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Degrees Earned

Ph.D. in Sociology, University of Waterloo, 2004
M.A. in Sociology and Anthropology, University of Guelph, 2000
B.A. in Sociology and Anthropology, University of Guelph, 1998

Professional Licensure and Certifications

M30 German Language Classification, Goethe Institut

Peer-Review Publications and Artistic Performances/Exhibitions

Articles

Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2008). Structuring police discretion: The effect on referrals to youth court. *Criminal Justice Policy Review* 19(2). (Forthcoming)

Schulenberg, J.L., & Warren, D. (2008). Police discretion with apprehended youth: Assessing the impact of juvenile specialization. *Police Practice and Research: An International Journal*. (Forthcoming)

Schulenberg, J.L. (2007). Predicting noncompliant behavior: Disparities in the social locations of male and female probationers. *Justice Research and Policy*, 9(1): 25-57.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2007). Analyzing police decision-making: Assessing the application of a mixed method-mixed model research design. *International Journal of Social Research Methodology: Theory and Practice*, 10(2): 99-119.

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Books

Chapters

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Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2004). Police and young offenders (pp. 156-175). In K. Campbell (ed.), *Understanding youth justice in Canada*. Toronto, ON: Pearson.

Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2004). Police discretion with young offenders (pp. 453-479). In Stephen Nancoo (ed.), *Contemporary issues in Canadian policing*. Toronto, ON: Canadian Educators' Press.

Proceedings

Schulenberg, J.L. (2004). A computer-assisted mixed method and mixed model analysis of police decision-making. In: *RC33 Sixth International Conference on Social Science Methodology Conference Proceedings*, Amsterdam, Netherlands.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2000). Reunification of Germany: Effects of the transition in the former GDR. In: *East Germany Revisited: Research Perspectives Ten Years After*, Berlin Germany.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2000). Is the image of Germany unified? The effects of reunification on national identities. In: *Images of the 20th Century Conference Proceedings*, Colorado Springs, CO., U.S.A.

Schulenberg, J.L. (1999). Lesbian mothers and their children: The best interests of the child. In: *University of Saskatchewan Changing the Climate Conference Proceedings*, Saskatoon, SK.

Artistic Performances

Artistic Exhibitions

Research Monographs and Technical Reports

Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2006). *Police use of extrajudicial measures under the Youth Criminal Justice Act*. Ottawa, ON: Department of Justice Canada.

Carrington, P.J., Schulenberg, J.L. (2006). *The impact in 2003 and 2004 of the Youth Criminal Justice Act on police charging practices with young persons*. Ottawa, ON: Department of Justice Canada.

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<http://www.justice.gc.ca/en/ps/yj/research/pcarrington-jschulenberg/pdf/carrington-schulenberg-assessment.pdf>

Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2004). *Prior police contacts and police discretion with apprehended youth*. Ottawa: Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics. Crime and Justice Research Paper Series. Cat. No. 85-561-MIE-003. Published in French as *Contacts antérieurs avec la police et pouvoir discrétionnaire de la police à l'égard des jeunes arrêtés*. Cat. No. 85-561-MIF-003. Available at <http://www.statcan.ca/english/research/85-561-MIE/85-561-MIE2004003.htm>

Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L., with A. Brunelle, J. Jacob, and I. Pickles (2004). *Police discretion with young offenders*. Report to the Department of Justice Canada. Available at: <http://canada.justice.gc.ca/en/ps/yj/research/carrington-schulenberg/report.html>
Published in French as *Pouvoir discrétionnaire de la police à l'égard des jeunes contrevenants* at: <http://canada.justice.gc.ca/fr/ps/yj/research/carrington-schulenberg/report.html>

Funded External Grants

The Impact in 2003 and 2004 of the *Youth Criminal Justice Act* on Police Charging Practices with Young Persons. Research grant funded by the Youth Justice Policy Branch, Department of Justice Canada, 2005-2006. DOJ funding: \$23,200. Principal Investigator: Schulenberg, J.L. (Sam Houston State University). Co-Principal Investigator: Carrington, P.J. (University of Waterloo).

