

Nancy G. La Vigne, PhD



Career Brief

Nancy La Vigne is a vice president of justice policy at the Urban Institute (Urban), a nonprofit, nonpartisan social policy research organization based in Washington, DC, where she directs the institute's Justice Policy Center. She leads a staff of over 50 scholars spanning a wide array of social science disciplines and manages an annual departmental budget of ~\$10 million.

Before being appointed as director of the Justice Policy Center in 2009, Dr. La Vigne served for eight years as a senior research associate at Urban, leading groundbreaking research on prisoner reentry. Prior to joining Urban, La Vigne was the founding director of the Crime Mapping Research Center at the National Institute of Justice, the research, technology, and evaluation arm of the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ). She later served as Special Assistant to the Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Justice Programs within DOJ, leading strategic initiatives and serving as liaison to the Office of the Attorney General. She previously served as research director for the Texas sentencing commission.

From 2014-2016, La Vigne also served as executive director for the congressionally mandated, bipartisan Charles Colson Task Force on Federal Corrections Reform. She was founding chair of the board of the Crime and Justice Research Alliance and serves as a director on the board of the Consortium of Social Science Associations. La Vigne has delivered invited testimony before Congress on topics of research evidence in criminal justice practices, reentry from prison and jail, and state and federal criminal justice reform. She has been featured on NPR's *Morning Edition*, *All Things Considered*, *Marketplace*, and the nationally syndicated *Diane Rehm Show*, as well as *Atlantic Monthly*, the *New York Times*, the *Washington Post*, and the *Chicago Tribune*.

Dr. La Vigne holds a PhD in Criminal Justice from Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, an MA in Public Affairs from the LBJ School at the University of Texas-Austin, and a BA in Government and Economics from Smith College in Northampton, Massachusetts.

Professional Experience

Vice President of Justice Policy, Urban Institute

2009 - Present

Responsible for the strategic leadership and comprehensive oversight of the Justice Policy Center, supervising five dozen researchers as well as administrative staff, and managing all budget, business development, financial health, and personnel decisions. Oversee a portfolio of ~50 active research projects spanning a wide array of crime and justice topics. Ensure quality, rigor, and timeliness of grant proposals and final research products. Serve as lead media spokesperson and direct the center's dissemination activities, guiding the content of the center's website, e-newsletter, printed materials, and media outreach. Serve as principal investigator on projects pertaining to police reform, criminal justice technologies, reentry programs, prison reform, and community crime prevention initiatives.

Senior Research Associate, Justice Policy Center, Urban Institute

2001-2009

Directed corrections, public safety, and criminal justice program evaluations, including a \$7 million longitudinal study of prisoner reentry. Created and served as Principal Investigator for the Reentry Mapping Network, a group of 12 cities engaged in mapping corrections data to inform the development of local reentry initiatives. Managed research and support staff, conducted and supervised data analyses and report production. Developed winning proposals on a variety of prisoner reentry, corrections, policing, and criminal justice technology topics.

Senior Social Science Analyst, National Institute of Justice

2001

Served as a senior researcher with the National Institute of Justice's Office of Research and oversaw peer review processes.

Special Assistant to the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Justice Programs, US Department of Justice

2000 - 2001

Provided research and policy guidance on key Office of Justice Programs (OJP) initiatives; identified criminal justice trends and research issues and their potential impact on OJP programs. Represented OJP at daily meetings with Attorney General Janet Reno, preparing responses to Ms. Reno's inquiries on a variety of criminal justice research and statistics topics. Worked closely with the Assistant Attorney General and other DOJ officials in strategic planning efforts.

Director, Crime Mapping Research Center, National Institute of Justice, US Department of Justice

1997 - 2000

Founded and directed all aspects of center devoted to the research, development, evaluation, and dissemination of information on the spatial analysis of crime and the use of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in criminal justice research and practice. Directed the Center's research projects and supervised staff of seven full-time employees.

Social Science Analyst, National Institute of Justice, US Department of Justice 1995 – 1997

Drafted research grant solicitations, oversaw award processes, and monitored Crime Act grants, including research and evaluation on police-community partnerships. Conducted intramural research on the geography of crime, crime prevention on mass transit systems, and homicide trends. Served as technical resource to NIJ staff on Situational Crime Prevention, GIS, Problem-Oriented Policing, Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design, and sentencing policy.

