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EDUCATION

2024 (Expected)	Ph.D.	University of South Florida Criminology Major Professor: Bryanna Fox, Ph.D.
2019	M.S.	The University of Alabama Criminal Justice Thesis: Double Stigma: How Jurors Perceive Mentally Ill Defendants Chair: Jennifer L. Kenney, Ph.D. Committee: Matthew J. Dolliver, Ph.D. & Jennifer Cox, Ph.D.
2017	B.A.	San Diego State University Psychology, Cum Laude ◻ Minor: Sociology Honors Thesis: Understanding Variability in Toddler's Executive Function Chair: Margaret Friend, Ph.D.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Mental health and the criminal justice system
 - Risk assessment
 - Developmental life course criminology
 - Strain theories
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PEER REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Jaynes, C. M., Rennó Santos, M., **Kortright, K. E.**, & Devlin, D. N. (under review). Age-graded heterogeneity in the relationship between hours of work and crime: A tipping point evaluation.
- Fox, B., Miley, L. N., **Kortright, K. E.**, & Wetsman, R. J. (2021). Assessing the effect of mental health courts on adult and juvenile recidivism: A meta-analysis. *American Journal of Criminal Justice*, 46(4), 644-664. DOI 10.1007/s12103-021-09629-6
- Fox, B., **Kortright, K.**, Gill, L., Oramas Mora, D., Moule, R. K., & Verona, E. (2021). Heterogeneity in early and adult risk factor profiles of incarcerated offenders: A latent transition analysis. *Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice*, 19(1), 68-93. DOI 10.1177/1541204020939648
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RESEARCH GRANTS

2022	\$2,030	Student Research Funds, College of Behavioral and Community Sciences, University of South Florida
2019	\$500	Conference Presentation Grant, University of South Florida
2018	\$958	Graduate Student Research and Travel Grant, The University of Alabama
2016	\$3,000	Summer Undergraduate Research Grant, San Diego State University

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

2022	\$500	Marson Johnson Criminology Endowed Scholarship, University of South Florida
2020–Present	\$21,830	Full Graduate Assistantship, University of South Florida
2019–2020	\$10,000	University Graduate Fellowship, College of Behavioral and Community Sciences, University of South Florida
2019–2020	\$11,830	Half Graduate Assistantship, University of South Florida
2019–2020	\$13,500	Full Assistantship, The University of Alabama
2018–2019	\$6,750	Half Graduate Assistantship, The University of Alabama

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Kortright, K. E., Fox, B., Gill, L., Oramas Mora, D., Moule, R. K., & Verona, E. (November 18th-21st 2020). *Heterogeneity in Early and Adult Risk Factor Profiles of Incarcerated Offenders: A Latent Transition Analysis* [Paper presentation]. American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C., United States. (Conference canceled).

Kortright, K. E., Gill, L., Fox, B. & Verona, E. (March 14th 2020). *Examining Invariances in the Relationship Between Adverse Childhood Experiences and Violent Crime* [Paper presentation]. American Criminal Justice Society, San Antonio, TX, United States. (Conference canceled).

Kortright, K. E., Kenney, J. L., & Dolliver, M. J. (November 14th 2019). *Double Stigma: Exploring Student Jurors Perceptions of Mentally Ill Defendants* [Poster presentation]. American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA, United States.

Dolliver, M., & **Kortright, K.** (November 16th 2018). *Creativity, Self-Control, and Gender Discrepancies in the Propensity for Deviant Behavior* [Paper presentation]. American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA, United States.

Kortright, K., & Clipper, S. J. (November 15th 2018). *Exploring the Relationship Mental Health and Criminal Justice System Interactions* [Poster presentation]. American Society of Criminology Conference, Atlanta, GA, United States.

Kortright, K., Moon, H., DeAnda, S., & Friend, M. (March 3rd 2017). *Understanding Variability in Executive Function Skill in Toddlers* [Poster presentation]. San Diego State University Student Research Symposium, San Diego, CA, United States.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2021–Present	Graduate Research Associate ◻ NIJ Funded Grant ◻ University of South Florida Supervised by: Bryanna, Fox, Ph.D.
2020	Graduate Research Assistant ◻ University of South Florida Supervised by: Chae Jaynes, Ph.D.
2019–Present	Research Supervisor ◻ SPRUCE Lab ◻ University of South Florida Director: Bryanna Fox, Ph.D.
2017	Summer Undergraduate Intern ◻ University of California, Berkeley Supervised by: Mahesh Srinivasan, Ph.D.

2014–2017 Undergraduate Research Assistant ◻ San Diego State University
Supervised by: Margaret Friend, Ph.D.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record

Undergraduate Courses

Abnormal Behavior* ◻ University of South Florida, 2022

Survey of the Criminal Justice System* ◻ University of South Florida, 2020

Teaching Assistant

Graduate Courses

Digital Forensics* ◻ University of South Florida, 2019

Undergraduate Courses

Gangs* ◻ University of South Florida, 2020

Forensic Psychology* ◻ University of South Florida, 2020

Criminal Investigations* ◻ University of South Florida, 2020

Statistics ◻ The University of Alabama, 2019

Gender and Crime** ◻ The University of Alabama, 2018

Survey of Criminal Theories ◻ The University of Alabama, 2018

Research Methods ◻ The University of Alabama, 2018

Introduction to Criminal Justice ◻ The University of Alabama, 2017 & 2018

Corrections ◻ The University of Alabama, 2017

Community Based Corrections ◻ The University of Alabama, 2017

*denotes an online course

**denotes a writing course

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2022 Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of Criminal Justice*

2021 Manuscript Reviewer, *Deviant Behavior*

2020–2021 Criminology Graduate Student Organization, Treasurer, University of South Florida

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

2022 Machine Learning Workshop, Inter-university Consortium for Political & Social Research

2021 Summer Grant Writing Program, University of South Florida

2021 Graduate Professional Development Program, Office of Graduate Studies, University of South Florida

2020 Online Instructor Certification, University of South Florida
