Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

Ph.D. (Sociology) The University of Akron, Akron, OH, 2008.
Dissertation: "The Individual and Structural Levels of Routine Activities/Lifestyles Theory: A Cross-National Perspective of Victimization."

M.A. (Sociology) The University of Akron, Akron, OH, 2004.
Thesis: "Adolescent Delinquency: The Importance of Parental Attachment and Involvement."

B.A. (Sociology) Mount Union College, Alliance, OH, 2002.
Concentration in Criminal Justice

EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Sociology, Division of Sociology and Anthropology, West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV, Fall 2008 – present.

Instructor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, The University of Akron, Akron, OH, Fall 2005 – Spring 2008.

Instructor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, Mount Union College, Alliance, OH, Fall 2006, Fall 2007.

Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Sociology, The University of Akron, Akron, OH, Fall 2002 – Spring 2008.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, The University of Akron, Akron, OH, Fall 2004 – Summer 2006.

Editorial Assistant, *Sociological Focus*, Fall 2002 – Summer 2003

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Cross-National Victimization, Routine Activities Theory, Multilevel Research Methods, Social Construction of Crime/Gender, Crime/Victimization and Film, Neighborhood Disorder

PUBLICATIONS

REFEREED MANUSCRIPTS

Stein, Rachel E. (2010). "The Utility of Country Structure: A Cross-National Multilevel Analysis of Property and Violent Victimization." *International Criminal Justice Review*, 20(1), 35-55.

Stein, Rachel E. (2009). "A Comparative Analysis of Assault Victimization: The United States, the Netherlands, and England & Wales." *International Journal of Criminal Justice Sciences*, 4(1), 44-59.

Stein, Rachel E. and Stacey Nofziger. (2008). "Adolescent Sexual Victimization: Choice of Confidant and the Failure of Authorities." *Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice*, 6(2), 158-177.

Nofziger, Stacey and Rachel E. Stein. (2006). "To Tell or not to Tell: Lifestyle Impacts on Whether Adolescents Tell about Violent Victimization." *Violence and Victims*, 21(3), 371-382.

FORTHCOMING TECHNICAL REPORTS/BOOKS – PEER REVIEWED

Nolan, Jim, Ronald Althouse, Susie Bennett, and Rachel E. Stein. (Forthcoming, 2011). The Situational Approach to Community Policing: Training and Implementation Guide. Department of Justice, Community Oriented Policing Services.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

Stein, Rachel E. "The Moderating Effect of Country Structure on Routine Activities: A Comparative Analysis of Violent Victimization."

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

Stein, Rachel E. "Beyond Fixed Effects: Cross-National Variation in Individuals' Opportunities for Victimization."

Stein, Rachel E. "Cross-National Victimization: Beyond the Dichotomy of Industrialized and Non-Industrialized Countries within a Routine Activities Approach."

Stein, Rachel E. "Female Offending Constructed on the Silver Screen: An Exploration of Gender and Violence in Popular Film."

Stein, Rachel E. "Daily Routines Matter: The Relationship of Individual Routines and Property and Violent Victimization."

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Stein, Rachel E. and Katherine Burns. "Good Heroes, Bad Women: A Case Study of Violent Female Action Characters in Popular Film." Annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association, Cleveland, OH, April 2011.

Stein, Rachel E., James J. Nolan, and Susie Bennett. “A Multi-Site Analysis of Systematic Social Observations: The Impact of Neighborhood Disorder on Victimization.” Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA, November 2010.

Nolan, James J., Susie Bennett, and Rachel E. Stein. “Situational Policing: Findings from a Multi-Site Study Assessing Police and Neighborhood Psycho-emotional Dynamics.” (Non-presenter). Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA, November 2010.

Stein, Rachel E. “Cross-Level Interactions: An Explanatory Bridge of Cross-National Violent Victimization?” Joint annual meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society and the North Central Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, April 2010.

Stein, Rachel E. “Cross-National Variation in the Routines of Individuals: An Analysis of Assault and Burglary Victimization.” Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA, November 2009.

Robbins, Blaine, David Pettinicchio, and Rachel E. Stein. “Civic Engagement and Socio-Economic Structure: Cross-National Explanations of Victimization.” Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA, November 2009.

Nolan, James, Susan Bennett, Elizabeth L. Walling, and Rachel E. Stein. “Situational Policing: Seeing and Seizing on Neighborhood Dynamics to Reduce Crime and Build Collective Efficacy.” (Non-presenter). Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA, November 2009.

