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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

- 2021-present Assistant Professor
 College of Criminology and Criminal Justice
 Florida State University
- 2018-2021 Teaching Faculty I
 College of Criminology and Criminal Justice
 Florida State University
- 2017-2018 Assistant Professor
 Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice
 College of Arts and Sciences
 Western Carolina University

EDUCATION

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| Ph.D. | 2017 | Criminology | Florida State University |
| M.S. | 2011 | Criminology | Florida State University |
| B.S. | 2008 | Criminology and Criminal Justice | Florida State University |

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Blomberg, T., **Brancale, J.**, Beaver, K., & Bales, W. Eds. (2016). *Advancing Criminology and Criminal Justice Policy*. London: Routledge.

Peer-Reviewed Articles

Billmeier, A., Stults, B., **Brancale, J.**, Caswell, J., Kim, Young-An, & Blomberg, T. G. (2026). Evolving Technologies in Law Enforcement: Documenting the Continued Growth of Real-Time Crime Centers. *The Police Journal: Theory, Practice, and Principles*.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0032258X261436634>

- Lucken, K. & **Brancale, J.** (2025). The Resilience Factor: The Sources and Implications of an Attribute for Men with a Felony or Prison Record. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 53(2).
- Pesta, G., **Brancale, J.**, & Blomberg, T. G. (2025). A Problem-Solving Court for Crimes Against Older Adults. *Laws*, 14(3). <https://doi.org/10.3390/laws14030040>
- Noorman, K. & **Brancale, J.** (2025). Individual and Institutional Facilitators and Barriers to Reentry Preparedness among Detained and Committed Youth. *Social Sciences*, 14(4). <https://doi.org/10.3390/socsci14040222>
- Lucken, K. & **Brancale, J.** (2024). Got Resilience? The Role of an Attribute in the Employment of Persons with a Felony or Prison Record. *Crime & Delinquency*, 72(2). <https://doi.org/10.1177/00111287241305045>
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., & Beaver, K. (2024). The Connection of Place, Routine Activity, and Financial Exploitation of Older Adults in a Large Retirement Community. Online First. *Journal of Aging and Social Policy*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08959420.2024.2422670>
- Brancale, J.** & Blomberg, T. (2024). Criminalizing Abuse, Neglect, and Financial Exploitation of Older Adults. *Laws*, 13(4), 49. <https://doi.org/10.3390/laws13040049>
- Rich, J. & **Brancale, J.** (2024). Behind the Gray Walls: An Examination of Prison Visitation Among Older Inmates. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 47(5), 662-677. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0735648X.2024.2319054>
- Lucken, K. & **Brancale, J.** (2023). The Employment Attitudes of Persons with a Felony Conviction and Their Behavioral Implications. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 46(5), 647-665. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0735648X.2023.2231421>
- Noorman, K. & **Brancale, J.** (2022). Barriers to School Reentry: Perceptions of School Reentry among Detained and Committed Youth. *Youth Violence and Juvenile Justice*, 21(3), 175-194. <https://doi.org/10.1177/15412040221147017>
- Brancale, J.** & Blomberg, T. (2022). The Role of Normative Age-Graded Transitions and Human Agency in Patterns and Variations of Financial Exploitation of Older Adults. *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*, 60(6), 781-818.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Siennick, S., Pesta, G., Swagar, N., Noorman, K., Caswell, J., & Chouhy, C. (2021). Building Collaborative Evidence-Based Frameworks for Criminal Justice Policy. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 32(8), 795-815.
- Chouhy, C., Swagar, N., **Brancale, J.**, Noorman, K., Siennick, S., Caswell, J., Bales, W., Pesta,

G., & Blomberg, T. (2021). Forecasting Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Proposed Criminal Justice Legislation. *American Journal of Criminal Justice*.
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s12103-021-09619-8>

Garduno, L.S., & **Brancale, J.** (2017). Examining the Risk and Protective Factors of Gang Involvement among Hispanic Youth in Maryland. *Journal of Community Psychology*, 45(6), 765-782.

Nonrefereed Articles

Blomberg, T., & **Brancale, J.** (2025). Why Scammers Target Seniors--And What You Can Do About It. *Scientific American*. Retrieved from
<https://www.scientificamerican.com/article/why-scammers-target-seniors-and-what-you-can-do-about-it/>

Blomberg, T., & **Brancale.** 2020. Avoiding Financial Exploitation as We Age. *OLLI Times*, Nov. 2020.

