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MONICA SOLINAS-SAUNDERS, Ph.D.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Sociology, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA. Dissertation Title: “Male Intimate Partner Abuse: Drawing upon Three Theoretical Perspectives.” Committee Chair, Prof. Phyllis Coontz, December 2007.

Masters Certificate in Women Studies, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, April 2003. Program Director and Mentor, Dr. Carol Stabile.

MA in Sociology, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA. Thesis Title, “Inmates Adaptation to Prison: A Gender Perspective;” Committee Chairs, Prof. Thomas Schott and Prof. Phyllis Coontz. December 2002.

Post-Graduate Diploma in Economics, University of Essex, Colchester, United Kingdom. Advisor, Prof. Alessandra Guariglia, July 1999.

Laurea in Economics, University of Cagliari, Italy. Thesis title, “Welfare and Income Inequality;” Thesis Committee Chair, Prof. Vittorio Dettori, July 1997.

EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor (with tenure), School of Public and Environmental Affairs and Adjunct Associate Professor of **Women’s & Gender Studies**, Indiana University Northwest, Gary, Indiana (since August 2017).

Assistant Professor. School of Public & Environmental Affairs (Tenure Track). Indiana University Northwest, Gary, Indiana. August 2011-2017.

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice (Tenure Track), University of North Carolina, Pembroke, NC, August 2010 – June 2011.

Adjunct Faculty, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University Purdue University at Indianapolis, Indiana. January 2010 – May 2010.

Adjunct Faculty of Sociology and Criminal Justice, Purdue University, West Lafayette and Ivy Tech Community College, Lafayette, Indiana. August 2007 – May 2010.

Research Post-Doc, Military Family Research Institute (MFRI), Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana. Director, Shelley MacDermid-Wadsworth. Research Directors, Rona Swartz & Dr. Dave Topp. October 2007-September 2009.

Graduate Research Assistant, Pittsburgh Youth Study, University of Pittsburgh Medical School (UPMC), Pittsburgh, PA. Directors, Prof. Rolf Loeber and Prof. Magda Stouthamer-Loeber. July 2002-January 2004.

Adjunct Faculty, Sociology Department, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, Spring 2002 & Summer 2004.

Teaching Assistant, Statistics Department, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA. August 2000 – May 2002.

Teaching Assistant, Sociology Department, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA. September 1999 – May 2000.

PUBLICATIONS

1. Stacer, M. J., Moll, L. & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2018). New opportunities or closing doors? How correctional facility tours impact students' thoughts about correctional careers. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, ahead of print
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/10511253.2018.1448094>
2. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2018), Sexual violence among college students attending a non-residential campus. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, ahead of print
<http://journals.sagepub.com/doi/abs/10.1177/0886260518759978?ai=1gvoi&mi=3ricys&af=R>
3. Stacer, M. J. & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2018). Justice involved veterans: A critical review and future research. *Critical Military Studies*, ahead of print
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/23337486.2018.1435384>
4. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (accepted/forthcoming), Women Sexuality in Prison, in *Lockdown Nation: An Encyclopedia of Controversies and Trends in American Prisons*, Eds., Vidisha and Robert Worley, Publisher ABC-CLIO.
5. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (accepted/forthcoming), Women in Prison, in *Lockdown Nation: An Encyclopedia of Controversies and Trends in American Prisons*, Eds., Vidisha and Robert Worley, Publisher ABC-CLIO.
6. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (accepted/forthcoming), Misconduct in Prison, in *Lockdown Nation: An Encyclopedia of Controversies and Trends in American Prisons*, Eds., Vidisha and Robert Worley, Publisher ABC-CLIO.
7. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2018). "Ethics and Social Media" Case study submitted to the Northwest Indiana Ethics Commission for the Ethics Summit 2018.
8. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** & Stacer, M.J. (2017). Teaching & Learning Guide for the Article: Fighting labor market discrimination with Ban the Box: Are there racial implications?" *Sociology Compass*; Invited for Special Issue - ahead of print:
<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1111/soc4.12551>
9. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** & Stacer, M.J. (2017). Fighting labor market discrimination with Ban the Box: Are there racial implications?" *Sociology Compass*, Invited for Special Issue - ahead of print
<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1111/soc4.12535>
10. Stacer, M. J. & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2017). Criminal Thinking Among Men Beginning a Batterer Intervention Program: The Relevance of Military Background. *Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment, & Trauma*, ahead of print
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/10926771.2017.1382640?journalCode=wamt20>