Education

- 1996 PhD, Criminal Justice
Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
- 1991 MPA, Public Affairs
LBJ School of Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin
- 1987 BA, Political Science and Economics, Smith College

Additional Work Experience

- 2008-2009 Adjunct lecturer, George Washington University
- 1995 Consultant, National Development and Research Institute
- 1995 Consultant, Ricci Associates
- 1994-1995 Researcher, Rutgers University
- 1994 Consultant, National Council on Crime and Delinquency
- 1991-1993 Research Director, Texas Sentencing Commission
- 1990-1993 Consultant, Police Executive Research Forum
- 1990 Research Fellow, Police Executive Research Forum

Honors

Distinguished Public Service Award, for an LBJ School of Public Affairs alumnus whose career and public service record best represent the values on which the school was founded, 2018.

Herbert Bloch Award, awarded by the American Society of Criminology for outstanding service contributions to the professional interests of criminology, 2017.

Urban Institute President's Award, for outstanding communications, public surveillance camera study, 2013.

National Partnership for Reinventing Government's Hammer Award, for the innovative work of the Crime Mapping Research Center, December, 2000.

National Institute of Justice Special Act Award, December, for the establishment of the Crime Mapping Research Center, 1997

Rutgers Excellence Fellowship Award, 1993-1997.

Emmette S. Redford Award for Outstanding Research, for the best Master's Thesis in the graduating class of 1991.

Lyndon Baines Johnson Foundation Award for Academic Excellence, for graduating with a 4.0 GPA, 1991.

Professional Service

Founding chair, Crime & Justice Research Alliance, 2014 – 2016; **board member**, 2017 – present.

Member, American Society of Criminology Policy Committee, 2017 – present.

Director, Governing Board, Consortium of Social Science Associations, 2014 – 2017.

Steering committee member, National Reentry Resource Center, 2009 – 2012.

Associate editor, *Security Journal*, 2005 – present.

Associate editor, *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation*, 2005 – present.

Advisory board member, Institute for Higher Education Policy's Prisoner Access to Postsecondary Education Study, 2004 – 2005.

Advisory board member, Allegheny County Jail Collaborative Study, 2004 – 2007.

Advisory board member, Center for Spatially Integrated Social Sciences, University of California at Santa Barbara, 1999 – 2005.

Advisory board Member, Philadelphia Gun Tracing Initiative, 1998 – 2001.

Reviewer, *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*, *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*, *Justice Research and Policy*, *Journal of Experimental Criminology*, *Western Criminology Review*, ongoing.

Steering committee member, Crime Mapping and Data-Driven Management Task Force, 1998 – 1999.

Judge, Herman Goldstein Committee for Problem-Oriented Policing, 1996 – 2007.

Publications

Peer-reviewed Publications

La Vigne, Nancy G. (2019). Next Steps for First Step: Building a Stronger Foundation of Oversight, Transparency, and Accountability. *Federal Sentencing Reporter*. 32(1):104-105.

Sakala, Leah and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2019). Community-Driven Models for Safety and Justice. *Du Bois Review: Social Science Research on Race*, 1-14.
doi:10.1017/S1742058X19000146

Lawrence, D. S., McClure, D., Malm, A., Lynch, M., & **La Vigne, Nancy G.** (2019). Activation of body-worn cameras: Variation by officer, over time, and by policing activity. *Criminal Justice Review*, 44(3), 339-355.

Lawrence, D. S., **La Vigne, Nancy G.**, Goff, M., & Thompson, P. S. (2019). Lessons learned implementing gunshot detection technology: Results of a process evaluation in three major cities. *Justice Evaluation Journal*, 1(2), 109-129.

Irvin-Erickson, Y., **La Vigne, Nancy G.**, Levine, N., Tiry, E., and S. Bieler (2017). What does Gunshot Detection Technology tell us about gun violence? *Applied Geography*. 86.

Levy, Jeremy M., Yasemin Irvin-Erickson, and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2017). A case study of bicycle theft on the Washington DC Metrorail system using a Routine Activities and Crime Pattern theory framework. *Security Journal*. 31(3):1-21.

Denver, Megan and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2015). Extending Dynamic Mapping to Reentry Practitioners: An Exploration of Rhode Island's Community Supervision Mapping System. *The Prison Journal*, Vol. 95.

Debus-Sherill, Sara and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2014). CCTV in Jail Housing: An Evaluation of Technology-Enhanced Supervision. *Security Journal*.

Halberstadt, Robin and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2011). Evaluating the Use of Radio Frequency Identification Device (RFID) Technology to Prevent and Investigate Sexual Assaults in a Correctional Setting. *The Prison Journal*, Vol. 93.

