

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

1994 Ph.D. Sociology, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA
Areas of Concentration: Criminology and the Sociology of Education

Dissertation: *Theoretical Progress in Criminology: A Qualitative Analysis of Major Research Traditions.* This dissertation presents a qualitative, critical analysis of the major paradigms in criminology, concluding with the proposal of a broad-based theoretical framework designed to enhance the “problem-solving” potential of sociological explanations of criminality.
Dissertation Advisor: Leo C. Rigsby, Ph.D.

1991 M.A. Sociology, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

1985 M.A. Criminal Justice, Rutgers University, Newark, NJ

1981 B.A. Criminal Justice, Stockton College, Pomona, NJ

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Harvard University, Graduate School of Education
Institute for Educational Management/Leadership Program, 2016

American Council on Education Fellowship, 2005-2006
Placement: John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

2013- Vice-President for Academic Affairs, Holy Family University

Duties: As Chief Academic Officer of the University, I am responsible for the development, assessment and growth of all academic programming, the hiring, professional development and advancement of faculty, graduate student recruitment, undergraduate student success and retention and the management of a \$14 million administrative/salary budget. Direct reports include the Deans of the Schools of Arts & Sciences, Business Administration, Education and Nursing & Allied Health Professions, the Dean for Graduate & Professional Studies, the Associate Vice-President

for Academic Services/Registrar, the Director of the Center for Academic Enhancement and the Director of the Library.

2010-13: Dean, School of Arts & Sciences, Holy Family University

Duties: The largest academic unit of the university, the School of Arts & Sciences is home to thirteen academic programs representing the Humanities, Natural Sciences, Mathematics and the Social & Behavioral Sciences. As Dean, I served as the chief administrative officer of the school, with direct oversight of academic program development and assessment, budgeting, hiring, professional development and advancement of faculty, and student recruitment and retention issues. I also represented the school at all levels of university governance and administration and have played a significant role in the advancement of Holy Family's academic assessment and Middle States reaccreditation efforts.

2006 – 08: Dean for Graduate and Professional Studies, Cabrini College

Duties: As the administrator of the College's Center for Graduate & Professional Studies, I was responsible for the management and advancement of Cabrini's graduate and professional programs. With an annual operating and salary budget of over \$4 million, my duties also included the development and implementation of new programs, management of state-level and accrediting agency approval processes for these programs, and professional development initiatives for graduate faculty and staff. Reporting to the Vice-President for Academic Affairs, I also served as a member of Cabrini's Presidential Leadership Team, its Planning and Budgeting Council, and as a member of the Academic Affairs and Enrollment Management Committees of the Cabrini College Board of Trustees.

Significant Accomplishments: Development of a 5-year graduate program expansion plan for the College's Center for Graduate & Professional Studies; development of a new graduate program in Criminal Justice Administration, including supervision of the program approval process through the various levels of College, State and accrediting agency review; supervision of an expansion of the College's Graduate Education programs to more than 20 off-campus sites, enrolling more than 1,000 new graduate students.

2005-06: American Council on Education Fellow, John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Duties: As an ACE Fellow, I worked closely with the president and provost of John Jay College, serving as a participating member of the school's executive leadership team. My duties included direction of the college's academic assessment initiative, participation in the establishment of the "John Jay Center for the Study of Race, Crime & Justice" and collaboration on various college projects.

Significant Accomplishments: Development and supervision of academic assessment retreats and workshops for faculty; development of assessment frameworks for academic programs and courses; authorship of a Middle States Monitoring Report on the progress of academic assessment at John Jay College.

2004-05: Interim Dean, College of Arts & Sciences, Widener University

Duties: As the largest academic unit of the university (300 students, 125 full-time faculty), the College of Arts & Sciences is home to twenty-five academic programs across the Humanities, Science and Social Science Divisions. As Dean, I supervised a total annual budget of over \$3 million and was chief administrative officer for all faculty, staff and student issues in the college. I also played a leading role in curricular development and academic assessment, and represented the College to the Board of Trustees in academic and promotion/tenure matters.

Significant Accomplishments: Supervision of the implementation of Widener's 5-year strategic plan; development of assessment frameworks for academic programs in the college; establishment of a standing committee to oversee general education reform and assessment.

2002-04: Associate Dean, Social Science Division, Widener University

Duties: As Associate Dean, I was the primary administrative officer of the largest academic division in the college, with thirty full-time faculty in the Anthropology, Behavioral Science, Communication Studies, Criminal Justice, Government & Politics, Psychology and Sociology programs. My responsibilities included supervision of an annual budget of over \$1 million, as well as primary responsibility for all academic, faculty and student issues in the division.

Significant Accomplishments: Creation of various professional development programs for faculty; participation in the university's strategic planning process.

1996-2002: Director of Undergraduate & Graduate Criminal Justice Programs, Widener University

Duties: As Criminal Justice Director, I had primary curricular and scheduling responsibilities for both the undergraduate and graduate programs in the major. I supervised faculty hires for the program, represented the major on all divisional committees, and represented the graduate program at the university level.

Significant Accomplishments: Supervision of major academic revision of the undergraduate Criminal Justice program; development and implementation of a master's program in Criminal Justice; supervision of program growth to more than 100 majors.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Holy Family University, Philadelphia, PA

2008- **Professor of Criminal Justice**

Cabrini College, Radnor, PA

2006-2008 **Professor of Sociology & Criminology**

Widener University, Chester, PA

2005-2006 **Professor of Criminal Justice**
 1999-2005 **Associate Professor of Criminal Justice (with tenure)**
 1994-1999 **Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice**

Holy Family College, Philadelphia, PA

1991-1994 **Instructor of Criminal Justice**

Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

1989-1991 **Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology**

Monmouth College, West Long Branch, NJ

1986-1987 **Instructor of Criminal Justice**

Rutgers University, Newark, NJ

1985-1986 **Graduate Teaching Assistant, School of Criminal Justice**

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE: Holy Family University

- Academic Council (Chair), 2010-
- Promotion/Contract Committees, 2013-
- University Curriculum Committee, (*ex officio*), 2010-
- Strategic Planning Steering Committee, 2010-
- Academic Affairs Committee/Board of Trustees, 2010-
- Middle States Self-Review Steering Committee, 2009-2011
- Middle States Self-Review Assessment Subcommittee, (Co-Chair), 2009-2010
- Ad Hoc Committee on Undergraduate Research (Chair), 2009-2010
- President's Advisory Council for Institutional Advancement, 2017-
- Institutional Review Board, 2013-
- Honors Council, 2014-

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE: Cabrini College

- Academic Affairs Committee/Board of Trustees, 2006-2008
- Enrollment Management Committee/Board of Trustees, 2006-2008
- Academic Planning Committee (Representing GPS), 2006-2008
- Enrollment Management Committee/GPS (Chair), 2006-2008
- Graduate Council Subcommittee (Chair), 2006-2008
- Presidential Leadership Team, 2006-2008
- Planning & Budgeting Council, 2006-2008
- Strategic Planning Steering Committee, 2006-2008

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE: Widener University

- Arts & Sciences Curriculum & Planning Committee, 1995-1999, 2002-2005
- Arts & Sciences Faculty Affairs Committee (Soc. Science Rep.), 2000-2001

- Arts & Sciences Promotion/Tenure/Academic Freedom Committee, 2000-2005
- Social Science Curriculum & Planning Committee, 1997-1998, 2002-2004
- Social Science Merit Review Procedure Committee, 2000-2001
- Social Science Promotion & Tenure Committee, 2000-2004, (Chair: 2002-2004)
- Faculty Advisor, Alpha Phi Sigma, National CJ Honor Society, 1997-2000
- Faculty Council Grants & Awards Committee (Vice-Chair), 1999-2001
- Strategic Planning Task Force: Economic/Social Demographics, 2002-2003
- Middle States Self-Review Sub-Committee on Administration, 2003-2004
- Pew Memorial Lecture Committee, 1995-1998 (Chair: 1995-1997)
- Faculty Council Member, 1999-2001, 2004-2005

ACADEMIC AWARDS & HONORS

Widener University, Faculty Sabbatical Award, Spring 2002

Widener University, College of Arts & Sciences, Teaching Excellence Award,
January 2000

Widener University, Pi Gamma Mu (National Social Science Honor Society) Teaching
Excellence Award, April 1996

RESEARCH/PUBLICATIONS

Books

Markowitz, Michael W. & Delores D. Jones-Brown (eds.)

2000 *The System in Black and White: Exploring the Connections between Race, Crime and Justice*. Westport, CT: Praeger Publishers.

Refereed Journal Articles & Book Chapters (Sole Author)

Markowitz, Michael W.

2015 “Meaningful General Education Reform: Integrating Core Curricula and Institutional Values.” *International Science Index* 17(5): 2919-2924.

2015 “Explaining Criminality Across the Life-course: The Relevance of Race and Gender.” *International Journal of Arts and Sciences* 8(1): 327-347.

2003 “There’s No Place Like Home: An Empirical Test of the “Safe Haven” Hypothesis.” *Corrections Compendium* 28(1): 1-4, 29-30.

2001 “Patriarchy & Punishment: The Dilemma of Women in the American Correctional System.” In the ACJS Minorities & Women Section Conference Paper Reader (Volume I): 1-18.

2000 “Theoretical Explanations of the Nexus Between Race and Crime.” In M.W. Markowitz & D.D. Jones-Brown (eds.), *The System in Black & White: Exploring the Connections Between Race, Crime and Justice*: 3-14. Westport, CT: Praeger Publishers.

- 1999 "Synthesizing Modernist and Postmodernist Criminology: Toward the Development of an 'Ecological' Theory of Criminal Deviance." *National Social Science Journal* 12(2): 97-108.
- 1997 "Introducing 'Race Consciousness' into Criminal Justice Education: A Pedagogical Model." *Journal of Criminal Justice Education* 8(2): 215-223.
- 1991 "The Socio-Political Environment of Reform." In Arnold S. Trebach & Kevin B. Zeese (eds.), *New Frontiers in Drug Policy*: 408-413. Washington, DC: The Drug Policy Foundation.

Refereed Journal Articles & Book Chapters (Co-Author)

Salvatore, Christopher, Michael W. Markowitz & Christopher E. Kelly

- 2014 "Assessing Public Confidence in the Criminal Justice System." *International Social Science Review* 88 (1/2): 3-16.

Salvatore, Christopher & Michael W. Markowitz

- 2014 "Do Life Course Transitions and Social Bonds Influence Males and Females Differently? Gender Contrasts and Criminality." *Deviant Behavior* 35 (8): 628-653.

Markowitz, Michael W. & Christopher Salvatore

- 2012 "Exploring Race-Based Differences in Patterns of Life-Course Criminality." *Deviant Behavior* 33 (8): 589-605.

Hirschinger-Blank, Nancy & Michael W. Markowitz

- 2006 "An Evaluation of a Pilot Service-Learning Course for Criminal Justice Undergraduate Students." *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*. 17(1): 1-18.

Markowitz, Michael W. & Christopher Salvatore

- 2005 "Changing Situational Decision-Making among Offenders: A Preliminary Analysis." *Corrections Compendium* 30(2): 1-3, 30-31.

Markowitz, Michael W. & William E. Harver

- 2003 "Public Sentiment on the Death Penalty: Do Race, Gender & State of Mind Matter?" *National Social Science Journal* 21(1): 64-77.

Gironi, Annette M. & Michael W. Markowitz

- 2000 "Diversity in a Jail Work Setting: Evaluating the Impact of Racial Intolerance." In M.W. Markowitz & D.D. Jones-Brown (eds.), *The System in Black & White: Exploring the Connections Between Race, Crime and Justice*: 213-226. Westport, CT: Praeger Publishers.

Gironi, Annette, Michael W. Markowitz, Stephanie Ferraro, Michele Hyman-Dollar, Paul Rotenberry, John P. Galla, & Lawrence A. Fehr

- 2000 "The Hardy Personality in Individuals with High & Low Eating Disorder Profiles." *National Social Science Journal* 13(2).

Kolodziejski, Daniel, John Stilwell, Kimberly Torchiana, & Michael W. Markowitz
2000 "Black and White Perceptions of the Appropriateness of Police Conduct." In
M.W. Markowitz & D.D. Jones-Brown (eds.), *The System in Black & White:
Exploring the Connections Between Race, Crime and Justice*: 125-134. Westport,
CT: Praeger Publishers.

Markowitz, Michael W., Patrick Barth, Brian Colborn, Thomas McGarvey &
Deborah Kain
1999 "The Impact of Punishment on Perceptions of Justice & Fairness." *National Social
Science Journal* 17(2): 53-58.

Markowitz, Michael W. & Annette M. Girondi
1997 "Studying the Dynamics of the Jail Work Environment: A Research Note."
National Social Science Journal 12(1): 78-86.

Supplemental Materials

Markowitz, Michael W.
2000 *Study Guide* to accompany Adler, Mueller, & Laufer, *Criminology: The Shorter
Version* (4th Edition). New York: Primis/McGraw-Hill.

Conference Paper Presentations (Sole Author)

"Meaningful General Education Reform: Integrating Core Curricula and
Institutional Values." Paper Presentation, 17th International Conference on Higher
Education, London, UK, May 2015.

"Explaining Criminality Across the Life-course: The Relevance of Race and
Gender." Paper Presentation, International Conference for the Social Sciences and
Humanities, University of London, London, UK, November 2014.

"There's No Place Like Home: An Empirical Test of the "Safe Haven"
Hypothesis." Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Academy of Criminal
Justice Sciences, Anaheim, CA, March 2002.

"Synthesizing Modernist & Postmodernist Criminology: Toward the
Development of an 'Ecological' Theory of Criminal Deviance." Paper
Presentation, Fall Meetings of the National Social Science Association, New
Orleans, LA, November 1996

"Introducing 'Race Consciousness' into Criminal Justice Education: A
Pedagogical Model." Paper Presentation, Second Annual Conference on Criminal Justice
Education, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, NY, October 1996.

"Some Thoughts on the Development of an Ecological Theory of Criminal
Deviance." Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the American Society of
Criminology, Boston, MA, November 1995.

“Patriarchy and Punishment: The Dilemma of Women in the American Correctional System.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, PA, April 1995.

“Toward the Progressive Development of Criminological Theory: An Application of the Articulation Project.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Miami, FL, November 1994.

“Enabling Difference to Make a Difference.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, MD, March 1994.

“Some Thoughts on the Qualitative Evaluation of Criminological Theory.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Pennsylvania Sociological Society, Pittsburgh, PA, October 1993.

“Politics and Reform: Implications for Effective Change in Drug-Related Policies.” Paper Presentation, The 5th International Conference on Drug Policy Reform, Washington, DC. November 1991.

“Sociopolitical Impediments to Penal Reform: The Case of the Philadelphia Correctional System.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA, November 1991.

“Some Analytical Extensions of Goldstein's Tripartite Conceptual Framework.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA, November 1991.

“Pygmalion's Self-Perception: Thoughts on the Development of the Socio-Educational Identity.” Paper Presentation, Temple University Graduate Student Conference, Philadelphia, PA, May 1991.

“Drug-Related Homicides: Studying the Dynamics of the Labeling Process.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Baltimore, MD, November 1990.

Conference Paper Presentations (Co-Author)

Salvatore, Christopher & Michael W. Markowitz

“Life Course Transitions: Criminality & Gender” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Eastern Sociological Society, New York, February 2012.

Markowitz, Michael W. & Christopher Salvatore

“Exploring Race Based Differences in Patterns of Life-Course Criminality” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Boston, MA, March 2009.

Clear, Todd & Michael W. Markowitz

“Interim Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Issues in Criminal Justice

Education.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Baltimore, MD, March 2006.

Hirschinger-Blank, Nancy & Michael W. Markowitz

“An Evaluation of a Service Learning Course for Criminal Justice Undergraduate Students.” Roundtable Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Eastern Sociological Society, New York, February 2004.

Markowitz, Michael W. & Christopher Salvatore

“Making Rational Choices More ‘Rational:’ Studying Decision-Making in Social Context.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Eastern Sociological Society, New York, February 2004.

Markowitz, Michael W., William E. Harver & Christopher Salvatore

“Studying the Factors that Affect Public Perceptions of the Appropriate Punishment of Serious Criminals.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Boston, MA, March 2003.

Markowitz, Michael W. & William E. Harver

“Public Sentiment on the Death Penalty: Do Race, Gender & State of Mind Matter?” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Washington, DC, April 2001.

Markowitz, Michael W., Jane A. Siegel, & William E. Harver

“Studying the Dynamics of Drug-Related Homicide: A Preliminary Analysis.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the National Social Science Association, Las Vegas, NV, March 2000.

Markowitz, Michael W. & Annette M. Girondi

“Studying the Dynamics of the Correctional Environment: Methodology & Application.” Paper Presentation, Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, San Diego, CA, November 1997.

Conference Participation

Seventeenth International Conference on Higher Education, London, UK, Panel Chair, May 2015.

International Conference for the Social Sciences and Humanities, University of London, London, UK, Session Chair, November 2014.

Cabrini College, Radnor, PA, Common Good Symposium, Concurrent Session Moderator, March 2008.

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Annual Meetings, Baltimore, MD. Participant (Observer), “ACJS Program Reviewer Training,” March 2006

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Annual Meetings, Baltimore, MD. Panel Discussant: "Envisioning Criminal Justice Education Ten Years From Now," March 2006.

American Society of Criminology, Annual Meetings, Toronto, Canada. Roundtable Co-Chair (with Todd Clear): "ASC/ACJS Past Presidents Discussion of Issues Facing Criminal Justice Education," November 2005.

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Annual Meetings, Anaheim, CA. Panel Chair: "Women in Correctional Settings: Services, Relationships & Release," March 2002

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Program Committee Member/Panel Organizer for 1999 annual meetings (Areas: Sentencing & Judicial Decision-Making), October 1998

Eastern Sociological Society, Annual Meetings, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Panel Chair/Discussant: "Corporate and Official Crimes," April 1995

Law & Society Association Annual Conference, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Member, Local Arrangements Committee May 1992

The 5th International Conference on Drug Policy Reform, Washington, DC. Panel Chair: "Practical Political Reform" November 1991