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Feminist Approaches to Justice:

South Asian Women in Justice Professions

Monday, 21st March 2022
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Dr. Sheetal Ranjan, Past Chair of Division on Women & Crime - American Society of Criminology; Professor, Montclair State University (USA)

Panelists

Impact of COVID-19 on Personal and Professional Lives of Women Police Officers in Kerala, India
Dr. Sandhya Bharathadas, Director General of Police, Fire & Rescue Services, Kerala (India)
Dr. Jyoti Belur, Associate Professor, University College London (UK)

Women in the Court System in India: Unveiling Gender Advocacy (As Lawyers, Litigants, Witnesses, Potential Beneficiaries)
Dr. Shashikala Gurpur, Fulbright Scholar; Jean Monnet Chair Professor (2021-24); Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune, Dean, School of Law; Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Former Member, Law Commission of India (India)
Justice (Dr.) Shalini Phansalkar Joshi, Former Judge, High Court of Bombay; Distinguished Visiting Judge Scholar in Residence, Symbiosis Law School, Pune (India)

Diversity, Inclusion and Gender Equality in Judicial Appointments in India: Towards a Feminist Approach
Justice Gita Mittal, Former Chief Justice, High Court, Jammu & Kashmir; Former Acting Chief Justice, Delhi High Court; Chairperson, Broadcasting Content Complaints Council (India)
Professor Dipika Jain, Professor of Law, Vice Dean Research & Clinical Legal Education, Director, Centre for Justice, Law and Society, Jindal Global Law School (India)

Women's Experiences Navigating Prisons in India
Dr. Penelope Tong, Social worker and Fieldwork supervisor, School of Social Work, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai (India)
Ms. Ntasha Bhardwaj, Founder-South Asian Institute of Crime & Justice Studies (India); Doctoral Candidate, Rutgers School of Criminal Justice (USA)

Panel Focus: SDGs 2, 5, 10, 13 & 16. CSW66 Priority Theme - Achieving gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls in the context of climate change, environmental and disaster risk reduction policies and programmes.

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Dr. Dawn Beichner, UN Representative World Society of Victimology; Professor, Illinois State University (USA)

Remarks

Introduction of Journal & Special Issue
Dr. Mahesh Nalla, Professor, Michigan State University (USA); Editor, International Journal of Comparative & Applied Criminal Justice

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U.S. Women in Justice Professions: A Half a Century After Title VII
Dr. Dawn Beichner, UN Representative World Society of Victimology; Professor, Illinois State University (USA)
Dr. Cara Rabe-Hemp, Associate Dean and Professor, Illinois State University (USA)
Dr. Mijin Kim, Assistant Professor, Illinois State University (USA)

Equity Before Equality for Women Police Around the World: Strategies for Change
Dr. Venessa Garcia, Associate Professor, New Jersey City University (USA)
Dr. Anqi Shen, Professor of Law, Northumbria University Newcastle (UK)

Women Victims of Domestic Violence in Brazil's Criminal Justice System: Who Are They and What Do They Say?
Dr. Fernanda Fonseca Rosenblatt, Professor, Catholic University of Pernambuco (Brazil); International Institute for Restorative Practices (USA)
Dr. Marília Montenegro Pessoa de Mello, Professor, Catholic University of Pernambuco (Brazil); Federal University of Pernambuco (Brazil)
Carolina Salazar L'Armée Queiroga de Medeiros, Professor, Catholic University of Pernambuco (Brazil)

Redefinition of Incarcerated Women's Identities in South Africa
Dr. Nontyatyambo Pearl Dastile, Professor of Criminology and Director of Postgraduate Studies, Walter Sisulu University (South Africa)

The Sexual and Gender-Based Violence Epidemic Meets the Covid-19 Pandemic: Survivors' and Advocates' Narratives in Egypt
Ms. Mozn Hassan, Director of Nazra for Feminist Studies; Community Psychology Program, the American University in Cairo (Egypt)
Dr. Helen Rizzo, Associate Professor of Sociology, the American University in Cairo (Egypt)

Panel Focus: SDGs 5, 8, 10, 16 and CSW66 Review Theme - Women's economic empowerment in the changing world of work.