Naser, Rebecca L. and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2006). "Family Support in the Prisoner Reentry Process: Expectations and Realities." *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation*.43 (1).

La Vigne, Nancy G., Rebecca L. Naser, Lisa E. Brooks and Jennifer L. Castro (2005). "Examining the Effect of Incarceration and In-Prison Family Contact on Prisoners' Family Relationships." *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice*. 21 (4):1-22.

Visher, Christy and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2003) "Returning Home: A Pilot Study of Soon-to-be-Released Prisoners in Maryland." *Justice Research & Policy Journal* 5(2), Fall 2003.

Groff, Elizabeth R. and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2002). "Forecasting the Future of Predictive Crime Mapping." In N. Tilley (Ed.), Analysis for Crime Prevention. *Crime Prevention Studies* Volume 13. Monsey, NY: Criminal Justice Press.

Groff, Elizabeth R. and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2001). "Mapping an Opportunity Surface of Residential Burglary." *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*. 38(1):257-278.

La Vigne, Nancy G. and Elizabeth R. Groff (2001). "The Evolution of Crime Mapping in the United States: From the Descriptive to the Analytic." In A. Hirschfield and K. Bowers (Eds.), *Mapping and Analysing Crime Data*. Liverpool: University of Liverpool Press.

La Vigne, Nancy G., Jill K. Fleury, and Joseph Szakas (2001). "Detecting Chop Shop Locations" In L. Turnbull (Ed.), *Atlas of Crime*. Phoenix: Oryx Press.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (1997). "Making Mass Transportation Safe on the Washington, DC Metro System." *Hanzai to Hiko* (Crime and Delinquency), Volume 112, published by Kyosei-Fukushikai (Japanese Correction Welfare Association).

Book Chapters & Edited Volumes

La Vigne, Nancy G., and Nkechi Erondy (2020). "Robbery of Convenience Stores in Houston, Texas" in Michael S. Scott and Ronald V. Clarke (Eds.), *Problem-Oriented Policing: Successful Case Studies*. London and New York: Routledge.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (2019). "Reentry Programs, Evaluation Methods and the Importance of Fidelity," In 237-G. Robinson and E. E. Smith (Eds.), *Education for liberation: The politics of promise and reform inside and beyond America's prisons*. Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield Publishing Group, Inc.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (2018). "Applying Regulatory Measures to Address Crime Problems: An AGILE Approach to Enhancing Public Safety" In Joshua D. Freilich and Graeme R. Newman (Eds.), *Regulating Crime: The New Criminology of Crime Control*. Vol 679 (1): 202 – 215.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (2015). Crime in and Around Metro Transit Stations: Exploring the Utility of Opportunity Theories of Crime. In: *Safety and Security in Transit Environments: An interdisciplinary Approach*, V. Ceccato and A. Newton (Eds.), London: Palgrave.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (2012). Capitalizing on the Often Untapped Role of Family in Successful Reentry. In R. Immarigeon and L.M. Fehr (Eds.) *Pathways to Prisoner Reentry*. Washington, DC: American Correctional Association.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (2012). Using Rational Choice and Situational Crime Prevention to Inform, Interpret, and Enhance Public Surveillance Efforts: A three city study. In N. Tilley and G. Farrell (Eds.), *The Reasoning Criminologist: Essays in Honour of Ronald V. Clarke*. Routledge Press.

Brazzell, Diana and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2008). "Evaluating the Potential of Faith-Based Correctional Models: A Case Study of Florida's Faith- and Character-Based Institutions." In Joshi, Pamela, Stephanie Hawkins, and Jeffrey Novey (Eds.) *Compendium of Research Papers presented at the Faith-Based and Community Initiatives Conference on Research, Outcomes, and Evaluation*. Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, The Center for Faith-Based and Community Initiatives. 237-262.

Cahill, Meagan and **Nancy G. La Vigne** (2008). "Residential Mobility and Drug Use among Parolees in San Diego, CA and Implications for Policy." In Y. Thomas, D. Richardson, & I. Cheung (ed.), *Geography and Drug Abuse*. New York: Springer.

La Vigne, Nancy G. and Julie Wartell (2001). *Mapping Across Boundaries: Regional Crime Analysis*. Washington, DC: Police Executive Research Forum.

La Vigne, Nancy G. and Julie Wartell (1999). "Crime Mapping for Problem Solving." In C.S. Brito and T. Allan (Eds.), *Problem-Oriented Policing: Crime specific problems, critical issues, and making POP work* (Volume II). Washington: Police Executive Research Forum.

