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***EDUCATION***

- J.D. University of Wisconsin, 2001.
- Ph.D. Michigan State University, School of Criminal Justice, 1998.  
Major: Criminal Justice Concentration  
Cognate Areas: Sociology, Race & Ethnicity  
Dissertation Title: In The Interest of Justice: A Study of Outcomes of  
Prosecutorial Waiver in Michigan  
Dissertation Advisor: Christopher E. Smith, J.D., Ph.D.
- M.A. University of Tennessee, 1991.  
Sociology
- B.A. University of Tennessee, 1988. Magna cum laude.  
Sociology and Political Science

***ACADEMIC POSITIONS HELD:***

Associate Professor, Dept. of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of South Carolina, June 2007

Assistant Professor, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of South Carolina, Fall 2001-Present

Affiliate Faculty Member, Drugs and Addiction Studies Program, University of South Carolina, Fall 2002-Present

***AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION:***

Sentencing, Race & Crime, Juvenile Delinquency, Children's Rights, Law & Justice.

***SCHOLARLY BOOKS***

Smith, Christopher E., Christina DeJong, and John D. Burrow. The Supreme Court, Crime and the Ideal of Equal Justice. New York: Peter Lang, 2003.

## **SCHOLARLY ARTICLES**

- Lowery, P., Burrow, J., and Robert Kaminski. A multi-level test of the Racial Threat Hypothesis in one state's juvenile court. (Accepted at Crime & Delinquency; DOI: 10.1177/0011128716678192 | First Published November 30, 2016).
- Burrow, J. and Lowery, P. (2015). A preliminary assessment of the impact of plea bargaining among a sample of waiver-eligible offenders. *Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice*, 13, 211-227.
- Burton, C. and Burrow, J. (2015). How long must they wait? Lackey Claims, Excessive Delay, and Evolving Standards of Decency. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 26, 620-638.
- Meade, B. and Burrow, J. (2015). Untangling the dynamics of judicial decision making and inmates' Free Exercise claims. *The Prison Journal*, 95, 3-22.
- Koons-Witt, B., Sevigny, E. Burrow, J. & Hester, R. (2014). Gender and sentencing outcomes in South Carolina: Examining the Interactions with race, age, and offense type. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 25, 299-324.
- Apel, R. and Burrow, J. (2011). Adolescent Victimization and Violent Self-help. *Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice*, 9, 112-133.
- Burrow, J. and Hester, R. (2010). "Dazed and Confused: The Judiciary's Role in Selling Psychotropic Drugs to Inmates and Detainees." *New England Journal on Criminal and Civil Confinement*, 36, 3-37.
- Burrow, J. and Apel, R. (2008). "The Contribution of Schools and School Behavior to Student Victimization." *Justice Quarterly*, 25, 349-380.
- Burrow, J. (2008). "Examining the Influence of Matza's Principles of Justice and Their Impact on Reverse Waiver." *Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice*, 6, 59-82.
- Burrow, J. (2008). "Reverse Waiver and the Effects of Legal, Statutory, and Secondary Legal Factors on Sentencing Outcomes for Juvenile Offenders." *Crime & Delinquency*, 54, 34-64.
- Burrow, J. (2005). "Punishing Serious Juvenile Offenders: A Case Study of Michigan's Prosecutorial Waiver Statute." University of California, Davis, *Journal of Juvenile Law & Policy*, 9, 1-55.
- Burrow, J. (2004). "The Most Unfortunate Decisions: Forging an Understanding of Thurgood Marshall's Death Penalty Jurisprudence." *Howard Scroll, The Social Justice Law Review*.

Burrow, J. and Koons-Witt, B. (2003). "Elderly Status, Extraordinary Physical Impairments and Inter-circuit Variation Under the Federal Sentencing Guidelines." University of Illinois Law School, *Elder Law Journal*.

Smith, C. E. and Burrow, J. (1997). "Race-ing into the Twenty-first Century: The Supreme Court and the (E)Quality of Justice." *University of Toledo Law Review*.

