the Annie E. Casey Foundation, the Ford Foundation, the Kresge Foundation, the MacArthur Foundation, and the Open Society Institute.)
- 2011 Co-Chair, Thought Leaders’ Forum on “Community Safety: Violence Prevention and Childhood Obesity Prevention.” Sponsored by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (held September 22-23 in Atlanta, GA).
- 2010-2011 Proposal Peer Reviewer for the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics and the National Institute of Justice
- 2010 Conference Committee: “Back to the Community: Making Systems Work for Reentry.” Senator Walter Rand Institute for Public Affairs, Rutgers University, Camden, NJ (conference held April 8, 2010).
- 2009 Abstract Review Committee: NIJ Crime Mapping Conference
- Reviewer, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Active Living Research Program, Round 9 Call for Proposals
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Expert Panel on GIS Measures and Child Obesity
- Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Expert Focus Group on OJJDP’s Research Portfolio
- 2007 Active Living Research Advisory Group
- 2006 Housing and Prisoner Reentry Advisory Group, Council of State Governments  
AIDS Housing of Washington Ex-Prisoner Advisory Panel

#### Manuscript Reviews across Multiple Fields

**Criminology:** *Criminology and Public Policy; Justice Quarterly; Journal of Quantitative Criminology; Criminology; Crime and Delinquency; Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency; Crime and Justice*

*Research; Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice; Police Practice and Research; Violence and Victims; Social Sciences; Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice.*

**Health/Public Health:** *Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine; Urban Studies; Journal of Physical Activity & Health; Preventive Medicine; Social Science and Medicine; Journal of School Health; International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity*

**Sociology/Psychology/Urban Policy:** *Social Problems; Environment and Behavior; Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly; Journal of Urban Affairs; Urban Affairs Review; Urban Studies; Youth and Society*

#### Service to the University, College and Local Community since 2008

2023 Reviewer for Faculty Candidate Promotion to Full Professor, School of Social Work

2022 – 2023 University Violence Reduction Task Force, then Public Safety Subcommittee

2021 - present Public Policy Lab (CLA) Advisory Committee

2022- present CLA Sabbaticals Committee

2020 - 2022 College of Liberal Arts Merit Committee

2017 - 2022 Workshops on Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships in Prisoner Reentry

2016 - 2022 University Graduate Board

2017 - 2022 MPP Program Advisory Committee

2017 – 2019 Public Health Subcommittee of the Phila City Council’s Special Committee on Gun Violence

2009 - present Mayor’s Prisoner Reentry Coalition (PRC), City of Philadelphia

2009 - 2022 PRC Data & Metrics Subcommittee; Funding Subcommittee

2016 – present City Department of Behavioral Health Victim Community Support Collaborative

2016 - 2018 Temple University Organizing Committee for the Commonwealth of PA’s Health Enterprise Zone (HEZ); and Education Subcommittee

2014 - 2016 Health Committee for the City of Philadelphia’s Youth Violence Prevention Collaborative (YVPC)

2013 - 2016 Research Liaison to the City of Philadelphia’s National Forum on Youth Violence Prevention (Philadelphia Youth Violence Prevention Collaborative).

2013 - 2014 Data and Evaluation Working Group, Philadelphia Youth Violence Prevention Collaborative

2011- Recent **media interviews/commentary/features:**

- (Sept. 14, 2023) Mention in *Temple Now* story: [These 11 Temple University violence reduction programs are enhancing safety in Philadelphia | Temple Now](#)
- (Aug. 23, 23) Quote and mention in: TU Office of the Provost’s News: [New neighborhood resource center set to improve outcomes in North Philly | Office of the Provost | Office of the Provost \(temple.edu\)](#)
- (May 15, 2023) Professor Roman quoted in WHYY news story on hot spot policing and summertime violence. [Philly cops will be highly visible this summer, officials say - WHYY](#)

