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Curriculum Vita

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EDUCATION

University of Maryland, College Park

Ph.D. Criminology and Criminal Justice
M.A. Criminology and Criminal Justice

2028 (Expected)
2025

Occidental College

B.A. Politics – Awarded Departmental Honors and Distinction

2023

CURRENT AFFILIATIONS

RAND Drug Policy Research Center

Summer Research Associate

May 2026 – August 2026

University of Maryland

Graduate Research Affiliate, *Center for Substance Abuse Research*

May 2026 – Present

Graduate Research Affiliate, *Maryland Population Research Center*

August 2025 – Present

Doctoral Candidate, *Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice*

August 2023 – Present

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Substance Use Trends; Drug Policy; Emergency Healthcare Utilization; Public Health Criminology

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Midgette G & Carr CJ. (2026). Waiting periods and the maturation of a policy evidence base: A commentary on Swanson et al. *JAMA Internal Medicine*.

Carr CJ, Reuter P, Midgette G. (2025). Variation in the public health orientation of alcohol and cannabis regulators: A state-level analysis. *International Journal of Drug Policy*, 146, e105060.

Kranak MP, Rooker GW, Carr CJ, Bradke P, Falligant JM, Hausman N. (2021). Evaluation of Accepted and Rejected Submissions in the Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis: Gender and Experience. *Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis*, 54(3), 1175-1187.

TECHNICAL & POLICY REPORTS

Bersani B, Midgette G, Ortiz V, Potter A, Tinney E, Carr C, Lee J, Kindall C, Soler C. (2024). Baybrook violence reduction strategy: Evaluation report. *Maryland Crime Research and Innovation Center*.

CURRENT PROJECTS

Under Review

Lopez A, Hassan T, Carr CJ, Jarppi K, Midgette G, O’Leary S, Bradley A, et al. Public Health Vending Machines in Washington, DC: Implementation Assessment Using Longitudinal Ethnographic Methods and the Consolidated Framework for Implementation Research. (Under review at the *International Journal of Drug Policy*)

In Progress

Carr CJ. Service Utilization Patterns among Harm Reduction Vending Machine Participants in Washington DC, 2023 – 2025.

Carr CJ. An analysis of changes in the demographic and socioeconomic factors associated with high frequency cannabis use.

Carr CJ, Priest M, Kilmer B. Microdosing frequency among US adults endorsing past-year psilocybin use.

Carr CJ, Reuter P, Midgette G, MacCoun R. How Should Cannabis Legalization Be Assessed?

Midgette G & **Carr CJ.** Syndemic spaces: The co-location of gun violence, overdose, and structural disadvantage.

Midgette G, Placzowski M, **Carr CJ.** Geographic and Structural Determinants of Surviving Gun Violence in the United States: Evidence from National EMS Data.

Porter LP, Sperry T, Midgette G, **Carr CJ, Hitchens B.** “These Kids Have Nowhere to Go”: A Sequential Mixed Methods Examination of Recreation Center Closings and Crime in Baltimore.

Midgette G, Spreen TL, Porter LC, **Carr CJ.** The Cost of Play: Do Youth Recreation Centers Improve Public Safety and Property?

INVITED TALKS

Ballard M, **Carr CJ, Nettuno L, & Sragovicz R.** (August, 2026). Kratom at a Crossroads: Evolving Products, Risks, and Policy Responses. RAND Drug Policy Research Center.

Carr CJ. (November, 2025). An evaluation of harm reduction vending machine implementation on drug-related police stops in Washington, DC. GIS Center, University of Maryland.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Instructor of Record

CCJS105: Introduction to Criminology

Fall 2025; Fall 2026

CCJS Primer for Quantitative Social Science Research (Graduate)

Summer 2025

Graduate Teaching Assistant

CCJS105: Introduction to Criminology

Fall 2023; Spring 2024

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

FYS58: Race and the Environment (Writing Seminar)

Spring 2023

FYS6: From Birth to Death – A Philosophical Life (Writing Seminar)

Fall 2022

POLS300: Research Methods in Political Science and Public Policy

Fall 2022

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Carr CJ. (November, 2026). Individual and Structural Correlates of Drug Overdose Reporting Behavior. Paper accepted at the American Society of Criminology. Chicago, I.L.

