

Curriculum Vitae
Kristen N. Sobba
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EDUCATION:

PhD	Criminal Justice	University of Arkansas at Little Rock (2017) Dissertation: "Adolescent Networks: An Exploratory Study Assessing Bullying Victimization and Outcomes of Social Capital on School Avoidance"
MA	Criminal Justice	University of Arkansas at Little Rock (2014) Thesis: "Cyber-bullying: Harmless Prank or Deadly Taunt"
BS (2)	Psychology Sociology-Criminology	University of Central Arkansas (2011) University of Central Arkansas (2011)

EMPLOYMENT:

2022 to present	Associate Professor & Criminal Justice Graduate Coordinator Department of Criminal Justice, Social Work & Sociology Southeast Missouri State University
2017-2022	Assistant Professor Department of Criminal Justice, Social Work & Sociology Southeast Missouri State University
2016-2017	Ph.D. Candidate/Visiting Assistant Professor Department of Criminal Justice University of Arkansas at Little Rock
2013 - 2016	Ph.D. Student/Instructor Department of Criminal Justice University of Arkansas at Little Rock
2011-2013	Graduate Assistant/Academic Advisor Department of Criminal Justice University of Arkansas at Little Rock

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Juvenile Delinquency
Victimology

Cyberbullying
Criminological Theory

PUBLICATIONS:

- 2020 Kuborn, Sarah; Carol Kellison; **Kristen N. Sobba**; and Darcy Robins. "Strengthening the Missouri Model of Juvenile Justice: Missouri Division of Youth Services Staff Perspectives." *Missouri Policy Journal* 10 (Fall/Winter 2020), 1-12.
- 2019 **Sobba, Kristen N.**, Brenda Prochaska, Monica Bixby-Radu, Whitney Matthews-Gass and Marc Glidden. "College Students' Perceptions of Cyberbullying: An Assessment of Victims and Witnesses." *International Journal of Law, Crime and Justice* 57 (2019): 116-125.
- 2018 **Sobba, Kristen. N.** "Correlates and buffers of school avoidance: a review of school avoidance literature and applying social capital as a potential safeguard.." *International Journal of Adolescents and Youth*. 24, no. 3 (2018): 380-394.
- 2017 **Sobba, Kristen N.**, Rocio Alejandra Paez, and Tusty Ten Bensel. "Perceptions of Cyberbullying: An Assessment of Perceived Severity among College Students." *TechTrends* 61, no. 6 (2017): 570-579.
- 2017 **Sobba, Kristen N.**, Brenda Prochaska, and Emily Berthelot. "Maternal Incarceration Penalty: An Examination of the Effect of Maternal Conviction and Incarceration on Childhood Delinquency." *Journal of Criminal Psychology* 7, no. 1 (2017): 29-46.
- 2016 Dierenfeldt, Rick, Greg Lindsteadt, Jacob Laan, and **Kristen N. Sobba**. "Big Brother as a Contract Monitor: An Assessment of the Use of Contract Staff to Monitor Offender Communications." *American Journal of Criminal Justice* 41, no. 2 (2016): 279-295.

WEB-BASED PEER REVIEW JOURNALS:

- 2017 **Sobba, Kristen N.** "Using Social Capital to Inform Policy Regarding Bullying Victimization." *Sociation Today*, 15, no. 2 (2017).
- 2017 Bixby-Radu, Monica, **Kristen N. Sobba**, and Lisa McManus. "Who and What Helps Bully Victims Feel Safe at School? How Families and Schools Influence Youths' Perceptions of School Safety." *Sociation Today*, 15, no. 2 (2017).

BOOK CHAPTERS & ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES:

- 2023 **Sobba, Kristen N.**; Songyon Shin; Monica Radu; and Joshua Shadwick. Bullying Victimization among Disabled Students: A Review of Victimization, Perpetration, & Prevention. Edited book, *Addressing Violence in the U.S. Public School System*. IGI Global Publishing.
- 2023 Shin Songyon, Joshua T. Shadwick, **Kristen N. Sobba**, and Monica Bixby Radu. (2023).

“Cyberbullies and Cyberpunks, Oh My: Examining Cyberbullying Through a Domestic and International Lens.” In *Handbook of Research on Bullying in Media and Beyond* (pp. 132-155). IGI Global.

2022 **Sobba, Kristen N.** and Lauren Waldrop*¹. “Marijuana Use and Biosocial Theories.” Encyclopedia Entry for Marijuana in America: Cultural, Political, and Medical Controversies (Edited Volume). Publisher: ABC-CLIO, LLC.

Radu, Monica Bixby, **Kristen N. Sobba**, Sarah A. Kuborn, and Brenda Prochaska. "Building Stronger Connections Among Students, Families, and Schools to Promote School Safety." In *Impact of School Shootings on Classroom Culture, Curriculum, and Learning*, pp. 1-14. IGI Global, 2022.

2017 **Sobba, Kristen N.** "Self-Control Theory and Female Offending." *The Encyclopedia of Women and Crime* (2019): 1-4.

2016 Montague, David R., and **Kristen N. Sobba**. "Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (ATF)." *The Encyclopedia of Crime and Punishment* (2015): 1-4.

2015 Marie Baldwin, Julie, and **Kristen N. Sobba**. "Longitudinal Research." *The Encyclopedia of Crime and Punishment* (2015): 1-5.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS:

Sobba, Kristen N. “Graduate Advising Perspectives: An Assessment of Advisor and Advisees’ Views on Advising Quality and Satisfaction.” Under Review with *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*.