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Feminist Approaches to Justice:

Women, Disasters and Climate Change
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Dr. Rosemary Barberet, ISA and CWB Representative to the United Nations, Professor, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York (USA) and Adjunct Professor in the Faculty of Law, School of Justice, at the Queensland University of Technology (Australia)

Panelists

Gendered Ways of Knowing: Decolonizing Methodologies When Studying People in the Aftermath of Disaster
Dr. Bethany Van Brown, Assistant Professor, Sociology & Criminology Department, Cabrini University, Philadelphia (USA)

Maternal & Infant Justice in Disasters
Dr. Sarah DeYoung, Assistant Professor, Sociology and Criminal Justice, University of Delaware and Disaster Research Center (USA)

Documenting the Undocumented: How Mexican Immigrant Women Navigate Long-Term Post-Disaster Housing Recovery and Cumulative Disaster Impacts
Ms. Melissa Villarreal, Ph.D. Student, Department of Sociology, University of Colorado Boulder (USA)

Coping with Climate Change and Wildfires Through Gender Equity
Dr. Christine Eriksen, Senior Researcher, Center for Security Studies, ETH Zurich (Switzerland)

The Impact of COVID-19 Pandemic on Australian Domestic Violence Services and Their Clients
Dr. Kerry Carrington, Research Professor, QUT Centre for Justice, Queensland University of Technology (Australia)

The Psychological, Social, and Economic Impacts of COVID-19 on Female Nepali Migrant Workers
Dr. Jiwnath Ghimire, Department of Urban and Regional Planning, University of Hawaii at Manoa & Julia Crowley, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Western Carolina University (USA)

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Dr. Cristina Lozano Argüelles, Gema García, Selena Quintana & Michelle Rebay

Panel Focus: SDGs 5, 10, 11, 13, 15 & 16. CSW66 Priority Theme - Achieving gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls in the context of climate change, environmental and disaster risk reduction policies and programmes.

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Feminist Approaches to Justice:

Achieving Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women and Girls

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Dr. Dimitra Laurence Larochelle, Université Sorbonne Nouvelle, Youth Representative at the United Nations for the International Sociological Association and Member of the board, RC14 (Sociology of Communication, Knowledge and Culture) of the ISA

Introductory remarks

Dr. Sari Hanafi, President, International Sociological Association (ISA); Professor, American University of Beirut (LEBANON)

Featured Speaker

Ambassador Anwarul K. Chowdhury, Former Under-Secretary-General and High Representative of the UN; Initiator of the conceptual breakthrough for UNSCR 1325 as the Security Council President in March 2000; Founder of the Global Movement for The Culture of Peace (GMCoP)

Panelists

Addressing Two Problems Faced by Many Women: Inadequate 1325 National Action Plans and Mandatory Retirement of Older Adults
Dr. Jan Marie Fritz, International Sociological Association (ISA) Executive Committee Member; ISA Representative to the UN; Prof., University of Cincinnati (USA); Distinguished Visiting Prof., University of Johannesburg (South Africa); and Visiting Prof. at Taylor's University (Malaysia)

Climate, Gender Equity, and Community Resilience
Dr. Emma Porio, Professor, Ateneo de Manila University (Philippines)

Prison Gardens for Women as Pathway to Climate and Food Justice
Dr. Daniela Jauk, Assistant Professor, University of Akron (USA)
Dr. Sharon Everhardt, Associate Professor, Troy University (USA)

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Panel Focus: SDGs 2, 5, 10, 13 & 16. CSW66 Priority Theme - Achieving gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls in the context of climate change, environmental and disaster risk reduction policies and programmes. Review theme: Women's economic empowerment in the changing world of work.

