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EDUCATION

- Current: Doctoral Candidate – Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Missouri-St. Louis
Dissertation Title: *An Intersectional Investigation of Violence against Women and Gender Inequality:
A National- and State-level Analysis of Fatal and Non-fatal trends of Violence against Women*
Dissertation Committee: Janet Lauritsen (Chair), Lee Slocum, Karlijn Kuijpers, Hillary Potter
Expected Graduation: 2017
- 2012: MA – Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Missouri-St. Louis
- 2010: Bachelor of Arts – Criminal Justice and Criminology
University of Missouri-Kansas City

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Intersectionality	Quantitative and Qualitative Analyses	Crime Trends
Violence against Women	Social Justice/Injustice	Inequality

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2015: Bureau of Justice Statistics Graduate Research Fellowship (\$55,095)
- 2014: Graduate Research Fair, University of Missouri – St. Louis: 3rd Place
- 2010-2014: Graduate School Doctoral Fellowship, University of Missouri – St. Louis
- 2012: NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program: Honorable Mention

PROFESSIONAL AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2012-2014: Contracted Researcher
Racial Representation during Jury Selection Analysis for NAACP Legal Defense Fund
- 2013: Quantitative Analysis of Crime and Criminal Justice Data Workshop (Sponsored by Bureau of Justice Statistics)
Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research Summer Program – Ann Arbor, MI

2010-2013: Graduate Research Assistant to Dr. Kristin Carbone-Lopez

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Missouri – St. Louis

2013-2015: Instructor. CCJ 4325: Gender, Crime, and Justice

2014: Instructor. CCJ 4340: Race, Crime, and Justice

2012-2013: Graduate Teaching Assistant to Dr. Stephanie DiPietro

- Introduction to Criminological Theory

2010-2013: Graduate Teaching Assistant to Dr. Kristin Carbone-Lopez

- Gender, Crime, and Justice
- Violence Against Women

SERVICE EXPERIENCE

2011-2014: Court Appointed Special Advocate for Children in Foster Care
Voices – St. Louis

2012-2013: Criminology and Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association – Student
Government Association Representative

2012-2014: Coordinator for the Young Friends of Dred Scott

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

2013-now: Racial Democracy, Crime and Justice Network – Member

2011-2016: Criminology and Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association – Member

2010- now: American Society of Criminology – Member

PUBLICATIONS

Sewell, CheyOnna. 2012. Review of Hodge, 2011 ‘Gendered Hate: Exploring Gender in Hate
Crime Law.’ Division of Women and Crime – American Society of Criminology
Newsletter. (available at) <http://ascdwc.com/book-reviews-spring-2012/>.

WORKING PAPERS

Sewell, CheyOnna. Assessing Racial Representativeness in a Southern County’s Jury Selection
Process using Two Techniques. (Working Paper)

Sewell, CheyOnna, Terrance J. Taylor, and Shytierra Gaston. Race, Sex, and Homicide Victimization Trends Over Time. (Working Paper)

Sewell, CheyOnna. An Exploration Beyond the Police: White Citizens' Culpability in the Police Killings of Black People. Edited Chapter. (Working Manuscript)

PRESENTATIONS

- 2016 CheyOnna Sewell. Jail-to-Community Reentry Panel. Moderator & Discussant. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Denver, CO: March-April 2016.
- 2015 CheyOnna Sewell. Intersectionality, Crime Trends, and Inequality. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington DC: November 2015.
- 2015 CheyOnna Sewell. Ferguson and Social Activism Panel Chair. Racial Democracy, Crime, and Justice Network Summer Workshop, Columbus, OH: July 2015.
- 2014 CheyOnna Sewell. Racial Representativeness of Jury Selection: A case study using two methods of analysis. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA: November 2014.
- 2013 CheyOnna Sewell, Kristin Carbone-Lopez, Jody Miller, and Christopher Mullins. The Gendered Reality of Interpersonal Victimization among Criminally Embedded Women. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA: November 2013.
- 2012 CheyOnna Sewell & Kristin Carbone-Lopez. Describing Gender Differences in Violent Offending. Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL: November 2012.
- 2011 CheyOnna Sewell & Kristin Carbone-Lopez. Gender Differences in Weapon Use during Violent Offenses. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology; Washington D.C.; November 2011.

PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

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