- (December 6 and 7, 2022) Professor Roman featured among other faculty in *Temple Now*'s special feature edition focused on gun violence: [Part I](#) and [Part II](#)
- (Dec. 7, 2022). City Cast Philly Podcast: [Do Teen Curfews Actually Work?](#) Professor Roman discusses the findings from her teen curfew study conducted a number of years ago when Prince George's County, MD implemented their curfew.
- (Nov. 28, 2022) Philadelphia Neighborhoods Project (Temple journalism capstone project). Professor Roman discusses the importance of including prevention efforts in violence reduction. Article is [here](#).
- (June 10, 2022) Comments featured in InsideHigherEd.com regarding mass shootings and gun violence on college campuses  
<https://www.insidehighered.com/news/2022/06/10/colleges-step-efforts-prevent-gun-violence-campus>
- (June 2022) 6ABC feature on recurring gun violence in Philadelphia with a number of video segments quoting Prof. Roman and mentioning her research: <https://6abc.com/feature/roots-of-gun-violence-in-philadelphia-causes-philly-shootings-crime-homicide-rate/11873582/>
- (March 7, 2022) 6ABC (TV) Inside Story 15-minute segment on the findings of a study conducted by Dr. Roman and her graduate student, Nicole Johnson.  
<https://6abc.com/gun-violence-study-temple-university-philadelphia-crime-professor-caterina-roman/11620121/>
- (Feb. 25, 2022) *Temple Now* feature post on recent study:  
<https://news.temple.edu/news/2022-02-25/connecting-dots-between-gun-violence-and-drug-markets>
- (Feb 11, 2022) The Hall Monitor Interview with Dr. Caterina Roman  
<https://www.bing.com/videos/riverview/relatedvideo?q=caterina+roman+why+violence+2023&mid=A4C51CB28746D562807BA4C51CB28746D562807B&FORM=VIRE>
- (Dec. 15, 2021) Interview segment w/Solomon Jones: Wake up with WURD  
<https://soundcloud.com/onwurd/wake-up-with-wurd-12-15-21-dr-caterina-roman>
- (Dec. 13, 2021) Comments featured in Billy Penn news story on gun violence hotspots:  
<https://billypenn.com/2021/12/13/philadelphia-gun-violence-map-shooting-hot-spots-election-wards/>
- (Dec. 7, 2021) Research featured in Inquirer story by Dylan Purcell on violence in Philadelphia: <https://www.inquirer.com/news/krasner-homicide-violence-philadelphia-gun-violence-20211207.html>
- (July 31, 2021) Featured in ProPublica news story by Alec MacGillis on homicide surge in the US: <https://www.propublica.org/article/philadelphia-homicide-surge>

- (July 16, 2021) Featured guest in a conversation with Greg Berman, Inaugural Guggenheim Distinguished Fellow of Practice at the Guggenheim Foundation: <https://www.hfg.org/conversations/you-can-reduce-violence-but-harm-people-a-conversation-with-caterina-roman/> The conversation was also turned into a blog published on the Crime Report: <https://thecrimereport.org/2021/07/16/reducing-violence-why-simple-solutions-wont-work/>
- (July 6, 2021) Comments on Philadelphia's anti-violence strategy: <https://www.inquirer.com/news/philadelphia-gun-violence-homicides-antiviolence-budget-jim-kenney-20210706.html>
- (April 2021) Research featured in Philadelphia Citizen podcast on Philadelphia gun violence (Jo Piazza - journalist) <https://thephiladelphiacitizen.org/philly-under-fire-episode-3/>
- (May 20, 2021) Front page article by journalist Mike Newall on opioid crisis in Kensington neighborhood; mentions Dr. Roman's research/evaluation with photograph of Temple research team: <https://www.inquirer.com/zzz-systest/a/heroin-effects-kensington-philadelphia-dealers-violence-20210520.html>
- (November 2020) Comments about new research findings on violence reduction to The Trace's Daily Rounds: <https://www.thetrace.org/rounds/daily-bulletin-reducing-violence-without-the-police/>
- (Oct 6, 2020) Commentary on violence during the pandemic: NYT The Upshot: <https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2020/10/06/upshot/crime-pandemic-cities.html>
- (July, 5, 2020) Implementing evidence-based practices for gun violence reduction in an anti-racist way: <https://www.inquirer.com/news/philadelphia-group-violence-intervention-delayed-shootings-homicides-20200705.html>
- Interview with Roge Karma Vox.com about defunding the police and alternative for cities to reduce violence (June 24, 2020): <https://www.vox.com/2020/6/24/21296881/unbundle-defund-the-police-george-floyd-rayshard-brooks-violence-european-policing>
- WHYY commentary via email (June 13, 2020): <https://whyy.org/articles/shootings-are-up-67-in-philly-but-few-can-yet-say-why/>
- Op Ed in Phila Inquirer (Dec. 11, 2019): Invest in Evidence-Based Gun Violence Solutions: <https://www.inquirer.com/opinion/commentary/gun-violence-homicides-philadelphia-solutions-20191211.html>
- Comments on a new gun violence initiative in Philadelphia (Dec. 6, 2019): <https://www.inquirer.com/news/philadelphia-focused-deterrence-david-kennedy-group-violence-intervention-20191206.html>