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1 South Asian Women in Justice Professions

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Dr. Sheetal Ranjan will soon be joining Montclair State University as Professor in the Departments of Justice Studies and Sociology. Her scholarship focus is violence prevention and intervention with a primary focus on applied research. Dr. Ranjan has received more than 1.5 million dollars in funding from federal and non-federal entities to establish innovative community-based violence prevention/intervention programs and to evaluate them. Her most recent work is in partnership with Jersey Shore University Medical Center to establish a new Hospital-Based Violence Intervention Program (Project HEAL) and a Community Based Violence Intervention Program. She currently serves on the New Jersey Study Commission on Violence and the New Jersey Campus Sexual Assault Commission and guides their efforts to prevent and reduce violence in New Jersey. She also serves on the Policy Committee of the American Society of Criminology (ASC) and on the executive board of the Division on Women & Crime of the ASC. Twitter @montclairstateu @ASCWomenCrime

Dr. Sandhya Bharathadas is a Law Enforcement Leader with more than 33 years of experience in the Indian Police Service, currently heading the Emergency Services in Kerala State. She has a Ph.D. from BITS Pilani, PGDBA (Pondicherry University) and a Human Resources Management (Certificate from Wollongong University). As founding Nodal Officer of the highly successful Community Policing Project of Kerala, she has introduced several projects on tribal safety, traffic safety, gender sensitivity, and women's safety. She was invited to UNODC, Vienna to prepare a handbook for law enforcement officers. She was awarded the International Association of Women Police Award (2010) in Minneapolis, Minnesota (USA). Currently, she serves as the leader of the National Micro Mission on Community Policing (India) and previously was the Convener of the Kerala Police Act (2011) drafting committee. She has edited several publications for Kerala Police and her research interests include criminal justice, gender, police training, democratic policing, emergency services, HR management, counter terrorism, and drug prevention. She is also a creative writer with several publications and awards to her credit. Twitter @Sandhyaips

Dr. Jyoti Belur qualified in Economics at the University of Mumbai (India) where she worked as a lecturer before joining the Indian Police Service and serving as a senior police officer. She has postgraduate degrees in Police Management and in Human Rights, as well as a Ph.D. from the London School of Economics (UK). Jyoti is the programme convenor for the BSc in Professional Policing and currently serves in an advisory capacity on the Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary, Fire and Rescue Services (HMICFRS) and is a member of the London Policing Ethics Panel. Her research interests include policing, police training and education, systematic reviews and evaluations, and violence against women and children. Twitter @UCLCrimeScience

Dr. Shashikala Gurpur is a Fulbright Scholar, Jean Monnet Chair Professor (2021-2024); Director, Symbiosis Law School, Pune; Dean, Faculty of Law, Symbiosis International (Deemed University); Former Member, Law Commission of India and recipient of the Karnataka Govt. Annual Kittur Rani Chennamma Award (2018-2019). She was a member of the Curriculum Development Committee, Bar Council of India, Academic Council of National Judicial Academy, Bhopal, IALS Global Law Dean's Forum, International Consortium of Law Schools; Member, MCCIA Corporate Legislation Committee 2020-2022. She is Principal Investigator and Project Manager in Erasmus projects on 21st Teach Skills, Climate Change Policy and Law, ILFM, and ICSSR Projects. Dr. Gurpur is listed as one of the '100 Legal Luminaries of India' by LexisNexis. She has more than 26 years of teaching experience including tenures in NLSIU, Bangalore, SDM Law College, Mangalore, Manipal Institute of Communication, MAHE, Manipal and University College Cork, Ireland. She has 72 articles/research papers, two co-authored books and twelve book chapters to her credit. Dr. Gurpur has served as an Advisor to research project and publication for Asian Network of Women in Communication sponsored by WACC, UK in 1999-2004 and is Distinguished Member of The Editorial Board of LexisNexis Butterworths, Journal of IPR by CSIR, Law and Policy Journal, Dublin, Ireland, Polish Law Review. She received her Ph.D. in International Law from the Mysore University (UGC-NET) and LL.M. (gold medalist) from Mysore University. Twitter @dgurpur @Pune_SLS