The Effect of Family Structure and Dynamics on Police Decision-making with Youth. Postdoctoral fellowship research grant funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, 2004-2006. SSHRC funding: \$70,000. Principal Investigator: Schulenberg, J.L. (University of Toronto and Sam Houston State University).

Assessment of the impact of the YCJA on police charging practices, using UCR data. Research grant funded by the Youth Justice Policy Branch, Department of Justice Canada, 2004-2005. DOJ funding: \$23,200. Principal Investigator: Carrington, P.J. (University of Waterloo). Co-Principal Investigator: Schulenberg, J. L. (University of Toronto).

Peer-Review Presentations/Posters

Warren, D., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2008). Population size and crime in urban and suburban areas. *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting*, Cincinnati, OH, March 2008.

Warren, D., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2007). Content and adequacy of specialized youth training: Perceptions from training, supervisory, and line officers. *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Atlanta, GA, November 2007.

Hepner, B., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2007). Does training affect officer's use of discretion with regard to youth crime? *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Atlanta, GA, November 2007.

Lee, C.B., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2007). Crime, city size, and social disorganization: An examination of adult and juvenile arrest rate trends. Poster session. *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Atlanta, GA, November 2007.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2007). Predicting noncompliant behavior: Disparities in the social locations of male and female probationers. *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Meeting*, Seattle, WA, March 2007.

Schulenberg, J.L., & Carrington, P.J. (2006). Assessing new juvenile justice legislation: Changes in police discretion after the *Youth Criminal Justice Act*. *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Los Angeles, CA, November 2006.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2005). Police decision-making with young offenders: The effects of police perceptions of the community. *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Toronto, ON, November 2005.

Pulis, J.E., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2005). Understanding breaches of probation: An examination of juvenile offences against the administration of justice in Canada. *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Toronto, ON, November 2005.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2004). Patterns in police decision-making: An application of Black's theory of law. *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Nashville, TN, November 2004.

Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2004). Police discretion with administrative offences by young persons. *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Nashville, TN, November 2004.

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Schulenberg, J.L. (2004). Police culture and young offenders: The effect of legislative change on definitions of crime and delinquency. *The Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meetings*, San Francisco, CA, August 2004.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2004). The changing definition of delinquents and delinquency: Organizational and cultural influences on police decision-making. *British Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Portsmouth, UK, June 2004.

Schulenberg, J.L., & Carrington, P.J. (2004). Police discretion with young offenders. Annual Meeting of the *POLIS Committee of the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police*, Ottawa, ON, April 2004.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2003). Policing young offenders: Do youth squads matter? *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Denver, CO, November 2003.

Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2003). Situational factors affecting police discretion with young offenders: A comprehensive analysis. *American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings*, Denver, CO, November 2003.

Schulenberg, J.L., & Carrington, P.J. (2003). Street-level police discretion with young offenders in Canada. *13th World Congress of Criminology of the International Society of Criminology*, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, August 2003.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2003). Understanding the gatekeepers: Policing young offenders in Canada. *British Society of Criminology Annual Meeting*, Bangor, UK, June 2003.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2003). Police decision-making with young offenders: Canadian policing in context. *Canadian Sociological and Anthropological Association Annual Meeting*, Halifax, NS, May 2003.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2003). Occupational hazards: Researching the police in Canada. *North Central Sociological Association Annual Meetings*, Cincinnati, OH, April 2003.