La Vigne, Nancy G. and Julie Wartell, Eds. (1999). *Crime Mapping Case Studies: Successes in the Field: Volume II*. Washington: Police Executive Research Forum.

La Vigne, Nancy G. and Julie Wartell, Eds. (1998). *Crime Mapping Case Studies: Successes in the Field*. Washington, DC: Police Executive Research Forum.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (1997). "Safe Transport: Security by Design on the DC Metro." In *Crime Prevention Studies*, Volume 6, Ronald V. Clarke (Ed.) Monsey, New York: Criminal Justice Press.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (1997). "Security by Design on the Washington Metro." In *Situational Crime Prevention: Successful Case Studies*, 2nd ed., edited by R.V. Clarke, New York, New York: Harrow and Heston.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (1994). "Rational Choice and Inmate Disputes Over Phone Use on Rikers Island." *Crime Prevention Studies*, Volume 3, Ronald V. Clarke (Ed.) Monsey, New York: Criminal Justice Press.

La Vigne, Nancy G. (1993). "Gasoline Drive-Offs: Designing a Less Convenient Environment." *Crime Prevention Studies*, Volume 2, Ronald V. Clarke (Ed.) Monsey, New York: Criminal Justice Press.

Select Papers & Research Reports

Lawrence, D. S., **La Vigne, N.G.**, & P.S. Thompson (2019). *Evaluation of gunshot detection technology to aid in the reduction of firearms violence*. Washington, DC: Office of Justice Programs. Retrieve from:

Fontaine, J., Esthappan, E., **La Vigne, N.G.**, Lawrence, D. S., & J. Jannetta (2019). *Updated: Views of the police and neighborhood conditions: Evidence of change in six cities participating in the National Initiative for Building Community Trust and Justice*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N. G., Thompson, P. S., Lawrence, D. S., & M. Goff (2019). *Implementing gunshot detection technology: Recommendations for law enforcement and municipal partners*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G., Jannetta, J., Fontaine, J., Lawrence, D. S., & S. Esthappan (2019). *The National Initiative for Building Community Trust and Justice: Key Process and Outcome Evaluation Findings*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

Fontaine, J., **La Vigne, N.G.**, Leitson, D., Erondou, N., Okeke, C. and A. Dwivedi (2018). *“We Carry Guns to Stay Safe”: Perspectives on Guns and Gun Violence from Young Adults Living in Chicagos West and South Sides*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

McClure, D., **La Vigne, N.G.**, Lynch, M., Golian, L. and D. Lawrence (2017). *How Body Cameras Affect Community Members’ Perceptions of Police*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

Duane, M. **Lavigne, N.G.**, Reimal, E., and M. Lynch (2017). *Criminal Background Checks: Impact on Employment and Recidivism*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N. G., Fontaine, J. and A. Dwivedi (2017). *How Do People in High-Crime, Low-Income Communities View the Police?* Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G. (2016). *Harnessing the Power of Technology in Institutional Corrections*. NIJ Journal, No. 278.

Goff, P.A., Obermark, D., and **N.G. La Vigne**, Jennifer Yahner, and Amanda Geller (2016). *The Science of Policing Equity: Measuring Fairness in the Austin Police Department*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute and the Center for Policing Equity.

Bieler, S. , Kijakazi, K., **La Vigne, N.G.**, Vinik, N. and S. Overton (2015). *Engaging Communities in Reducing Gun Violence: A Road Map for Safer Communities*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N. G., Lachman, P., Rao, S. and A. Matthews (2014). *Stop and Frisk: Balancing Crime Control with Community Relations*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

Bieler, S. and **N.G. La Vigne** (2014). *Close-Range Gunfire around DC Schools*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N. G., Bieler, S. Kramer, L., Ho, H. Kotonias, C. Mayer, D., McClure, D. Pacifici, L., Parks, E., Peterson, B. and J. Samuels, (2014). *Justice Reinvestment Initiative State Assessment Report*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N. G., Davies, E., Lachman, P., and S. R. Neusteter, (2013). *Justice Reinvestment at the Local Level: Planning and Implementation Guide*. Second Edition. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