Justice (Dr.) Shalini Phansalkar Joshi, Former Judge, High Court of Bombay, Distinguished Visiting Judge Scholar in Residence, Symbiosis Law School, Pune (India). Dr. Phansalkar joined the Judicial Services in 1988 and served as Civil Judge, Junior Division. She has the distinction of being the first lady advocate and first lady judge from Karad. She worked at the Special TADA Court and the Special Court for offences of atrocities against women at Pune, Nashik and Ahmednagar; was Joint Director of the Maharashtra Judicial Academy since 2009 for four years and trained more than 450 Judicial Officers; was Principal Judge, City Civil and Session Court, Greater Bombay until her elevation to the Bombay HC on 21st April 2014 as the Registrar General of the HC. Her areas of special interests are juvenile justice, gender justice, human rights and constitutional law. She was elevated as an Additional Judge of the Bombay HC on 1st January 2015 and Permanent Judge on 17th November 2016. She has the Distinction of being the British Scholar in the subject of gender and law and having Fellowship of Commonwealth Judicial Education Institute in Canada in Judicial education. She has authored training modules on the subject of' sex-selection and PC_PNDT Act and human trafficking, which are used by all state judicial academies. She has authored a book on compilation and analysis of case-law on PC_PNDT Act and has contributed articles relating to law in criminal law journals, and All India Reporter, among others. She received her B.A. (Hons.)., LL.M. & Ph.D. from Pune University.

Justice Gita Mittal is an Indian judge, former Chief Justice of the Jammu and Kashmir High Court, and the first woman judge to serve in that capacity. She has also served as the Acting Chief Justice and Judge of Delhi High Court. She has 23 years of litigation experience prior to her appointment as a judge. During her tenure as a High Court Judge, Justice Mittal served on a number of administrative and judicial committees at the Court. She was the Chair of the Delhi High Court's Mediation and Conciliation Center, and served on committees that dealt with complaints concerning sexual harassment, working conditions, performance assessment of judges in subordinate courts, and judicial training. She led an initiative to establish special courtrooms for vulnerable witnesses in the Delhi High Court, with the first such courtroom being established in 2012. Justice Mittal wrote a number of significant judgments as a judge at the Delhi High Court including on the rights of transgender persons, military laws and disability rights. On 25 October 2019, Justice Mittal authored a significant judgment in *Suhail Rashid Bhat v State of Jammu and Kashmir*, striking down the Jammu & Kashmir Prevention of Beggary Act, 1960, a law drawing from colonial legal principles to penalize poverty and public movement. In 2021, Justice Mittal was appointed as the first woman chairperson of Broadcasting Content Complaints Council (BCCC), India.

Professor Dipika Jain is Professor of Law, Vice Dean (Research), Vice Dean (Clinical Legal Education) and the Director of the Centre for Justice, Law and Society at Jindal Global Law School (JGLS), India. Her research was recently cited by the Supreme Court in the landmark decision of *Navtej Johar v. Union of India* (2018) In 2018, she was designated as the first Research Associate Professor at JGLS. In 2020, her research was cited in the legislative debate on abortion laws in the Indian Parliament. She is published in several prestigious journals, law reviews, and compendia internationally found at https://jgls.academia.edu/DipikaJain. She has consulted for the UNDP; Centre for Reproductive Rights (New York); and IPAS Development on Reproductive Justice, Digital Health and Family Law. As the Director of CJLS, she has addressed various barriers in access to justice for marginalized persons in India. Twitter @JindalGlobalUni

Dr. Penelope Tong is a social worker and fieldwork supervisor, School of Social Work, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai (India). She has been a senior social worker with Prayas, a field action project of TISS, for seventeen years. She has worked with women prisoners, their children, women and young males released from prison, and victims of violent crimes and their families. Her doctoral research was focused on processes in homicidal violence. Her interests are issues and contexts of persons perpetrating and being victimized by crime, and mental health as a critical factor. Twitter @TISSpeak

