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# Education

1995 Ph.D. State University of New York at Albany (Sociology) Committee: Allen E. Liska (Chair), Steve Messner, Marv Krohn

1992 M.A. State University of New York at Albany (Sociology)

1990 B.A., Magna Cum Laude, State University of New York at Albany (Sociology)

# Appointments

June 2019 - Present

Director, Criminal Justice Research Center (CJRC). The Ohio State University.

October 2011 - Present

Professor, Department of Sociology, The Ohio State University.

October 2001 – September, 2011

Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, The Ohio State University.

October 1995 - September 2001

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, The Ohio State University.

# Publications

Hunt, Timothy, Carrie B. Oser, Peter D. Friedmann, Nicole Mack, Peter Balvanz, Bridget Freisthler, Redonna K Chandler, Karli Hochstatter, Daniel R. Harris, LaShawn Glasgow, Lauren D’Costa, Mary R. Russo, Barry Eggleston, Arnie Aldridge, Paul Bellair, Allyson

G. Cogan, James L. David, Nabila El-Bassel, Dawn Goddard-Eckrich, Steve Gomori, Holly Hagan, Steve Hanson, JaNae Holloway, Elizabeth N. Kinnard, Charlie Knott, Michael W. Konstan, Sharon L. Walsh, Patricia A. LeBaron, Michael S. Lyons, Margaret McGladrey, Joan Papp, Sean M. Murphy, Sandra Springer, Emmanuel Oga, Michele Staton, Elizabeth Schady, Fernando Montero, Hilary L. Surratt, Danelle Stevens-Watkins, John Winhusen, Gary A. Zarkin, Greer A. Hamilton & Joel G. Sprunger. 2025. “Overdose education and naloxone distribution in jails: Examining the impact

of the Communities That HEAL intervention in 4 states.” Health & Justice 13:47, https://doi.org/10.1186/s40352-025-00353-5.

Calder, Catherine A., Nicolo P. Pinchak, Christopher R. Browning, Brandon Carter, Emily Hsiao, Bethany Boettner, Jake Tarrence, and Paul E. Bellair. Forthcoming, 2025. “Mobility Network-Based Measurement of Local Collective Efficacy and its Consequences for the Spatial Patterning of Crime.” Journal of Quantitative Criminology.

Bellair, Paul E., Thomas L. McNulty, and Daniel Carlson. Forthcoming, 2025. "The Significance of Duration Weighted Neighborhood Effects for Violent Behavior and Explanation of Ethnoracial Differences." *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*: https://doi.org/10.1007/s10940-024-09588-1

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Bellair, Paul E., Steven Lopez, Eric LaPlant, Mike Vuolo, and Robert Apel. 2024. "Is Work Associated With More or Less Criminal Involvement in the Short-Term? New Evidence of the Former Among a Justice-Involved Sample?." Crime & Delinquency 70(9):

2223-2249.

Kolbeck, Simon, Steven Lopez, and Paul Bellair. 2024. "Does Stable Employment after Prison Reduce Recidivism Irrespective of Prior Employment and Offending?." Justice Quarterly 41(1): 38-61.

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Carlson, Dan, Paul E.Bellair, and Thomas McNulty. 2022. “Neighborhood context and race differences in sexual behavior: A duration-weighted contagion model.” Journal of Health and Social Behavior 63(1) 71–89.

Kolbeck, Simon, Paul E.Bellair, and Steven Lopez. 2022. “Race, Work History, and the Employment-Recidivism Relationship.” Criminology 60(4): 637-666.

LaPlant, Eric G, Paul E. Bellair, Brian R. Kowalski, Dionne Addison, and Stephanie Starr. 2021. “Assessing the Delivery of the Thinking for a Change Program in Modified Formats: An Experimental Approach.” International Journal

of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology. 65(8): 832–857.

Bellair, Paul E., Thomas L. McNulty, Vincent J. Roscigno, and Man Kit (Karlo) Lee.

2021. “Childhood Material Hardship and Externalizing Behavior.” Justice Quarterly 38: 454-478.

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Bellair, Paul E., Thomas L. McNulty, and Alex Piquero. 2019. “Persistent

Material Hardship and Childhood Physical Aggression.” Aggression and Violent Behavior 49: 1-9.