11. Stacer, M. J., Eagleson, R. C., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2016). Exploring the impact of correctional facility tours on the perceptions of undergraduate criminal justice students. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, ahead of print
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/10511253.2016.1254266?journalCode=rcje20>
12. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** & Thaller, J. (2015). "The Use of Batterer Intervention Programs for Domestic Violence Offenders: An Assessment of Cognitive Accountability Training (CAT)." *Journal of Community Corrections*, 25(1): 7-22.
13. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, & Stacer, M. (2015). "A Retrospective Analysis of Repeated Incarceration using a National Sample: What Makes Female Inmates Different from Male Inmates?" *Victims & Offenders*, 12(1), 138-173.
14. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, & Stacer, M. J. (2015). An Analysis of "Ban the Box" Policies through the Prism of Merton's Theory of Unintended Consequences of Purposive Social Action. *Critical Sociology*. 41 (7-8): 1187-1198.
15. Stacer, M. J., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2015). Physical and Verbal Assaults Behind Bars Does Military Experience Matter? *The Prison Journal*, 95(2), 199-222.
16. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, Stacer, M.J. & Guy, R. (2015) "Ex-Offender Barriers to Employment: Racial Disparities in Labor Markets with Asymmetric Information." *Journal of Crime & Justice*, 28(2): 249-69.
17. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2015). *OP-ed.* "The Encinia-Bland case and Racism." Published in *The Independent*.
18. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2015). "Preliminary findings from a study on the use of police Body Worn Cameras at IU Northwest: An analysis of Focus Groups on Campus and in the Community." Report prepared for the IU Body Worn Cameras' Committee.
19. Ceesay, A., Szarleta, E., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2015). "Community Capacity in Northwest Indiana: An Assessment of Strategies across twenty-five agencies." Report prepared for the Foundation of East Chicago, East Chicago, IN.
20. Ceesay, A., Szarleta, E., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2015). "The Impact of My Brother's Keeper Initiative in the city of Gary: Highlights from a retreat with community stakeholders." Report prepared for the City of Gary, Indiana and the Center for Urban and Regional Excellence, Indiana University Northwest.
21. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, Anderson, L., Huey, J., Ceesay, A., Ferrandino, J., Tsataros, D., Tsolakos, J. (2013). "Service-Learning in a Regional Urban Midwest University: An Overview of Five Different Projects." *Journal of Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences*, 16 (1).
22. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** & Stacer, M.J., (2012). "Prison Resources and Physical/Verbal Assault in Prison: A Comparison of Male and Female Inmates." *Victims & Offenders*, Issue 7(3).
23. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2012). "Assessment of the Character Restoration Center Program". Written for the Criminal Court of Tippecanoe County, IN.

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24. Chawla, N. & **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, (2011). "Military Parent and Child Adjustment to Separation and Deployment." *The American Journal of Family Therapy*, 39 (3): 179-192.
25. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2012). "Assessment of the Character Restoration Center Program". Written for the Criminal Court of Tippecanoe County, IN.
26. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2011). "Assessing the Nonviolent Alternatives Intervention Program," Prepared for Nonviolent Alternatives and the Indiana Coalition against Domestic Violence.
27. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2010). "Incarcerated Fathers and Their Children," *Hoosier Counselor*, 47(4): 5-6.
28. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2010). "Violence Against Women: A Historical Perspective", *Hoosier Counselor*, 47(4): 8-12.
29. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2010). "Supporting families in Times of Challenge," *Hoosier Counselor*, 47(4): 1-3.
30. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2009). "The Need for Assessing the Use of Resources in the Community: The Case of Domestic Violence." *Hoosier Counselor*, 46 (3).
31. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2009). "Addressing Domestic Violence in Military Families is Everyone's Responsibility," *Journal & Courier*, Lafayette, Indiana, May 2009.
32. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2009). "Violence within Intimate Context: The Case of Military Veterans." *Hoosier Counselor*, 46 (3).
33. MacDermid Wadsworth et al. (**Solinas-Saunders, M.**) (2008). "Section 583 Report". Report on resilience and multiple deployments prepared for the Section 583 Policy Advisory Team, U.S. Department of Defense.
34. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, (2007) "Male Intimate Partner Abuse: Drawing Upon Three Theoretical Perspectives". University of Pittsburgh Library.
35. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (2002). "Inmates' Adaptation to Prison: A Gender Perspective", National Clearinghouse for the Defense of Battered Women Resource Library and Annotated Bibliography.

PUBLICATIONS IN PROGRESS & UNDER REVIEW

- Books

36. **Solinas-Saunders** (in progress) *Notes on the Institution of Punishment and Corrections*. Kendall Hunt Publishing Co., Dubuque, IA.

- Articles submitted

37. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (submitted) Book Review: Del Rosso, Jared. *Talking about Torture: How the Political Discourse Shapes the Debate*. New York, University Press, New York, NY. *International Sociology Review of Books*
38. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (submitted) Book Review: DeKeseredy, Walter S., Molly

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Dragiewicz, and Martin D. Schwartz. *Abusive endings: Separation and divorce violence against women*. Vol. 4. Univ of California Press, 2017. *Contemporary Sociology*.

39. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** and Stacer, M.J. (submitted) Ex-offender employment and criminal history records (essay) in Mallicoat, S. (Ed.), *Crime and Criminal Justice: Concepts and Controversies*, Second Edition (forthcoming), Sage Publisher.
40. Ochoa, T.A., Swank, S.D., Flores, H., Lockwood, S., Weller, N., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** (submitted). HOPE: A statewide reentry mentoring program for youth in correctional confinement. *Corrections Today*, American Correctional Association.

IN THE MEDIA (recent media appearances)

Chicago Tribune (Post-Tribune), Community News: "IUN to offer a Transgender Veteran Perspective." January 19, 2018.

Northwest Indiana Times, Andrew Steele: IUN addresses sexual misconduct through education, awareness." October 27, 2017.

NPR– Lake Shore Radio, (with Susan Zinner and Jonathyne Briggs) "Regionally Speaking" radio program to discuss their IU Regional Campus Grand Challenge Initiative award Health Studies Consortium Gets IU Regional Campus Award.

Northwest Indiana Times, Andrew Steele: 'Immortal life' prompts ethics conversation at IUN - March-11-2017.