Samuels, J., **La Vigne, N.G.**, and S. Taxy (2013). *Stemming the Tide: Strategies to Reduce the Growth and Cut the Cost of the Federal Prison System*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, Nancy G., Pamela Lachman, Andrea Matthews, and S. Rebecca Neusteter (2012). *Key Issues in the Police Use of Pedestrian Stops and Searches*. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N. G., Sherrill-Debus, S. Brazzell, D. and P.M. Downey (2011). *Evaluation of a Situational Crime Prevention Approach in Three Jails: The Jail Sexual Assault Prevention Project*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G. and S.S. Lowry (2011). *Evaluation of Camera Use to Prevent Crime in Commuter Parking Facilities: A Randomized Controlled Trial*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G., Lowry, S.S., Dwyer, A. and J. Markman (2011). *Using Public Surveillance Systems for Crime Control and Prevention: A Practical Guide for Law Enforcement and Their Municipal Partners*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

Lucht, J., **La Vigne, N.G.,** Brazzell, D. and M. Megan Denver (2011). *Enhancing Supervision and Support for Released Prisoners: A Documentation and Evaluation of the Community Supervision Mapping System*. Providence, RI: The Providence Plan.

La Vigne, N.G., Owens, C. and S. Hetrick (2010). *Evaluation of the Safe City Initiative*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

Visher, C., Yahner, J. and **N.G. La Vigne** (2010). *Life after Prison: Tracking the Experiences of Male Prisoners Returning to Chicago, Cleveland, and Houston*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G., Shollenberger, T. and S. Debus (2009). *One Year Out: The Experiences of Male Returning Prisoners in Houston, Texas*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

Brazzell, D. and **N.G. La Vigne** (2009). *Prisoner Reentry in Houston: Community Perspectives*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G., Brooks, L.E., and T. Shollenberger (2009). *Women on the Outside: Understanding the Experiences of Female Prisoners Returning to Houston, Texas*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N. G., Davies, E., Palmer, T. and R. Halberstadt (2008). *Release Planning for Successful Reentry: A Guide for corrections, Service Providers, and Community Groups*. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G., Hetrick, S. and T. Palmer (2008). *Planning for Change: Security Managers' Perspectives on Preparing for Future Demographic and Crime Trends*. Washington, DC: **Urban Institute**.

La Vigne, N. G., Davies, E., and D. Brazzell (2008). *Broken Bonds: Understanding and Addressing the Needs of Children with Incarcerated Parents*. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G., Cowan, J., and D. Brazzell (2006). *Mapping Prisoner Reentry: An Action Research Guidebook*. Second Edition. Washington, DC: Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N.G., Solomon, A., Beckman, K. and K. Dedel (2005). *Prisoner Reentry and Community Policing: Strategies for Enhancing Public Safety*. Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services.

La Vigne, N.G. and Vera Kachnowski (2005). *Texas Prisoners' Reflections on Returning Home*. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.

La Vigne, N. G. and B. Parthasarathy (2005). *Returning Home to Illinois: Prisoner Reentry and Residential Mobility*. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.

Wartell, J. and **N.G. La Vigne** (2004). *Prescription Fraud*. Problem-Oriented Guides for Police, Problem-Specific Guides Series, Guide 24. Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (ISBN:1-932528-33-9).

La Vigne, N.G. and S. Wolf (2004). *Voices of Experience: Focus Group Findings on Prisoner Reentry in Rhode Island*. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.

Visher, Christy, **La Vigne, N.G.**, and J.Travis (2003). *Returning Home: Understanding the Challenges of Prisoner Reentry in Maryland*. Maryland Pilot Study Final Report. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.

Mamalian, C.A. and **N.G. La Vigne** (1999). "The Use of Computerized Mapping by Law Enforcement: Survey Results." *Research Preview*. Washington: National Institute of Justice.

La Vigne, N.G. (1997). "Visibility and Vigilance: Metro's Situational Approach to Preventing Subway Crime." In National Institute of Justice, *Research in Brief*, November.

La Vigne, N.G. and J.E. Eck (1993). *A Police Guide to Surveying Citizens and Their Environment*. Washington, DC: Bureau of Justice Assistance, October, 1993.

Select Presentations & Invited Testimony

Featured panelist at **Brookings Institution** event on *Improving Policing Culture in America*. Washington, DC: October 25, 2019.

Panel moderator, **Council on Criminal Justice** Leadership Summit. "The Next Step: CCJ Task Force on Federal Priorities," with Sally Yates, Eddie Bocanegra, and Mark Holden. Washington, DC: October 17, 2019.

Presenter, **National Academies of Science, Engineering, and Medicine**, Committee on Law & Justice, "The Criminal Justice System and Social Exclusion: Race, Ethnicity, and Gender." Washington, DC: April 3, 2018.

Invited plenary speaker at the **American Enterprise Institute** forum entitled “Education for liberation: The politics of promise and reform inside and beyond America’s prisons.” Washington, DC. November 14, 2017.

