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EDUCATION

- 2017-present Ph.D. in Sociology, Oklahoma State University (Expected May 2022)
Specialty Areas: Criminology and Deviance; Social Inequality
- 2016 M.S. in Applied Sociology (Concentration: Criminal Justice), Arkansas Tech University
Thesis: *Attrition-Assimilation Integration: A New Model for Drug Use among College Students and Policy Recommendations*
Committee Chair: Sean Huss
Committee Members: Jason Ulsperger, Julie Mikles-Schluterman, and James Stobaugh
- 2014 B.A. in Sociology, Arkansas Tech University
- 2014 A.S. in Criminal Justice, Arkansas Tech University

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2020-present Graduate Research Associate, Department of Sociology, Oklahoma State University
- 2020-present Journal Managing Editor, *The Sociological Quarterly*, Department of Sociology, Oklahoma State University
- 2017-2019 Graduate Teaching Associate, Department of Sociology, Oklahoma State University
- 2019 (Summer) Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Sociology, Oklahoma State University
- 2018 (Summer) Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Sociology, Oklahoma State University
- 2016-2017 Visiting Lecturer of Sociology and Criminal Justice, Department of Behavioral Sciences, Arkansas Tech University
- 2014-2016 Graduate Assistant, Department of Behavioral Sciences, Arkansas Tech University

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 2020 León-Corwin, Maggie, **Jericho R. McElroy**, Michelle L. Estes, Jon Lewis, and Michael A. Long. "Polluting our Prisons? An Examination of Oklahoma Prison Locations and Toxic Releases, 2011-2017." *Punishment & Society*. Published online first January 21, 2020 at <https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/1462474519899949>
- 2015 Jason S. Ulsperger, **Jericho R. McElroy**, Haley Robertson, and Kristen Ulsperger. "Senior Companion Program Volunteers: Exploring Experiences, Transformative Rituals, and Recruitment/Retention Issues." *The Qualitative Journal* 20 (9): 1458-1475.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- Forth. **McElroy, Jericho R.** "I'm Old and Retired, but My Memory Isn't." In *River Valley Reminiscing: Exploring the Lives of Elderly Arkansans*, edited by Jason S. Ulsperger.

ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

Accepted **McElroy, Jericho R.** "Autoeroticism." *Encyclopedia of Sex and Sexuality: Understanding Biology, Psychology, and Culture.*

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

McElroy, Jericho R., and Jonathan S. Coley. "Gun-Free Zones? Political Opportunities, Resource Mobilization, and Shooting Sports Programs at U.S. Colleges and Universities."

AWARDS / FELLOWSHIPS / GRANTS

2020-2021 Richard Dodder Scholarship. Oklahoma State University. (\$400)

2019-2020 Sarah Belusko Memorial Endowed Scholarship. Oklahoma State University. (\$500)

PRESENTATIONS

2020* Maggie León-Corwin, **Jericho R. McElroy**, Michelle L. Estes, and Michael A. Long. "Only Detention? Exposure to CO2 Emissions Surrounding ICE Facilities."
*Accepted for presentation during the Fall 2020 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Washington, D.C. The conference was cancelled due to COVID-19.

2020* **McElroy, Jericho R.**, and Jonathan S. Coley. "Gun-Free Zones? Political Opportunities, Resource Mobilization, and Shooting Sports Programs at U.S. Colleges and Universities."
*Accepted for presentation during the Spring 2020 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society. Omaha, NE. The conference was cancelled due to COVID-19.
*Presented during the Fall 2020 Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association. The conference was held virtually due to COVID-19.

2019 Huss, Sean, **Jericho R. McElroy**, James E. Stobaugh, and Jason S. Ulsperger. "The Ties that Bind? Religious Involvement, Commitment to Friends, and Underage Drinking." 45th Annual Mid-South Sociological Association Conference, Jackson, MS.

2019 **McElroy, Jericho R.** "Adderall in Every Hall: Integrating Criminological and Gender Theories to Explain Undergraduate Misuse." Research Week: 2019 Sociology Research Symposium, Stillwater, OK.

2018 **McElroy, Jericho R.**, Sean Huss, and James E. Stobaugh, and Jason Ulsperger. "Adderall in Every Hall: Assessing the Prevalence of Adderall Prescription Misuse among Undergraduate Students." 48th Annual Arkansas Sociology and Anthropology Association, Conway, AR.

2016 **McElroy, Jericho R.** "The Effects of Social Learning and Social Control on Student Drug Use" 46th Annual Arkansas Sociology and Anthropology Association, Conway, AR.

2016 **McElroy, Jericho R.** "My Friends Made Me Do It: The Effects of Peer Associations on College Student Drug Use." Inaugural Arkansas Tech University Graduate Student Research Symposium, Russellville, AR.

2015 Nathaniel Chapman, Sean Huss, and **Jericho R. McElroy.** "Crime in the NFL." 45th Annual Arkansas Sociology and Anthropology Association, Russellville, AR.

INVITED KEYNOTE ADDRESSES

- 2017 **McElroy, Jericho R.** "Navigating as a Successful Graduate Student." 2nd Annual Graduate Student Symposium, Russellville, AR.
- 2016 **McElroy, Jericho R.** "Making This World an Inviting One." Undergraduate Research Symposium, Russellville, AR.