Chicago Tribune (Post-Tribune), Karen Caffarini: "Hobart citizens remain vigilant on GEO issues." March 8-2016.

Post-Tribune, "Panel Points to training to improve police, community relations" – December 3-2014.

Northwest Indiana Times, "Police Militarization Leads to Tension to Public" - December 3-2014.

Northwest Indiana Times, "Doug Ross: Could Northwest Indiana become another Ferguson?" - December 07-2014.

Northwest Indiana Times, "IUN Student take classes with incarcerated women at corrections center" April 22-2014.

Post-Tribune, "Jerry Davich: Cutting Edge College Course Breaks Down Prison Walls." April 22-2014.

Inside IU, "Professor Turns Criminal Justice Education "Inside-Out." Story also featured on the IUN website and on the IU website (IU system-wide).

NPR– Lakeshore Radio, Steve Walsh host. Radio interview on School to Prison Pipeline, April 2014.

Northwest Indiana Times "Community Leaders Focus on Student Discipline." March 30-2014,

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Inside IU, “Campus organizers of T-shirt exhibit observe trends, ponder future research on openness after victimization.” February 5, 2014 [online <http://www.iun.edu/news/2014/clothesline-exhibit.htm>].

Indiana University Northwest - Notes of Distinction: <http://www.iun.edu/news/2014/feb-14-notes-distinction.htm>

Post-Tribune, Interview with reporter Jerry Davich, “Hard Time Finding a Job? Try Being an Ex-Con.” November 2011.

GRANTS and SCHOLARSHIPS

Grants (\$174,620).

1. **Indiana University Regional Grand Challenge 2017**, in collaboration with faculty from IUN, IUK, and IUSB. Title of proposed project: “The IU Regional Grand Challenge Consortium.” (\$25,000 **Awarded** & renewable for 3 years).
2. **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Interdisciplinary Research Leaders 2016**, in collaboration with Dr. S. Zinner (IUN) and Ronald Williams (Edgewater, Gary, IN). Title of proposed project: “An investigation of the effect of substance abuse, incarceration, and homelessness on the overall health of our Northwest Indiana communities: Implications for policy and program development.” Not awarded.
3. **Indiana University Northwest Diversity Fellowship, 2015**, awarded for purchasing materials for the course “Inside-Out Prison Exchange Program” offered in partnership with the Lake County Community Correctional Facility of Crown Point, IN. (**Awarded** \$500).
4. **Minority Opportunity for Research Experience (2015)** (*Mentor*). Student Vanelly Conception was awarded a MORE grant from the IUN Diversity & Equity program. Vanelly will work with me on a research protocol that involves data collections and data analysis of focus groups and survey observations (**Awarded \$1,000**).
5. **Indiana University Northwest Center for Innovation in Teaching and Learning Online Course Development Grant**, Creating an online Principles of Epidemiology course for SPEA, Fall 2015 (**Awarded** \$3,000).
6. **Humanity within Walls**, “The Impact of Novels on Prisoner Theory of Mind and Potential Integration of a Fiction based Empathy Experience as a Component of the Pre-Release Program Prior to Re-entry into Society” with Paula Leverage, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN. Not Awarded.
7. **Juvenile Justice Reentry Education: Opening Doors to College and Careers through Career and Technical Education** (JJ Reentry CTE Program), with Dr. Ochoa, Indiana University Bloomington (\$300,000 * 3 years). Not Awarded.
8. **Indiana University Gateway Online Course Program**, Creating an Introduction to Criminal Justice course online in collaboration with Tom Stucky, Thomas Fulk, Stephanie Whitehead. Fall 2015, (**Awarded** \$45,000).

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9. **National Health Institute, Grant Linking University-Wide Expertise (or GLUE grant)**, “Impact of a Job Mentoring Intervention on Juvenile Recidivism and Community Reentry,” with Theresa A. Ochoa, Indiana University Bloomington (\$200,000). Spring 2015. Not awarded.
10. **Women & Philanthropy of Indiana University:** In collaboration with Tanice Foltz (Women’s & Gender Studies Director). The grant supported the completion of the Student Victimization Survey, the preparation of the RAD course at IUN, and programming for the Women’s & Gender Studies program, Summer 2014 (**Awarded** \$16,500).
11. **Undergraduate Research Fund, Indiana University Northwest:** (*Mentor*) for 1 student awardees for the study of the Impact of “Ban the Box” and “Sealing of Criminal Records” in the State of Indiana, Summer 2014 (**Awarded** \$2,500)
12. **Indiana University Northwest Project Initiation Grant**, “IUN Student Victimization Survey”, with Tanice Foltz (**Awarded** \$5,000).
13. **Foundation of East Chicago**, “Program Evaluation of Local Non-Profit Organizations”, with Ceesay, A. and Szartleta, Summer & Fall 2014 (**Awarded** \$45,000).
14. **National Institute of Justice**, “Offender Rehabilitation,” with Jonel Thaller, (\$196,672). Summer 2013. Not Awarded.
15. **Dr. Peat Research Fund for the Study of Student Retention, SPEA**, awarded Fall 2012 with a proposal titled: “Improving Student’s Research Skills through the Use of Writing Intensive Courses: A Unique approach at Indiana University Northwest.” (**Awarded** \$500)
16. **Undergraduate Research Fund, Indiana University Northwest:** (*Mentor*) for 2 student awardees for the study of the Impact of “Ban the Box” and “Sealing of Criminal Records” in the State of Indiana, Summer 2012. (**Awarded** \$3,000)
17. **Indiana University Northwest Summer Research Fellowship**, awarded Fall 2011 for Summer 2012. (**Awarded** \$11,000).
18. **Indiana University Northwest Summer Research Fellowship (curriculum development)**, awarded Fall 2012 for Summer 2013 in preparation of the Inside-Out Prison Exchange Program course. (**Awarded** \$11,000).
19. **Indiana University Northwest Diversity Fellowship, 2013**, awarded for the preparation of the Inside-Out Prison Exchange Program course to be offered in Spring 2013. (**Awarded** \$1,470).
20. **University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Faculty Summer Institute:** Grant awarded as Honorarium for the preparation and delivery on a workshop on Strategies to teach Research Methods courses online (**Awarded** \$150).
21. **Indiana University Northwest Center for Innovation in Teaching and Learning Online Course Development Grant**, awarded Spring 2012 to prepare for offering three consecutive sessions of the course J331: Introduction to Corrections (**Awarded** \$4,000).