Stein, Rachel E. “Cross-National Victimization: Beyond the Dichotomy of Industrialized and Non-Industrialized Countries within a Routine Activities Approach.” Annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August 2009.

Stein, Rachel E. and Suzanne Slusser. “Female Offending Constructed on the Silver Screen: An Exploration of Gender and Deviance in Top Grossing Films.” Annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association, Dearborn, MI, April 2009.

Stein, Rachel E. “A Cross-National Analysis of Routine Activities Theory: The Importance of Country Structure on Victimization Experience.” Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, St. Louis, MO, November 2008.

Stein, Rachel E. “A Micro- and Macro-Routine Activity Theoretical Approach: Exploring Cross-National Victimization.” Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA, November 2007.

Teasdale, Brent, Rachel E. Stein, and Mary Laske. “A Multi-level Perspective on Race/Ethnicity and Substance Abuse.” (Non-presenter). Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA, November 2007.

Stein, Rachel E. "Assault Victimization in the United States, the Netherlands, and Northern Ireland: A Routine Activities Approach." Annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 2007.

Stein, Rachel E. "Cross-National Victimization: An Examination of Relationship to Offender and Crime." Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Los Angeles, CA, November 2006.

Stein, Rachel E. and J. Brooke Turney. "Prayer and Poverty: The Effectiveness of a Religious Organization to Alleviate Systemic Neighborhood Problems." Annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association, Indianapolis, IN, March 2006.

Stein, Rachel E. and Stacey Nofziger. "Who Knows: Adolescents' Choice of Confidant in Sexual Abuse Cases." Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Toronto, Canada, November 2005.

Slusser, Suzanne and Rachel E. Stein. "Offending Construed: The Celluloid Reflection of Prostitution." Annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association, Pittsburgh, PA, April 2005.

Stein, Rachel E. and Stacey Nofziger. "The Gendered Practice of Help Seeking Among Adolescent Physical Abuse Victims." Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Nashville, TN, November 2004.

Stein, Rachel E. "Adolescent Delinquency: The Importance of Parental Attachment and Involvement." Annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association, Cleveland, OH, April 2004.

GRANTS

INTERNAL RESEARCH GRANTS RECEIVED

Stein, Rachel E. Faculty Senate Research Grant titled, "Cross-National Variation in the Routines of Individuals: An Analysis of Assault and Burglary Victimization," awarded July 2009 for $6,850 by the West Virginia University Office of Sponsored Programs.

INTERNAL RESEARCH GRANTS IN PROGRESS

Conley, Jamison and Rachel E. Stein. Awards for Research Team Scholarship (ARTS) grant, titled, "A Spatial Analysis of Neighborhood Disorder and Crime." Award available through West Virginia University, Eberly College of Arts and Sciences. Full proposal submitted January 28, 2011.

INTERNAL TRAVEL GRANTS RECEIVED

Stein, Rachel E. Faculty Senate Travel Grant for the professional presentation of the paper titled "A Multi-Site Analysis of Systematic Social Observations: The Impact of Neighborhood Disorder on Victimization," at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in San Francisco, CA. Awarded December 2010 for $600 by the West Virginia University Office of

Sponsored Programs, $759.59 by the West Virginia University Eberly College of Arts and Sciences.

Stein, Rachel E. Faculty Senate Travel Grant for the professional presentation of the paper titled "Cross-National Victimization: Beyond the Dichotomy of Industrialized and Non-Industrialized Countries within a Routine Activities Approach," at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association in San Francisco, CA. Awarded October 2009 for $600 by the West Virginia University Office of Sponsored Programs, $440.66 by the West Virginia University Eberly College of Arts and Sciences.

Stein, Rachel E. Faculty Senate Travel Grant for the professional presentation of the paper titled "A Cross-National Analysis of Routine Activities Theory: The Importance of Country Structure on Victimization Experience," at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in St. Louis, MO. Awarded December 2008 for $600 by the West Virginia University Office of Sponsored Programs, $676.00 by the West Virginia University Eberly College of Arts and Sciences.