Koons, B., Burrow, J., Morash, M. and Bynum, T. (1997). "Expert and Offender Perceptions of Program Elements Linked to Successful Outcomes for Incarcerated Women." *Crime and Delinquency*.

### **BOOK CHAPTERS**

Burrow, John. "Anthony Kennedy: Conservatism and Independence." In "The Rehnquist Court and Criminal Justice (Smith, Chris and DeJong, Christina, eds.), ppg. 296-330. Lexington Books (2011).

Corley, Charles, Timothy Bynum, Angel Prewitt, Pamela Schram, and John D. Burrow. "The Impact of Gender on Juvenile Court Decisions: A Qualitative Insight," pp.177-189 in (Joseph and Taylor, eds.) *With Justice for All: Minorities and Women in Criminal Justice*. Upper Saddle River, New Jersey: Prentice Hall (2003).

### **ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES**

Burrow, John. "Juveniles and the Eighth Amendment," in *Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice*. (Albanese and Kurlychek, eds.) Wiley-Blackwell (2012).

### **TECHNICAL REPORTS**

Lattimore, Pamela K., Robert Brame, John Burrow, Barbara Koons-Witt, and Megan Kurlychek. 2005. *Risk Assessment for the Decision to Parole: Review of State Practices*. Prepared for South Carolina Department of Probation, Parole, and Pardon Services.

### **BOOK REVIEWS**

Burrow, John D. "Policing and Violence: A Book Review." *Criminal Justice Review*, 28 (2) (2003).

### **WORKS FORTHCOMING, UNDER REVIEW, and in PROGRESS**

Burrow, John, Mikell, T., Isom, D. Statutory Rape, Hegemonic Masculinity, and the Dual Victimization of Teenage Boys in the Courts (Submitted to Law & Social Inquiry).

Lowery, P. & Burrow, J. Using Attribution Theory to Explain Juvenile Court Disposition decisions (Submitted to Justice Quarterly).

Burrow, J., Kaminski, R., & Lowery, P. Coercive Justice and Plea Bargaining in Juvenile Court (Manuscript in Progress).

Burrow, J. & Collins, K. Unraveling the Dynamics of Case Complexity and Its Effect on the Death Penalty (Manuscript in progress).

Burrow, John and Burton, C. Excessive Delay in Death Penalty Cases in Florida: The Role Played by Legal and Organizational Factors. (Manuscript in progress).

#### ***GRANTS- In Progress***

***Bridging the Gap between Schools, Courts, and Sex Crimes Researchers: Intersections of Race, Gender, and Statutory Rape. National Institute of Justice. W.E.B. DuBois Program of Research on Race and Crime.***

#### ***GRANTS- FUNDED***

USC Research Consortium in Children and Families. 2005. Exploring the Role of Legal and Extra-legal factors in Juvenile Waiver in Two South Carolina Counties (\$15,000).

USC Office of Provost. Social Science Grant Program. 2012. A preliminary assessment of the impact of plea bargains on offenders sentenced under the Youthful Offender Act (19,000).

#### ***OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE***

Research Assistant/ Project Manager, School of Criminal Justice, Michigan State University, 1997-1998. Managed a nationwide project that evaluated administrative responses to gang recruitment in juvenile detention facilities. Funded by NJJDP.

Research Assistant, School of Criminal Justice. Michigan State University, 1993-1995. Member of a research team that evaluated state and local correctional administrators' practices and perceptions of management and programs for female offenders. Funded by National Institute of Justice.