Ntasha Bhardwaj is a doctoral candidate at the School of Criminal Justice at Rutgers University and Founder at South Asian Institute of Crime and Justice Studies. As a researcher she explores the impact of gender and inequality on crime in South Asia. Her dissertation project, Exploring Pathways to Incarceration among Indian and Sri Lankan Women is a mixed methods study investigating the pre-prison lives and experiences of 180 women incarcerated in India and Sri Lanka. Ntasha's research agenda is anchored in the goal to build on the limited yet growing criminal justice research in the South Asian context. Twitter @Rutgers_Newark

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2 Women Justice Professionals Helping Women in the Changing World of Work

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Dr. Dawn Beichner is Professor in Criminal Justice Sciences and Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies at Illinois State University. Her research interests include victimology, justice system-involved people and their families, prisoner reentry, and restorative justice. She is a member of the Executive Committee of the World Society of Victimology and serves as a liaison to the United Nations. She is also the Vice Chair of the American Society of Criminology's Division of International Justice and a research consultant for the YWCA Labyrinth Outreach Services to Women, a nonprofit organization which provides reintegration services to women returning home from prison and jail. Twitter @DawnBeichner @WrldSocVictim @Victims_Rights @ascdic @ISUWGSS @ISU_Research @ISU_Media @ISUSciTech @ASCWomenCrime

Dr. Cara Rabe-Hemp is an Associate Dean and Professor at Illinois State University. Throughout her professional career she has examined how gender affects officers' opportunities and experiences in policing. Rabe-Hemp has been actively engaged with organizations which support women in law enforcement and has published extensively in the area, including *Thriving in an All-Boys Club: Female Police and Their Fight for Equality* (Rowman & Littlefield, 2017). In 2010, Rabe-Hemp was awarded the University Research Initiative Award, in 2014, she was inducted into the CAST Academy of Achievement, and in 2016 she was awarded the CAST Outstanding Researcher Award. Twitter @cerabehemp @ISUWGSS @ISU_Research @ISU_Media @ISUSciTech

Dr. Mijin Kim is an Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice Sciences at Illinois State University. She earned her Ph.D. at John Jay College of Criminal Justice/Graduate Center, CUNY. Her research interests primarily lie within the field of corrections with a focus on critical incidents in correctional facilities and how confinement conditions impact inmate behavior in prisons and post-release. She served as a Research Fellow at Vera Institute of Justice for the Incarceration Trends Project between 2016-2017. She recently published a technical report on the parolee's electronic monitoring supervision system for the Ministry of Justice, South Korea. Twitter @ISU_Research @ISU_Media @ISUSciTech

Dr. Venessa Garcia is an Associate Professor of Criminal Justice at New Jersey City University. She received her Ph.D. in sociology from the SUNY University at Buffalo. Much of her research focuses on women police as well as on community and police needs assessment and program evaluation. Dr. Garcia has published peer-reviewed articles and books in these areas. Her latest books focus on women in policing globally: *Women in Policing Around the World: Doing Gender and Policing in a Gendered Organization* (Routledge) and *Women Policing Across the Globe: Shared Challenges and Successes in the Integration of Women Police Worldwide* (Rowman & Littlefield). Twitter @NJCUniversity

Dr. Anqi Shen is Professor of Law at Northumbria Law School, Northumbria University, Newcastle upon Tyne, United Kingdom. She is the author of *Offending Women in Contemporary China: Gender and Pathways into Crime* (Palgrave 2015), of *Women Judges in Contemporary China: Gender, Judging and Living* (Palgrave 2017), of *Internal Migration, Crime and Punishment in Contemporary China* (Springer 2018), of *Women Police in Contemporary China: Gender and Policing* (Routledge 2022), and co-author of *Fake Goods, Real Money* (Policy Press, 2018). She previously worked in China as a police officer and subsequently a practising lawyer before coming for a doctoral study in London. Twitter @shen_anqi; @NorthumbriaLaw; @NUSocialSciencesDepartment