Bellair, Paul E., Ryan Light, and James Sutton. 2019. “Prisoners’ Personal Networks

in the Months Preceding Prison: A Descriptive Portrayal.” International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology 63: 383-405.

Bellair, Paul E., Michael Vuolo, and Eric G. LaPlant. 2018. “Frequent Drug Use and Negative Employment Outcomes among the Criminally Active.” Substance Use & Misuse 53: 828-836.

Bellair, Paul E. and James Sutton. 2018. “The Reliability of Drug Use Indicators Collected From a Prisoner Sample Using the Life Events Calendar Method.” Addiction Research and Theory 26: 95-102.

Bellair, Paul E. 2017. “Social Disorganization Theory.” Encyclopedia of Crime.

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Carlson, Dan, Thomas L. McNulty, and Paul E. Bellair. 2014. “Neighborhoods and Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Adolescent Sexual Risk Behavior.” Journal of Youth and Adolescence 43: 1536-1549.

McNulty, Thomas L., Paul E. Bellair, and Stephen J. Watts. 2013. “Neighborhood Disadvantage and Verbal Ability as Explanations of the Black–White Difference in Adolescent Violence: Toward an Integrated Model.” Crime and Delinquency 59: 140-160.

Bellair, Paul E. and Brian R. Kowalski. 2011. “Low-skill employment opportunity and African American-White difference in recidivism.” Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency 48: 176-208.

James Sutton, Paul E. Bellair, Brian R. Kowalski, Ryan Light, and Donald Hutcherson.

2011. “Reliability and validity of prisoner self-reports gathered using the life event calendar method.” Journal of Quantitative Criminology 27: 151-171.

Kauffman, Ross M., Amy K. Ferketich, David M. Murray, Paul E. Bellair, and Mary Ellen Wewers. 2010. “Tobacco Use by Male Prisoners under an Indoor Smoking Ban.” Nicotine & Tobacco Research 13: 449-456.

Bellair, Paul E, and Christopher Browning. 2010. "Contemporary disorganization research: An assessment and further test of the systemic model of neighborhood crime." Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency 47: 496- 521.

Bellair, Paul E., and Thomas L. McNulty. 2010. “Cognitive skills, adolescent violence,

and the moderating role of neighborhood disadvantage.” Justice Quarterly 27:538-559.

Kauffman, Ross M., Amy K. Ferketich, David M. Murray, Paul E. Bellair, and Mary Ellen Wewers. 2010. “Measuring tobacco use in a prison population.” Nicotine & Tobacco Research 10.1093:1-7.

Bellair, Paul E. and Thomas L. McNulty. 2009. “Gang membership, drug selling, and violence in neighborhood context.” Justice Quarterly 26:644-669.

Bellair, Paul E. and Thomas L. McNulty. 2005. “Beyond the bell curve: Community disadvantage and the explanation of Black-White differences in adolescent violence.” Criminology 43: 1135-1168.

McNulty, Thomas L. and Paul E. Bellair. 2003a. "Explaining racial and ethnic differences in serious adolescent violent behavior.” Criminology 41: 709-48.

McNulty, Thomas L., and Paul E. Bellair. 2003b. "Explaining racial and ethnic differences in adolescent violence: Structural disadvantage, family well-being, and social capital.” Justice Quarterly 20: 1-32.

Bellair, Paul E., Vincent J. Roscigno, and Thomas L. McNulty. 2003. “Linking local opportunity to adolescent attachment and delinquency.” Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency 40: 6-33.

Bellair, Paul E., Vincent J. Roscigno, and Maria B. Vélez. 2002. “Occupational structure, social learning, and adolescent violence.” pp. 197-225 in Akers, Ron, and Gary Jensen’s (eds) Social Learning Theory: A Guide for the Twenty First Century (Volume 11 in the series Advances in Criminological Theory).

Markowitz, Fred, Paul E. Bellair, Allen E. Liska, Jianhong Liu. 2001. "Extending social disorganization theory: Modeling the relationship between cohesion, disorder, and fear.” Criminology 39:293-320.

Bellair, Paul E. 2000. "Informal surveillance and street crime: A complex relationship.” Criminology 38:137-170.