- Comments to Philly.com columnist Mike Newall on shootings of children (Oct. 20, 2019): <https://www.inquirer.com/news/columnists/nikolette-rivera-child-shootings-philadelphia-gun-violence-11-month-old-20191030.html>
- Phila.com (Oct. 29, 2019) fear of crime and Trick-or-Treating: [https://www.inquirer.com/news/philadelphia/halloween-trick-or-treating-philadelphia-shootings-gun-violence-20191029.html?utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=Morning%20email%2010-16-29P&utm\\_content=Morning%20email%2010-16-29P+CID\\_8361dea4930c2a5a1a4e12a57d85302e&utm\\_source=email&utm\\_term=When%20real-life%20terrors%20make%20Philly%20residents%20leave%20their%20own%20neighborhoods%20for%20Halloween](https://www.inquirer.com/news/philadelphia/halloween-trick-or-treating-philadelphia-shootings-gun-violence-20191029.html?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Morning%20email%2010-16-29P&utm_content=Morning%20email%2010-16-29P+CID_8361dea4930c2a5a1a4e12a57d85302e&utm_source=email&utm_term=When%20real-life%20terrors%20make%20Philly%20residents%20leave%20their%20own%20neighborhoods%20for%20Halloween)
- The Temple News (Oct. 22, 2019): <https://temple-news.com/temple-professor-to-study-police-strategy-in-kensington/>
- WHYY (Oct. 23, 2019)- <https://whyy.org/articles/homicide-and-home-values-why-the-city-controller-says-philly-needs-a-fiscal-argument-to-combat-murder-rate/>
- St. Louis Dispatch (August 23, 2019) on rise in violence in St. Louis and evidence-based violence reduction: [https://www.stltoday.com/news/local/crime-and-courts/st-louis-mayor-calls-for-emergency-launch-of-violence-prevention/article\\_734c38ff-0773-5d34-9f94-57f09408f41c.html](https://www.stltoday.com/news/local/crime-and-courts/st-louis-mayor-calls-for-emergency-launch-of-violence-prevention/article_734c38ff-0773-5d34-9f94-57f09408f41c.html)
- Phila.com (August 21, 2019) invited commentary by Editorial Board on advice to the mayor in considering a new police commissioner: <https://www.inquirer.com/opinion/commentary/philadelphia-police-commissioner-search-jim-kenney-richard-ross-replacement-20190821.html>
- Philly.com (March 8, 2019). <https://www.inquirer.com/opinion/south-philadelphia-gang-violence-arrests-grays-ferry-gun-task-force-shapiro-20190308.html>
- KYW News Radio: (February 10, 2019) on the increase in homicides in Phila: <https://kywnewsradio.radio.com/articles/news/homicides-appear-be-expert-says-data-deserves-closer-look>
- Philly.com (Nov 22, 2018). Direct mention and link to Focused Deterrence evaluation: <https://www.philly.com/philly/opinion/commentary/focused-deterrence-police-philadelphia-crime-murder-guns-20181122.html>
- ABC6 Local News (8/22/2018) TV clip highlighting experts speaking about rise in Phila violence. <https://6abc.com/rise-in-teen-violence-causes-concern-in-philadelphia/4034755/>
- WHYY Feature (December 23, 2017): <https://whyy.org/segments/three-south-philly-police-districts-forced-deterrence-cuts-shooting-rate-third/>
- December 21, 2017: <https://injusticetoday.com/former-lead-social-worker-says-philly-violence-reduction-strategy-fails-to-deliver-on-promises-a2b8a95df8af>

- Metro USA News covering an invited speakers panel at Phila City Council Hearing (November 29, 2017): <https://www.metro.us/news/local-news/philadelphia/to-stop-gun-violence-fight-it-disease-experts-say>
- Christian Science Monitor on gun violence (10/10/2017): <https://www.csmonitor.com/USA/Politics/2017/1010/Could-smaller-local-measures-offer-a-way-forward-on-gun-control12/6/2016>.
- Temple News: “One Year Later Alumnus Discusses PA Supreme Courtship”
- (Oct 20, 2016) Phila Inquirer “How Philadelphia plans to cut recidivism”
- WHYY interview on block captains (aired August 19, 2011) & interview with Mark Bergen of the Nation Institute on faith-based prisoner reentry

2010 - 2015	Faculty Senate Representative, College of Liberal Arts
2010-2012	Research Investigator-volunteer partner for the Philadelphia Bar Foundation
2008 - 2009	Volunteer/lead grant writer for the development, implementation and maintenance of Tyler Elementary School’s Outdoor Classroom project (2006-2009). Brought in over \$250,000 of funding to develop an outdoor classroom project and curriculum for a high poverty public school.
2008	Op Ed: “Jails Packed? Cut Recidivism,” <i>Philadelphia Daily News</i> . June 4, 2008.

#### Service to the Department

2022-	Executive Committee, CJ Department
2019 - 2022	Chair, Communications Committee; 2015-19 member
2021 -present	Chair, Comprehensive Exam Committee, Justice (also Chair in 2014, 2015 & 2016); 2013 – present member of Comp Committee
2019	Chair, Search Committee; 2014 – 2018 Member of Committee
2018	Chair, NTT Promotion Committee
2013-14	Department Committee to develop internal Departmental Review Report
2011- 2015	Member of Graduate Research Committee
2011	Rotberg Scholar mentor for undergraduate student (Sarah Milliron) research
2008 - 2013	Member of the Undergraduate Committee
2010- present	Developed and instituted a variety of research-based internships for undergraduate students.

#### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

Member, American Society of Criminology  
 Division of Experimental Criminology  
 Division of Crime and Place

Member, American Public Health Association

EuroGang Working Group Member

Member, European Society of Criminology (Victimology Working Group)