We would like to encourage you and your students to consider our undergraduate B.A./B.S. applied sociology programs with an emphasis on Law, Crime, and Social Justice, and our graduate programs (M.S. and Ph.D.) with the Criminology and Deviance concentration at Oklahoma State University. With recent addition of new faculty, we hope to grow our program with bright and promising students!

Crime and deviance has always been a leading field in sociology, and many classical sociological theories (such as learning theory, social disorganization theory, control theory, subculture theory) have made significant breakthroughs and progress because of studies in crime, deviance, and juvenile delinquency. We are also very glad to expand and extend our inquiries to include broader contemporary social justice issues and focus on key factors (such as race, gender, and social class) not only relevant to the US society but also to other nations in an increasingly globalized world. This is indeed a very exciting but challenging field, and we’d like to embrace this change with interested students together at OSU!

For potential undergraduate students who’d like to consider the applied degrees with an emphasis on Law, Crime, and Social Justice, please feel free to contact Dahlia Molloy (undergraduate academic counselor) or Dr. Michael Long (Chair of the Crime & Deviance concentration) for more information.

For potential graduate students who’d like to consider our M.S. or Ph.D. program with the concentration on Crime and Deviance, please feel free to contact Dr. Andrew Fullerton (Director of Graduate Program) or Dr. Michael Long (Chair of the Crime & Deviance concentration) for more information.
Bin Liang

**Professor**  
Ph.D./J.D., Arizona State University, 2003  
**Specialization/Research Interests:**  
Law and society, Globalization, Comparative legal systems, Chinese legal system, Crime & deviance  
**Course Offering:**  
Criminology, Comparative Perspectives on Criminal Justice Systems, Sociology of Law & Punishment, Introduction to Corrections, The Death Penalty in America, Crime, Law, & American Culture (cross-listed with the American Studies program),  
**Recent Publications:**  

Heather McLaughlin

**Assistant Professor**  
Ph.D., University of Minnesota, 2013  
**Specialization/Research Interests:**  
Gender; Stratification and inequality; Law and society; Crime & deviance; Youth and the transition to adulthood; Work and occupations; Sport  
**Course Offering:**  
Sociology of Gender, Social Stratification, Social Research Methods  
**Recent Publications:**  
Kelley J. Sittner

Associate Professor
Ph.D., University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2011

Specialization/Research Interests:
Juvenile delinquency & justice, mental and physical health, substance use, interpersonal discrimination

Course Offerings:
Juvenile Delinquency, Introduction to Sociology, Seminar in Crime and Deviance, Seminar in Race and Ethnicity

Recent Publications:
“Microgressions, Diabetes Distress, and Self-Care Behaviors in a Sample of American Indian Adults with Type 2 Diabetes.” *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*. 2018, 41: 122-129;

Chad Malone

Assistant Professor
Ph.D., The Ohio State University, 2015

Specialization/Research Interests:
Punishment; Social Control; Criminology; Politics of the Criminal Justice System; U.S. Drug Policy and Laws; Political Sociology

Course Offerings:
Criminology; Comparative Perspectives on Criminal Justice Systems; Sociology of Punishment; Sociology of Law

Recent Publications:
Michael Long

Associate Professor
Ph.D., Colorado State University, 2010

Specialization/Research Interests:
Green Criminology; Environmental Sociology; State-Corporate Crime; Food Insecurity; Quantitative Methods

Course Offerings:
Social Research Methods; Quantitative Sociological Analysis

Recent Publications:
Green Criminology: Crime, Justice, and the Environment (University of California Press, 2017, co-author);
Defining Crime: A Critique of the Concept and Its Implication (Palgrave, 2015, co-author);
The Treadmill of Crime: Political Economy and Green Criminology (Routledge, 2013, co-author);