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Administrative Appointments

Doctoral Program Coordinator, School of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Nebraska at Omaha (September 2025 – present).

Assistant/Associate Dean, College of Public Affairs & Community Service, University of Nebraska at Omaha (August 2022 – December 2024).

Undergraduate Program Coordinator, School of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Nebraska at Omaha – Omaha Campus (August 2016 – July 2022); Lincoln Campus (January 2018 – July 2022).

Faculty Appointments

Professor, School of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Nebraska at Omaha (August 2022 – present).

Elizabeth H. and Beverly B. Reynolds Professor of Public Affairs and Community Service (2021 – present).

Associate Professor (with tenure), School of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Nebraska at Omaha (August 2014 – July 2022).

Assistant Professor, School of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Nebraska at Omaha (August 2007 – July 2014).

PREVIOUS ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Research Scientist I, Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies, University of Nevada, Reno (2006-7)

Adjunct Instructor, Sociology Department, Truckee Meadows Community College, Nevada (2005-6)

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Social Psychology, University of Nevada, Reno, 2007

Dissertation title: Social feedback perceptions, internal attributions, and possible selves among adolescent offenders in secured juvenile facilities.

M.A. Social Psychology, University of Nevada, Reno, 2004

B.A. Psychology (Minor, Sociology), Central College, Pella, IA, 2002

Central College Abroad Program, Leiden, The Netherlands, Fall 2000

Refereed Journal Articles

Clinkinbeard, S. S., Rief, R. M., Rhodes, T. N., & Goodijohn, L. E. (2024). Navigating Entry: The Role of Exposure and Career Fit Negotiation in Women's Pathways to Policing in the United States. *Justice Quarterly*, 42(5), 925–948.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/07418825.2024.2402867>

Rief, R. M., Huff, J., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2025). Recruiting, retaining, and advancing women in policing: Lessons learned from the IAWP Gender-Responsive Policing Summit. *Applied Police Briefings*, 1(3), 8–10.

Rief, R.M., Clinkinbeard, S. S., Goodijohn, L.E., Rhodes, T.N. (2024). Ask the women in blue: Female officers' thoughts on the recruitment and retention of women in policing, *Policing: A Journal of Policy and Practice*, Volume 18, 2024, paad102, <https://doi.org/10.1093/police/paad102>

Huff, J., Clinkinbeard, S. S., Rief, R., Dunlap, B., Zamouri, I., Goodijohn, L., et al. (2024). Recruiting, retaining, and advancing women in policing: Lessons learned from the IAWP Gender-Responsive Policing Summit. *Justice Quarterly*. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07418825.2024.2402867>

Rief, R. M., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2021). Examining police officers' perceptions of stress: The role of person–environment fit. *Policing: An International Journal*, 44(6), 985–998. <https://doi.org/10.1108/PIJPSM-02-2021-0034>

Clinkinbeard, S. S., Solomon, S. J., & Rief, R. M. (2021). Why did you become a police officer? Entry-related motives and concerns of women and men in policing. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 48(6), 715–733. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0093854821993508>

Clinkinbeard, S. S., Solomon, S. J., & Rief, R. M. (2020). Who dreams of badges? Gendered self-concept and policing career aspirations. *Feminist Criminology*, 15(5), 567–592. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1557085120937799>

Rief, R. M., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2020). Exploring gendered environments in policing: Workplace incivilities and fit perceptions in men and women officers. *Police Quarterly*, 23(4), 427–450. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1098611120917942>

Rhodes, T. N., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2020). Not “that kind of cop”: Exploring how officers adapt approaches, attitudes, and self-concepts in school settings. *Justice Quarterly*, 37(2), 258–280. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07418825.2018.1524509>

Wylie, L. E., Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Hobbs, A. (2019). The application of risk-needs programming in a juvenile diversion program. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 46(8), 1128–1147. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0093854879859045>

- Clinkinbeard, S. S., Barnum, T. C., & Rhodes, T. N. (2018). The other side of the coin: Exploring the effects of adolescent delinquency on young adult self-control. *Journal of Criminal Justice*, 56, 86–97. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jcrimjus.2017.08.001>
- Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Barnum, T. C. (2017). Gendered self-concepts and drinking behavior in a national sample of emerging adults. *Feminist Criminology*, 12(2), 145–170. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1557085115614391>
- Anderson, A. L., Clinkinbeard, S. S., Barnum, T. C., & Augustyn, R. (2016). Examining behaviors using respondents' cell phones and a burst design: Drinking and activities across the first year of college. *Journal of Developmental and Life-Course Criminology*, 2(1), 64–84. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s40865-016-0027-4>
- Evans, M. K., Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Simi, P. (2015). Learning disabilities and delinquent behaviors among adolescents: A comparison of those with and without comorbidity. *Deviant Behavior*, 36(3), 200–220. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01639625.2014.924361>
- Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2014). What lies ahead: An exploration of future orientation, self-control, and delinquency. *Criminal Justice Review*, 39(1), 19–36. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0734016813501193>
- Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Rhodes, T. N. (2014). Social ties, propensity, friend behavior, and heavy drinking among college students. *Journal of Child and Adolescent Substance Abuse*, 23(6), 362–374. <https://doi.org/10.1080/1067828x.2012.732547>
- Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Johnson, M. A. (2013). Perceptions and practices of student binge drinking: An observational study of residential college students. *Journal of Drug Education*, 43(4), 301–319. <https://doi.org/10.2190/de.43.4.a>
- Rhodes, T. N., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2013). College students and binge drinking: Exploring the relationship between control and intention on behavior. *Applied Psychology in Criminal Justice*, 9(1), 24–44.
- Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2012). Expectations, fears, and strategies: Juvenile offender thoughts on a future outside of incarceration. *Youth & Society*, 44(2), 236–257. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0044118X11398365>
- Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Murray, C. I. (2012). Perceived support, belonging, and possible selves strategies among incarcerated juvenile offenders. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*, 42(5), 1218–1240. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1559-1816.2011.00884.x>
- Clinkinbeard, S. S., Simi, P., Evans, M. K., & Anderson, A. L. (2011). Sleep and delinquency: Does the amount of sleep matter? *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 40(7), 916–930. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10964-010-9594-6>

Broadus, A. D., Hartje, J. A., Roget, N. A., Cahoon, K., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2010). Attitudes about addiction: A national study of addiction educators. *Journal of Drug Education*, 40(3), 281–298.

Miller, M. K., Griffin, T. W., Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Thomas, R. M. (2009). The psychology of AMBER Alert: Unresolved issues and implications. *Social Science Journal*, 46(1), 111–123. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.soscij.2008.12.004>

Marsh, S. C., Clinkinbeard, S. S., Thomas, R. M., & Evans, W. P. (2007). Risk and protective factors predictive of sense of coherence during adolescence. *Journal of Health Psychology*, 12(2), 281–284. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1359105307074258>

Miller, M. K., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2006). Improving the AMBER Alert system: Psychology research and policy recommendations. *Law & Psychology Review*, 30, 1–21.

Book Chapters

Clinkinbeard, S.S., Rief, R.M. (2022). Police Reform Needs Women: Gender Equity as Cultural Change. In: Schafer, J.A., Myers, R.W. (eds) *Rethinking and Reforming American Policing*. Palgrave Macmillan, Cham. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-88896-1_7

Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Simi, P. (2019). Sleep and delinquency: An emerging area of research. In M. G. Vaughn, C. Salas-Wright, & D. B. Jackson (Eds.), *International Handbook of Delinquency and Health* (pp. xx-xx). Routledge. <https://doi.org/10.4324/9780429289194-10>

Cain, C. M., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2014). Depression and crime. In J. M. Miller, A. R. Grover, W. G. Jennings, & C. Schreck (Eds.), *The Encyclopedia of Theoretical Criminology*. Wiley-Blackwell.

Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2009). Community reinforcement approach. In G. Fisher & N. A. Roget (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Substance Abuse Prevention, Treatment, and Recovery*.

Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2009). Therapeutic communities. In G. Fisher & N. A. Roget (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Substance Abuse Prevention, Treatment, and Recovery*.

Miller, M. K., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2007). [Entry title]. In D. S. Clark (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Law and Society* (pp. 1092–1093). Sage Publications.