Scholarships

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22. **University of Pittsburgh Medical School (UPMC) Scholarship, Pittsburgh Youth Study (PYS)**, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic (which also included a monthly stipend for 12 months a year). Summer 2002 – Fall 2003.
23. **University of Pittsburgh Women’s Studies Research Grant**. Awarded for the completion of Ph.D. Dissertation, 2003.
24. **Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS)**. Internship Program for the Analysis of BJS data, ICPSR, University of Michigan, Summer 2001.
25. **Luxembourg Income Study (LIS) and University of Pittsburgh Center for European Studies**. Training Program on Income Inequalities, Luxembourg, Summer 2000.
26. **University of Pittsburgh Faculty of Arts and Science, Sociology Department** (which also included a monthly stipend for 8 months a year); Fall 1999 – Spring 2002.
27. **European Union (EU) International Scholarship**. Sponsored the completion of a Post-Graduate Degree in Economics, University of Essex. Fall 1997 – Summer 1999.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

1. Stacer, M.J., Moll, L., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “They are just like you and me” Students’ perceptions of inmates. American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, 2017, November 15-18, Philadelphia, PA.
2. Chang C.J. & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “How a collaboration across campuses promises to make Indiana smarter and healthier.” Presented at the Consortium of Urban and Metropolitan Universities (CUMU) Annual Meeting 2017, October 8-11, Denver, CO.
3. Stacer, M.J., Moll, L., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “New opportunities or closing doors: How correctional facility tours impact students’ thoughts about careers.” Presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, 2017, March 21-25, Kansas City, Missouri.
4. Stacer, M.J., Moll, L., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “*I just expected something that I would see on television*: Correctional facility tours and students’ thoughts about inmates.” Presentation at North-Central Sociological Association, Annual Meeting 2017, March 31-April 1st, Indianapolis, Indiana.
5. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** & Stacer, M.J. “Domestic Violence Offenders and Rehabilitation Programs: Should Heterosexual Men and Women Follow the Same Protocol?” Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting 2016. New Orleans, Louisiana, November 2016.
6. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “Engaged pedagogy within the Servant Leadership ideal: Moving beyond the contractual nature of higher education courses.” Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, 2016, Inside-Out Session, New Orleans, Louisiana, November 2016.

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7. Tsataros, D. & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “An in-depth analysis of domestic violence through the use of case studies.” Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting 2016. New Orleans, Louisiana, November 2016.
8. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** & Foltz T., “A Descriptive Study on Risk Factors for Victimization Among College Students: Focusing on Sex, Race, & Income.” Society for the Study of Social Problems – SSSP, Annual Meeting 2015, Chicago, IL, August 21-23.
9. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “Creating Quality Modules in CANVAS.” Presented at the Third Annual New Teaching Institute, organized by CISTL at Indiana University Northwest
10. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** & Ceesay, A., “Experiential Courses in Collaboration with Correctional Facilities: Challenges and Outcomes.” American Society for Public Administration – ASPA, Annual Meeting 2015, Chicago, IL.
11. Tsataros, D., & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “Are Online Course an Adequate Alternative for Students Enrolled in Vocational Academic Majors?” American Criminal Justice Society, Annual Meeting 2015, Orlando, FL. March 5-8.
12. Ceesay, A. & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “Community Constraints as an Opportunity to Craft a Unique Non-Profit Program: Our Experience in Northwest Indiana.” Inaugural Sustainable Civic & Community Engagement, Center for Urban and Regional Excellence, Indiana University Northwest, November 18-14.
13. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** & Stacer, M. “Participation in Batterer Intervention Programs: Do Military Offenders differ from Civilian Offenders?” American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting 2014, San Francisco, CA, November 19-2014.
14. Ceesay, A. & **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “Community Constraints as an Opportunity to Craft a Unique Non-Profit Program: Our Experience in Northwest Indiana.” Inaugural Sustainable Civic & Community Engagement, Center for Urban and Regional Excellence, Indiana University Northwest, November 18-14.
15. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, Foltz, T., Callaway, T., and Baker, A. “Doing Research with Undergraduates: Assessing Students’ Professional Development.” IASS, Anderson, IN, October 10-2014.
16. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, Foltz, T., Callaway, T., and Baker, A. “Findings from a Student Victimization Survey: The Experience of an Urban Midwest University.” MCJA, September 23-2014.
17. Peat, B., Zinner, S., Tsataros, D., Shah Kalim and **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “Leadership, Diversity, and Inclusion: An in-class Experiment with “*Whistling Vivaldi*,” Inaugural Midwest Public Affairs Conference, Fort Wayne, IN, March 28-2014.
18. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** and Stacer, M.J. “Supporting Criminal Justice Students’ Cognitive and Affective Learning through the use of Field Trips.” American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, November 22nd, 2013, Atlanta, GA.

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19. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** and Ceesay, A. "Multiple Choice Test versus True Assignments: Which Testing Method Can Best Predict Student Performance?" Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, Annual Meeting, Ball State University, Muncie, IN, October 2013.
20. Ferrandino, J.A., **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, & Tsataros, D., "Domestic Violence Reporting from the Police Officers' Perspective" Midwestern Criminal Justice Association (MCJA), September 2013, Chicago, IL.
21. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** and Zinner, S. "The Association between Medical Assistance and Program Participation in Prison: A Gender Perspective," Academic and Health Policy Conference on Correctional Health, Chicago, IL, March 2013.
22. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** "Assessing Key Factors in the Effectiveness of Batterer Intervention Programs." American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, November 14th, 2012.
23. Stacer, M. and **Solinas-Saunders, M.** "Veteran Inmates: Adaptation to Institutional Environments." American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, November 16th, 2012.
24. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** "Gender Differences in the Prosecution and Rehabilitation of Domestic Violence Offenders." Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, Fall 2012.
25. **Solinas-Saunders, M. and Huey, J.** "The Inside-Out Prison Exchange Model as a Service Learning Course: Challenges and Benefits of a Unique Approach to Service Learning." Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, Fall 2012;
26. Tsataros, et al. (**Solinas-Saunders, M.**): "Providing Service to Family Violence Victims through Service Learning: A Brand New Curriculum for Family Violence Courses." Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences. Fall 2012.
27. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** "Research Methods: Teaching Strategies in a Cyber Learning Environment." Faculty Summer Institute (FSI), 2012, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL. (Honorarium provided).
28. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** and Stacer, M.J. "The Effect of Race, Poverty and Abuse on Female Inmates' Repeated Convictions." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, 2011, Washington, D.C.
29. **Solinas-Saunders, M. and Moore, T.** "Taking Responsibility for their own Actions: A Longitudinal Analysis of Batterers' Understanding of Abuse and Offending." Paper presented at the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association Annual Meeting, 2011. Chicago, Illinois in September, 2011.
30. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** and Stacer, M.J. "Physical and Verbal Assault in Prison: Do Women Differ from Men?" Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, San Francisco, November, 2010.
31. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, "Abuse & Violence in Military Families," School of Liberal Arts Lecture Series, Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana, Lafayette, November 2009.
32. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, "Incarcerated Fathers and Family Support: Do Veteran Inmates Differ from Non-Veteran Inmates?" American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting 2009.

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33. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** and Dunn-Ramsey, S., “Domestic Violence in Military Families: Beyond Myth, Misperception and Media Influence.” Indiana Coalition against Domestic Violence, Indianapolis, Indiana, October 2009 (Honorarium provided).
34. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, Stacer, M., and Preston-Sternberg M., “Coping with Prison Deprivation: Does Military Experience Matter?” Western Society of Criminology, San Diego, California, 2009.
35. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, Loeber, R., and Stouthamer-Loeber, M., “Precursors of Intimate Partner Abuse: Findings from the Pittsburgh Youth Study,” American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting – Poster Session, Atlanta Georgia, November 2007.
36. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, “Female Drug Offenders: An Analysis of Repeated Convictions Using BJS Data,” Law and Society Meeting, Chicago, June 2004.
37. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, “Female Drug Offenders: An Analysis of Repeated Convictions Using BJS Data,” American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado; 2003.
38. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, (1) “Inmates Adaptation to Prison: A Gender Perspective” (2) “Women who Kill: A Quantitative Application of the Gender Entrapment Model” (3) “Female Perpetrated Homicide: How Abuse and Deprivation Shape Women’s Likelihood to Become Murderers.” Chicago, Illinois, November 2002.

Invited

39. **Indiana Advisory Committee on the “School to Prison Pipeline” of the United States Commission of Civil Rights**, Member of the Academic Panel, Hearing held in Indianapolis on February 16, 2016.
40. **A.C.L.U. Indiana Chapter**, Panel presentation on “Police Militarization in the United States and in Indiana.” December 2014.
41. **IUN Council**, “Preliminary Findings from the Student Victimization Survey,” with Tanice Foltz, September 2014.
42. **Shuttering the Silence: The School to Prison Pipeline Symposium** organized by Indiana University Northwest – ODEMA, March 2014.
43. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “Assessing the Rehabilitation of Batterers: Indiana as a Case Study”, Indiana Criminal Justice Association (ICJA), Annual Meeting, October 16th, 2013, Merrillville, IN.
44. **Solinas-Saunders, M.** “Women in the Criminal Justice System”. Women’s and Gender Studies Student Conference Celebrating Our Students 2013. Indiana University Northwest. Spring 2013.
45. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, “Domestic Violence in Military Families: The Need for Strengthening the Collaboration between Civilian and Military Communities”, University of North Carolina at Pembroke, Social Justice Symposium, Pembroke, NC, September, 2010.

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46. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, Gaylord, D., and Ashcraft, N., Continuing Education Workshop, “Leaving the Violence Abroad: Domestic Violence among Military Families.” Designed, Organized, and Implemented with the YWCA Domestic Violence, Intervention and Prevention Program of Greater Lafayette, Indiana (150 attendees), June 2009.
47. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, “Female Drug Offenders: An Analysis of Repeated Convictions using BJS Data.” University of Indiana and Purdue University at Fort Wayne, Indiana, Division of Environmental Affairs, Spring 2005.
48. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, “Adolescent Antisocial Behavior and Adult Intimate Partner Violence”, Preliminary Findings from Ph.D. Dissertation, Life History Studies Research Forum, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 2004.
49. **Solinas-Saunders, M.**, “Inmates’ Adaptation to Prison: A Gender Perspective”, Women Studies’ Brown Bag Series, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, October 2001.

INTERNSHIPS and TRAINING

Carnegie Classification Workshop, To prepare the Carnegie Classification Report for Indiana University Northwest. CUMU Conference, Denver, CO, October 8-2017.

Quality Matters Peer Reviewer Certification, Quality Matters, Maryland, United States. The Certification was sponsored by Indiana University Northwest through a CISTL grant; August 2016.

Title IX, Sexual Assault/Victimization Awareness program, Indiana University, as a member of the IU Student Welfare Committee, Indianapolis, IN, July 2015.

CANVAS – Teaching Online at IU: Training organized by the Center for Innovation and Scholarship in Teaching & Learning – CISTL. Indiana University Northwest, Gary, IN, August, 2015.

Faculty Colloquium on Excellence in Teaching - FACET, Training completed as a member of the *Faculty Leadership Team*, representing IUN faculty, Indianapolis, IN, August 2014.

Quality Matters, Training sponsored by Indiana University Northwest for the preparation of quality online courses, Gary, IN, August 2014.

Train the Trainer (as part of the Safe Zone Training series), sponsored by Indiana University Northwest Office of Diversity and Multicultural Affairs, Gary, IN, Spring 2014.

Safe Zone Training, Indiana University Northwest, Gary, IN, September 2013.

Equity Advisor, Office of Affirmative Action, Gary, IN, August 2013.

Social Behavioral Educational Research, IRB 2012, Indiana University, Indianapolis, IN. Mandatory training for member of the IU Human Subject Committee/IRB (ongoing appointment).

ONCOURSE: Teaching Online at IU: Training sponsored and managed by CISTL; IUN, Gary, IN, Spring 2012.

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Behavioral Based Interviewing, Indiana University Northwest, Diversity Office, Gary, IN, Fall 2011.

Council of Equity Advisors Training, Indiana University Northwest, Diversity Office, Gary, IN, Fall 2011.

Grant Writing and Budget Design, Indiana University Northwest, Office of Research, Pembroke, NC, Fall 2011.

Inside-Out Prison Exchange Program of Temple University, The training also included the certification to teach I-O courses with college students and prison students, Philadelphia, PA, July 2011.

Creating Service Learning (SVL) courses, University of North Carolina at Pembroke, Pembroke, NC; Spring 2011.

Writing an Intensive Writing (W.I.) course, University of North Carolina at Pembroke, Pembroke, NC; Spring 2011.

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, University of North Carolina at Pembroke, Pembroke, NC; Fall 2010 and Spring 2011

Military Sexual Assault Advocate, Indiana Coalition of Sexual Assault (INCASA) and Indiana National Guard, Indianapolis, IN. Spring 2010. Certification Awarded.

Distance Learning/Online Teaching with Blackboard, Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana. Fall 2009. Certification Awarded.

BJS Data Analyst Intern, Bureau of Justice Statistics at ICPSR, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan. Internship Instructor Prof. Jim Lynch. Summer 2001.

LIS Data Analyst Trainee, Luxembourg Income Study, Differdange, Luxembourg. Instructor Tim Smeeding. Summer 2000.

TEACHING

In person teaching:

- *Undergraduate*

Inside-Out Prison Exchange Program on Offender Reentry
Criminal Justice Data, Methods and Research
Corrections
Crime & Public Policy, Capstone Course
Social Research
Criminology
Social Inequalities
Introduction to Sociology
Diversity Issues in Criminal Justice
Research Methods
Cultural Diversity
Introduction to Criminology

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Social Problems
Wealth and Power

- *Graduate*

Quantitative Tools for Public Affairs
Fundamentals of Statistics
Research Methods in Criminal Justice and Public Affairs

Online (and Hybrid) teaching:

Principles of Epidemiology
Criminal Justice Data, Methods and Research
Corrections
Social Research
Introduction to Criminal Justice
Social Relationships & the Family

Teaching Assistant

Intermediate Statistics
Introduction to Sociology

Lectures: Guest Speaker

Solinas-Saunders, M., “Juvenile Justice in the United States,” Benedictine University, Naperville, IL. Spring, 2011.

Solinas-Saunders, M., “Incomplete crimes and the Criminal Justice System,” University of Saint Francis, Joliet, IL. Spring, 2011.

Solinas-Saunders, M., “Abuse and Violence among Military Families: Beyond Myths, Misperceptions, and Media Influence.” Purdue University, Child Development and Family Studies, Spring 2009.

Solinas-Saunders, M., “Abuse and Violence within the Family and Intimate Contexts: Defining and Understanding this Widespread Social Problem.” Ivy Tech Community College, Lafayette, Indiana; Spring 2009.

AWARDS and HONORS

Chancellor’s Award for Community Engagement, Finalist, Spring 2018.

Trustees’ Teaching Award, Indiana University Northwest, Spring 2018 (\$2,500).

One Book One Campus One Community Faculty Champion, Spring 2017.

FACET - Faculty Academy on Excellence in Teaching (Inductee) - Indiana University, Spring 2016.

Excellence in Teaching Award, Finalist, Founder’s Day Award, Indiana University Northwest, Spring 2015, (also Nominee, Spring 2016).

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Trustees' Teaching Award, Indiana University Northwest, Spring 2014 (\$2,500).

Excellence in Teaching Award, College of Health and Human Services, Indiana University Northwest, Spring 2014 (Stipend \$500).

The National Society of Leadership and Success Sigma Alpha PI, Excellence in Teaching Award, University of North Carolina at Pembroke, Pembroke, NC. Spring, 2011.

Indiana University Outstanding Undergraduate Associate Faculty Award 2010: School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis, Indiana.

United Way 2010 Community Service Excellence Award: In recognition of valuable contributions to YWCA Domestic Violence Intervention and Prevention Program of Greater Lafayette, Indiana.

Indiana Counseling Association (ICA) Conference Coordinator Award 2010: For the outstanding work on the ICA Annual Conference 2010, held in Indianapolis, IN on April 09, 2010.

School of Liberal Arts and Sciences Faculty Focus Person Ivy Tech Community College: Featured in the January, 2010 Newsletter.

School of Liberal Arts and Sciences Adjunct Faculty Honor Convocation, Ivy Tech Community College: Representing over 150 Adjunct Faculty members at Commencement on May 09, 2010.

Indiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence (ICADV) Community Empowerment Award 2009 with Danielle Gaylord and Norah Ashcraft for the outstanding service to military families who experience abuse.

ACADEMIC SERVICES

Special Services to the University

SPEA IUN Assessment Committee, *Chair*, since Spring 2018.

SPEA IUN Curriculum Committee, since Spring 2018.

IUN Faculty Board of Review, elected member appointed by the IUN faculty, Academic Year 2017-2018

IUN Executive Leadership Committee (UFC representative appointed by faculty org vote), Academic Year 2017-2018.

IU Honorary Degree Committee, 2017-18.

IU FACET Retreat Planning Committee, 2017-18.

IUN Founder's Day Teaching Award Committee, Spring 2017

CHHS Teaching Award Committee, *Chair*, Spring 2016;

CHHS Teaching Award Committee, Spring 2015;

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IUN FACET review Committee, since Fall 2016

IUN Trustee's Teaching Award Committee, Spring 2015.

IU eDesigner Search Committees (2), Center for Excellence in Teaching, Bloomington. 2016-17.

IU Sexual Assault Policy Committee. 2016-2017.

IU Police Departments Body Worn Cameras' Committee. 2015-2016

IU Student Welfare roundtable. Appointed Fall 2014 (standing committee formed by IU President McRobbie).

IUN FACET Leadership Team. Appointed Summer 2014.

IUN One Book, One Campus, One Community Committee. Fall 2014, 2016 & Spring 2015, 2017.
And IUN One Book Student Paper Contest, Fall 2016 and Spring 2017.

IUN Title IX Committee, Appointed Spring 2015 (standing committee)

IUN Affirmative Action Committee, since 2011.

IUN Diversity Advisory Council, since Spring 2013.

IUN Homecoming Committee, Fall 2013.

IUN Service-Learning Committee, Spring & Fall 2013.

IUN Institutional Review Board (IRB), 2012-2015 (IRB was centralized in Summer 2015).

Online Course Reviewer, Indiana University Northwest, CISTL (since Fall 2012).

NASPAA SPEA self-study for the accreditation of the Master in Public Affairs program, Indiana University Northwest, ongoing appointment (since Fall 2011).

SPEA Research Forum, Indiana University Northwest, since Spring 2012 (ongoing).

SPEA Graduate Program Committee, Indiana University Northwest, since Fall 2011.

Faculty Search Committees: 1. Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice, University of North Carolina, Pembroke, NC, Academic Year 2010-2011; 2. SPEA Criminal Justice, Indiana University Northwest, Fall 2011, Spring 2012, Fall 2012, Fall 2016 and Spring 2017.

SPEA Student Advisor: About 50 Undergraduate and Graduate Students (2011-2015).

IUN Service Learning Committee, Since Fall 2012.

IUN SAP committee: Helping SAP to finalize decisions on student appeals during Summer 2012.

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SPEA TEAM Trail Run and Fundraising Effort: Ran 12K for a fundraising event to support the Gabriel Horn shelter, Portage, IN, Summer 2012.

IUN Student Affairs Committee, Fall 2011.

Institutional Review Board (IRB) Member, University of North Carolina, Pembroke, NC, beginning appointment Spring 2011.

Graduation Ceremony Committee University of North Carolina, Pembroke, NC, Fall 2010.

Talk Show Guest, “Academe Today”, University of North Carolina, Pembroke, NC, Fall 2010.

Conference/Seminar Services

American Society of Criminology, Newsletter submissions, 2016 and 2018.

Coalition of Urban & Metropolitan Universities (CUMU), 2017, Panel Chair for Paper presentation session.

American Society of Criminology, Student Paper Competition Committee, Appointed Spring 2015.

IUN Annual Symposium on Child Abuse, 2013 & 2015, Moderated Sessions on Girls and Women’s abuse in Indiana, with State Representatives C. Hale and C. Brown.

American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, November 2014, Service for the Division of Corrections and Sentencing.

American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting, November 2012: Panel Chair (2 sessions)

Midwest Criminal Justice Association, Conference 2012: Panel Chair for 1 session.

Coordinator of the SPEA Research Symposium, Indiana University Northwest, since Spring 2012 (ongoing, every Fall semester).

Member of the Public Affairs Task Force Committee and Presenter, SPEA, Indiana University Northwest. Session title: “Offender Re-Entry: The Collateral Consequences of Incarceration”.

Member of the Advisory Board Committee and Presenter at the “Criminal Justice Week” event series, Indiana University Northwest, Gary, IN. Session’s title: “A Brand New Resolution for a New Beginning: Looking for Jobs After a Criminal Conviction.” The session also involved students and community partners’ presentations.

Presenter at “The Gender Brown Bag Series”, University of North Carolina, Pembroke, NC, Spring 2011. Presentation’s title: “Prison Programs, Contact with the Outside World, and Inmate Misconduct: A Gender Comparison.”

Presenter at the Social Justice Symposium, University of North Carolina, Pembroke, NC, Fall 2010. Presentation’s title: “Domestic Violence in Military Families: The Need for Strengthening the Collaboration between Civilian and Military Communities.”

Director of Education/Conference, Indiana Counseling Association (2009).

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Conference Session Chair, American Society of Criminology, Annual Meeting 2003 and 2011,
Midwestern Criminal Justice Association, 2011

Journals

Journal of Woman's Reproductive Health (Since Spring 2018);
Criminal Justice & Behavior (Since Fall 2017);
Health and Social Work (Since Summer 2017);
Justice Quarterly (Since Summer 2016);
Journal of Crime & Justice (Since Fall 2016);
Criminal Justice Review (Since Spring 2016);
Journal of the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (Since Fall 2015);
Feminist Criminology (Since Spring 2014);
Victims & Offenders (Since Fall 2010);
Journal of Family Issues: (Since Spring 2009);
Sociology Compass (Since Spring 2009).

Publishers

SAGE, Reviewer (Since Summer 2013);
Wiley-Blackwell Publisher: Reviewer (Since Fall 2011);
Jones & Bartlett Publishers: Textbook Reviewer (Since Fall 2009).

Student Organizations

TRU Butterflies Sorority, Ivy Tech Community College: Mentor (Fall 2009);
Multicultural Leaders in Action (MLIA), Ivy Tech Community College: Mentor (Spring 2010).

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Consortium of Urban and Metropolitan Universities (CUMU)
Society for the Study of Social Problems.
American Society of Criminology;
American Society of Criminology, Division of Corrections and Sentencing;

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American Society of Criminology, Division of Women and Crime;

Midwestern Criminal Justice Sciences;

Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND SERVICE

Indiana University H.O.P.E. program coordinator, appointed Fall 2017 and ongoing; recruiting mentors and participating in academic activities (grant writing, data analysis, event planning, and conference presentations).

Indiana Advisory Committee to the United States Commission on Civil Rights, appointed to Contribute to the Investigation on Civil Rights and the School to Prison Pipeline in Indiana, Fall 2015 and Spring 2016.

Lake County Community Corrections Advisory Board, appointed as Education Advisor, January 2016 (ongoing).

Indiana Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative – JDAI, member of the Steering Committee, Presided by Judge Stephaniak, since 2013 (ongoing).

We The People: Judge for the Regional Competition among Middle School Students, Indiana University Northwest. Volunteer since 2011-2015.

IUN Clothesline Project, in collaboration with the Women's and Gender Studies Program.

ICADV Researcher: Appointed by the Indiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence for the study of the Effectiveness of ICADV certified Batterer Intervention Programs in Indiana, since Fall 2012.

Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative, Data Analyst for the Indiana Criminal Justice Institute, Indianapolis; Member of the Research Committee, the Youth-Family Committee, and the Disproportionate Minority Contact Committee for the Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative (Anne E. Casey Foundation), Juvenile Detention Center, Crown Point, Lake County, IN (Fall 2011-2015).

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, Attended training and committed to help low-income families to complete their tax return forms, Pembroke, NC (Spring 2010).

American Heart Association, Jump Rope for the Heart, fundraising, since February 2011.

Ivy Tech Community College, Mentoring students with criminal records (students not enrolled in classes I teach).

Nonviolent Alternatives, a Batterer Intervention Program for men and women on probation for domestic violence, Program evaluator and trainer, since 2007.

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“Give an Hour”: I have helped them build a survey to measure the effort of mental health providers who volunteer for the organization.

“Operation Purple Camp”, Purdue University in Collaboration with the National Military Family Association (NMFA), West Lafayette, Indiana, June 2008.

Miller Child Learning Center, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana: Member of the Search Committee and Parent Advisory Council, since 2007.

YWCA Domestic Violence Prevention and Intervention Program, Lafayette, Indiana: Assistant to the Shelter and Continuing Education Programs; since 2006.

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Fund-raising; 2001.