Bellair, Paul E., and Vincent J. Roscigno. 2000. “Local labor market opportunity and adolescent delinquency.” Social Forces 78:1509-1538.

Bellair, Paul E., Lauren J. Krivo, and Ruth D. Peterson. 1999. "Community, inequality, and crime.” Sociological Focus 32:1-5.

Liska, Allen E., Rachel Whaley-Bridges, Fred Markowitz, and Paul E. Bellair. 1999. "Modeling the relationship between the criminal justice and mental health system.” American Journal of Sociology 104: 1744-1775.

Liska, Allen E., John R. Logan, and Paul E. Bellair. 1998. "Race and violent crime in the suburbs.” American Sociological Review 63: 27-38.

Bellair, Paul E . 1997. "Social interaction and community crime: Examining the importance of neighbor networks.” Criminology 35: 677-704.

Reprinted in: Crutchfield, Robert D., George S. Bridges, Joseph G. Weiss, and Charis Kubrin (editors). 2000. *CRIME*, Vol. 1 of Crime and Society, 2nd edition.

Thousand Oaks, CA: Pine Forge Press.

Liska, Allen E., and Paul E. Bellair. 1995. "Violent-crime rates and racial composition: Convergence over time.” American Journal of Sociology 101: 578-610.

Alba, Richard, D., John R. Logan, and Paul E. Bellair. 1994. "Living with crime: The implications of racial/ethnic differences in suburban location.” Social Forces 73: 395-434.

Articles Under Review

McNulty, Thomas L, Paul E. Bellair, Man Kit Lei, and Arlana Henry. “Structural Racism and Violent Contexts.”

Bellair, Paul E., Chad Malone, and Simon Kolbeck. “Revisiting the Relationship Between Certainty of Prison and Crime: A Contemporary Panel Analysis.”

Bellair, Paul E., and Steven H. Lopez. “Pre-Prison Differential Reinforcement and Post-Prison Recidivism.”

Lopez, Steven, and Paul E. Bellair. “Understanding “Doubling Up”: Why Men Involved in Income-Generating Crime Hold Legal Jobs.” (with Phoebe Wasserstrom, undergraduate criminology student)

Articles in Progress:

Lopez, Steven H., and Paul E. Bellair. "Formerly incarcerated men, felon friendly employer recruitment, and labor market opportunities.” With Joy Ku (undergraduate student).

Lopez, Steven H., and Paul E. Bellair. “Job opportunities and upward mobility among formerly incarcerated men.”

Bellair, Paul E., and Steven H. Lopez. “Thoughts and feelings about change: the role of human agency in criminal desistance.”

Bellair, Paul E., and Steven H. Lopez. “Rethinking the role of employment in the process of desistance.”

Edited Journal Issues:

Krivo, Lauren J., Paul E. Bellair, and Ruth D. Peterson. 1999. Editors, Special Issue on crime and community. Sociological Focus Volume 32.

Research Reports :

Kolbeck, Simon, and Paul E. Bellair. 2023. “Crime Data Analysis in Columbus, OH.” Analysis prepared by the Criminal Justice Research Center for the Columbus, OH Police Department (CPD).

Bellair, Paul E., Douglas A. Berman, Eric G. LaPlant, and Mark E. Pauley. 2019. “The Opioid Crisis: Literature Review of Research on Origins, Trends, Demographics and Policy Responses.” Prepared for the Drug Enforcement Policy Center, The Ohio State University.

Bellair, Paul E., and Eric G. LaPlant. 2016. “ORAS-PAT Final Report.” Prepared for the Franklin County Municipal Court Probation Department.

Funded/Pending/Unfunded Awards:

Bellair, Paul E., and Steven H. Lopez (Co-PI). Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction. $200,000. 11/01/24-11/01/2026. “Evaluation of Ohio Penal Industries.” Principal Investigator. Funded.

Bellair, Paul E. Franklin County. “Data Analysis for Franklin County Sheriffs.” $139,999.

08/01/23-08/31/2025. Principal Investigator. Funded.

Bellair, Paul E., and Steven H. Lopez (Co-PI). Bureau of Justice Statistics. “Reentry Needs of the Unhoused.” $500,000. Principal Investigator. Unfunded.