## ***PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS***

- Burrow, J., Mikel, T., & Isom Scott, D. Statutory Rape, 2016. Hegemonic Masculinity, and the Dual Victimization of Teenage Boys in the Courts Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, New Orleans, LA.
- Burrow, J., & Lowery, P. 2014. Correlates of Probation Sentences versus Incarceration Sentences in the Juvenile Courts of South Carolina. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology, San Francisco.
- Burrow, John. 2012. The use of pleas bargaining for juveniles waived to adult court. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL.
- Meade, Ben and John Burrow. 2011. Exploring the heart and soul of judicial decision making and Free Exercise claims. Poster Presentation. Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C.
- Burrow, John and Robert Apel. 2009. Adolescent Victimization and Violent Self-help. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA.
- Burrow, John. 2008. Liberal Constitutionalism or Pragmatism: Judging the Impact of Justice Anthony Kennedy on Criminal Justice. Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.
- Sevigny, Eric, Koons-Witt, Barbara, Burrow, John, and Hester, Rhys. 2008. Examining Sentencing Outcomes from South Carolina: Findings from a Failed Guidelines State. Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.
- Burrow, John and Apel, Robert. Repeat 2007. Bullying and Adolescent Self-help. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, St. Louis.
- Burrow, John and Kurlychek, Megan. 2006. A Tale of Two Counties: Examining the Role of Prosecutorial Discretion in Judicial Waiver to Adult Court. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Los Angeles, CA.
- Burrow, John D. 2005. "Revisiting the Therapeutic Orgy: Prisoners and the Forcible Administration of Psychotropic Drugs." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- Burrow, John D. 2004. "The Death of Innocence: Factual and Procedural Errors that

Result in Wrongful Convictions.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Nashville, TN.

Koons-Witt, Barbara, John Burrow, and Pamela Schram. 2004. “The Greying of America’s Prisons: Elderly Inmates and Their Impact on Corrections.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Nashville, TN.

Burrow, John D. 2003. “Leaving Childhood Behind: An Exploration of Michigan’s Prosecutorial Waiver Statute.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Denver, CO.

Burrow, John. 2002. “The Impact of Federal Sentencing Guidelines on Elderly Criminal Offenders.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

Burrow, John. 2002. “Police Use of Deadly Force: The Law’s Impact on Policy and Practice.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL.

Burrow, John. 2000. “Tired, Weak, and Worn: Exploring the Effects of the Federal Sentencing Guidelines on Elderly Offenders.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.

Burrow, John. 1997. “In the Interest of Justice: An Evaluation of Prosecutorial Waiver in Michigan.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Diego, CA.

Burrow, John and Vic Bumphus. 1995. “The Premium on Life: Reevaluating the Capital Punishment Literature.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Boston, MA.

Koons, Barbara, John Burrow, Merry Morash, and Timothy Bynum. 1995. “State Responses to Increasing Female Offender Populations: The Demand for Effective Programs and Services.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Boston, MA.

Bumphus, Vic and John Burrow. 1995. “The Premium of Life: Towards a Theory of Race and Capital Punishment.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Boston, MA.

Burrow, John and Sherman Davis. 1994. “Racial Disparities and the Judicial Waiver System: A Literature Review.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Chicago, IL.

Burrow, John. 1993. "Offense Escalation and Specialization Among Juvenile Offenders."  
Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Criminal Justice  
Association, Chicago, IL.

### ***HONORS AND AWARDS***

ACJS MacNamara Award. 2009. Best Paper: "Youth Behavior, School Structure, and  
Student Risk of Victimization.

Sage Best Paper Award. 2008. In recognition of work entitled: "Examining the Influence  
of Matza's Principles of Justice and Their Impact of Reverse Waiver Decisions-  
Has Kadi (in)Justice Survived.

NAACP Certificate of Award- Outstanding Professor, 2006

University of South Carolina Black Faculty and Staff Association- Faculty  
Scholarship/Teaching Award, 2006.

Outstanding Publication Award, University of South Carolina- Department of  
Criminology & Criminal Justice, 2004.

