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Education

Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, Indiana University 2022

Minor: Statistics

Dissertation: “Masculinity, Femininity & Crime: How Threats to Gender Explain Crime and Deviance”

Chair: Dr. Jonathan Brauer

Committee: Dr. Miriam Northcutt Bohmert, Dr. Roger Levesque, Dr. Bruce Sales, Dr. John Kruschke

MSc. in Forensic Psychology, University of Kent (*with distinction*) 2014

Thesis: “Hidden Cognitions: Males’ and Females’ Implicit Theories of Intimate Partner Violence”

MSc. in Psychology, Leeds Beckett University (*with merit*) 2013

Thesis: “‘Avoid Being a Victim’: How Sexual Assault Prevention Campaigns Affect Perceptions of Sexual Assault”

B.S. in Psychology, Furman University (*magna cum laude*) 2012

B.S. in Asian Studies, Furman University (*magna cum laude*)

Research Interests

- Gender & Crime
- Identity & Crime
- Social Psychology
- Intimate Partner & Sexual Violence
- Offender Decision-Making
- Quantitative Methods & Statistics

Publications

Ducate, Caitlin S. (2021). Measuring males’ and females’ implicit theories of intimate partner violence: An exploratory study. *Victims and Offenders*.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/15564886.2021.1925796>

Northcutt Bohmert, M., Allison, K., & **Ducate, C.** (2019). “A rape was reported”: Construction of crime in a university newspaper. *Feminist Media Studies*, 873-889.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/14680777.2018.1509104>

Manuscripts in Progress

Ducate, Caitlin S., Renfrow, M. & Trudeau, G. “Physical fitness of male prisoners.” (*In progress*).
Manuscript available upon request.

Ducate, Caitlin S., “Identity congruence theory: Integrating identity into control balance theory.” (*In progress*). Manuscript available upon request.

Ducate, Caitlin S., Allison, K., Novak, M., Gilliam, M., & Northcutt Bohmert, M. “Teaching Student Journalist to Write About Sexual Violence” (*In progress*)

Grants, Fellowships, and Scholarships

Travel Grant (\$600)	2021
<i>Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University</i>	
Provost’s Travel Award for Women in Science (\$400)	2021
<i>Provost’s Office, Indiana University</i>	
Summer Fellowship (\$800)	2021
<i>Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University</i>	
Grant-in-Aid of Doctoral Research Award (\$975)	2021
<i>College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University</i>	
Dissertation Research Fellowship (\$20,000)	2021
<i>College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University</i>	
SSRC Research Funding (\$3,333.34)	2020
<i>Role: Co-Investigator</i>	
<i>Social Science Research Commons, Indiana University</i>	
Provost’s Travel Award for Women in Science (\$400)	2019
<i>Provost’s Office, Indiana University</i>	
Travel Grant (\$300)	2019
<i>Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University</i>	
Travel Grant (\$350)	2018
<i>College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University</i>	
Travel Grant (\$600)	2018
<i>Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University</i>	

ACJS Doctoral Fellowship (Conference and hotel costs)	2018
<i>Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences</i>	
Travel Grant (\$300)	2017
<i>Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University</i>	
Furman Advantage Summer Fellowship – Internship	2011
<i>Furman University</i>	
Furman Advantage Summer Fellowship – Research	2010
<i>Furman University</i>	
Palmetto Fellows Scholarship	2008 - 2012
<i>Furman University</i>	
Palmetto Fellows Scholarship	2008 - 2012

Honors & Awards

Robert F. Borkenstein Award , Indiana University	2020
Monetary award given to graduate student for excellence in research, teaching, and service; recipients nominated by faculty members	
Hue and Cry Award , Indiana University	2018
Monetary award given to graduate student for excellence in research, teaching, and service; recipients nominated by faculty and graduate students	
Stevenson/Clarke Prize , University of Kent	2014
Monetary prize for highest performance in MSc Forensic Psychology program	
William Sealy Gossett Prize , University of Kent	2014
Monetary prize from for highest performance in statistics	

