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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. 2003 Miami University, Oxford, OH
Social Psychology

M.A. 2001 Miami University, Oxford, OH
Social Psychology

B.A. 1998 Baldwin Wallace College, Berea, OH
Psychology
Summa Cum Laude

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2011 – Present Research Assistant Professor
Jack, Joseph, and Morton Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences
Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH

2011 – Present Senior Research Associate
Begun Center for Violence Prevention Research and Education
Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH

2005 – 2011 Project Director
Institute for the Study and Prevention of Violence
Kent State University, Kent, OH

2005 Adjunct Professor of Psychology
Kent State University – Stark

2004 – 2005 Postdoctoral Fellow: Institute for the Study and Prevention of Violence
Kent State University, Kent, OH

2003 – 2004 Assistant Professor of Psychology
Wesley College, Dover, DE

AREAS OF RESEARCH INTEREST

Violence Exposure
Mental Health
Substance Abuse
Trauma
Evaluation Science
Suicide
Victimization

AREAS OF TEACHING INTEREST

Mental Health, Substance Use, and Violence
Trauma
Childhood Exposure to Violence
Social and Health Psychology
Program Evaluation and Design
Research Methods

FUNDING: GRANTS, PROPOSALS, & CONTRACTS

PI, Evaluation of the Family Connections program, Family Connections Inc., 2016-2018, \$30,000.

PI, *Partnership for Evaluation, Research, and Implementation Operating Support*, St. Luke's Foundation, 2015-2017, \$100,000

PI, *Partnership for Evaluation, Research, and Implementation Operating Support*, George Gund Foundation, 2015-2017, \$80,000

PI, *Implementation and Evaluation Services for Ohio's Competitive RECLAIM Initiative*, Ohio Department of Youth Services, 2015-2019, \$548,500.

PI, *Cuyahoga County Domestic Violence Homicide Prevention Demonstration Initiative*, Office on Violence Against Women, 2014-2016, \$650,000 (\$106,844 subcontract to CWRU).

PI, *Cuyahoga County Juvenile Drug Court Enhancement Grant*, Substance Abuse Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)/Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT), 2014-2017, \$628,200 (\$103,017 subcontract to CWRU).

PI, *Cuyahoga County Defending Childhood Initiative Implementation Grant*, Department of Justice, 2014-2015, \$612,260 (\$91,000 subcontract to Case Western Reserve University).

PI, *Enhancing Juvenile Drug Court in Montgomery County, OH*, Office of Justice Programs (OJP), 2014-2017, \$526,443 (\$15,000 to CWRU).

PI, *Responder Program Evaluation*, Summit County Juvenile Court, 2014, \$25,000.

PI, Project Evaluator, *Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Program*, Ohio Department of Youth Services and Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services, July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2015, \$241,118.

PI, *Expanding Substance Use Treatment Capacity at Montgomery County Juvenile Court*, Substance Abuse Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)/Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT), 2013-2016, \$975,000 (\$146,250 subcontract to CWRU).

PI, *Partnership for Effective Practices*, William J. and Dorothy K. O'Neill Foundation, 2013, \$25,000.

PI, *Cuyahoga County Domestic Violence Homicide Prevention Demonstration Initiative*, Office on Violence Against Women, 2013, \$192,447 (\$128,616 subcontract to CWRU).

PI, *Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program: Expansion of Montgomery County's L.I.F.E. Program*, Bureau of Justice Affairs, October 2012 – September 2014, \$200,000 (\$10,000 subcontract to CWRU).

PI, *Juvenile Detention Utilization Study*, Cuyahoga County Board of Commissioners, Nov 2012 – June 2013, \$34,727.

PI/Director, *The Center for Community-Based Evaluation, Research, and Training*, Gund Foundation, July 2012 – June 2013, \$50,000.

PI, Project Evaluator, *Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Program*, Ohio Department of Youth Services and Ohio Department of Mental Health, July 1, 2012 – June 30, 2013, \$106,128.

PI, *Best Practices Implementation and Evaluation Resource Center*, George Gund Foundation, July 1 2011 – June 30, 2012, \$7,244

PI, *Cuyahoga County Defending Childhood Initiative Implementation Grant*, Department of Justice, October 2011 – September 2013, \$2,000,000 (\$152,992 subcontract to Case Western Reserve University).

Co-PI, *Cuyahoga County Defending Childhood Initiative*, Department of Justice, October 2010 – September 2011, \$157,837 (\$66,721 subcontract to Case Western Reserve University).

PI, Project Evaluator, *Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Program*, Ohio Department of Youth Services and Ohio Department of Mental Health, July 1, 2011 – June 30, 2012, #2AS2340, \$106,128.

Co-PI, *Changing Demographics in Juvenile Justice and Behavioral Health Populations: Implications for Policy, Programming and Funding*, George Gund Foundation, July 1 2010 – June 30, 2011, \$75,000.

Co-PI, Project Evaluator, *Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Program*, Office of Criminal Justice Services (OCJS) August 2009-December 2010, #2009-RA-E01-2212, \$88,821.

Co-PI, Project Evaluator, *Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Program*, Ohio Department of Youth Services (ODYS), August 2009 – June 2011, #QAS-1800, \$153,488.

Project Director, *Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Program Continuation*, Ohio Department of Mental Health (ODMH), July 1, 2008 – June 30, 2009, \$100,000.

Project Director, *Behavioral Health in the Juvenile Justice System Program Evaluation*, Ohio Department of Mental Health (ODMH), July 1, 2007 – June 30, 2009, \$200,000.

Project Director, *Behavioral Health in the Juvenile Justice System*, Ohio Department of Youth Services (ODYS), July 1, 2006 – June 30, 2007, \$61,540.

Project Director, *Behavioral Health in the Juvenile Justice System*, Ohio Department of Mental Health (ODMH), November 1, 2005 – April 30, 2007, \$150,000.

PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING

Summit County Juvenile Court
Lake County Board of Health
Cuyahoga County Family and Children First Council
Cuyahoga County Youth Resource Center
United States Marshals Service (USMS)
Cuyahoga County Department of Children and Family Services
Cuyahoga County Alcohol, Drug, and Mental Health Board

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2008-2010 Co-Chair – State of Ohio’s Behavioral Health and Juvenile Justice Steering Committee Member: Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice and Targeted RECLAIM Workgroup
- 2010 - Member, Core Management Team: Cuyahoga County Defending Childhood Initiative
- 2010 - Member, Data and Evaluation Committee: Cuyahoga County Defending Childhood Initiative
- 2012 - Founding Member, Ohio Consortium of Crime Sciences
- 2012 - Advisory Board Member, Ohio Consortium of Crime Sciences
- 2013 - 2015 MSASS IT Committee
- 2014 - MSASS Research and Training Committee

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2005-2006 Department of Psychology, Kent State University – Stark
Introduction to Psychology (2 sections)
Child Psychology (1 section)
- 2003-2004 Department of Psychology, Wesley College
Introduction to Psychology (5 sections)
Introduction to Social Psychology (3 section)
The Psychology of Stigma of Victimization
History and Systems of Psychology
- 1999-2002 Department of Psychology, Miami University
Introduction to Psychology (*Fall, 2002*)
Psychology of Stigma and Victimization (*Fall, 2001, Spring, 2002*)
Introduction to Social Psychology (*Summer, 2000, Fall, 2000, Spring, 2001*)
Social Psychology of Disability (*Spring, 1998*)
Introduction to Statistics Laboratory (*Fall, 1999, Spring, 2000*)

PUBLICATIONS, TECHNICAL REPORTS, & PRESENTATIONS

Publications

- Butcher F., Holmes, M. R., Kretschmar, J. M., & Flannery, D. J. (in press). Poly-Victimization across Social Contexts: Home, School, and Neighborhood Violence Exposure. *Criminal Justice & Behavior*.
- Kretschmar, J.M., Tossone, K., Butcher, F., & Flannery, D.J. (in press). Patterns of Poly Victimization in a Sample of At-risk Youth. *Journal of Child Abuse and Trauma*.
- Kretschmar, J.M., Butcher, F., Flannery, D.J., & Singer, M.I. (2016). Diverting juvenile justice-involved youth with behavioral health issues from detention: Preliminary findings from Ohio's Behavioral Health Juvenile Justice (BHJJ) Initiative. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 27, 302-325.
- Tossone, K., Kretschmar, J., Butcher, F., & Harris, L. (2016). Validating the Ohio Scales in a juvenile justice sample of youth with behavioral health issues. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 25, 1218-1228.
- Kretschmar, J.M., Butcher, F., Canary, P.K., & Devens, R. (2015). Responding to the mental health and substance abuse needs of youth in the juvenile justice system: Ohio's Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*, 85, 515-521.
- Butcher, F., Galanek, J.D., Kretschmar, J.M., & Flannery, D.J. (2015). The impact of neighborhood disorganization on neighborhood exposure to violence, trauma symptoms, and social relationships among at-risk youth. *Social Science and Medicine*, 146, 300-306.
- Singer, M.I., Flannery, D.F., Kretschmar, J., & Bartholomew, J. (2015). Brief report: A county-wide survey of residents' violence exposure. *Journal of Psychiatry*, 18, DOI:10.4172/Psychiatry.1000199.
- Butcher, F., Kretschmar, J. M., Singer, M. I., Flannery, D. J. (2015). Confirmatory factor analysis of the Trauma Symptom Checklist for Children in an at-risk sample of youth. *Journal of the Society of Social Work and Research*. 6(2), 251-268.. doi: 10.1086/681545
- Butcher, F., Kretschmar, J. M., Lin, Y., Flannery, D. J., & Singer, M. I. (2014). Analysis of the validity scales in the Trauma Symptom Checklist for Children. *Research on Social Work Practice*. DOI: 10.1177/1049731513516803.
- Kretschmar, J.M., Butcher, F., & Flannery, D.J. (2014). The impact of bullying and cyberbullying on depression and suicidality. In M.H.M. van Dulmen, R. M. Bossarte, &

M.H. Swahn, (Eds.), Developmental and Public Health Perspectives on Suicide Prevention: An Integrated Approach, 58-83. Sciknow.

Kretschmar, J.M., Butcher, F., & Flannery, D. (2013). An evaluation of the behavioral health/juvenile justice initiative. *Behavioral Health in Ohio—Current Research Trends*, 1(2), 18-30.

Flannery, D.J., Modzelski, W., & Kretschmar, J.M. (2013). Violence and school shootings. *Current Psychiatry Reports*, 15, 331-337.

Butcher, F., Kretschmar, J.M., Flannery, D.J., & Singer, M.I. (2012). Neighborhood disorganization, exposure to violence in school, and behavioral health in a population of juvenile justice-involved youth. *Law Enforcement Executive Forum*, 12, 8-21.

Flannery, D.J. & Kretschmar, J.M. (2012). Fugitive Safe Surrender: Program description, initial findings, and policy implications. *Criminology and Public Policy*, 11, 437-459.

Flannery, D.J. & Kretschmar, J.M. (2012). Overview of: Fugitive Safe Surrender: Program description, initial findings, and policy implications. *Criminology and Public Policy*, 11, 433-435.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (2011). Displacement and suicide risk for juvenile justice-involved youth with mental health issues. *Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology*.

End, C.M., Davis, C.M., Kretschmar, J.M., Campbell, J., Mueller, D.G., Worthman, S.G. (2009). Missed call? A reexamination of sport fans' and nonfans' alcohol usage and alcohol-related experiences. *Sociological Spectrum*, 29(5), 649 - 658.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (2007). Substance Abuse and Violence. In D.J. Flannery, A. Vazsonyi, & I. Waldman (Eds.) The Cambridge Handbook of Violent Behavior and Aggression. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Flannery, D.J., Singer, M.I., Van Dulman, M., Kretschmar, J., & Belliston, L. (2007). Exposure to violence, mental health, and violent behavior. In D.J. Flannery, A. Vazsonyi, & I. Waldman (Eds.) The Cambridge Handbook of Violent Behavior and Aggression. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Spilsbury, J.C. Belliston, L. Drotar, D., Drinkard, A., Kretschmar, J., Creedon, R. Flannery, D. & Friedman, S. (2007). Clinically Significant Trauma Symptoms and Behavioral Problems in a Community-based Sample of Children Exposed to Domestic Violence. *Journal of Family Violence*, 22, 487-499.

End, C.M., Kretschmar, J.,M. & Dietz-Uhler, B. (2004). College students' perceptions of sports

involvement as a social status determinant. *International Sports Journal*, 8(2), 114-123.

End, C. M., Kretschmar, J., Campbell, J., Mueller, D., & Dietz-Uhler, B. (2004). Sport fans' attitudes toward war analogies as descriptors for sport. *Journal of Sport Behavior*, 26, 356-367.

End, C. M., Eaton, J., Campbell, J., Kretschmar, J., Mueller, D., & Dietz-Uhler, B. (2003). Outcome's influence on sport fans' computer-mediated attributions. *International Sports Journal*, 7, 128-139

Miller, A. G., Buddie, A. M., & Kretschmar, J. M. (2002). *Explaining the Holocaust: Does social psychology exonerate the perpetrators?* In L. S. Newman and R. Erber (Eds.), What social psychology can tell us about the Holocaust. New York: Oxford University Press.

Technical Reports

Kretschmar, J.M., Flannery, D.J., & Butcher, F. (February 2014) The Behavioral Health Juvenile Justice Initiative: Findings from 2006-2013. Submitted to The Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services & The Ohio Department of Youth Services.

Kretschmar, J.M., Flannery, D.J., & Butcher, F. (June 2012) The Behavioral Health Juvenile Justice Initiative: Findings from 2006-2011. Submitted to The Ohio Department of Mental Health & The Ohio Department of Youth Services.

Kretschmar, J.M., Flannery, D.J., & Butcher, F. (March 2010) An Evaluation of the Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative: 2007-2009. Submitted to The Ohio Department of Mental Health & The Ohio Department of Youth Services.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (March 2009). An Update on the Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative – Union County. Submitted to the Union County BHJJ Workgroup.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (January 2009). An Update on the Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative. Submitted to the Ohio Department of Mental Health and the Ohio Department of Youth Services.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (November 2008). An Update on the Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative – Cuyahoga County. Submitted to the Cuyahoga County BHJJ Workgroup.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (October 2008). An Update on the Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative – Montgomery County. Submitted to the Montgomery County BHJJ Workgroup.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (September 2008). An Update on the Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative. Submitted to the Ohio Department of Mental Health and the Ohio Department of Youth Services.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (January 2008) An Evaluation of the Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative: 2005-2007. Submitted to The Ohio Department of Mental Health, The Ohio Department of Youth Services, and The Ohio Department of Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services.

Recent Presentations

Gearhart, M.C., Flannery, D.J., Signer, M.I., Kretschmar, J., & Butcher, F. (2016, January). *ADHD, comorbidities, and trauma symptoms: Predictors of functioning in juvenile justice involved youth*. Abstract accepted for poster presentation at the 20th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work Research, Washington, D.C.

Keen-Marsh, B., Kretschmar, J.M., & Shafer, E. (April 2014). Working Together to Get It Right: How State, Local Communities and Universities Work Together To Implement & Promote Positive Change in Youth & Families Involved In Juvenile Justice. Presented at the Blueprints Conference on Healthy Youth Development. Denver, CO.

Adams, J., Frank, J. & Kretschmar, J. (February 2014). Youth and Violence: Understanding Risk, Response, and Recovery. Presented to the Schubert Center for Child Studies. Cleveland, OH.

Butcher F., Kretschmar, J., Lovell, R. (November 2013) "The Impact of Childhood Abuse on the Risk for Out of Home Placement for Youth Participating in a Behavioral Health and Juvenile Justice Program" Paper presented at the 2013 Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Kanary, P., Marsh, B., & Kretschmar, J.M. (March 2013). Behavioral Health and Juvenile Justice: Achieving Shared Outcomes for Youth. Presented at the Children's Mental Health Research and Policy Conference. Tampa, FL.

Kretschmar, J.M. (May 2012). The Many Uses of Data. Presented at the Transforming Our Communities: Defending Childhood Initiative All-Sites Grantee Meeting. OJJDP. Washington, D.C.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Kronenberg, J. (October 2011). *The Defending Childhood Initiative: Six Communities Respond to Children Exposed to Violence*. Presented at the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Program's Conference for Children's Justice and Safety. National Harbor, MD.

Kretschmar, J.M. (September 2011). The Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative. Presented at the International Community Corrections Association Conference. Cincinnati, OH.

Kretschmar, J.M. (January 2011). *The Cuyahoga County Defending Childhood Initiative*. Presented at the Department of Justice Defending Childhood Conference. Washington, D.C.

Kretschmar, J.M. (May 2010). The Behavioral Health/Juvenile Justice Initiative. Presented at the Community-Based Reform Policy Meeting. Columbus, OH.

Kretschmar, J.M. & Flannery, D.J. (March 2010). *The Relationship Between Suicide Ideation and Displacement in a Sample of At-Risk Youth*. Presented at the Society for Research on Adolescents Biennial Conference. Philadelphia, PA.