Radu, Monica Bixby, **Kristen N. Sobba**, Joshua T. Shadwick, and Songyon Shin. “Greedy Institutions and Cultural Expectations Attached to Work and Parenting.” Manuscript in final editing stages to be submitted to the journal, *Journal of Family Strengths*.

Radu, Monica Bixby, **Kristen N. Sobba**, Songyon Shin, and Joshua T. Shadwick. “The Stalled Gender Revolution at Home and Its Implications for Women in Higher Education.” Under review for the peer-reviewed, edited book, *Women in Higher Education and the Journey to Mid-Career: Challenges and Opportunities*. Edited by Heidi Schnackenberg. IGI Global Publishing.

“A Qualitative Analysis to Understanding Cyberbullying Behavior.” Manuscript currently in progress.

TECHNICAL REPORTS:

2014 Montague, David R.; **Sobba, Kristen N.**, and Paladino, Nicole R. Report 1 for Beyond the Walls Project: Submitted to the Arkansas of Community Correction – Grantor, Bureau of Justice Assistance. (“Beyond the Walls”) Second Chance Act Adult Offender Comprehensive Statewide Recidivism Reduction Demonstration Program. Announcement Number: BJA-2012-3251. Award number: 2012-CZ-BX-0024.

¹ * refers to undergraduate student

2014 **Sobba, Kristen N.**; Montague, David R.; and Paladino, Nicole R. Report 2 for Beyond the Walls Project: Submitted to the Arkansas of Community Correction – Grantor, Bureau of Justice Assistance. (“Beyond the Walls”) Second Chance Act Adult Offender Comprehensive Statewide Recidivism Reduction Demonstration Program. Announcement Number: BJA-2012-3251. Award number: 2012-CZ-BX-0024.

2014 **Sobba, Kristen N.**; Montague, David R.; and Paladino, Nicole R. Report 4 for Beyond the Walls Project: Submitted to the Arkansas of Community Correction – Grantor, Bureau of Justice Assistance. (“Beyond the Walls”) Second Chance Act Adult Offender Comprehensive Statewide Recidivism Reduction Demonstration Program. Announcement Number: BJA-2012-3251. Award number: 2012-CZ-BX-0024.

PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING: _____

2021 SEMO: External Reviewer for ASUMH Criminal Justice Program Review

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS: _____

SEMO:

Spring 2024 Radu, Monica & Kristen N. Sobba. Cultivating Engagement and Growth: Unveiling the Power of Critical Reflection in Online Learning. Missouri University of Science and Technology Innovation in Teaching and Learning Conference.

Shin, Songyon; Joshua Shadwick; and Kristen Sobba. Would Conflict Approaches Work? An exploratory study on sexual misconduct by college professionals. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Annual Conference. Chicago, IL.

Sobba, Kristen N. Disabled Populations: Exploring the Correlates and Consequences of Bullying Victimization among Students with Disabilities. SEMO Faculty Scholarship and Creative Showcase.

Radu, Monica; Kristen Sobba; Joshua Shadwick. Navigating Uncharted Waters: Embracing Open Educational Resources (OER) for the First Time. Missouri A&OER Conference.

Fall 2023 Shadwick, Josh; Kristen Sobba; Layne Dittman; and Rocio Paez. Pedagogy Pitfalls and Possibilities: Lessons Learned through Post Covid-19 Lens. Roundtable. Southwest Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference. Little Rock, AR.

(Chair) Sobba, Kristen N. Bullying among college students with disabilities: Identifying causes, Correlates, and prevention strategies. Southwest Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference. Little Rock, AR.

Radu, Monica and Kristen Sobba. “I hit my rock bottom”: The emotional labor and isolation of asking for help. Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Conference. Virtual Presentation. New Orleans, LA.

- Radu, Monica; Songyon Shin, and Kristen Sobba. Fostering Inclusive Learning Environments: Embracing Diversity and Creating Opportunities for Critical Student Engagement. Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Conference. Virtual Presentation. New Orleans, LA.
- Spring 2023 Radu, Monica & Kristen N. Sobba. Creating Optimal Learning Environments for All Students: Promoting Diversity and Inclusivity in Online and Face-to-Face Sociology and Criminal Justice Courses. Innovative Educators Virtual Summit.
- Kristen N. Sobba & Monica Radu. Graduate vs. Undergraduate Teaching & Advising Styles. Missouri University of Science and Technology Innovation in Teaching and Learning Conference.
- Fall 2022 Shadwick, Joshua; **Kristen N. Sobba**; Rocio Paez; Kathleen Padilla; and Alexis Rockwell. The Academic Field Kit: Necessities for Graduate Students. Roundtable. Southwest Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference. Austin, TX.
- Ritter, Rocio; Joshua Shadwick; and **Kristen N. Sobba**. Are they building a wall? Examination of Perceived Unfair Police Treatment Among Immigrants in the United States. Southwest Association of Criminal Justice Annual Conference. Austin, TX.
- Radu, Monica; **Kristen Sobba**; Songyon Shin; and Joshua Shadwick. "Your Help Would Be a Blessing": The Stigma Surrounding Single Fatherhood and Financial Strain. Mid-South Sociological Association Virtual Annual Conference.
- Fall 2021 Shin, Songyon; **Kristen Sobba**; and Monica Bixby Radu. Need comprehensive viewpoints: Family, neighborhood contexts, and Korean juveniles' violence. Mid-South Sociological Association Virtual Annual Conference.
- Radu, Monica Bixby and **Kristen Sobba**. Improving the Safety of College Campuses: A Qualitative Study of Students' Perceptions of Crime, Campus Police, and Strategies Moving Forward. Mid-South Sociological Association Virtual Annual Conference.
- Shadwick, Joshua; Songyon Shin; **Kristen Sobba**; and Michelle Kilburn. The Professors' Dilemma: Effective Teaching Strategies During a Pandemic. Daytona Beach, FL.
- Shadwick, Joshua; Kathleen Padilla; **Kristen N. Sobba**; Rocio Paez; and Monica Radu. Roundtable on Graduate Student Essentials. Southwestern Criminological Association. Little Rock, AR. Abstract Submitted-Conference cancelled due COVID-19.
- Spring 2021 Radu, Monica and **Kristen N. Sobba**. Help Stop my Mom's Deportation: A Qualitative Study of Crowdsourcing for Loved Ones in Times of Need. American Association of Behavioral Sciences Virtual Conference.
- Fall 2020 Bixby Radu, Monica; **Kristen N. Sobba**; and Breana Kruithoff*. Demonstrating Worthiness for Financial Assistance in Times of Need: A Qualitative Analysis of Crowdsourcing Narratives for Bail Assistance. Mid-South Sociological Association Virtual Annual Conference.
- Spring 2020 **Sobba, Kristen N.**, Monica Bixby Radu, and Rocio A. Paez. College-Level Cyberbullying: Exploring Cyberbullying Among Young Adult Populations. Academy of

Criminal Justice Sciences. San Antonio, TX. Abstract Acceptance-Conference cancelled due to COVID-19.

Fall 2019 Paez, Rocio, Jonathon Intravia, and **Kristen Sobba**. An Examination of Factors Correlated to Fear of Rape among Female College Students. Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice. Houston, TX.

Spring 2019 Prochaska, Brenda F., **Kristen N. Sobba** and Monica Bixby Radu. University Students' Views on Internet Harassment: Attempting to Understand Perceptions of Cyberbullying Victimization. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Baltimore, MD.

Fall 2018 **Sobba, Kristen N.** and Monica Bixby Radu. African American and Latino Youths' Likelihood of Dropping Out of High School: Does School-Based Victimization and School Climate Matter. Mid South Sociological Association Conference. Birmingham, AL.

Bixby Radu, Monica. and **Kristen N. Sobba**. Food Deserts and the Digital Divide: How Grocery Home Delivery Services Preserve and Reproduce Social Inequality. Mid South Sociological Association Conference. Birmingham, AL.

Sobba, Kristen N. and Rocio Paez. Is Cyberbullying a College Issue? Factors Linked to Cyberbullying Harassment among College Students. Midwestern Criminal Justice Association. Chicago, IL.

Sobba, Kristen N. and Monica Bixby Radu. Strategies to Reduce Cyberbullying: College Students' Views of Proactive Measures to Combat Cyberbullying. Midwestern Criminal Justice Association. Chicago, IL.

Paez, Rocio, Jonathon Intravia, and **Kristen N. Sobba**. Exploring the Relationship between Self-Control and Victimization among a College Sample. Southern Criminal Justice Association. Pensacola, FL.

(Chair) **Sobba, Kristen N.** College Students' Perceptions of Cyberbullying: An Assessment of Victims and Witnesses. Southern Criminal Justice Association. Pensacola, FL.

(Chair) **Sobba, Kristen N.** Cyberbullying Bystander Effect: College-level Responses to Cyberbullying Activity. Southern Criminal Justice Association. Pensacola, FL.

Spring 2018 Bixby-Radu, Monica and **Kristen N. Sobba**. What Helps Bully Victims Feel Safe at School? How Families, Schools, and Peers Can Improve Students' Perceptions of Schools' Safety. Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA.

Fall 2017 **Sobba, Kristen N.** and Monica Bixby-Radu. Ecological Systems Theory and Investment Perspectives: How Families, Schools, and Stressful Life Events Contribute to Alcohol Use During Emerging Adulthood. Midwestern Criminal Justice Association. Chicago, IL.

UALR:

2017 Sobba, Kristen N.; Rocio Paez, Brenda Prochaska, and Emily Berthelot. The Mother/Child Bond: Testing the Relationship between Maternal Criminal Behavior and Childhood Non-Violent Offenses. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Kansas City, MO.