Professional Presentations

Ducate, C. & Brauer, J. (2021). Measurement and analysis of implicit cognitions using a lexical decision task, *American Society of Criminology*, Chicago, IL, November 17-20, 2021

- Ducate, C.**, Allison, K., Novak, M., Gilliam, M., & Northcutt Bohmert, M. (2019). Teaching Student Journalist to Write About Sexual Violence: Understanding Unanticipated Resistance, *American Society of Criminology*, San Francisco, CA, November 13-16, 2019.
- Ducate, Caitlin S.** (2018). Designing and analyzing a lexical decision for criminological research, *American Society of Criminology*, Atlanta, GA, November 14-17.
- Ducate, Caitlin S.** (2017). Measuring implicit theories of intimate partner violence using a lexical decision task, *American Society of Criminology*, Philadelphia, PA, November 15-18.
- Northcutt Bohmert, Miriam, Allison, Kayla, and **Ducate, Caitlin S.** (2017). Construction of crime in a university newspaper: Preventing or promoting rape myths?, *American Society of Criminology*, Philadelphia, PA, November 15-18.
- Ducate, Caitlin S.**, and Pontari, Beth A. (2010) Visualizing relationships and social situations. *Society for Personality and Social Psychology*, San Diego, CA.
- Ducate, Caitlin S.**, Whitmire, Melanie, and Pontari, Beth A. (2009). The effect of a friend's presence on the conformity behaviors of socially anxious individuals. *Society for Personality and Social Psychology*, San Antonio, TX.

Campus Talks

Invited Panel Speaker, Getting into Graduate School 2018-2019
College of Arts & Sciences, Indiana University Bloomington

Research Experience

Summer Graduate Assistant, Indiana University 2017-2021
 Assisted on project assessing the influence of coercive control on criminal behavior

Research Assistant, Indiana University 2020
 Laura and John Arnold Foundation grant project examining fines and fees for those on probation and parole

Researcher, Furman University 2010-2012
 Assisted on project investigating social anxiety and behavior

Visiting Scholar, University of Kent 2011
 Designed research project on perceptions of male rape

Teaching Experience

Instructor of Record , Indiana University	2020-2021
CJUS-P493 <i>Intersectionality and Crime</i> (3)	
Graduate Assistant , Indiana University	2019-2021
CJUS-K300 <i>Techniques of Data Analysis</i> (3)	
Associate Instructor , Indiana University	2016-2019
CJUS-P290 <i>Methods of Inquiry</i> (1)	
CJUS-K300 <i>Techniques of Data Analysis</i> (4)	
CJUS-P200 <i>Theories of Crime and Deviance</i> (2)	
Graduate Assistant , Indiana University	2017-2018
CJUS-P200 <i>Theories of Crime & Deviance</i> (2)	
Teaching Fellow , Furman University	2012
Teaching assistant for introductory Japanese language students	
Teaching Assistant , Furman University	2010-2012
Supervised research in rat lab for Research Methods and Statistics	
Assisted students on papers and with understanding concepts and writing	
Performed preliminary grading on papers	

Computer Programming & Statistical Software Proficiencies

R | SPSS | git & GitHub | JavaScript | HTML | CSS | SPSS | Qualtrics | Canvas

Service

Service to the Department

Graduate Student Representative	2021
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee	
Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University	
Graduate Student Representative , Committee of Graduate Studies	2019-2020
Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University	

Graduate Student Representative, Faculty Meetings 2018-2019

Faculty Meetings

Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University

Website Committee, Member 2019

Department of Criminal Justice, Indiana University

Service to the College

Graduate Student Advisory Committee, Workshop in Methods 2018-Present

Social Science Research Commons, Indiana University

Service to the Profession

Outreach Committee, Division of Women and Crime 2019

American Society of Criminology

Ad Hoc Manuscript Reviewer 2019-Present

Journal of Youth and Adolescence (1), *Feminist Media Studies* (2),

Criminal Justice & Behavior (1), *Victims & Offenders* (1)

Professional and Academic Membership

American Society of Criminology

Divisions: Division of Women and Crime, Division of Victimology

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Doctoral Fellow

Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues

Psi Chi – International Honors Society in Psychology

Japanese National Honors Society