COURSES DEVELOPED AND TAUGHT

Sociology 232	Criminology, West Virginia University; Fall 2008 – Spring 2010, Spring 2011 (Sociology 330, Criminology) The University of Akron; Spring 2008
Sociology 233	Juvenile Delinquency, West Virginia University; Fall 2008 – Spring 2009, Spring 2010
Sociology 324	Gender and Crime, West Virginia University; Fall 2009, Fall 2010, Fall 2011
Sociology 493O	Gender, Crime, and Film, West Virginia University; Fall 2010, Fall 2011
Sociology 488	The Capstone Experience, West Virginia University; Fall 2010, Fall 2011
Sociology 389	Writing in Sociology in Sociology/Anthropology, West Virginia University; Fall 2010, Fall 2011
Sociology 490	Undergraduate Teaching Practicum, West Virginia University; Spring 2010, Spring 2011
Sociology 491	Undergraduate Professional Field Experience, West Virginia University; Spring 2011
Sociology 495	Undergraduate Independent Study, West Virginia University; Summer 2009, Fall 2010
Sociology 591A	Framing Social Research, West Virginia University; Spring 2011
Sociology 691A	Framing Social Research, West Virginia University; Spring 2011
Sociology 690	Graduate Teaching Practicum, West Virginia University; Spring 2010
Sociology 697	Graduate Research Hours, West Virginia University; Fall 2009
Sociology 698	Graduate Thesis Hours, West Virginia University; Fall 2009 – Summer 2010, Fall 2010
Sociology 699	Graduate Colloquium, West Virginia University; Fall 2010 – Spring 2011
Sociology 100	Introduction to Sociology, The University of Akron; Fall 2005 – Spring 2008

(Sociology 100, Introduction to Sociology) Mount Union College; Fall 2006, Fall 2007

ONLINE COURSES

Sociology 232 Criminology, West Virginia University; Summer 2010, Summer 2011
Sociology 233 Juvenile Delinquency, West Virginia University; Summer 2011

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT/COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY

Graduate committee member, Division of Sociology and Anthropology, West Virginia University, Fall 2008 – present.

Chair search committee member, Division of Sociology and Anthropology, West Virginia University, Spring 2011.

Criminology search committee member, Division of Sociology and Anthropology, West Virginia University, Fall 2008 – Spring 2009.

Employment Workshop committee co-chair (with Aya Kimura), SWS Local Chapter, Department of Sociology, The University of Akron, Fall 2007 – Spring 2008.

Alpha Kappa Delta, Mu Chapter Vice President, Department of Sociology, The University of Akron, Summer 2005 – Summer 2006.

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Colyer, Corey and Rachel E. Stein. "Experiments in Waking the Sleeping Giant: Strategies for Engaging Huge Classes." Presentation in the teaching session, "Innovative Teaching in Large Classes," Annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association, Cleveland, OH, April 2011.

Stein, Rachel E. Panel Discussant for the "Academic Job Market," Future Faculty Track Session, Annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, April 2010.

CONFERENCE SESSIONS CHAIRED

"Crime and Victimization in International Settings: Comparative and Cross-National Research." Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA, November 2009.

"Getting the Help that Victims, Their Parents, and Families Need." Annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Nashville, TN, November 2004.

PEER REVIEWER

Reviewed the textbook *Juvenile Delinquency: Mainstream and Crosscurrents,* for Oxford University Press, who was considering signing a revision of this text, January 2011

Reviewed Chapter 3 of Criminology: A Critical Thinking Approach (First Edition) for the McGraw-Hill Publishing Company, April 2010

Reviewed the Preface and Chapter 2 of Criminology: A Critical Thinking Approach (First Edition) for the McGraw-Hill Publishing Company, February 2010

Reviewed the Preface, Chapter 4, and Chapter 7 of Juvenile Delinquency: A Student-Oriented Approach (First Edition) for the McGraw-Hill Publishing Company, June 2009

Manuscript Reviewer, *Violence against Women*; 2009, 2004

Manuscript Reviewer, *Sociological Focus*; 2003

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Society of Criminology
Division of International Criminology in the American Society of Criminology
American Sociological Association
North Central Sociological Association
Sociologists for Women in Society

HONORS AND AWARDS

2010 Richard J. Terrill Paper of the Year Award, Sage Publications and the Department of Criminal Justice at Georgia State University, Received March 2011

Outstanding Woman Scholar, Women in Higher Education, The University of Akron, 2007

Alpha Kappa Delta, Mu Chapter, International Sociology Honor Society, Department of Sociology, The University of Akron, 2003