Two Thumbs Up Award, University of South Carolina-Office of Student Disability  
Services, 2003

State Bar of Wisconsin and University of Wisconsin Law School Award for High  
Achievement, 2000

Warren and Francis Huff Professional Development Travel Award (School of Criminal  
Justice, Michigan State University, 1996)

Summer Acceleration Fellowship, Michigan State University, 1996

Summer Acceleration Fellowship, Michigan State University, 1995

### ***TEACHING EXPERIENCE***

Associate Professor, University of South Carolina, 2007-Present

Race, Crime, and Criminal Justice (u/g)

Law & Justice (g)

Law & Lyrics (u)

Law & Criminal Justice Policy (u/g)

Hate Crimes (u)  
Death Penalty (u/g)  
Criminal Procedure (u)  
Juvenile delinquency (u)

Assistant Professor, University of South Carolina, 2001-2007

America's Criminal Courts (u)  
Criminal Law (u)  
Race, Crime, and Criminal Justice (u/g)  
Judges, Prosecutors and the Courtroom Workgroup (u/g)  
Law & Criminal Justice Policy (u/g)  
Law & Justice (g)  
Law & Lyrics (u)

Graduate Instructor, School of Criminal Justice, Michigan State University

Criminology (u)  
Research Methods (u)  
Criminal Careers and Career Criminals (u)

**\*Note:** "u" denotes classes that are open to undergraduate students and "g" denotes classes that are open to graduate students

**STUDENT ADVISEMENT:**

Dissertation Chair

2016	Patrick Lowery	Expected defense- Summer 2016
2016	Corey Burton	In progress
2016	Jamie Duncan	In progress

Member

2016	Steven Xing	Completed, Summer 2016
2016-17	Gary Zhang	In progress
2016-17	Travis Jones	In progress
2013-17	Brian Fuleihan	In progress
2013	Taylor Brinkley	Completed- Fall 2014
2013	Allison Carter	Completed, Spring 2014
2013	Riane Miller	Completed, Spring 2014
2013	Gillian Pinshevsky	Completed, Spring 2013
2011	Rhys Hester	Completed, Spring 2011

Thesis Chair

2013-14	Toniqua Mikell (Completed, May 2014)
2013-14	Wyatt Gibson (Completed, July 2014)



Member  
2008 John Andy Hansen  
2007 Caroline Akers

Honors College  
Chair  
2005 Lori Mullins

Member  
2007 Tara Cloer  
2003 Allison Whitworth

**SERVICE:**

***University Service:***

Spring 2015	Provost Social Science Review Panel Member
Spring 2013	Presidential Review Panel Member
Spring 2010	Faculty Athletic Representative Member of Search Committee
Fall 2008-Present	Office of Academic Integrity Faculty Associate
Fall 2006-Fall 2008	Faculty Senate Faculty Representative, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice

**Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice Service:**

Fall 2005-Present	Director of Undergraduate Studies Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice
Fall 2004- Spring 2010	Criminal Justice Association Faculty Advisor
Fall 2004-Spring 2005	Undergraduate Studies Faculty Representative

Fall 2003-Spring 2004	Graduate Committee (Admissions and Assistantships)
Fall 2003-Spring 2004	Search Committee, EEOC Coordinator
Fall 2003-Present	Standards and Petitions Committee Chair
Fall 2002-Spring 2003	Search Committee Coordinator Dept. of Criminology and Criminal Justice
Fall 2002-Spring 2004	Affiliate Faculty, Drugs and Addictions Program
Fall 2001-Present	Pre-law Student Advisor College of Criminal Justice

**College of Arts and Sciences (formerly College of Liberal Arts)**

Fall 2012-2016	College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee
Appointed- Summer 2006	Dean's Advisory Committee on Standards and Petitions, College of Arts and Sciences
Fall 2005- 2009	College of Arts and Sciences Student Academic Responsibility Committee
2004-2017	College of Arts and Sciences, Dean's Advisor

**Other Service**

Summer 2015-Present	South Carolina Violent Death Reporting System Advisory Council
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***REVIEWER SERVICE:***

Journal of Crime and Justice  
Police Practice and Research: An International Journal  
Criminal Justice Review  
Criminology  
Law & Society  
Justice Quarterly  
International Criminal Justice Review  
Journal of Criminal Justice Education  
Race and Crime  
    Editorial Board, Appointed 2012  
Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice  
    Editorial Board, Appointed 2010  
Crime and Delinquency

Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency

***PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:***

American Society of Criminology  
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences