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Note from the Chair

Greetings CJDD members! I hope you all are well. Hopefully you're starting to enjoy some warm(er) weather as we dive into spring (the Midwest hasn't made up its mind yet). I have a few things I'd like to highlight for this edition of our newsletter.

First, we encourage you – and especially our graduate students – to submit content for the newsletter. This is a great way to help us stay apprised of all the hard work you are doing. This does not have to be limited to publications. Perhaps you took part in a social justice demonstration and you'd like to share that with our membership. Please do! We encourage it!

Second, please help spread the word about our lifetime achievement award. We are currently soliciting nominations. We highly encourage you to nominate someone who is well deserving of this award. Please send nominations to Stephani Williams at STEPHANI.WILLIAMS@gmail.com.

Last but not least, please consider becoming a meeting mentor. Due to the SSSP mentoring program, I have had the opportunity to meet our wonderful CJDD graduate students at various stages in their academic careers. It's a fun and rewarding experience. If you are interested in becoming a meeting mentor for our annual conference in Philadelphia, especially for other members in the CJDD division, please e-mail Meghan McDowell at mcdowellmg@wssu.edu. Applications for meeting mentors are due June 30, 2018.

All my best,

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Member News and Accomplishments

Recent Publications

Lois Presser. 2018. *Inside Story: How Narratives Drive Mass Harm*. University of California Press. More information and a description of the book can be found at <https://www.ucpress.edu/ebook.php?isbn=9780520964471>

Joachim J. Savelsberg. 2018. "Punitive Turn and Justice Cascade: Mutual Inspiration from Punishment and Society and Human Rights Literatures." *Punishment & Society* 20(1):73–91.

Joachim J. Savelsberg. 2018. "Criminology in the United States: Contexts, Institutions and

Knowledge in Flux.” In: *The Handbook of the History and Philosophy of Criminology*, edited by Ruth Triplett. Routledge, pp. 437-452.

Sittner, Kelley J., Melissa L. Walls, and Brenna L. Greenfield. 2018. “Microaggressions, Diabetes Distress, and Self-Care Behaviors in a Sample of American Indian Adults with Type 2 Diabetes.” *Journal of Behavioral Medicine* 41: 122-129.

Hautala, Dane S., **Kelley J. Sittner**, Brian E. Armenta, and Les B. Whitbeck. 2017. “Dating Violence Profiles and Correlates among a Sample of Indigenous Adolescents.” *Youth & Society* 49:295-317.

Awards and Announcements

Diana Therese M. Veloso, Ph.D. is on her second term as the Graduate Studies Program Coordinator of the Behavioral Sciences Department at De La Salle University in the Philippines. She has conducted research on gender-based violence among people displaced by armed conflict in the Islamic City of Marawi, located in the Southern Philippines. She moderated a conference session at the Asia-Pacific Innovations Forum in Pattaya, Thailand, in January of 2018. She has also given lectures on victimology for criminologists and criminal justice practitioners all over the Philippines.

CJDD Members on the Job Market

Genevieve D. Minter advanced to candidacy, and has a single authored and co-authored paper in review with the journals *Environmental Education* and *Ecopsychology*. She is currently on the job market with expertise in criminology, environmental sociology, and ecopsychology. Her dissertation, “Stigmatizing Sin City Bully Culture: Pit Bull Pariahs?” explores modern day pit bull ownership, stigma negotiation, and the evolution of the pit bull as the choice of dog for deviant subcultures into the mainstream. Here is a link to her professional website: <https://www.weebly.com/editor/main.php#/>

Ting Wang is a Ph.D. in Economics and an ABD in Sociology at the University of Kentucky. She is interested in feminist criminology, cross-national criminology, criminal justice, women and gender, demography, quantitative methods, social network, economic sociology, and Asian and Asian-American studies. She has finished the extensive field investigation in China in 2017, including secondary-data mining, 2,000 surveys of Chinese citizens, and 15 in-depth interviews with criminal justice professionals in China for her dissertation in Sociology regarding the effect of the one-child policy on gendered offending in China. Ting has been teaching in college for eight years as a teaching as-

sistant. She is enthusiastic about and has experience in teaching quantitative analysis methods courses and workshops at the undergraduate and graduate levels, and sociology and criminology courses at the undergraduate level. Ting was granted the Beers Fellowship, Dissertation Enhancement Awards, and Dean's Competitive Graduate Fellowship to support her research. If you want to know more about Ting Wang, please refer to her profile on LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ting-lowan-54618ab7>

SSSP Announcements and Reminders

[Register for the 2018 Annual Meeting](#). Pre-registration ends July 15. In addition to all of the exciting sessions, panel discussions, and events, we are pleased to offer optional [Walking Tours](#) and [One-Day Workshops](#).

A number of SSSP scholarships and awards have upcoming deadlines. More information on each award can be found by clicking the links below.

- Nominations for the [Thomas C. Hood Social Action Award](#) and the [Beth B. Hess Memorial Scholarship](#) are due **April 1**.
- Nominations for the [Arlene Kaplan Daniels Paper Award](#) , the [Doris Wilkinson Faculty Leadership Award](#), the [Joseph B. Gittler Award](#), the [Kathleen S. Lowney Mentoring Award](#), and the [Lee Founders Award](#) are due **April 15**.

Newsletter Contributions Invited

We encourage members to submit news such as publications, new appointments, and other professional accomplishments for inclusion in a future newsletter. Suggestions and inquiries about less conventional content are also welcome—consider editorials, book reviews, teaching notes, department/program profiles, calls for contributions to journals and edited books, obituaries... Please direct such inquires to the current Division Chair, Kristen Budd at buddkm@MiamiOH.edu or current Newsletter Editor, Kelley Sittner at kelley.sittner@okstate.edu.