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### Education

Expected Spring 2013 Ph.D. in Sociology and Demography with specialization in Criminology and Quantitative Methods , Pennsylvania State University  
Dissertation: *Recent Immigration Flows and Violent Crime: Effects By Destination Type and Race/Ethnicity*  
Committee: Darrell Steffensmeier (Co-Chair), Jennifer Van Hook (Co-Chair), Jeffrey Ulmer, R.S. Oropesa, and David Johnson  
Comprehensive Exam Fields: Demography and Crime, Demographic Methods, Immigration and Assimilation, Criminological Theory, and Sentencing and Social Control

2009 M.A. Crime, Law and Justice, Pennsylvania State University

2006 B.A., Psychology, Summa Cum Laude, Susquehanna University

### Research Interests

Racial/ethnic, gender, and age differences in crime and punishment; courts and sentencing; quantitative methods; immigration; intersection of demography and crime; violence

### Published Manuscripts

Painter-Davis, Noah. 2012. "Structural Disadvantage and American Indian Homicide and Robbery Offending" *Homicide Studies*. 3: 219-237.

Felson, Richard, Patrick Cundiff, and Noah Painter-Davis. Forthcoming. "Age and Sexual Assault in Correctional Facilities A Blocked Opportunity Approach" *Criminology*.

Felson, Richard, and Noah Painter-Davis. 2012. "Another Cost of Being a Young Black Male: Race, Weaponry, and Lethal Outcomes in Assaults." *Social Science Research*.5:1241-1253

Harris, Casey T., Darrell Steffensmeier, Jeffery T. Ulmer, and Noah Painter-Davis. 2009. "Are Blacks and Hispanics Disproportionately Incarcerated Relative to Their Arrests? Racial and Ethnic Disproportionality Between Arrest and Incarceration." *Race and Social Problems* 1:187-199.

### Technical Publications

Bergstrom, Mark. H, Cynthia A. Kempinen, R. Doris Mackenzie, Barry Ruback, Eric Silver, Sarah Bowles, Noah Painter-Davis 2009. "Risk and Needs Assessments in Pennsylvania Final Report on the Summer Project"

Bergstrom, Mark. H, Cynthia A. Kempinen, R. Barry Ruback, Leigh A. Tinik, Stacy Hoskins Haynes, Noah Painter-Davis, Carrie Williamson. 2009. "A Study on the Use and Impact of Mandatory Minimum Sentences "Pennsylvania Commission on Sentencing. Report to the Pennsylvania House of Representatives.

### **Manuscripts in Progress (Drafts Available)**

Harris, Casey T., Jeff Gruenewald, and *Noah Painter-Davis*. Deconstructing the Relationship Between Latino Immigration and Black Violence at the Community-Level: Examining the Conditioning Effect of Victim Race/Ethnicity? (*Under Review*)

Steffensmeier, Darrell, Casey T. Harris, and *Noah Painter-Davis*. “Crimes of the Suite” versus “Crimes of the Street”: A Triangulated Data Exegesis of Larceny, Fraud, Forgery, and Embezzlement Arrests with Focus on Gender.

### **Awards**

2012 Co-Third Place, American Society of Criminology Gene Carte Student Paper Competition “Structural Disadvantage and American Indian Homicide and Robbery Offending”

2012 First Place, Published Paper Competition-Penn State Crime, Law and Justice Graduate Student Paper Competition: “Structural Disadvantage and American Indian Homicide and Robbery Offending”

### **Presentations**

Painter-Davis, Noah. 2012. “Recent Immigration Flows and Violent Crime: Effects By Destination Type and Race/Ethnicity.” To be Presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.

Steffensmeier, Darrell, Casey Harris, and Noah Painter-Davis. 2012. “Using NIBRS to Dissect Larceny, Fraud, and Forgery Arrests with Focus on Gender: Conventional or Occupational (White-Collar) Offenders? To be Presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.

Painter-Davis, Noah, Darrell Steffensmeier, and Leigh Tinik. 2011. “Race/Ethnicity and Sentencing Decisions in Pennsylvania Revisited: Hispanic-Black-White Comparisons” Presented at the *American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting* (Washington, DC).

Kempinen, Cynthia, Barry Ruback with assistance from Sarah Bowles, Noah Painter-Davis, and Leigh Tinik. 2011. “PCS Research Projects Addressing New Mandates. *Pennsylvania Criminal Justice Roundtable: Costs and Benefits of Risk Assessment*. (State College, PA).

Painter-Davis, Noah, Richard Felson. 2010. “Race, Region, and Gun Use During Homicide and Assault.” Presented at the *American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting* (San Francisco, CA).

Painter-Davis, Noah. 2009. “The Structural Correlates of American Indian Violent Offending” Presented at the *American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting* (Philadelphia, PA)

### **Research Experience**

- 2008-present Research Assistant. Pennsylvania Commission on Sentencing.  
*Topics:* Use and Impact of Mandatory Minimum Sentences, Risk Assessment  
Duties Performed: managing large databases, assisting in design of studies; performing statistical analyses; contributing to research reports
- 2007-2008 Research and Teaching Assistant. Emily Greenman.  
*Topics:* Immigrant assimilation and risk behaviors
- Summer 2011 Research Assistant, Darrell Steffensmeier.  
*Topics:* Sentencing; immigration and crime
- Summer 2010 Research Assistant. Pennsylvania Commission on Sentencing. Risk Assessment Project.  
*Topics:* Predicting recidivism of parolees
- Summer 2008 Research Assistant. Darrell Steffensmeier.  
*Topics:* Racial/ethnic patterns of offending over time

### **Teaching Experience**

- Summer 2010 Instructor. CRIM 250W: Research Methods in Criminology, Pennsylvania State University.
- 2010 Guest Lecture. Sentencing of Juvenile Offenders. CRIM 433: Sentencing.
- Summer 2009 Co-Instructor. CRIM 250W: Research Methods in Criminology, Pennsylvania State University.
- 2008 Teaching Assistant/ Lab Instructor for Assistant Professor Emily Greenman. SOC 470: Intermediate Social Statistics, Pennsylvania State University.

### **Professional Service**

- 2011-2012 Minority Opportunities through School Transformation (MOST) Committee
- 2009-2012 Deviance Get Together (Social Events for Criminology Department) Organizer
- 2009-2010 Undergraduate Committee

## **References**

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