- 2016 (Chair) Sobba, Kristen N. Fear of School Victimization: A Social Capital Perspective. American Society of Criminology. New Orleans, LA.
- 2016 ten Benschel, Tusty, Julie Baldwin, Kristen N. Sobba, and Lisa Sample. The Beginning of a Social Movement Among Sex Offender Organizations. American Society of Criminology. New Orleans, LA.
- 2016 Sobba, Kristen N., Brenda Branham, and Whitney Gass. Severity of Cyberbullying: Perceptions of College Students. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Denver, CO.
- 2016 Sobba, Kristen N., Tusty ten Benschel, and Julie Baldwin. Collateral Consequences of Sex Offender Laws: A National Survey of Sex Offender Advocacy Organizations and Its Members. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Denver, CO.
- 2016 Sobba, Kristen N., Brenda Branham, and Emily Berthelot. Maternal Incarceration Penalty: An Examination of the Effect of Maternal Conviction & Incarceration on Childhood Delinquency. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Denver, CO.
- 2015 ten Benschel, Tusty, Julie Baldwin, and Kristen N. Sobba. Collateral Consequences of Sex Offender Laws: A National Survey of Sex Offender Organizations. American Society of Criminology. Washington, D.C.
- 2015 Sobba, Kristen N. Fear of School Victimization: An Assessment of Demographic Characteristics, Prior Victimization, and School Involvement. Poster Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Washington, D.C.
- 2015 Sobba, Kristen N. Predictors of School Violence: Are Parents the Source. UALR Graduate Research Expo.
- 2015 Sobba, Kristen N. and Marc Glidden. On the Street or on the Web: A Comparative Analysis of Predictors to Potential Bullying. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Conference. Orlando, FL.
- 2014 Sobba, Kristen N. and Rick Dierenfeldt. Lend Me Your Ear: Assessing the Use of Contract Staff to Monitor Institutional Behavior Exhibited by Adult Offenders. Poster Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.
- 2014 Sobba, Kristen N. and David Montague. Broad and Narrow: Best-Practices Learned via Arkansas Community Reentry Programming. UALR Graduate Research Expo.
- 2014 Sobba, Kristen N., Montague, David R., and Twanna Johnson. Broad and Narrow: Best-Practices Learned via Arkansas Community Reentry Programming. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Conference. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2014 Montague, David R. and Sobba, Kristen N. Roundtable. An Interdisciplinary Discussion to Address Research and Service on Gero-Criminology. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Conference. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2013 Sobba, Kristen N. and Tusty ten Benschel. Cyber-bullying: Harmless Prank or Deadly Taunt. American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

- 2013 Sobba, Kristen N. Cyberbullying: Harmless Prank or Deadly Taunt. UALR Graduate Research Expo.
- 2013 Sobba, Kristen N. (2013). Cyber-bullying: Harmless Prank or Deadly Taunt. Poster Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. Dallas, TX.
- 2012 Sobba, Kristen N. Proposing New Ideas in Cyber-bullying Research. UALR Graduate Research Expo.
- 2011 Sobba, Kristen N. (2011). Sex-trafficking in Asia: The Ins and Outs of an Unjust System. Southwestern Sociological Association. Las Vegas, NV.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS:

SEMO:

- Spring 2023 Teaching Presentation: Challenging Students While Remaining Supportive (Part of the Take-Away Friday series-Center for Technology and Learning)
- Fall 2021 Teaching Presentation: Faculty Experiences with Bullying (Part of the Take-Away Friday series-Center for Technology and Learning.)
- Spring 2019 Teaching Presentation: Antiracism (Part of the Take-Away Friday series-Center for Technology and Learning).
- Fall 2018 Research Presentation: SEMO Library Athenaeum Presentation: Cyberbullying on College Campuses.

UALR:

- 2017 Guest Lecturer: Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Mentoring and Mentorship.
- 2015 Guest Lecturer. Women in Criminal Justice. Department of Criminal Justice. University of Arkansas at Little Rock.
- 2015 Guest Lecturer. UALR/Center for Gifted Education Presentation on Criminal Justice Careers.
- 2014 Montague, David R., Sobba, Kristen N., Paladino, Nicole R., Minton, Michael C., Ramirez, Edna I., and Wiley, Robyn. "Reaching the forgotten and unwanted via two Arkansas university-based programs: Community Reentry to Society and Inside-Out." A presentation as part of the lecture series *Invisible Intolerance* at St. Michaels Episcopal Church. Little Rock, Arkansas.
- 2014 Guest Lecturer. UALR/Center for Gifted Education Presentation on Criminal Justice Careers.
- 2014 Guest Lecturer. Crime and Behavior. Department of Criminal Justice. University of Arkansas at Little Rock.

- 2014 Guest Lecturer. Careers in Criminal Justice. Department of Criminal Justice. University of Arkansas at Little Rock.
- 2013 Guest Lecturer. UALR/Center for Gifted Education Presentation on Criminal Justice Careers.
- 2013 Guest Lecturer. Crime and Behavior. Department of Criminal Justice. University of Arkansas Little Rock.
- 2012 Guest Lecturer. Presentation on the UALR Criminal Justice Department. "DISCOVER UALR" Event through the Office of Admissions-Student Services.
- 2012 Guest Lecturer. Introduction of Criminal Justice. Department of Criminal Justice. University of Arkansas Little Rock.
- 2012 Guest Speaker. Criminal Justice Presentation. Abundant Life High School. Sherwood, Arkansas.
- 2011 Guest Lecturer. Introduction to Sociology. Department of Sociology. University of Central Arkansas.

GRANTS APPLIED AND CONTRACTS:

Not Funded:

- 2019 Brigid Toney, Graduate Student Primary Investigator; Project Advisors: Monica Radu and Kristen Sobba. SEMO Faculty-Mentored Student Research and Creative Activity Grant. Project Title: *A Qualitative Analysis of Newspaper Depictions of Alleged Perpetrators of Deadly Mass Shootings*. Possible Award Amount: \$1000. (Not Funded).
- 2018 Debbie Lee-DiStefano, Primary Investigator; Monica Bixby Radu, Co-Investigator; Kristen N. Sobba, Co-Investigator. National Endowment for the Humanities 2018 Humanities Connections Planning Grant. Project Title: *Intersectionality Across Disciplines*. Possible Award Amount: \$35,000. (Not Funded).

Funded:

- 2024 Songyon Shin, Primary Investigator; Sou Lee, Co-Investigator; Kristen N. Sobba, Co-Investigator; and Joshua Shadwick, Co-Investigator. SEMO Summer Research /Creative Activity FFR Grant. Project Title: Stay or Leave?: Immigrants' perception of safety in the United States and their decision regarding return immigration. Award Amount: \$4,978.
- 2012 - 2013 Research Assistant. Arkansas Department of Community Corrections. Grantor: Bureau of Justice Assistance. ("*Beyond the Walls*") *Second Chance Act Adult Offender Comprehensive Statewide Recidivism Reduction Demonstration Program*. Award amount: \$1,337,614 (\$668,807 federal and \$668,807 state). UALR contract was designated \$50,000.

ORIGINAL DATA COLLECTION PROJECTS:

- 2024 Principal Investigator: Criminal Justice Graduate Student Survey
- 2023-2024 Principal Investigator: Disability and Bullying Online Survey. Currently with IRB.
- 2014-2015 **Research Assistant:** Sex Offender Advocacy Groups: A Social Movement. National survey of sex offender advocacy groups. Co-principal Investigators: Dr. Tusty ten Bensel & Julie Baldwin.
- 2013-2014 **Principal Investigator:** Cyber-bullying: Harmless Prank or Deadly Taunt. Self-administered surveys of UALR students to understand perceptions of cyber-bullying. Co-principal investigator: Dr. Tusty ten Bensel.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

SEMO:

- Summer 2024 Introduction to Corrections (Online & new prep)
- Spring 2024 Thesis I-Advisor for Graduate Student, Sydney Lamb
Intersections of Crime (Online)
Intersections of Crime (ITV)
Criminal Law (Online)
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Online)
- Fall 2023
Master's Internship in Criminal Justice-U.S. Marshals
Criminal Law (Online)
Introduction to Criminal Justice (ITV)
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Online)
Intersections of Crime (Online)
- Summer 2023
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Online)
- Spring 2023
Intersections of Crime (Online)
Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Blended 33%)
Intersections of Crime (Blended 33%)
Juvenile Justice (Online)
- Fall 2022
Victimology (Online-2 classes)
Intersections of Crime (Online)
Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Online)
- Summer 2022
Intersections of Crime (Online)

Introduction to Criminal Justice (Online)

Spring 2022

Theories of Crime (Online)
Victimology (Online)
Intersections of Crime (ITV)
Intersections of Crime (Online)

Fall 2021

Victimology (Online-2 classes)
Intersections of Crime (Online)
Theories of Crime (Graduate & Online)
Victimization and CJ (Graduate & Online))

Summer 2021

Criminal Law (Online)

Spring 2021

Victimology (Online-2 classes)
Intersections of Crime (Online-2 classes)
Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Blended)

Fall 2020

Victimology (Online)
Juvenile Justice (Online)
Intersections of Crime (Online-2 classes)

Summer 2020

Introduction to Criminal Justice (Online)
Juvenile Justice (Online)

Spring 2020

Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Blended)
Issues in Justice Administration (Online)
Juvenile Justice (Blended)
Juvenile Justice (Online)
Independent Research Study
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Wintersession Online)

Fall 2019

Theories of Crime-Graduate (Online)
Intersections of Crime (Blended)
Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Blended)
Intersections of Crime (Online)
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Blended)

Summer 2019

Juvenile Justice (Online)
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Online)

Spring 2019

Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Online)
Juvenile Justice (Online)
Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Blended)
Senior Seminar-Issues in Justice Administration (Blended)
Independent Research Study
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Wintersession Online)

Fall 2018

Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Blended)
Intersections of Crime (Blended)
Juvenile Justice ITV
Juvenile Justice (Online)
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Online)

Summer 2018

Juvenile Justice (Online)

Spring 2018

Planning and Research in Criminal Justice
Planning and Research in Criminal Justice (Blended)
Juvenile Justice (Online)
Introduction to Criminal Justice

Fall 2017

Planning and Research in Criminal Justice
Juvenile Justice (Blended)
Introduction to Criminal Justice

UALR:

Cybercrime
Women and Crime
Research Methods
Introduction to Criminal Justice
Crime and Behavior (Online)
Police and Society (Online)
Women and Crime (Online)
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Online)
Crime and Science (Online)

SERVICE TO DEPARTMENT:

SEMO:

Spring 2024 Criminal Justice Graduate Coordinator
Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor
Promotion and Tenure Committee
Thesis Chair-Sydney Lamb
First Step (2)
Incoming Student Advising Appointment

Fall 2023	Criminal Justice Graduate Coordinator Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Promotion and Tenure Committee
Spring 2023	Criminal Justice Graduate Coordinator Promotion & Tenure Committee Speaker for CJSWS Department Spring Graduation Ceremony Recertified Graduate Master Status Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Assessment Committee First Step
Fall 2022	Criminal Justice Graduate Coordinator Promotion & Tenure Committee Assessment Committee Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Show Me Days Speaker for CJSWS Department Fall Graduation Ceremony Incoming Student Advising Appointment
Spring 2022	Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Undergraduate and Graduate Advisor Assessment Committee Bulletin Boards Committee (Chair) First Step
Fall 2021	Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Undergraduate and Graduate Advisor Assessment Committee Planning and Research Course Committee Bulletin Boards Committee (Chair)
Spring 2021	Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Undergraduate and Graduate Advisor Assessment Committee
Fall 2020	Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Criminal Justice Graduate and Undergraduate Advisor
Spring 2020	Independent Research Study-Maggie Penrose Additional Research Project-Jocey Reyes Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Social Work Search Committee Criminal Justice Graduate and Undergraduate Advisor Assessment Committee
Fall 2019	Social Work Search Committee Alpha Phi Sigma Advisor Assessment Committee Tutor for Planning and Research in Criminal Justice

- Criminal Justice Graduate and Undergraduate Advisor
Advising for Potential Students
- Spring 2019 Criminal Justice Search Committee
Criminal Justice Graduate and Undergraduate Advisor
Show Me Days
Tutor for Planning and Research in Criminal Justice
Assessment Committee
- Fall 2018 Criminal Justice Search Committee
Promotion and Tenure Criteria Development Committee
Assessment Committee
Criminal Justice Graduate and Undergraduate Advisor
Show Me Days
Tutor for Planning and Research in Criminal Justice
- Spring 2018 Criminal Justice Search Committee
Assessment Committee
Show Me Days
First Step
Criminal Justice Adviser
Tutor for Planning and Research in Criminal Justice
- Fall 2017 Thesis Committee Second Reader
Tutor for Planning and Research in Criminal Justice

UALR:

- 2016-2017 Alpha Phi Sigma (Faculty Advisor)
2016 Rob Williams Golf Tournament, Little Rock, AR
2016-2015 Graduate Student Representative for Criminal Justice Department Search Committee
2014 Alpha Phi Sigma Vice President
2011- 2015 Rob Williams Golf Tournament, Little Rock, AR
2012-2014 Alpha Phi Sigma Treasurer
2012 Coordinator for Annual Criminal Justice Honors Convocation

SERVICE TO COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY:

SEMO:

- Spring 2024 Graduate Council
Summer Research/Creative Activity Grant Subcommittee
University Academic Appeals Committee
Title IX Advisor
College Sabbatical Review Committee
Advisor for Sydney Lamb for SEMO Student Research Conference
Judge for SEMO History Day
- Fall 2023 Summer Research/Creative Activity Grant Subcommittee

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduate Council University Academic Appeals Committee Title IX Advisor College Sabbatical Review Committee
Spring 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> University Academic Appeals Committee Title IX Advisor (2) College Sabbatical Review Committee Summer Research/Creative Activity Grant Subcommittee Graduate Council Presenter for Provost Teaching Awards for Connor Anderson
Fall 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> College Sabbatical Review Committee Summer Research/Creative Activity Grant Subcommittee Graduate Council Title XI Advisor (1) University Academic Appeals Committee
Spring 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Summer Research/Creative Activity Grant Subcommittee Graduate Council Title XI Advisor (1) University Academic Appeals Committee
Fall 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> University Academic Appeals Committee Graduate Council
Spring 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Internationalization Committee Faculty Senate University Hearing Panel Membership-Title IX Spring Graduation Commencement
Fall 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> University Hearing Panel Membership-Title IX Faculty Senate Internationalization College Committee
Spring 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty Senate Subcommittee for Faculty Senate: Academic Affairs Committee Graduate Council Summer Research Proposal Review Subcommittee Academic Standards Subcommittee Internationalization College Committee Faculty Mentor for Maggie Penrose-SEMO Student Research Conference
Fall 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faculty Senate Subcommittee for Faculty Senate: Academic Affairs Committee Faculty Mentor for New Faculty Graduate Council Academic Standards Subcommittee Summer Research Creative Activity Grant Subcommittee Internationalization College Committee Show Me Days

Incoming Student Advising Appointment
Guest Judge-Interior Design Course: Sustainable Design
Fall Graduation Commencement

- Spring 2019 Faculty Adviser for Lauren Waldrop-SEMO Student Research Conference
Faculty Adviser for Jasmine Jones-SEMO Student Research Conference
Faculty Judge-SEMO Student Research Conference
Summer Research Proposal Review Subcommittee
Faculty At Large-Shared Governance Task Force
Graduate Council
Academic Standards Subcommittee
Internationalization College Committee
- Fall 2018 Internalization College Committee
Graduate Council
Academic Standards Subcommittee
- Spring 2018 McNair Advisor-SEMO
Attended Spring 2018 Commencement Ceremony for the College of Health and Human Services

UALR:

- 2017 Judge for UALR Creative Works and Research Exposition
2015 Academic Integrity and Grievances Committee
2015 UALR Student Government Association. Senator
2014 Initiation Ceremony of the Honor Society Phi Kappa Phi
2014 UALR Student Government Association. Associate Justice
2012 UALR Recruitment at Pulaski Technical College

SERVICE TO COMMUNITY:

SEMO:

- Spring 2024 Mandated Reporter Training
Partnered with the Green Bear Annual Community Service Event, "A Day in the Park with Green Bear"
- Fall 2023 Girardot Center Liaison Council
Casa In-Service Presentation: *Breaking Barriers & Building Bridges: The Vital Role of Diversity and Inclusion for CASA Volunteers*
- Summer 2023 Comics for Kids Event
- Fall 2021 Casa In-Service Presentation: *Poverty & Children in Foster Care*
- Spring 2021 Casa In-Service Presentation: *Domestic Violence*

- Fall 2020 Casa In-Service Presentation: *Bullying & Cyberbullying: What You Need to Know to be an Advocate for Youth.*
- Spring 2020 Expert Witness for Criminal Case
Bullying & Cyberbullying Presentation: Jackson Middle School
Girardot Center Community Liaison Council
CASA In-Service Presentation-*Becoming an Ally for the LGBTQ+ Community*
- Fall 2019 College Readiness Class for Cape Central High School
Cape Girardeau Public Library Presentation: “The Bullying Survival Guide: What Every Parent, Teacher, and Kid Ought to Know”
Girardot Center Community Liaison Council
- Spring 2019 Girardot Center Community Liaison Council
Bullying Presentation to Local Middle & Junior High School-Naylor, MO
- Fall 2018 Girardot Center Community Liaison Council
Career and Employment Day for Foster Care Youths
Foster Care Youths SEMO Campus Tour and Class Observation
College Readiness Class for Cape Central High School
- Fall 2017 Feed My Starving Children

UALR:

- 2017 Sobba, Kristen N. and Patti Bayliss. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Malvern Prison Unit. Malvern, AR.
- 2017 Bayliss, Patti and Kristen N. Sobba. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Pine Bluff Prison Unit. Pine Bluff, AR.
- 2016 Sobba, Kristen N. and Patti Bayliss. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Wrightsville Prison Unit. Wrightsville, AR.
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- 2015 Bayliss, Patti and Kristen N. Sobba. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Malvern Prison Unit. Malvern, Arkansas.

- 2015 Kristen N. Sobba and Patti Bayliss. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Pine Bluff Prison Unit. Pine Bluff, Arkansas.
- 2015 Bayliss, Patti and Kristen N. Sobba. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Wrightsville Prison Unit. Wrightsville, Arkansas.
- 2015 Paws in Prison Fundraiser, Scott, AR.
- 2015 4H Conference Center Presentation on “Bullying and Cyberbullying: Damaging Effects and Prevention Strategies” Little Rock, AR.
- 2015 Sobba, Kristen N., Patti Bayliss, and Charles Chastain. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Pine Bluff Prison Unit. Pine Bluff, AR.
- 2015 Bayliss, Patti and Kristen N. Sobba. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Malvern Prison Unit. Malvern, Arkansas.
- 2015 Bayliss, Patti and Kristen N. Sobba. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Wrightsville Prison Unit. Wrightsville, Arkansas.
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- 2014 Bayliss, Patti and Kristen N. Sobba. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Malvern Prison Unit. Malvern, Arkansas.
- 2014 Bayliss, Patti and Kristen N. Sobba. Choices. Community Reentry Program. Wrightsville Prison Unit. Wrightsville, Arkansas.
- 2014 Montague, David R.; Sobba, Kristen N.; Minton, Michael C.; and Wiley, Robyn. Connecting Goal Setting with Consequences Towards a More Positive Future Post-Release from Prison. Community Reentry Program. Malvern Prison Unit. Malvern, Arkansas.
- 2013 Montague, David and Kristen N. Sobba. Connecting Goal Setting with Consequences Towards a More Positive Future Post-Release from Prison. Community Reentry Program. Pine Bluff Prison Unit. Pine Bluff, Arkansas.
- 2012 Member of the Big Brother/Big Sisters Program

MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER:

SEMO:

- Spring 2024 Race and Social Problems
Adolescents
Healthcare
Children and Youth Services

Behavioral Sciences

Fall 2023	Journal of Interpersonal Violence Behavioral Sciences (3) Adolescents Future (2)
Spring 2023	Telematics and Informatics Review IG Global Book Chapter Reviews (2) International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health (2)
Fall 2022	Healthcare (3) Journal of Interpersonal Violence Children and Youth Services Review
Spring 2022	International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health (4) Journal of Interpersonal Violence
Fall 2021	Crime and Delinquency (2) Journal of Interpersonal Violence
Spring 2021	Journal of Interpersonal Violence (2) Criminal Behaviour and Mental Health International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health
Fall 2020	Journal of School Violence-Special Issue on “School Violence and Safety in the Greater China area” European Journal of Investigation in Health, Psychology and Education (2) Journal of Interpersonal Violence (2) Behavioral Sciences
Spring 2020	Journal of Interpersonal Violence Children and Youth Services Review
Fall 2019	International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology
Summer 2019	Journal of Interpersonal Violence
Spring 2019	Race and Social Problems Sociation Today Journal of Family Strengths
Fall 2018	Sociation Today
Summer 2018	Media and Communication
Spring 2018	Scientific Research Publishing Violence and Gender
Fall 2017	Scientific Research Publishing Violence and Gender

UALR:

2016 Criminal Justice Studies
2015 Violence and Gender
2015 Violence and Victims

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Spring 2024 Terrico Garrett
Hannah Lynch

Spring 2023 Connor Anderson for Provost Graduate Teaching Award (Won)

Fall 2022 Riley Wade
Trevor Carroll

Spring 2022 Audrey Evans

Fall 2021 Shanna Martin

Spring 2021 Sherrell Sherman

Spring 2020 Maggie Penrose
Katherine Carter

Fall 2019 Lauren Waldrop

Spring 2019 Jasmine Jones

MEDIA INTERVIEWS:

UALR:

2014 Walker, Jeff and Kristen N. Sobba. Interview on Cyber-bullying with Arkansas Fox 16 News.

2014 Walker, Jeff and Kristen N. Sobba. Interview on Cyber-Stalking with Arkansas KARK 4 News.

INSTRUCTIONAL PROFESSIONAL TRAINING:

SEMO:

OSCQR Certifications:

Fall 2022 Criminal Law

Summer 2021 Victimology
 Intersections of Crime
Quality Matters (QM) Certification:

Spring 2020 Theories of Crime (Graduate level)
 Intersections of Crime

Summer 2019 Planning and Research in Criminal Justice

Fall 2018 Introduction to Criminal Justice

Spring 2018 Juvenile Justice

Teaching Certificates:

Spring 2019 Certificate in Culturally Responsive Teaching

Teaching Enhancement Seminars:

Spring 2024 Student Presentations that are not Painful to Watch or Grade
 Where Do You Get Money for Research?

Fall 2023 Study Skills to Teach your Students
 Teaching in Zoom Rooms

Spring 2022 Submitting a Course for OSCQR Review
 Responsibilities of Graduate Faculty

Spring 2021 Canvas: Quizzes
 QM to OSCQR What Do I Need to Know
 The Next Step for Online Teaching
 Safe Zone Training

Fall 2020 Transitioning to Canvas
 The Research on Student Evaluations
 Quizzes in Canvas

Spring 2020 The Current State of OER
 A Case For and Against the Learning Objective
 Managing Our Faculty Burnout and Recommendations for Self Care

Fall 2019 Imposter Syndrome in Higher Education
 Faculty Development Day

Spring 2019 Lessons from Everyday Antiracism II
 Mentor Training
 Collegiality
 Technology Can Make It Better, Or Way Worse

Value Bracketing
Intercultural Competence
Culturally Responsive Teaching Faculty Development Day 2019

Fall 2018 Everyday Antiracism Book Club
Diverse Learners and Technology
Teaching Controversial Topics
Continuing Keynote Address (Culturally Responsive Teaching)
Culturally Responsive Teaching Faculty Development Day 2018

Summer 2018 Moodle Lesson
Microsoft Sway
Microsoft Powerpoint
Microsoft Stream

Advising Trainings:

Spring 2024 Advising Students on Academic Probation

Spring 2023 Identifying and Supporting Students in Crisis

Spring 2022 Learning Communities/Special Interest Housing at Southeast
Coaching Strategies in Academic Advising

Fall 2021 Working with International Student's Training

Spring 2021 Master Advisor Recertification

Fall 2019 SupportNet Next Steps: Tracking, Filtering, and Beyond
Mentor Training

Fall 2018 Master Adviser Training
SupportNET Training
Introducing SupportNET

Fall 2017 New Faculty Advisor Training-SEMO

UALR:

2016 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Balance between
Productivity and Quality of Life.

2016 ATLE Presentation on Rubrics for Assessment

2016 ATLE Presentation on Collaborative Research for Online Classes.

2016 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Professional Writing and
Collaborating with Others.

- 2015 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: The Comprehensive Examination.
- 2015 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Institutional Review Board
- 2014 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Research Agenda and How to Publish
- 2014 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Teaching: In-class and Online.
- 2014 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Preparing for the Job Market and Life as an Assistant Professor
- 2014 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Making the Transition to Graduate School
- 2014 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Presenting Papers at Conferences & Making the Most of the Experience
- 2014 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Research Agenda & How to Publish
- 2014 Professional Development Brown Bag Series for Graduate Students: Mentoring Relationships & Ethical Behavior in the Profession

PROFESSIONAL AND HONORARY ASSOCIATIONS:

SEMO:

Midwestern Criminal Justice Association (MCJA)
Alpha Phi Sigma, National Criminal Justice Honor Society

UALR:

American Society of Criminology (ASC)
 Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (ACJS)
Alpha Phi Sigma, National Criminal Justice Honor Society

AWARDS AND HONORS:

- 2024 Department Award for Research (Professional Growth)
 Advisor for Graduate Student, Sydney Lamb, who won 2nd Place in SEMO Graduate Student Research Conference
- 2023 Department Award for Service
 Nominated for College Award for Service
- 2017 Outstanding Ph.D. Student of the Year

2016	Outstanding Academic Achievement, UALR Criminal Justice Department
2016	1 st Place UALR College of Social Sciences and Communication Research Exposition, Poster Presentation.
2016	2 nd Place UALR Graduate Research Exposition, Professional Studies
2016	Graduate School Association Travel Grant Recipient
2015	Criminal Justice Research Colloquium John Boyeskie Memorial Scholarship Recipient
2015	1 st Place UALR Graduate Research Exposition, Social Science
2011	Outstanding Sociology Student of the Year (University of Central Arkansas)
2011	Nominated for Outstanding Liberal Arts Student of the Year

ADVANCED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES:

Fall 2021	(2) OJJDP Webinar: Understanding and Preventing Youth Hate Crimes and Identity-Based Bullying
Spring 2021	Alpha Phi Sigma Virtual Conference MBRC Second Chance Month 2021 Virtual Reentry Summit 2021
Fall 2019	OJJDP Webinar: “Trauma and Brain Science: Is My Brain Really Elastic?”
Summer 2019	OJJDP Webinar: “Cyber Safety for Young Adults” OJJDP Webinar: “Lead With Character: Activate Your Own Rescue”
Fall 2018	American Sign Language (ASL) Class through Cape Girardeau Public Library