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Crime, Law, and Deviance	Race/Ethnicity and Social Class	Social Control
Green & Critical Criminology	Inequality & Social Stratification	Sociological Theory
Sociology of Guns	The Justice System	Prescription Drug Misuse

SOCIOLOGY TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Introductory Sociology (1000-level)
Self and Society (3000-level)
Social Problems (2000-level)
Juvenile Delinquency (3000-level)

CRIMINAL JUSTICE TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Introduction to Criminal Justice (2000-level)
Prisons and Corrections (3000-level)
Social Deviance (3000-level)
The Juvenile Justice System (3000-level)

GUEST LECTURES

Oklahoma State University

- 2019 Social Problems (2123): "Contemporary Sociological Theory: Dramaturgy, Performativity, and Power."
- 2019 Introductory Sociology (1113): "Broken Windows and Policing."
- 2019 Introductory Sociology (1113): "Crime, Deviance, and Social Control."
- 2018 Introductory Sociology (1113): "Crime, Deviance, and Social Control."
- 2018 Social Problems (2123): "Prescription Drug Misuse."

Arkansas Tech University

- 2017 Research Design for the Behavior Sciences (SOC/PSY 2063): "Survey Design."
- 2015 Drugs in Society (4013): "Methamphetamine."
- 2014 Sociological Theory (2083): "Erving Goffman."
- 2014 Communities (3063): "Rural Communities."
- 2014 Introductory Sociology (1003): "Social Learning Theory, Social Control Theory, and Drug Use."

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Oklahoma State University

- 2019 Professional Development Series: Publishing in Peer-Reviewed Journals. Department of Sociology.
- 2019 Professional Development Series: Constructing Job Market Materials (Cover Letters, CVs, Research and Teaching Statements). Department of Sociology.
- 2019 Professional Development Series: Pursuing Careers in Teaching-oriented vs. Research-intensive Schools. Department of Sociology.
- 2019 Power Hour: Ph.D. Job Search. Career Services.
- 2019 Introduction to Open Educational Resources. Institute for Teaching and Learning.
- 2019 Implicit Bias Workshop. College of Arts and Sciences Equity Advocates.
- 2019 New Graduate Student Orientation.
- 2019 Graduate Teaching Assistant Conference on Teaching.
- 2019 IRBManager Review System.
- 2019 CITI Training: Human Research, Stage 1. IRB Committee Members.
- 2018 Graduate Teaching Assistant Conference on Teaching.
- 2017 CITI Training: Responsible Conduct of Research, Stage 1. Social and Behavioral Responsible Conduct of Research Course 1.
- 2017 CITI Training: Human Research, Stage 1. IRB Training for Social, Behavioral, & Educational Researchers.
- 2017 Graduate Teaching Assistant Conference on Teaching.

Arkansas Tech University

- 2016 “Homeless & Food-Insecure Students: Help Them Overcome Barriers so They Can Succeed” Online Webinar. Arkansas Tech University.

RESEARCH SERVICE

- 2019 Ad-Hoc Reviewer. Conley, Dalton. 2019. “Chapter 10: Poverty.” Pp. 394-433 in *You May Ask Yourself: An Introduction to Thinking Like a Sociologist*, 6th Edition. New York: W.W. Norton & Company.

UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, AND DEPARTMENT SERVICE

Oklahoma State University

- 2020 Alpha Kappa Delta (AKD), Vice President. Department of Sociology.
- 2020 Institutional Review Board, Primary Student Member. University Research Compliance.
- 2019 Institutional Review Board, Alternative Student Member. University Research Compliance.
- 2019 Mentor-Mentee Program. Department of Sociology.

- 2019 New Graduate Student Orientation.
- 2019 Campus Tours: Faculty Job Candidates (X5).
- 2018 Campus Tours: Prospective Graduate Student (X2).

Arkansas Tech University

- 2017 Graduate College Dissertations and Theses Editing Team, Co-Editor.
- 2016-2017 ATU RESULTS, Co-Advisor.
- 2017 Time out for Tech (senior preview day).
- 2015-2016 Student Services Strategic Planning Committee, Reporter.
- 2015-2016 Graduate Council, Graduate Student Representative. Graduate College.
- 2015-2016 Inaugural Graduate Student Council, Chair. Graduate College.
- 2015-2016 Alpha Kappa Delta, President.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Arkansas Tech University

- 2016 Commodity Shoe Drive. Russellville, AR School District.
- 2016 Hygiene Drives. Russellville School District; Freedom House; Area Agency on Aging. Pope County, AR.
- 2015-2017 The Campus Kitchen at Arkansas Tech (food recovery program) shift leader.
- 2015-2017 Paint the River Valley student organization representative. City of Russellville, AR.
- 2015-2017 Summer Backpack Program. River Valley Food for Kids. Pope County, AR.
- 2015-2016 Uncommon Communities. Pope County, AR.
- 2015 Be the Match (bone marrow registry event). Volunteer recruiter and supervisor. Arkansas Tech University.
- 2014-2017 Foster Kids Toy Drive. Department of Human Service. Pope County, AR.
- 2014-2017 Because We Can (registered student organization). Arkansas Tech University.
- 2014-2017 Volunteer at Main Street Mission. Russellville, AR.
- 2013-2015 Campus Environmental Coalition (registered student organization). Arkansas Tech University.

METHODS TRAINING

Quantitative: Linear Regression, Logistic Regression; Categorical Data Analysis; Survey Design
 Qualitative: Interviewing; Ethnography

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2020 Midwest Sociological Society, Member.

2019 American Sociological Association, Member.

2019 American Society of Criminology, Member.

2019 Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Member.

2019 Mid-South Sociological Association, Member.

2015-present Arkansas Sociology and Anthropology Association, Member.

2015-present Alpha Kappa Delta, Member, OSU Chapter Vice President, and former ATU Chapter President.