Bellair, Paul E., Robin Engel, and Nicholas Corsaro. Ohio Department of Public Safety. “An Assessment of The Stark County Violent Crime Task Force: ARPA Evaluation.”

$140,000. 03/01/2024-6/30/2026. Unfunded.

Bellair, Paul E., and Steven H. Lopez (Co-PI). Ohio Department of Youth Services (ODYS). Project period TBD. $50,000. “Data analysis of sexual victimization data.” Principal Investigator. Unfunded.

City of Columbus, RFQ. 01/31/22 - 12/31/2023. “Crime Data Analysis in Columbus, OH.”

$50,000. Principal Investigator. Vlad Kogan (co-PI). Funded

National Science Foundation (NSF). 1/15/23 – 12/31/25. National Science Foundation (NSF). “Toward a "Work Identity" Theory of Desistance.” Principal Investigator. $308,862.00. Unfunded.

BGSU Center for Justice Research. 04/25/2022 - 06/30/2023. The Impact of Pretrial Detention on Court Appearance, Case Outcomes, and Recidivism. Principal Investigator. Vlad Kogan (co-PI). $89,991.00. Unfunded.

Bureau of Justice Assistance. 10/15/21 - 10/15/25. Exploring the Efficacy of Varied Program Offerings. Co-PI with ODRC Staff. $348,317. Unfunded.

National Institute of Justice. 10/15/21 - 10/15/24. When Terrorists Come Home:

Post-Conviction Patterns and Recidivism in Federal Terrorism Cases. Unfunded.

Department of Sociology. 01/01/21 – 12/31/21. “Meanings of Work: Understanding the Role of Employment in Criminal Desistance.” $15, 500. Funded.

National Institute of Justice (NIJ). 1/01/2021-12/31/2026. “Thinking for a Change Modified Delivery RCT.” Co-Principal Investigator. $502,410.00. Unfunded.

National Institute of Justice (NIJ). 1/01/2021-12/31/2026. “Randomized Controlled Experiment: Cognitive Behavioral Programming for Reentry Initiative for Higher Risk Offenders.” Co-Principal Investigator. $359,914.00. Unfunded.

National Science Foundation (NSF). 2/15/20 – 3/15/23. “Understanding the Desistance Process: A Mixed Methods Follow-up Study of 250 Former Prisoners” Principal Investigator. $465,190. Unfunded.

National Institute of Justice (NIJ). 2/15/20 – 2/15/23. “Understanding the Desistance Process: A Mixed Methods Follow-up Study of 250 Former Prisoners.” Principal Investigator. $469,875. Unfunded.

H.F. Guggenheim Foundation. 2/15/20 – 2/15/22. “Co-Occurrence of Legal Work and Income Generating Crime: A Mixed Methods Analysis.” Principal Investigator. $40,000. Unfunded.

Department of Sociology. 6/01/19 – 8/15/20. “Co-Occurrence of Legal Work and Income Generating Crime: A Mixed Methods Approach.” $25,000. Funded.

National Institutes of Health (NIH). 09/01/18-08/31/20. “Neighborhood Disadvantage, Concentration of Single Mother Households, and Substance Use across the Early Life Course.” Co-Investigator (Dan Carlson, PI). $434,063. Unfunded.

National Science Foundation (NSF). 5/15/19 – 5/15/22. “Co-Occurrence of Legal Work and Income Generating Crime: A Mixed Methods Analysis.” Principal Investigator. $415,259. Unfunded.

National Institute of Justice (NIJ). 1/01/2019-12/31/2021. “Thinking for a Change Modified Delivery RCT.” Co-Principal Investigator. $532,677. Unfunded.

State of Ohio. 7/01/18-12/31/2018. “Improving Outcomes for Individuals in the Criminal Justice System (DADRCMHAS-18-EP-003).” Principal Investigator. 603,149.00. Unfunded.

Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction Alien Grant. 01/01/2017– 12/31/2018. “High Security Prison Reentry Research.” Principal Investigator. $200,000.00. Funded.

National Institute of Drug Abuse. 6/1/17 - 6/1/22. “Reductions in Illicit Drug Use and Functional Outcomes among Probationers.” Principal Investigator. $2,241,407.00. Unfunded.