Invited Book Chapters and Encyclopedia Entries

Brancale, J. (in press). Researcher and Policymaker Partnerships as Tools for Criminal Justice Knowledge Exchange. In Sean Creaney, & Jayne Price (Eds.), *Knowledge Exchange in Criminal Justice*. London: Routledge.

Noorman, K., **Brancale, J.**, & Blomberg, T. (2021). Criminal Justice Policy Reform Through Researcher-Practitioner/Policymaker Partnerships. In Elizabeth Jeglic and Cynthia Calkins (Eds.), *Handbook of Issues in Criminal Justice Policy Reform*. Springer.

Brancale, J., & Blomberg, T. (2019). Employing Mixed Methods: The Case of Elder Financial Exploitation. In Mathieu Deflem and Derek M.D. Silva (Eds.), *Methods of Criminology and Criminal Justice Research: Sociology of Crime, Law, and Deviance*, Volume 24. Emerald Publishing.

Brancale, J., Blomberg, T., & Pesta, G. (2019). Elder Financial Exploitation in the United States. In Emil Plywaczewski and Ewa Guzik-Makaruk (Eds.), *Current Problems of the Penal Law and Criminology*. Eighth Edition. Warsaw, Poland: C.H. Beck.

Brancale, J. & Blomberg, T. (2019). From Mass Incarceration to a Medium Secure Society. In Maria João Guia, João Pedroso, and Silvia Gomes, (Eds.), *Prison, State, and Violence*. Springer.

Brancale, J., Blomberg, T. & Bales, W. (2018). *Electronic Monitoring*. Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice. Oxford University Press.

Blomberg, T. & **Brancale, J.** (2018). Crime control policy. In (Richard Wright, ed.) *Oxford Bibliographies in Criminology*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Blomberg, T. & **Brancale, J.** (2014). Net-widening: Past, Present and into the Future. In J. Mitchell Miller (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Theoretical Criminology*. Wiley-Blackwell.

Research Reports

Stults, B., **Brancale, J.**, Kim, Young-An, Caswell, J., Billmeier, A., Cowell, D., & Blomberg, T. (2026). *Addressing Violence and Gun Crime in Tallahassee and Leon County, Florida Through the Multi-Agency Capital Region Real Time Crime Center: An Operational and Research Partnership*. United States Bureau of Justice Assistance.

Siennick, S., Turanovic, J., Biro, S., **Brancale, J.**, Fridel, E., & Pupo, J. (2025). *A Mixed-Methods Examination of the Unique Root Causes of School Violence*. United States National Institute of Justice.

Stults, B., **Brancale, J.**, Caswell, J., Billemer, A., Kim, Young-An, & Blomberg, T. (2025). *Community Attitudes Toward the Use of Technology in Law Enforcement*. Capital Region Real Time Crime Center.

Brancale, J., Noorman, K., Copp, J., & Blomberg, T. (2025). *Florida State University and the Walton County Sheriff's Office Partnership: Phase 1 Final Report*. Walton County Sheriff's Office.

Brancale, J., Stults, B., Caswell, J., Blomberg, T., Kim, Young-An, Billmeier, A., & Cowell, D. (2025). *Use and Perceptions of Technology and Real Time Crime Centers in Tallahassee and Leon County, 2025*. Capital Region Real Time Crime Center.

Brancale, J., Stults, B., Caswell, J., Billmeier, A., & Blomberg, T. (2024). *Use and Perceptions of Technology and Real Time Crime Centers Among Law Enforcement Personnel in Tallahassee and Leon County*. Capital Region Real Time Crime Center.

Noorman, K., Chouhy, C., **Brancale, J.**, & Swagar, N. (2023). *Felony Re-Enfranchisement in the Era of Decarceration and Reform: An Empirical Analysis of the Changing Nature of Criminal Justice Control and Felony Re-Enfranchisement in Florida*. Florida State University Institute of Politics.

Noorman, K., & **Brancale, J.** (2022). *Research Brief: Perceptions of Educational Reentry Preparedness among Detained and Committed Youth*. Performance Based Standards (PbS).

Turanovic, J., Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Kuper, J., & **Brancale, J.** (2020). *Palm Beach County Victim Services Driving Under the Influence (DUI) Related Deaths Demonstration Project*. United States Office of Victims of Crime.

- Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., **Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, J., & Collier, N. (2020). *The Juvenile Justice Education Partnership, Phase 1 Report: Discovery*. Maryland State Department of Education.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2020). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB1866-Assault and Battery Against Special Populations*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2020). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB1716-Prison Releasee Reoffender*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2020). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB1504-Driving with a Suspended, Revoked, or Canceled License*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2020). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB1396-Driving Under the Influence Diversion Program*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2020). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB1308-Resentencing of Youthful and Young Adult Offenders*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2020). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB1288-Solicitation of Legal Services*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Brown, S., Copp, J., & Pesta, G. (2019). *Alternatives to Arrest*. PEW Charitable Trusts.
- Copp, J., **Brancale, J.**, Pesta, G., & Brown, S. (2019). *Harms Associated with Jail*. PEW Charitable Trusts.
- Brown, S., Copp, J., **Brancale, J.**, & Pesta, G. (2019). *Jail Reentry*. PEW Charitable Trusts.
- Brancale, J.**, Brown, S., Copp, J., & Pesta, G. (2019). *No-Jail and Low-Jail Options for Sentenced Populations*. PEW Charitable Trusts.
- Copp, J., **Brancale, J.**, Pesta, G., & Brown, S. (2019). *Pretrial Risk Assessment Tools*. PEW Charitable Trusts.
- Brown, S., **Brancale, J.**, Copp, J., & Pesta, G. (2019). *The Effectiveness of Measures to Improve Victim Safety during the Pretrial Period*. PEW Charitable Trusts.

- Copp, J., Pesta, G., **Brancale, J.**, & Brown, S. (2019). *The Impact of Money Bail on Pretrial Failure*. PEW Charitable Trusts.
- Brancale, J.**, Copp, J., Pesta, G., & Brown, S. (2019). *The Impact of Pretrial Interventions on Pretrial Failure*. PEW Charitable Trusts.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2019). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB574-Conditional Release*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2019). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB554-Mitigating Circumstances*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2019). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB550-Prison Diversion*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Chouhy, C., Fitzpatrick, K., Swagar, N., Bales, W. (2019). *Racial/Ethnic Impact Statement on SB522-Animal Cruelty*. Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee.
- Brancale, J.**, Brown, J., Pesta, G., & Bales, W. (2017). *Assessing the impact of individual-, school-, and district-level factors on school-based arrests to the Department of Juvenile Justice*. United States National Institute of Justice.
- Brancale, J.**, Blomberg, T., Ranson, A., Pesta, G., & Campion, B. (2016). *Elder Financial Exploitation in a Large Retirement Community*. Merrill Lynch Wealth Management.

FUNDED RESEARCH

- Brancale, J.** (PI), Blomberg, T. (Co-PI), Pesta, G. (Co-PI), & Kim, Y. (Co-PI). (2025–2026). *Assessing the Prevalence and Exploring Community-Level Correlates of Fraud and Financial Exploitation of Older Adults*. Funded by Florida State University Council on Research and Creativity. Total award \$95,445.
- Blomberg, T. (PI), **Brancale, J.** (Co-PI), & Copp, J. (Co-PI). (2025–2027). *Walton County Sheriff's Office and Florida State University Partnership: Evaluation of the Walton County Jail's Programs and Services Phase 2*. Funded by Walton County Sheriff's Office, Florida. Total award \$228,893.
- Stults, B. (Co-PI), Blomberg, T. (Co-PI), & **Brancale, J.** (Co-I). (2022–2025). *Addressing Violence and Gun Crime in Tallahassee and Leon County, Florida Through the Multi-Agency Capital Region Real Time Crime Center: An Operational and Research Partnership*. Funded by Bureau of Justice Assistance. Total award \$499,998.

Siennick, S. (PI), Turanovic, J. (Co-PI), **Brancale, J.** (Co-I), & Fridel, E. (Co-I). (2022-2024). *A Mixed Methods Examination of the Root Causes of School Violence*. Funded by the National Institute of Justice. Total award \$577,496.

Noorman, K. (PI), Chouhy, C. (Co-PI), **Brancale, J.** (Co-PI), & Swagar, N. (Co-PI). (2022–2023). *Felony Re-Enfranchisement in the Era of Decarceration and Reform: An Empirical Analysis of the Changing Nature of Criminal Justice Control and Felony Re-Enfranchisement in Florida*. Funded by Institute of Politics, Florida State University. Total award \$13,760.

Brancale, J. (PI). (2022). *Violent, Property, and Financial Crimes Against Older Adults: Exploring Trends, Offender Characteristics, and Sentencing Decisions*. Funded by Florida State University Council on Research and Creativity. Total award \$20,000.

Noorman, K. (PI), & **Brancale, J.** (Co-PI). (2022–2023). *Examining Barriers to Educational Reentry*. Funded by Performance-based Standards. Total award \$5,000.

Blomberg, T. (PI), Copp, J. (Co-PI), & **Brancale, J.** (Co-PI). (2021–2025). *Evaluation of Walton County's Jail and Reentry Program Phase I*. Funded by Walton County Sheriff's Office, Florida. Total award \$386,818.

PRESENTATIONS

Academic Conference Presentations

Cowell, D., Stults, B., & **Brancale, J.** (presented 2025, November). *Enhancing Real-Time Crime Centers: The Role of Multi-Agency Collaboration in Regional Crime Intelligence*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.

Pesta, G., **Brancale, J.**, & Wilson, M. (presented 2025, November). *Exploring Differences in Judicial Decision-Making for Juvenile Arrests in School Versus in the Community*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.

Stults, B., **Brancale, J.**, & Caswell, J. (presented 2025, November). *Exploring Public Support for Law Enforcement Technologies: The Role of Victimization and Moderating Factors*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.

Billmeier, A., Stults, B., **Brancale, J.**, Caswell, J., & Blomberg, T. (presented 2025, November). *Exploring the Landscape of Real-Time Crime Centers: Identifying Operational Types and Key Characteristics*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.

- Caswell, J., **Brancale, J.**, & Stults, B. (presented 2025, November). *Factors Influencing Law Enforcement Personnel Use of Technology from Real-Time Crime Centers*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.
- Bradford, J., & **Brancale, J.** (presented 2025, November). *Help-Seeking and Elder Abuse: Examining Behavioral Trends Over Time*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.
- Blomberg, T., & Brancale, J. (presented 2025, March). *Financial Exploitation of Older Adults: An Accelerating Social Problem in Search of Evidence-Informed Solutions*. Paper presented at Global Aging Research Conference-2025, Global Aging Research Conference.
- Stults, B., **Brancale, J.**, Billmeier, A., Caswell, J., Kim, Young-An, & Blomberg, T. G. (presented 2024, November). *An Impact Evaluation of the Capital Region Real Time Crime Center*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.
- Brancale, J.**, Li, N., & Blomberg, T. G. (presented 2024, November). *Risk Factors for Identity Theft Across the Life Course*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.
- Pesta, G., **Brancale, J.**, Stephens, D., & Blomberg, T. G. (presented 2024, November). *The Thin Blurred Line: The Changing Role of Private Security in the United States*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.
- Caswell, J., **Brancale, J.**, & Stults, B. (presented 2023, November). *Perceptions among Law Enforcement Personnel About Real Time Crime Centers and Technology in Policing*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA.
- Brancale, J.**, Stults, B., Caswell, J., Billmeier, A., Kim, Young-An, & Blomberg, T. G. (presented 2023, November). *Public Perceptions of the Use of Technology in Law Enforcement*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA.
- Billmeier, A., Stults, B., **Brancale, J.**, & Caswell, J. (presented 2023, November). *RTCC Prevalence, Operational Characteristics, and Reasons for Development: Results from a National Survey*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA.
- Noorman, K., & **Brancale, J.** (presented 2022, November). *Institutional Victimization Among Incarcerated Youth: Exploring the Prevalence and Risk Factors of Youth Victimization*.

Paper presented at American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Brancale, J., Chouhy, C., Noorman, K., & Swagar, N. (presented 2022, November). *Monetary Disenfranchisement: Analyzing Florida's New Felony Re-Enfranchisement Strategy*. Paper presented at American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Caswell, J., Stults, B., **Brancale, J.**, & Blomberg, T. (presented 2022, November). *Real Time Crime Centers: A Proliferating Law Enforcement Practice Without Empirical Justification*. Paper presented at American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Noorman, K., & **Brancale, J.** (presented 2021, November). *Identifying Barriers to Post-Release Educational Attainment Among Incarcerated Youth*. Paper presented at American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL.

Brancale, J., Blomberg, T., Caswell, J., Chouhy, C., Siennick, S., Noorman, K., Pesta, G., & Swagar, N. (presented 2021, September). *Assessing Potential Racial and Ethnic Impacts of Proposed Criminal Justice Legislation: A Partnership with the Florida Senate Criminal Justice Committee*. Paper presented at Annual meeting of the Southern Criminal Justice Association, Southern Criminal Justice Association, Daytona Beach, Florida.

Brancale, J., Blomberg, T., Caswell, J., Stults, B., Billmeier, A., & Kim, Young-an. (presented 2021, September). *Informing and Evaluating a Multi-Agency Real Time Crime Center: A Partnership with the Florida State University Police Department, Tallahassee Police Department, and Leon County Sheriff's Office*. Paper presented at Annual meeting of the Southern Criminal Justice Association, Southern Criminal Justice Association, Daytona Beach, Florida.

Brancale, J., Copp, J., Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Wenger, M., Castro, E., & Casey, W. (presented 2020, November). *Evaluating a Comprehensive Jail and Reentry Program: A Partnership with the Walton County Sheriff's Office*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.

Brancale, J., & Blomberg, T. (presented 2019, November). *Aging, Turning Points, and Financial Exploitation*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.

Brancale, J., Brown, J. M., Pesta, G., & Siennick, S. (presented 2018, November). *Exploring the Impact of a Juvenile Arrest on High School Completion*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Brancale, J., & Blomberg, T. G. (presented 2018, September). *The Influence of Living in a Large Retirement Community on Elders' Risk of Financial Exploitation*. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the Southern Criminal Justice Association, Southern Criminal Justice Association, Pensacola, FL.

Brancale, J., Brown, J. Pesta, G., Greenwald, M. & Siennick, S. (presented 2017, November) *Examining the Deterrent and Labeling Effects of School-versus Community-Based Juvenile Justice Referrals*. American Society of Criminology. Philadelphia, PA.

Brown, J., **Brancale, J., Pesta, G. & Siennick, S.** (presented 2017, November). *Examining How Juvenile Courts Respond to School-Based Offending*. American Society of Criminology. Philadelphia, PA.

Brancale, J. (presented 2016, November). *Exploring the Risk and Protective Factors of Elder Financial Fraud Using Life Course Theory*. American Society of Criminology. New Orleans, LA.

Siennick, S., Pesta, G., **Brancale, J., Brown, J. & Greenwald, M.** (presented 2016, November) *Exploring the School-Based Labeling Effects of an In-School versus Out-Of-School Arrest on a Cohort of Florida Youth*. American Society of Criminology. New Orleans, LA.

Brancale, J., Blomberg, T., Pesta, G., Ranson, J.W. & Campion, B. (presented 2016, June). *Life Course, Turning Points, and Elder Financial Fraud*. Law and Society Association. New Orleans, LA.

Brancale, J., Blomberg, T., Campion, B. Pesta, G. & Ranson, J.W. (presented 2015, November). *Elder Financial Exploitation in Florida: An Exploratory Study of the Risk and Protective Factors*. American Society of Criminology. Washington, D.C.

Invited Presentations

Brancale, J. (2025). *Financial Fraud of Older Adults*. Keynote presentation. Elder Law Clinic Moot Court Competition. Florida State University College of Law. Tallahassee, Florida.

Blomberg, T. & **Brancale, J.** (2022). *Financial Exploitation of Older Adults*. The United States Senate Special Committee on Aging. Wildwood, Florida.

Brancale, J., & Blomberg, T. G. (2022). *Financial Exploitation of Aging Adults*. The Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Talk about Payments Webinar. Virtual.

Blomberg, T. & **Brancale, J.** (2020). *United States Criminal Justice: Past to Present*. The Inn of Court. Tallahassee, Florida.

Blomberg, T. & **Brancale, J.** (2020). *Aging Adults, Turning Points, and Thresholds Resulting in Financial Exploitation*. Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Florida State University. Tallahassee, Florida

Brancale, J. (2016). *Exploring the Risk and Protective Factors of Elder Financial Exploitation*. Florida Senate President-Designate Joe Negron's University Listening Tour. Tallahassee, Florida.

COURSES TAUGHT AND STUDENT SUPERVISION

Courses Taught

Comparative Criminology and Criminal Justice (Florida State University)
Corrections (Florida State University)
Criminal Justice Administration (Florida State University)
Criminal Justice and Public Policy (Florida State University)
Directed Individual Study- Undergraduate (Florida State University)
Directed Individual Study- Graduate (Florida State University)
Dissertation (Florida State University)
Dissertation Defense (Florida State University)
Honors in the Major Research (Florida State University)
Institutional Corrections (Western Carolina University)
Introduction to Criminal Justice (Florida State University)
Juvenile Justice and Delinquency (Western Carolina University)
Preliminary Examination Preparation (Florida State University)
Prospectus Defense (Florida State University)
Prospectus Development (Florida State University)
Research Methods (Western Carolina University)
Supervised Research (Florida State University)
Supervised Teaching (Florida State University)
Translational Criminology (Florida State University)

Doctoral Committee Chair

Noorman, K. (2024). *Exploring Mediating and Moderating Effects of Juvenile Justice System Involvement on High School Graduation*.

Doctoral Committee Member

Billmeier, A. (2026, expected). *Exploring the Relationship Between Private Police and Racial Threat in U.S. Cities.*

Kuper, J. (2024). *An Immigrant Paradox in the Black Box? Evaluating In-Prison Maladaptive Behaviors Among Foreign- And Native-Born Persons.*

You, M. (2024). *Low Self-Control, Neighborhood Collective Efficacy, And Child Development as Explanations of Victimization.*

Master's Committee Chair

Bradford, J. (2026). *Understanding Elder Abuse: A Systematic Review of Risk Factors, Consequences, and Gaps.*

Rich, J. (2022). *The View Beyond the Graying Curtain: Exploring the Relationship Between Prison Visitation and Misconduct among Elderly and Female Inmates.*

Master's Committee Member

Mohr, M. (2026). *Childhood Adversity, Abstinence Pledges, and Adolescent Sexual Risk: Evidence from Add Health.*

Mann, C. (2026). *Traumatic Brain Injuries among Correctional Officers: An Examination of Prevalence, Sources, and the Impact on Perceptions of Workplace Victimization and Danger.*

Cobb, A. (2025). *Disparities Between Human Trafficking Detection and Conviction: A Cross-National Examination of Structural Factors.*

Fordyce, E. (2025). *The Policing of Mental Health: A Criminological Analysis of MHCORE's Impact on Police Legitimacy and Community Safety.*

Gibbs, W. (2025). *Biological Aging and Early Life Behavior.*

Biro, S. D. (2023). *Violent Victimization in Emerging Adulthood and its Consequences among Ever-Homeless Persons.*

Killian, E. (2023). *Exploring the Criminal Mind: Neurocriminology.*

Cook, C. (2022). *Peer Delinquency as a Moderator between Personality and Crime.*

Bachelor's Committee Chair

Videla, K. (2024). *A Policy Analysis of State-Level Legislation on Abuse, Exploitation, and Victimization of Older Adults*. [Honors in the Major Thesis]

Bachelor's Committee Member

Haberman, L. (2026). *Portrayals of Ted Bundy A Comparison of Consumer Reactions to Documentaries and Dramatizations*. [Honors in the Major Thesis]

Tyson, C. (2024). *Frustrations of Daily Prison Life as a Reflection of Broader Dehumanization: A Qualitative Assessment*. [Honors in the Major Thesis]

HONORS, AWARDS, & NOMINATIONS

Outstanding Teaching in the Major (undergraduate), Nominee, Florida State University (2025).

Outstanding Teaching in the Major (undergraduate), Nominee, Florida State University (2023).

Student-Nominated Faculty of the Year Award, Finalist, Western Carolina University (2017).

Dr. Maegan Evans Dean's Award for Grad. Student Excellence, Florida State University (2013).

SERVICE

Co-Director, Undergraduate Program, College of Criminology & Criminal Justice, Florida State University (2026-present)

Co-Director, Real Time Crime Center Research and Policy Institute (2022–present).

Co-Director, Aging Adult Fraud Research & Policy Institute (2017–present).

Faculty Advisor, Phi Alpha Delta Pre-Law Fraternity, Florida State University (2023-present)

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