Midgett G, Spreen TL, Porter LC, **Carr CJ**. (November, 2026). The Cost of Play: Do Youth Recreation Centers Improve Public Safety and Property? Paper accepted at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management. Boston, M.A.

Carr CJ, Midgett G, Lopez A, & Hassan T. (November, 2025). An evaluation of harm reduction vending machine implementation on drug-related police stops in Washington, D.C. Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology. Washington, D.C.

Carr CJ. (November, 2025). A decomposition of daily and near daily (DND) cannabis use trends (2018 – 2024). Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology. Washington, D.C.

Midgett G & **Carr CJ**. (November, 2025). Syndemic spaces: The co-location of gun violence, overdose, and structural disadvantage. Paper Presented at the American Society of Criminology. Washington, D.C.

Midgett G, Placzkowski M, **Carr CJ**. (April, 2025). Life-saving Care & Gun Homicide: Preliminary findings from a nationwide sample of emergency management responses. Presentation presented at UConn ARMS (Advancing Research, Methods, and Scholarship in Gun Injury Prevention): Online.

Midgett G, **Carr CJ**, Reuter P. (April, 2025). California cannabis legalization. Presented at the United Nations Commission on Narcotic Drugs: Vienna, Austria.

Carr CJ, Jarppi K. (March, 2025). Health Equity and Harm Reduction in Washington DC: Rethinking Theoretical and Empirical Approaches towards an Understanding of Harm Reduction Vending Machines. Paper presented at the Society for Applied Anthropology. Portland, OR.

Carr CJ. (November, 2024). The Effect of an Unsanctioned Safe Consumption Site on Place-Based Crime. Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, C.A.

Carr CJ. (April, 2023). Organizational Form and the Evolution of American Patriot Movement Militias. Poster presented at the Western Political Science Association. San Francisco, C.A.

Carr CJ. (April, 2022). De Tocqueville on Materialism in Modern Democracy. Paper presented at the meeting of Mid-Atlantic Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, Johns Hopkins University: Baltimore, MD.

AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

University of Maryland, College Park

Summer Graduate Research Fellowship (\$5000)	Summer 2026
Jacob A. Goldhaber Travel Award (\$800)	March 2025
Outstanding Graduate Assistant Award (\$700)	February 2025
Dean's Fellowship (\$2500)	

Occidental College

Jane Jacquette Award for Service to the Politics Department and College	May 2023
Larry Caldwell Award for Academic Excellence	May 2023
Anderson Travel Grant (\$1100)	February 2023
Undergraduate Research Center Conference Travel Grant (\$500)	August 2022
Anderson Research Fellowship (\$4500)	Summer 2022

DEPARTMENT & DISCIPLINARY SERVICE

Department Service

Graduate Student Writing Group Organizer	Fall 2025 – Present
Graduate Student Working Group Co-Coordinator	Fall 2025 – Spring 2026
Peer Mentor	Summer 2024 – Present

Disciplinary Service*American Society of Criminology*

Health and Disability Criminology Division Member	Fall 2025 – Present
Communities and Place Division Member	Fall 2024 – Present

Ad Hoc Manuscript Reviewer

Criminology & Public Policy; International Journal of Drug Policy; Journal of Urban Health; Drug & Alcohol Review; Policing: An International Journal

SELECTED NON-ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Life After Release (Prince George's County, MD)	August 2025 – Present
Courtroom Observer	
ProQuest (Remote)	March 2024 – January 2026
Content Advisor: Civil Rights and Tax Policy Modules	
Northeast Neighborhood Outreach (Los Angeles, CA)	January 2023 – August 2023
Volunteer Staff	
Harm Reduction Action Center (Denver, CO)	May 2022 – December 2022
Volunteer Staff	

SKILLS

Technical Skills

Statistical Analysis: Stata, R (+ RMarkdown), fsQCA
Spatial Analysis: ArcGIS
Document Preparation: LaTeX, Microsoft Suite, Google Suite

Languages: English (Fluent), Spanish (Biliterate, Intermediate Conversational)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Criminology | American Public Policy and Management Association