Department of Sociology. 8/16 – 7/17. “Linking Resource Utilization and Identity shift to Employment and Recidivism.” $21,981. Funded.

Criminal Justice Research Center (CJRC). 1/1/16-12/31/17. “Reduction in Illicit Drug Use and Functional Outcomes.” Principal Investigator. $13,991.00. Funded.

National Science Foundation (NSF). 3/15/15 – 3/15/18. “Collaborative research: The timing and quality of employment in relation to recidivism outcomes.” Principal Investigator. $74,284. Funded.

Criminal Justice Research Center (CJRC). 1/1/15-12/31/15. “The Employment Context of Prisoner Re-Entry,” Principal Investigator. $3,500. Funded.

National Institute of Drug Abuse. 9/15/14 - 9/15/17. “Variation in neighborhood and quality of work in relation to hard drugs and crime.” Principal Investigator.

$656,353. Not funded.

Criminal Justice Research Center (CJRC). 6/1/13-5/30/14. “Unraveling relations among employment, drug use, and crime with a weekly calendar.” Principal Investigator.

$11,754.52. Funded.

Initiative for Population Research (IPR). 8/1/11-7/31/12. “Race, socio-economic disadvantage, drug use and selling in a high risk sample.” Principal Investigator

$10,590.72. Funded.

Initiative for Population Research (IPR). 7/1/07-6/30/08.

“Neighborhood context and the causes and consequences of street drug use.” Principal Investigator. $7,881.26. Funded.

National Institute of Drug Abuse. 04/01/07-03/31/11. “Neighborhood, criminal justice confinement, and HIV risk among African Americans.” Principal Investigator.

$1,270,537. Not funded.

Criminal Justice Research Center (CJRC). 7/1/07-6/30/08.

“Neighborhood context and the causes and consequences of street drug use.” Principal Investigator. $4,360.15. Funded.

National Institute of Drug Abuse. 9/27/02 – 6/30/06. “Neighborhood Disadvantage, Gangs, Drugs, and Violence.” Principal Investigator. $147,000. Funded.

Ohio State Center for Urban and Regional Analysis (CURA). 07/01/03-07/30/04. “Community Context, Employment, and Recidivism among Ohio Parolees.” Principal Investigator. $30,000. Funded.

Criminal Justice Research Center Summer Faculty Fellowship for Grant Development.

Summer Quarter, 2002. “Explaining the Intergenerational Transmission of Criminal Behavior.” Principal Investigator. $6,977. Funded.

Criminal Justice Research Center Summer Faculty Fellowship for Grant Development.

Summer Quarter, 2000. “Local Labor Market Opportunity, Subcultural Formation, and Adolescent Violence.” Principal Investigator. $5,447. Funded.

The Ohio State University Seed Grant, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences. 1997-1998. "Empirically Testing Neighborhood Decline Theory." Principal Investigator. $28,580.40. Funded.

# Presentations

Bellair, Paul E., Thomas L. McNulty, and Daniel Carlson. Forthcoming, 2025. "The Significance of Duration Weighted Neighborhood Effects for Violent Behavior and Explanation of Ethnoracial Differences." Paper presented at the 2024 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

McNulty, Thomas L, Paul E. Bellair, Man Kit Lei, and Arlana Henry. “Structural Racism and Violent Contexts.” Paper presented at the 2023 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

Bellair, Paul E., and Steven Lopez. 2023. “The Role of Work and Rejection of the Criminal Self in the Process of Desistance from Crime in the Lives of the Formerly Incarcerated.

Invited Presentation to the Ohio Community Corrections Association. Dublin, OH.

Bellair, Paul and Steven H. Lopez. 2022. “The Relationship Between Work and Criminal Involvement in the Lives of the Formerly Incarcerated.” Invited Presentation at University of Georgia.

Bellair, Paul and Steven H. Lopez. 2022. “Meanings of Work and Criminal Involvement in the Lives of the Formerly Incarcerated.” Invited Presentation to the Franklin County Reentry Advisory Board during Central Ohio Reentry Week.

McNulty, Thomas L, Paul E. Bellair, and Man Kit Lei. 2022. “The Neglected Role of Concentration at the Extremes in Tests of the Racial Invariance Thesis.” Paper presented at the 2022 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

Kolbeck, Simon, Paul E. Bellair, and Steven H. Lopez. “Change in Employment Stability and Recidivism Outcomes.” Paper presented at the 2021 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Chicago, IL.