Carrington, P.J., & Schulenberg, J.L. (2002). Police discretion with young offenders. Annual Meeting of the *POLIS Committee of the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police*, Ottawa, ON, February 2002.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2002). Theoretical explanations of social control: An ecological analysis of police discretion with young offenders. *North Central Sociological Association Annual Meetings*, Windsor, ON, April 2002.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2001). An ecological picture of police discretion in Canada: A multivariate analysis. *2nd Annual University of Guelph Sociology and Anthropology Graduate Student Conference*, University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, April 2001.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2000). The effects of state and policy reunification on the women and families in the former GDR. German title: "Wiedervereinigung: Die Wirkung fuer Frauen und Familien in die Deutsche Demokratische Republik". *Ueberhaupt ist Vieles Viel Verschiedener: Forschungsperspektiven Zehn Jarhre nach der DDR*, Yale University, Universiteit Utrecht and Freie Universitaet Berlin, Berlin, Germany, September 2000.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2000). The reunification of Germany: Investigating the elimination of contested Boundaries. *North Central Sociological Association Annual Meetings*, Pittsburgh, PA, April 2000.

Schulenberg, J.L. (2000). Is the image of Germany Unified? The effects of reunification on the Neubundeslaender and the Federal Republic of Germany. *The Image of the 20th Century in Literature, Media and Society*, Society of the Interdisciplinary Study of Social Imagery (SISSI), University of Southern Colorado and Butler University, Colorado Springs, CO, March 2000.

Schulenberg, J.L. (1999). Challenging notions of the family: Lesbian mothers. *Society at the Turn of the Century: Continuities and Change*, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON, April 1999.

Schulenberg, J.L. (1999). Lesbian mothers and their children: The best interests of the child. *10th Annual Changing the Climate Conference*, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, SK, March 1999.

Schulenberg, J.L. (1999). Lesbian mothers: Child custody and adoption. *McMaster Anthropological Society Student Research Forum*, University of McMaster, Hamilton, ON, February 1999.

Work or Professional Experiences

2005-present, Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice, Sam Houston State University.

2005, Adjunct Professor of Sociology, University of Waterloo.

2004-2005, SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellow of Sociology and Criminology, University of Toronto.

2004, Research Associate, "Criminal Careers and Criminal Networks", University of Waterloo.

2003-2004, Research Assistant, "Ecological Analysis of Youth Crime Rates and Police Discretion", University of Waterloo.

2000-2003, Teaching Assistant in Sociology, University of Waterloo.

2002, Assistant Project Manager and Senior Interviewer, "Police Discretion with Young Offenders" project, funded by Youth Justice Policy, Department of Justice Canada, Principal Investigator: Peter J. Carrington.

2000-2001, Instructor in the Office of Open Learning, University of Guelph.

2000-2001, Academic Coordinator, English Language Program, Office of Open Learning, University of Guelph.

1998-2000, Teaching Assistant in Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminology, University of Guelph.

Honors and Awards

Faculty of Arts in Academics Alumnus Career Award, University of Waterloo, 2007.

Governor General's Academic Gold Medal, Governor General of Canada, 2005.

Outstanding Achievement in Graduate Studies Designation and Certificate, University of Waterloo, 2004.

Postdoctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, 2004.

Graduate Student Paper Award, First Place Family Division, Society for the Study of Social Problems, 2003.

Graduate Student Paper Award, First Place, Northeastern Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, 2002.

Jack Williams Memorial Award, Northeastern Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, 2002.

Doctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, 2002.

Provost Doctoral Fellowship for Women, University of Waterloo, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004.

Sarah I. Whitelock Access Award, University of Guelph, 1999.

Ontario Scholar of Distinction Award, Ontario Provincial Government, 1992.

Other Competencies

Advisory Board Member, *Criminology*, Sage Publications, 2007-present.

Associate Editor, *Canadian Journal of Criminology and Criminal Justice*, 2005-present.

Book Review Editor, *Canadian Journal of Criminology and Criminal Justice*, 2004-present.

Advisory Board Member, Center for Safe and Secure Schools, Harris County Department of Education, 2006-present.

Reviewer for *Criminal Justice Review*, *Justice Quarterly*, McGraw-Hill, *Police Practice and Research*, Prentice Hall, Sage Publications, *Southwest Journal of Criminal Justice*, Thomson Wadsworth, and Willan Publishing, 2005-present.