Murray, C. I., Toth, K., & Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2005). Coping with death, dying, and grief in families. In P. C. McKenry & S. J. Price (Eds.), *Families and Change* (3rd ed., pp. 75–102). Sage Publications.

Other Publications

Clinkinbeard, S. S. (2023). The Role of Men in Promoting Gender Diversity: Lessons Learned Brief from the IAWP Gender Diversity in Policing Summit. International Association of Women Police (IAWP) - Nebraska Gender Responsive Policing Summit, SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=4624330> or <http://dx.doi.org/10.2139/ssrn.4624330>

Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Rief, R. (2020, April). Four steps to bring more women into policing. Police Chief Magazine, 40–45.

Media Coverage & Public Scholarship (Newest First)

WOWT (NBC Omaha). "Helping first responders with mental health." WOWT, aired August 6, 2025.

University of Nebraska Omaha News Release. "Omaha Police Break Mental Health Stigma with Help from UNO Researchers." UNO News, July 2025.

Nebraska Public Media. "Lincoln police officers endured sexual misconduct for years. They say the culture isn't fixed." Nebraska Public Media News, March 17, 2025.

3 News Now (Omaha). "The FBI is looking for a few good women." KMTV 3 News Now, Sept 2020. <https://www.3newsnow.com/news/local-news/the-fbi-is-looking-for-a-few-good-women>

UNO Gateway. "NCJR explores new ways to research complicated data." The Gateway, July 2016. https://www.unothegateway.com/news/university/ncjr-explores-new-ways-to-research-complicated-data/article_ff2f9d19-87ef-5869-b946-2b56e58aeb1.html

AWARDS

2020	UNO Alumni Association, Outstanding Teacher
2018	Honorable Mention, 2017 Feminist Criminology Best Article Award
2014	UNO School of Criminology & Criminal Justice GSO Faculty Mentor of the Year Award
2012	UNO School of Criminology & Criminal Justice Outstanding Teaching Award

Technical Reports & Curriculum Products

SPF-SIG = Strategic Prevention Framework State Incentive Grant (SAMHSA-funded initiative)

++These authors contributed equally to this work.

- 2022 Clinkinbeard, S. S. & Goodijohn, L. 2019 LEMHWA Case Study: Report on the Omaha Police Department LEMHWA 2019 Peer Support Implementation Project. Submitted to the Omaha Police Department and the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, US. Department of Justice. **
- 2022 Clinkinbeard, S.S. & Goodijohn, L. Omaha Police Department 2021 Wellness Survey: Preliminary Results on Key Indicators. Submitted to the Omaha Police Department.**
- 2022 Clinkinbeard, S.S. Leadership Focus Group Preliminary Analysis: Key Takeaways. Submitted to the Omaha Police Department.
- 2020 Clinkinbeard, S. S., Rief, R., Nix, J., & Armstrong, G. 2019 Program Evaluation Police Athletics for Community Engagement (PACE). Submitted to PACE Board. **
- 2019 Rhodes, T. N. & Clinkinbeard, S. S. School Resource Officer Contacts and Perceptions. Evidence-Based Practices Brief. .
- 2019 Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Rief, R. Gender, Personality, and Career Motivations in Policing Study. Preliminary Stakeholder's Report (Omaha). Submitted to Omaha Police Department. **
- 2019 Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Rief, R. Gender, Personality, and Career Motivations in Policing Study. Preliminary Stakeholder's Report (Lincoln). Submitted to Lincoln Police Department. **
- 2016 Clinkinbeard, S. S., Augustyn, R., Anderson, A. L. UNO Freshman Transitions Study. Preliminary Stakeholders Report. **
- 2014 Clinkinbeard, S. S. & Evans, M. K. Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice FASD Curriculum Infusion Package. Developed for Frontier Regional FASD Training Center.
- 2014 Barnum, T. C. & Clinkinbeard, S. S. University of Nebraska at Omaha Health Behaviors Survey: 2014 Housing Report. **
- 2014 Clinkinbeard, S. S. East Central MCH Final Report. Submitted to the Back to BASICS Coalition.

- 2014 Johnson, M. A. & Clinkinbeard, S. S. University of Nebraska at Omaha Health Behaviors Survey: 2012 Housing Report. **
- 2012 Clinkinbeard, S. S. East Central Back-to-BASICS Final SPF-SIG Report (2009-2012): Three Years of Capacity-Building and the Prevention of Underage Drinking. Submitted to RTI International and the East Central Coalition.
- 2012 Johnson, M. A. & Clinkinbeard, S. S. LiveWise Final SPF-SIG Evaluation (2009-2012): Three Years of Binge Drinking Prevention and Capacity-Building. Submitted to RTI International and the LiveWise Coalition. **
- 2012 Rhodes, T. & Clinkinbeard, S. S. Partners for Otoe County Final SPF-SIG Report (2009-2012): Prevention of Underage Drinking and Drinking and Driving. Submitted to RTI International and the Otoe County Coalition. **
- 2012 Clinkinbeard, S. S. Partners for Otoe County Prescription Drug Campaign Evaluation Report. Submitted to the Partners for Otoe County.
- 2011 Clinkinbeard, S. S. & Johnson, M. A. SPF-SIG* Year Two Evaluation Report: LiveWise Coalition. Submitted to RTI International and the LiveWise Coalition. **
- 2011 Clinkinbeard, S. S. & Rhodes, T. SPF-SIG Year Two Evaluation Report: Otoe County Coalition. Submitted to RTI International and the Otoe County Coalition. **
- 2011 Clinkinbeard, S. S. SPF-SIG Year One Evaluation Report: Partners for East Central Coalition. Submitted to RTI International and the East Central Coalition.
- 2010 Clinkinbeard, S. S. & Johnson, M. A. SPF-SIG Year One Evaluation Report: LiveWise Coalition. Submitted to RTI International and the LiveWise Coalition. **
- 2010 Clinkinbeard, S. S. SPF-SIG Year One Evaluation Report: East Central C Coalition. Submitted to RTI International and the East Central Coalition.
- 2010 Clinkinbeard, S. S. SPF-SIG Year One Evaluation Report: Partners for Otoe County Coalition. Submitted to RTI International and the East Central Coalition.
- 2009 Sample, L., Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Evans, M. Final Report of the Truancy Abatement Program. **
- 2009 Trammell, R., Clinkinbeard, S. S., & Robinson, H. The Nebraska Department of Corrections Education Report and Recommendations.

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Funded Activity, Past or Present

- 2022 SUBCONTRACT PRINCIPAL. Omaha Peer Support and Mental Health Program – Omaha Police Department funded in amount of \$168,135 by COPS Office Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act (LEMHWA) Program. Total Subaward Amount: \$30,373.
- 2020 SUBCONTRACT PRINCIPAL (with 2021 amendment). Omaha Peer Support Program – Omaha Police Department funded in amount of \$124,583 by COPS Office Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act (LEMHWA) Program. Total Subaward Amount: \$34,706.
- 2019 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR (with R. Rief). Women in Law Enforcement in Nebraska: Pathways to the Field and Experiences in It. Awarded by the College of Public Affairs and Community Service, CPACS Inquiry Grant. Total Amount: \$10,000 **
- 2019 CO-INVESTIGATOR (with G. Armstrong & J. Nix). Evaluation of Omaha Police Athletics for Community Engagement (P.A.C.E). Total Amount: \$46,487.
- 2019 CO-INVESTIGATOR (with T. Rhodes). Evidence-Based Nebraska School Resource Officer Evaluation. Funded by Juvenile Justice Institute, University of Nebraska at Omaha. Total Amount: \$5,000
- 2017 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR (with S. Solomon). Gender, personality, and career motivation in policing. Awarded by the College of Public Affairs and Community Service Urban Research Grant. Total Amount: \$10,000 **
- 2017 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR. UNO Freshmen Transitions Study, Junior Year Follow-Up. Funded by the Office of Creative Activity and Research at the University of Nebraska at Omaha. Total Amount: \$1,000.
- 2014 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR (with A. Anderson). College binge drinking and its consequences: An on- and offline investigation of social identity, normative perceptions, and behavior. Awarded by the Fund for Investing in Research Enterprise (FIRE) by the Office of Creative Activity and Research at the University of Nebraska at Omaha. Total Amount: \$34,733.
- 2012 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR. [Renewed 2013/2014]. Back-to-BASICS Coalition Prevention of Underage Drinking Evaluation. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, subaward from Nebraska East Central Health Department. Total Amount: \$20,000.
- 2012 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR. LiveWise Coalition, Needs Assessment Methodology Development. Contract by LiveWise Coalition. Amount: \$4500.

- 2011 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR. Prescription Drug Campaign Evaluation. Contract by Partners for Otoe County. Amount: \$1200.
- 2009 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR. [Renewed 2010/2011 & 2011/2012] LiveWise Coalition SAMHSA SPF-SIG Evaluation. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, subaward from LiveWise Coalition. Total Amount: \$42,500.
- 2009 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR. [Renewed 2010/2011 & 2011/2012] Otoe County Coalition SAMHSA SPF-SIG Evaluation. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, subaward from Partners for Otoe County. Total Amount: \$32,500.
- 2009 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR. [Renewed 2010/2011 & 2011/2012] East Central Coalition SAMHSA SPF-SIG Evaluation. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, subaward from Nebraska East Central Health District. Total Amount: \$32,500.
- 2008 CONSULTANT. (L. L. Sample, PI). Omaha Truancy Abatement Program Evaluation. Omaha Crime Commission, subcontract from funded Omaha Police Department. Amount: \$19,000.
- 2008 CONSULTANT. (T. H. Robinson, PI). Nebraska Department of Correctional Services Education Study. Contract funded by Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement & Criminal Justice. Amount: \$20,000.
- 2008 PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR. Perceptions of Future Mutability Scale. Funded by University Committee on Research & Creative Activity, University of Nebraska at Omaha. Amount: \$5,000.
- 2006 CONSULTANT. Roget, N. A., Stupfel, M., & Woods, W. NIDA Enters College: Infusing the Science of Addiction in University Curricula, Proposal submitted to and accepted by the National Institute of Drug Abuse (NIDA) in response to PAR-05-105, Amount: \$997,000 awarded over 4 years. Role: wrote research design, prepared instruments, and supervised data collection.

STUDENT COMMITTEES

Dissertation (Chair) Rachael Rief, 2023. Being a Policewoman in 2020: The Effect of Police Culture and Social Identity on Female Officers' Perceptions of their Work.

Steven Windisch, 2019. From Swaddling to Swastikas: A Life-Course Investigation of White Supremacist Extremism.

Starr Solomon, 2018. Examining the Role of Treatment Quality, Decision-Making Quality, and Driver Race During Traffic Stops.

Trisha Rhodes, 2015. Police Culture at a Crossroads: An Analysis of Police in Schools.

Dissertation (Member) Hillary McNeel (current); Amber Krushas (2023); Julie Garman (2021); Sara Moore (2019); Tim Barnum (2018); Rita Augustyn (2018); Danielle Bailey (2015); Sandy Peterson (2013); Abby Vandenberg (2013); Scott Chenault (2010)

Thesis (Chair) Rachael Rief, 2019. Utilizing Perceptions of Fit to Examine Women's Experiences in Policing.

Courtney Frei, 2013. Gender Differences in the Use of Protective Behavioral Strategies, College Student Binge Drinking, and Negative Consequences.

Thesis (Member) Trisha Rhodes (2011)

Comp Exam Committees Michael Johnson, Bob Lytle, Hillary McNeel, Sara Moore, Sandy Peterson, Trisha Rhodes, Steven Windisch, Tusty Zohra

GRACA Supervision Rachael Rief (Funded 2020, 2019)

Supervisory Rachael Rief (Chair, current); Brook Cooley (Member, past); Julie Garman (Member, current); Steven Windisch (Chair, past); Timothy Barnum (Chair, past); Michael Johnson (Chair, past); Trisha Rhodes (Chair, past); Danielle Schulz (Member, past)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE & INVOLVEMENT

External Reviewer Tenure or Promotion Review (Sum 2021; Fall 2023; Sum 2025)

Reviewer Routledge Book Proposal (Summer 2021)

Member ASC Division of Women & Crime Antiracist Forum Subcommittee (2021)

Co-Editor ASC Division of Women & Crime Newsletter Committee

Contributor Black Lives Matter Edition of Division of Women and Crime Newsletter (2020)

Deputy Co-Chair Assessment Committee, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (2020)

Co-Chair Assessment Workshop Sub-committee, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (2019, 2021)

Member Assessment Committee, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (2018-present)

Member Division of Women and Crime Newsletter Committee, American Society of Criminology (2017-present)

Member Division of Women and Crime Social Media Committee, American Society of Criminology (2017-2018)

Academic Reviewer: Ball State University (2024); University of Arkansas at Little Rock (2023); University of Oklahoma Criminal Justice (2019); UNO Department of Psychology (2018); Simpson College (2017)

Guest Interview Half-hour expert guest on the Knowledge Network's Consider This – Topic: Missing Children & Amber Alert

Grant Reviewer Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (2012, 2013)

Panel Chair Drug Use & Social Bonding, ACJS New York (2012)

Panel Organizer Spotlight on CPACS Speaker Series: organized panel on binge drinking (2013)

Membership Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, American Society of Criminology

Member UNO Teaching Circle (2007-2010), UNO Research Triangle (2007-2010)

SCHOOL/COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY SERVICE

SCCJ Faculty Search Committees (2016-2020)

3 Full-time Instructors, Lincoln (2020-2021)

2 Assistant Professors (2020)

Assistant Professor (2019)

Associate Professor (2019)

2 Assistant Professors (2017)

Assistant Professor (2016)

Director & Professor (2016)

SCCJ Staff Search Committees (2017-2021)

Office Associate (2021)

Advisor (2020)

Internship Coordinator (2019)

Advisor (2019)

Office Assistant (2018)

Advisor (2018)

Advisor (2017)

UNO Judicial Affairs Committee (2010-2013; 2020-present)

University Honors Committee (2017-2020)

Faculty Senate Liaison UNO Assessment Committee (2016-2019)

Faculty Advisor to Alpha Phi Sigma Criminal Justice Honors Society (2016-Present)

UNO Faculty Senate (2015-2017, 2021-present)

UNO Faculty Senate Rules Subcommittee (2015-2017)

SCCJ Scholarship Chair (2012-Present)

CPACS Commencement Committee (2011-2013)

Faculty Advisor to Criminal Justice Student Organization (2011-2018)

SCCJ Director Search Committee (2015-2016)

CPACS Personnel Committee (2014-2015)

SCCJ Data Lab & Archive Committee (2009-2013)

SCCJ Ad-Hoc Student Portfolio Review Committee (2011-2012)

Admission Committee (2010-2011, 2013-2014)

SCCJ Ad-Hoc RPT Guidelines Committee (2009-2010)

SCCJ Executive Committee (2008 - 2010)

Committee for Crime & Justice Research Consortium (2008, 2010)

SCCJ Search Committee (2008, 2009)

Chancellor's Commission on the Status of Women (2008 - 2009)

CPACS Teaching Award Review Committee (2010, 2011)

COMMUNITY SERVICE & INVOLVEMENT

Consultant/Advisor NE Association of Women Police – Evaluation of 2021 Female First Responders Conference

Consultant/Advisor Omaha Police Department Wellness Survey (2020-present)

Jury Duty Douglas County (March 2021)

Member Omaha Women's League of Voters (2020)

Poll Worker General Election November (2020); Mayoral Election (2021)

Consultant/Advisor Provided technical assistance and evaluation guidance to the Healing Days Project, Omaha Police Department (2018-2019)

Consultant/Advisor Prepared conference evaluations and provided a summary report to the Nebraska Association of Women Police for the 1st Annual Female First Responders Conference (Fall 2019)

Guest Speaker Presentation on Mentoring and Delinquency for Board of Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Midlands (November 2016)

Consultant/Advisor Provided technical assistance and literature reviews for Evidence-Based Nebraska project for Juvenile Justice Institute (2016)

Consultant/Advisor Conducted a training webinar for Criminal Justice and FASD Curriculum Infusion Package, Module 1 (June 2015)

Consultant/Advisor North Omaha Boys & Girls Club (2009-2011)

Omaha Police Department Truancy Abatement Program (2009-2010)