Carlson, Dan, Paul E.Bellair, and Thomas McNulty. 2020. “Neighborhood context and Adolescent Delinquency: A duration-weighted contagion model.” Paper accepted at the 2020 meetings of the American Society of Criminology.

Washington D.C. Meeting cancelled due to Covid-19.

McNulty, Thomas L, Man Kit Lei, Paul E. Bellair, Fernando Clark III. “The Assumption of Racial Invariance Revisited: The Case of Atlanta.” Paper presented at the 2019 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

Browning, Christopher R., Paul E. Bellair, Bethany Boettner, Catherine A Calder. “Location-Specific Collective Efficacy and Within-Neighborhood Variability in Crime.” Paper presented at the 2018 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

Bellair, Paul E,, Michael Vuolo, Eric LaPlant, and Robert Apel. “The Blending of Legal and Illegal Work and its Impact on the Work-Crime Relationship” Paper presented at the 2017 meetings of the American Society of Criminology.

Philadelphia, PA.

Bellair, Paul E. “Material Hardship, Physical Aggression, and the Emergence of Delinquency in Childhood.” Paper presented at the 2016 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. New Orleans, LA.

Bellair, Paul E. “Material Hardship, Physical Aggression, and the Emergence of Delinquency in Childhood.” Paper presented to the Criminal Justice Research Center, The Ohio State University. October 5th, 2016.

Bellair, Paul E. and Robert Apel. “Job commitment and street crime: A test of Sampson and Laub’s hypothesis concerning higher quality employment.” Paper presented to the Criminal Justice Research Center, The Ohio State University. March, 2015.

Paul E. Bellair and Light, Ryan. “Negative social capital in prisoner personal networks and its age-graded effect on recidivism.” Paper presented at the 2015 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Washington, D.C.

Bellair, Paul E. “Does high quality pre-prison employment reduce recidivism?” Paper presented to the John Glenn Institute, The Ohio State University. December, 2014.

Bellair, Paul E., and Robert Apel. “Does high quality pre-prison employment reduce recidivism.” Paper presented at the 2014 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

Bellair, Paul E., and Thomas L. McNulty. 2013. “Delinquency in Childhood: Individual, Family, School, and Neighborhood Influences.” Paper presented at the 2013 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

Keenan, Christopher, and Paul E. Bellair. 2013. Perception of Unfair Treatment by Police in Relation to Recidivism. Paper presented at the 2013 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

Keenan, Christopher, and Paul E. Bellair. 2013. “Legal Cynicism for Ex-Offenders: An Investigation of Reentry Outcomes and Cultural Frameworks.” 108th annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. New York: NY.

Bellair, Paul E., Brian Martin, Brian R. Kowalski, and Christopher Huggins. 2012. “Race difference in post-prison job starts and recidivism.” Paper presented at the 2012 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Chicago, IL.

Bellair, Paul E., and Thomas L. McNulty. 2012. “The emergence of racial/ethnic disparities in childhood delinquency.” Paper presented at the 2012 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Chicago, IL.

Bellair, Paul E., Brian Martin, Brian R. Kowalski, and Christopher Huggins. 2012.

“Race difference in post-prison job starts and recidivism.” Paper presented at the 2012 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Chicago, IL.

McNulty, Thomas L., and Paul E. Bellair. 2012. “The emergence of delinquency and racial/ethnic disparities in childhood delinquency.” Paper presented at the 2012 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Chicago, IL.

Bellair, Paul E., and Thomas McNulty. 2011. The conditional effect of cognitive skill on delinquency by race. Paper presented at the 2011 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Washington, DC.

Huggins, Christopher, Paul E. Bellair, and Brian R. Kowalski. “Labor market context, employment, and recidivism.” Paper presented at the 2010 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

Bellair, Paul E., and Thomas L. McNulty. “Cognitive skills, adolescent violence, and the moderating role of neighborhood disadvantage.” Paper presented at the 2009 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Philadelphia, PA.

Bellair, Paul E. “Reliability and validity of prisoner self-reports gathered using the life event calendar method.” Paper presented to The Initiative in Population Research seminar series. April, 2009.