Dr. Fernanda Fonseca Rosenblatt is Professor of Law at the Catholic University of Pernambuco (UNICAP, Brazil) and Assistant Professor at the International Institute for Restorative Practices (USA). She is a member of the Executive Committee of the World Society of Victimology, of the Research Committee of the European Forum for Restorative Justice, and of the Asa Branca Research Group of Criminology (UNICAP). She is the book review editor for the *International Journal of Restorative Justice*. Fernanda's research interests include restorative, community and youth justice, critical criminology and victimology. Fernanda earned a doctoral degree in Criminology from the University of Oxford (UK) in 2014. She was awarded a master's in Criminology from the Catholic University of Leuven (Belgium) in 2005.

Dr. Marilia Montenegro Pessoa de Mello is Professor of Criminal Law at the Catholic University of Pernambuco and the Federal University of Pernambuco. She is the leader of the Asa Branca Research Group of Criminology. Marília has conducted research and published extensively in the wider fields of criminology and criminal law, with a focus on gender and domestic violence. She co-coordinated national empirical research commissioned by the National Council of Justice, on the state of the arts of the domestic violence courts in Brazil and the feasibility of using restorative practices in cases of domestic violence against women in the country (with Fernanda Fonseca Rosenblatt and Carolina Salazar). She earned a doctoral degree in Law from the Federal University of Santa Catarina (Brazil).

Carolina Salazar LArmée Queiroga de Medeiros is Professor of Criminal Law at the Catholic University of Pernambuco. She is a member of the Asa Branca Research Group of Criminology. Carolina has conducted research and published extensively in the wider fields of criminology and criminal law, with a focus on gender and domestic violence. She co-coordinated two different national empirical research on the state of the arts of the domestic violence courts in Brazil, one of which with Fernanda Fonseca Rosenblatt and Marilia Montenegro Pessoa de Mello. She earned a master's degree in Law from the Catholic University of Pernambuco and is currently finishing her PhD at the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (Brazil).

Dr. Nontyatyambo Pearl Dastile is a Professor and Director Postgraduate Studies at the Walter Sisulu University (South Africa). She has taught in numerous universities in South Africa and was a visiting scholar at Rutgers University (USA). She is a recipient of the Ford Foundation Scholarship and has published on issues of decoloniality, gender and crime and African centred methodologies. She is a sub-editor of the Handbook of Africana Criminologies. Her works in progress include three books to be published in 2023 and 2024: *Liberation Criminology, Black Sisters in Prison*, and *Critical Race Theory at the Scene of the Crime*.

Mozn Hassan is an Egyptian feminist activist and founder of Nazra for Feminist Studies, "The Caucus of Women in Politics in the Arab Region, and "Doria Feminist Fund". Hassan has been involved in a range of different activities and campaigns to address gender-based inequalities. She received a Master's of Arts (MA) degree in International Human Rights Law, the American University in Cairo (AUC) (2006), with a specialization on gender, law, and feminist movement's tactics on laws and is currently an MA student of community psychology at AUC with a specialization of practice in gender and mental health in Egypt policies and wellbeing tools of interventions.

Dr. Helen Rizzo is an Associate Professor of Sociology and the academic director of the Tomorrow's Leaders Gender Scholars scholarship as well as the Sociology unit head in the Sociology, Egyptology, and Anthropology Department and serves on the advisory committee of the Institute for Gender and Women's Studies at the American University in Cairo. She has numerous publications on women's rights in Kuwait. Her current research focuses on activism against public sexual violence in Egypt including issues of masculinities. She is the co-editor of *Gender in the Middle East and North Africa: Contemporary Issues and Challenges* (2020) with Lynne Rienner Publishers.