Delivered keynote address at the **International Community Corrections Association** annual conference, “Why a Job is Not Enough: Addressing Employment Needs of People with Criminal Records Holistically.” Seattle, WA. October 31, 2017.

Delivered keynote presentation at the **Justice Roundtable Quarterly Assembly**. Washington, DC. March, 2, 2016.

Delivered keynote presentation at the **International Corrections and Prison Association Annual Community Corrections Public Policy Forum**. Washington, DC. February 29, 2016.

Invited speaker, **Stockholm Criminology Symposium**, “Applying situational crime prevention to policing technologies: What have we learned and what does the future hold?” on panel entitled *Re-imagining what the police should and can do: The contributions of situational crime prevention*. Stockholm, Sweden. June 8, 2015.

Testified before the **US House of Representatives Committee on Judiciary, Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations** on “Lessons from the States: Responsible Prison Reform.” Washington, DC. July 15, 2014.

Testified before the **Committee on Judiciary, United States Senate**, “Oversight of the Bureau of Prisons & Cost-Effective Strategies for Reducing Recidivism.” Washington, DC. November 6, 2013.

Presented at plenary session at the **National Governors Association’s National Summit on State Government Redesign**, “Reducing Costs and Improving Efficiencies in State Corrections Systems.” Washington, DC. December 6, 2012.

Delivered keynote at the **Secured Cities: Urban Security and Municipal Surveillance Conference**, “Evaluation of the Impact of Public Surveillance on Crime.” Chicago, IL. April 20, 2011.

Testified before the **US House of Representatives Oversight and Government Reform Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Postal Service, and the District of Columbia** on “Housing DC Code Felons Far Away from Home: Effects on Crime, Recidivism, and Reentry.” Washington, DC. May 5, 2010.

Testified before the **US House of Representatives Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security** on H.R. 4080, the “Criminal Justice Reinvestment Act of 2009,” and H.R. 4055, the “Honest Opportunity Probation with Enforcement (HOPE) Initiative Act of 2009.” Washington, DC. May 11, 2010.

Delivered keynote presentation on "Justice Reinvestment as a Paradigm Shift," at the **Symposium on Undoing Mass Incarceration at the Center for Advancing Correctional Excellence**, George Mason University. Fairfax, VA. March 5, 2010.

Delivered keynote presentation at the **Prison Fellowship's Out4Life Conference** discussing the issues surrounding prisoner reentry. San Antonio, TX. June 29, 2010.

Delivered keynote address "Safer Communities at Less Cost: The Promise of Prisoner Reentry and Justice Reinvestment Initiatives" at the **John Howard Association of Illinois Annual Meeting**. Chicago, IL. September 16, 2010.

Delivered plenary presentation on "Race and Prisoner Reintegration." **University of Pittsburgh School of Social Work, Center on Race and Social Programs**. Pittsburgh, PA. July 9, 2008.

Delivered opening plenary keynote, "Understanding the Challenges of Prisoners Returning to Houston Communities," at the **Houston Reentry Summit**. Houston, TX. March 27, 2008.

Delivered luncheon keynote for the **Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction's Executive Retreat on Prisoner Reentry** in Ohio. Cincinnati, OH. October 11, 2007.

Delivered testimony at the **Florida Governor's Ex-Offender Task Force**, "Prisoner Reentry in Florida: Recent Trends and Characteristics." Tallahassee, FL. June 9, 2005.

Delivered luncheon keynote at the **National Conference on Offender Reentry—Coming Together, Strengthening Partnerships, and Planning for the Future**, "A Bird's Eye View: Mapping Prisoner Reentry to Inform Policy and Practice." Cleveland, OH. September 21, 2004.

Delivered plenary presentation at **National Governors Association Reentry State Policy Academy**, "Prisoner Reentry: A Cross-State Summary." Boston, MA. May 6, 2004.

Delivered plenary presentation at **1st National United Kingdom Crime Mapping Conference**, "Promoting the Use of Crime Mapping: Lessons Learned from the States." London, England. March 27, 2003.

Delivered keynote presentation at the **Australian Institute of Criminology's International Crime Mapping Conference**, "The Tipping Point: The Diffusion of Crime Mapping in the United States." Adelaide, Australia. September 20, 2000.

Delivered plenary presentation at **National Guard Bureau-Counterdrug Directorate GIS Symposium**, "Federal Partnerships for GIS and Crime Control." Arlington, VA. April 27, 2000.