Bellair, Paul E. “Reliability and validity of prisoner self-reports gathered using the life event calendar method.” Invited presentation to the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction Research Staff. May, 2009.

Bellair, Paul E. Discussant for Chris Uggen’s presentation "Entries and Exits: Contrasting Pathways to Community Reentry" to the Institute for Excellence in Justice and Criminal Justice Research Center, OSU. November, 2008.

Bellair, Paul E. “[Life Course, Drug Use, and Crime Among a Sample of Ohio Prisoners](http://convention2.allacademic.com/one/asc/asc07/index.php?click_key=1&cmd=Multi%2BSearch%2BSearch%2BLoad%2BSession&session_id=34647&PHPSESSID=b567bcce00c8c8220f5e58ed69faed39)” Paper presented at the 2007 meetings of the American Society of Criminology.

Atlanta, GA.

McNulty, Thomas L., and Paul E. Bellair. 2007. “The Black-White Test Score Gap and Racial Differences in Adolescent Violence.” Paper presented at the 2007 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

Bellair, Paul E., and James Sutton. “[Test-retest reliability of self-reports among prison](http://convention2.allacademic.com/one/asc/asc06/index.php?click_key=4&cmd=Multi%2BSearch%2BSearch%2BLoad%2BPublication&publication_id=126062&PHPSESSID=cf00ee19cf9af0c29b9c4a859f96483b) [inmates](http://convention2.allacademic.com/one/asc/asc06/index.php?click_key=4&cmd=Multi%2BSearch%2BSearch%2BLoad%2BPublication&publication_id=126062&PHPSESSID=cf00ee19cf9af0c29b9c4a859f96483b)” Paper presented at the 2006 meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Los Angeles, CA.

Bellair, Paul E. and Thomas L. McNulty. 2005. “Neighborhood disadvantage, gangs, drugs, and violence.” Paper presented at the 57th annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology. Toronto, Canada.

Brian Kowalski and Paul E. Bellair. 2004. “The community context of recidivism among Ohio parolees.” Paper presented at the 56th annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology. Nashville, TN.

Bellair, Paul E. and Thomas L. McNulty. 2003. “Beyond the Bell Curve: Community Disadvantage and the Explanation of Black-White Differences in Adolescent Violence.” Paper presented at the Inequality, Crime, and Justice symposium at The Ohio State University. Columbus, Ohio.

Bellair, Paul E. and Thomas L. McNulty. 2003. “Beyond the Bell Curve: Community Disadvantage and the Explanation of Black-White Differences in Adolescent Violence.” Paper presented at the 55th annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology. Denver, CO.

McNulty, Thomas L., and Paul E. Bellair. 2002. “The Effects of School and Individual level Social Capital Ties on Adolescent Delinquent and Problem Behavior.” Paper presented at the 54th annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology. Chicago, IL.

Paul E. Bellair and Thomas McNulty. 2001. "Explaining Racial and Ethnic Differences in Serious Adolescent Violent Behavior. Paper presented at the 53nd annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

McNulty, Thomas, and Paul E. Bellair. 2000. "Evaluating Contextual Explanations of Racial Differences in Violence." Paper presented at the 52nd annual

meetings of The American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

Bellair, Paul E., Vincent Roscigno, and Maria Velez. 1999. "Community Context,

Pro-Delinquent Values, and Violence." Paper presented at the 51st annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology. Toronto, Ontario.

Bellair, Paul E., and Vincent Roscigno. 1998. “Local Labor Market Opportunity, Resource/Attachment Processes, and Violence. Paper presented at the 50th annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology. Washington, DC.

Bellair, Paul E. 1997. "Fear, Informal Control, and Violent Crime: A Feedback Model of Community Organization. Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Toronto, Ontario.

Bellair, Paul E. 1996. "Neighbors, Family and Friends, and Crime: Examining the Effect of Social Networks." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY.

Liska, Allen E., Rachel Whaley-Bridges, Fred Markowitz, and Paul E. Bellair. 1996. "Modeling the Relationship Between the Criminal Justice and Mental Health System. Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY.

Bellair, Paul E. 1995. "Community Organization and Crime: A Complex Relation.

Paper presented at the 47th annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology, Boston, Ma.

Liska, Allen E., and Paul E. Bellair. 1994. "Violent-Crime Rates and Racial

Composition: Convergence over time. Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Miami, FL.

Bellair, Paul E. 1992. "Local Social Networks and Crime: A Test of Social

Disorganization Theory. Paper presented at the 44th annual meetings of The American Society of Criminology. New Orleans, La.

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Bellair, Paul E. 2013. Organizer and Presider, Regular Session on Violence. 108th meeting of the American Sociological Association. New York: NY.

Bellair, Paul E. 2010. “Local Context, Employment, and Recidivism.” Chair/Organizer. 61th annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

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Bellair, Paul E. 1998. "Multi-Level Research in Progress." Chair/Organizer. 50th annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Washington, DC.

Bellair, Paul E. 1997. "Transitions From Graduate School to Professional Employment." Chair/Discussant/Organizer. 49th annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Diego, CA.

Bellair, Paul E. 1996. "Causes and Consequences of Community Crime.

Chair/Discussant/Organizer. 48th annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Chicago, IL.

Bellair, Paul E. 1995. "Urban Neighborhoods and Crime: Current Theory and Research. Chair/Organizer. 47th annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology**.** Chicago, IL.

# Department, University, Disciplinary, and Public Service

Chair, Public Safety Advisory Committee. 2022-Present.

Member, Instructional Development Committee, 2020-Present. Member, Franklin County Reentry Advisory Board. 2022 - Present.

Vice-Chair, Division of Community and Place, American Society of Criminology.

2019-2023.

Chair, RAISE Criminal Justice Search Committee. 2022. Professional Leave, Autumn, 2021.

Member, Public Safety Advisory Committee, 2020-2022.

Member, Website Development, Public Safety Advisory Committee, 2020. Member, Instructional Development Committee, 2020-Present.

Member, Undergraduate Studies Committee, 2020. Member, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee, 2020. Member, Salary and Workload Committee, 2019.

Chair, Awards Committee, Division of Community and Place, American Society of Criminology. 2018.

Member, Executive Committee, Division of Community and Place, American Society of Criminology. 2018.

Coordinator, Sociology Course Development for Glenn School Public Policy Online Public Policy Program.

Chair, Huber/Form Brown Bag Committee Chair, 2018-2019. Member, Graduate Studies Committee, 2018-2019.

Member, Awards Committee. 2016-2017.

Affiliate, Franklin County Reentry Coalition. 2015-present. Member, Promotion / Tenure Committee 2013-2016.

Procedural Oversight Designee, Promotion / Tenure Committee 2013-present. Criminology Faculty Junior Search Committee 2013-2014.

Professional Leave, Spring, 2013.

Member, Criminology Faculty Senior Search Committee

Member, Editorial Board, American Sociological Review 2008-2011

Member, Publications Committee, American Society of Criminology 2010-2012 Member, Nomination Committee of ASA’s Crime, Law and Deviance section 2008-2011 Chair, Constitution/Bylaws Committee, American Society of Criminology 2005-2008 Member, Arts and Sciences Internship Advisory Committee 2008-2009

Member, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Curriculum Committee 2005-2010 Director, Undergraduate Studies 2004-2011

Chair, Undergraduate studies committee 2004-2011

Member, Neighborhood Safety Working Group, Columbus, OH 2004-2006 Professional leave, 2003-2004.

Member, Instructional Development Committee, 2002-2003, 2004-2009 Member, Senior Recruitment Committee: 2001-2002

Member, Research and Awards Committee: 2001-2002 Member, Grade Grievance Committee: 1999-2001 Member, Junior Faculty Search Committee: 1998-1999

Member, Graduate Admissions Committee: 1995-1996, 1997-1998 Member, Criminology Faculty Search Committee: 1996-1997 Member, Salary and Workload Committee: 1996-1997, 2005-2006

Coordinator, Brown Bag Series: Autumn, 1997

# Professional Affiliations

American Sociological Association (ASA) American Society of Criminology (ASC)

Faculty Affiliate, John Glenn School of Public Policy Faculty Affiliate, Initiative in Population Research Faculty Affiliate, Center for Urban and Regional Analysis