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3 Women, Disasters and Climate Change: The Research Speaks

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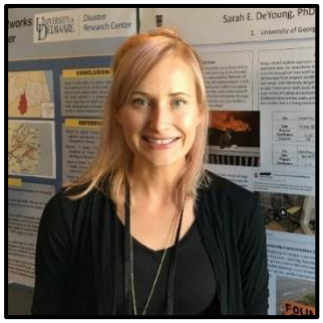
Dr. Rosemary Barberet is Professor in the Sociology Department with teaching and service in International Criminal Justice at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York, USA. A native of Connecticut and trained in criminology in the United States (Ph.D., University of Maryland, 1994), she commenced her academic career in Europe (Spain and England). Dr. Barberet's publications have dealt with self-reported youth crime, women and crime, crime indicators, comparative methodology and victimology. She is the author of the award-winning book, *Women, Crime and Criminal Justice: A Global Enquiry*. Dr. Barberet represents the International Sociological Association (ISA) and Criminologists Without Borders at the United Nations. Twitter @rbarberet @JohnJayCollege @JohnJayResearch @Crim_WO_Borders

Dr. Bethany Van Brown is an Assistant Professor of Sociology and Criminology at Cabrini University. She earned her doctoral degree in Sociology from the University of Delaware. While working at the University of Delaware's Disaster Research Center as a research assistant, she had the opportunity to work on projects focused on the September 11 terrorist attacks and Hurricane Katrina. This experience helped her develop and cultivate a special appreciation for collaborative and interdisciplinary research. Her fieldwork in New Orleans following Hurricane Katrina led her to write her dissertation on domestic violence organizations and their recovery trajectory post-disaster. She continues to research human behavior during disasters, including domestic violence, drug use, and social unrest. She studies disaster events because they expose the social injustices and offer a lens to view inequality. The common thread that unites her research is working to understand how to make communities stronger, so they are better able to resist a wide range of social problems. Twitter @cabriniuniv



Dr. Sarah DeYoung is a core faculty member of the Disaster Research Center at the University of Delaware. She is an expert in disaster preparedness, refugee and immigrant well-being in disasters, infant feeding in emergencies, and companion animal welfare in disasters. @SarahDeYoung2 @UDelaware

Melissa Villarreal is a Ph.D. candidate in Sociology at the University of Colorado (CU) Boulder. Her dissertation is an intersectional, multi-level analysis of Mexican immigrant women and their disproportionate vulnerability in post-disaster recovery. Melissa was awarded the National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellowship (GRFP) and the American Sociological Association (ASA) Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (DDRIG) for this project. She was also selected for Rice University's Kinder Scholar Program. Melissa works as a graduate research assistant at the Natural Hazards Center at CU, and is a William Averette Anderson Fund (BAF) Fellow, which is dedicated to advancing the success of minority professionals in hazards and disaster fields. Twitter @vrreal_mel @cuboulder

Dr. Christine Eriksen is a Senior Researcher in the Center for Security Studies at the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zürich (aka. ETH Zürich). She is the author of two books and over 75 articles, which examine social dimensions of disasters in the context of environmental history, social justice, cultural norms, and political agendas. Her work spans case studies across multiple continents, including Australia, Africa, Europe and North America. Prior to joining the CSS in August 2020, Christine worked for 13 years as a social scientist at the University of Wollongong, Australia. Twitter @DrCEriksen @CSS_Zurich

Dr. Kerry Carrington is a Research Professor in the QUT Centre for Justice. She was the Head of the School of Justice from 2009-2020. She is a Fellow, Academy of Social Sciences in Australia, a Senior Counsellor of the Asian Criminological Society, and former Vice Chair of the Division of Critical Criminology, American Society of Criminology. She is the founding Co-Chief Editor of the *International Journal for Crime, Justice, and Social Democracy*. In 2014, she received the American Society of Criminology, Division of Women and Crime 2103 Distinguished Scholar Award in recognition of her contributions to the study and analysis of young women, crime and youth justice, which spans 30 years. In 2018, she co-edited the *Palgrave Handbook in Criminology and the Global South*. She has an ARC DP grant to study how women's police stations in Latin America prevent gendered violence and another ARC DP grant to research how to improve the policing of gender violence in the Global South. Twitter @CarringtonKL @CrimeJusticeQUT

Dr. Jiwnath Ghimire is a postdoctoral scholar at the National Disaster Preparedness Training Center (NDPTC). He holds a Ph.D. in Urban and Regional Planning from the University of Hawaii at Manoa. His dissertation examined how scientific knowledge of climate change informs policy choices. Dr. Ghimire has also worked on a variety of other studies, including but not limited to seatbelt safety, drone traffic safety, and transportation disruptions from natural disasters. Twitter @ghimirejiban06 @uhmanoa

Dr. Julia Crowley is an Assistant Professor of Emergency and Disaster Management at Western Carolina University. She holds a Ph.D. in Urban and Regional Planning from the University of Hawaii at Manoa. Her research focuses on a number of components of disaster management, including: debris management, social vulnerability, risk perception, and environmental justice. Some of the academic journals Dr. Crowley has published in include Waste Management, International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction, Resources, Conservation & Recycling, Risk, Hazards & Crisis in Public Policy, and International Journal of Disaster Risk Science. Twitter @WCU

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4 Achieving Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women and Girls

Thursday, 24th March 2022 8:00 – 10:00am EDT

Dr. Dimitra Laurence Larochelle has worked as lecturer at the University Sorbonne Nouvelle - Paris 3 and at the University of Burgundy Franche-Comté. She has three master's degrees in Sociology (University Paris Descartes), in Communication (French Institute of Journalism, Panthéon-Assas University) and in Anthropology (Université Vincennes - Saint-Denis). She has published papers in French, in English and in Greek and she has worked as a researcher in France as well as in Cyprus. She is member of the board of the Research Committee 14 (Sociology of Communication, Knowledge and Culture) of the ISA (International Sociological Association), Associate Editor of the Art Style | Art and Culture International Magazine and Youth Representative at the United Nations for the ISA.

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Ambassador Anwarul K. Chowdhury has been a career diplomat, Permanent Representative of Bangladesh to the United Nations, President of the UN Security Council, President of UNICEF Executive Board, UN Under-Secretary-General, Senior Special Advisor to UN General Assembly President, and recipient of the U Thant Peace Award, UNESCO Gandhi Gold Medal for Culture of Peace, Spirit of the UN Award and University of Massachusetts Boston Chancellor's Medal for Global Leadership for Peace, 2018 Global Women's Peace Award, Recipient of the inaugural Global Citizen Award by the Soka University of America and 2021 Visionary Leadership Award. His legacy and leadership in the service of global community are boldly imprinted in his pioneering initiatives in March 2000 as the President of the Security Council for the conceptual breakthrough leading to the groundbreaking UN Security Council Resolution 1325 on women and peace and security and in September 1999 for adoption of the landmark programme on the Culture of Peace by the UN General Assembly. In March 2003, the Soka University of Tokyo, Japan conferred to Ambassador Chowdhury an Honorary Doctorate for his work on women's issues, child rights and culture of peace as well as for the strengthening of the United Nations. In May 2012, he received a Doctor of Humane Letters honoris causa degree from the Saint Peter's University of New Jersey, United States. In May 2021, the University of La Verne, California, USA conferred on him an Honorary Doctorate for his work on global peace and development. He is the Founder of New York-based NGO coalition, Global Movement for The Culture of Peace (GMCoP).

Dr. Jan Marie Fritz, Certified Clinical Sociologist (C.C.S), is a Professor at the University of Cincinnati, a Distinguished Visiting Professor at the University of Johannesburg and a Visiting Professor at Taylor's University (Malaysia). She has just returned from being a Fulbright-National Science Foundation Arctic Scholar in Iceland. She is a former Vice President of the International Sociological Association and currently is a member of the Executive Committee of the International Sociological Association (ISA), as well as an ISA representative to the United Nations. She also is a member of the Steering Committee of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's National Environmental Justice Advisory Council, a member of the Mayor of Cincinnati's Gender Equality Task Force, and editor of Springer's Clinical Sociology book series. She recently was selected as a Fulbright Specialist (consultant) for a four-year term (2021-2025). Twitter @uofcincy @mediauj

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