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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS & AFFILIATIONS

2026-current	Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Criminology, University of Iowa
2023-2026	Assistant Professor, School of Criminal Justice, University at Albany, SUNY
2024-2026	Faculty Associate, Center of Social and Demographic Analysis, University at Albany, SUNY
2023-2026	Faculty Affiliate, Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY
2023-2026	Faculty Affiliate, Center for Aging and Policy Studies, Syracuse University

EDUCATION

2023	Ph.D., University of Wisconsin-Madison, Sociology Dissertation: <i>Declining Incarceration, Race, and Inequality</i> Committee: Michael Massoglia (Chair), Michael T. Light, Felix Elwert, Jenna Nobles, & Lawrence Berger Preliminary Exams: Crime, Law, and Deviance (<i>with distinction</i>); Demography and Ecology Ph.D. Minor: Applied Statistics
2021	M.S., University of Wisconsin-Madison, Sociology Thesis: <i>Toward a Causal Estimate of Friends' Influence on Delinquency</i> Committee: Michael Massoglia (Chair), Michael T. Light, & Felix Elwert
2015	B.A., University of Minnesota, <i>summa cum laude</i> , Sociology of Law, Crime, and Deviance.

PUBLICATIONS

Books:

Jason Robey, Michael T. Light, and Michael Massoglia. *The New Reality of American Incarceration*. Under Contract with The Russell Sage Foundation.

Peer Reviewed Articles and Book Chapters:

Shawn D. Bushway, Jason Robey, and Keith Humphreys. Forthcoming. "Running Out of Inmates? Cohort Non-Replacement and the Approaching End of Mass Incarceration." *Annual Review of Criminology*.

Jason Robey and Michael T. Light. 2026. "The New Reality of Incarceration: Why Imprisonment Rates and Racial Disparities Are Declining." *Nature Human Behaviour*.
<https://doi.org/10.1038/s41562-026-02536-y>

Jason Robey and Matt Vogel. 2025. "Defining and Measuring Homicide Rates for Birth Cohorts: Methodological and Theoretical Challenges and Solutions." *Criminology*.
<https://doi.org/10.1111/1745-9125.70017>

- Michael T. Light, Jason Robey, and Jungmyung Kim. 2024. "Citizenship, Legal Status, and Misdemeanor Justice." *Criminology*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1745-9125.12387>
- Jason Robey, Michael Massoglia, and Michael T. Light. 2023. "A Generational Shift: Race and the Lifetime Risk of Incarceration." *Demography*. <https://doi.org/10.1215/00703370-10863378>
- Michael T. Light, Jason Robey, and Jungmyung Kim. 2023. "Noncitizen Justice: The Criminal Case Processing of Non-U.S. Citizens in Texas and California." *American Journal of Sociology*. <https://doi.org/10.1086/725390>
- Jason Robey and Michael Massoglia. 2021. "Crime and Delinquency Over the Life Course: Adolescence, Peers, and Policy." in *Current Issues in Aging and the Life Course: Public Policy*, edited by Janet Wilmoth and Andrew London. Routledge. <https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003020912>
- Michael T. Light, Jingying He*, and Jason Robey*. 2020. "Comparing crime rates between undocumented immigrants, legal immigrants, and native-born U.S. citizens in Texas." *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*. <https://doi.org/10.1073/pnas.2014704117>
- *Second and third author names listed in alphabetical order to reflect equal contribution
- Michael T. Light and Jason Robey. 2019. "Citizenship and Punishment." in *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Criminology*, edited by Mona Lynch. Oxford University Press. <https://doi.org/10.1093/acrefore/9780190264079.013.527>

Under Review:

- Jason Robey. *Under Review*. "State, Race, Cohort: Inequalities in the Lifetime Risk of Imprisonment."
- Jason Robey, Michael Massoglia, and Michael T. Light. *Under Review*. "Stubborn Differences: The Lasting Impact of Judicial Appointments Criminal Sentencing."

In Progress:

- Jason Robey and Avery Warner. *In Progress*. "Criminal Sentencing Amidst Community Crisis: Evidence from Hurricane Harvey."
- Jason. Robey, Michael Massoglia, and Avery Warner. *In Progress*. "Race, Military Experiences, and Problematic Behaviors."
- Michael T. Light and Jason Robey. *In Progress*. "Reform, Discretion, and Discrimination: Trends in Racial Inequalities for Felonies and Misdemeanors"
- Jason Robey. *In Progress*. "The Causal Effect of COVID-19 on Prison Exposure: Evidence from Interrupted Time Series Analyses."
- Jason Robey. *In Progress*. "Towards a Causal Estimate of Friends' Influence on Delinquency."

Policy Reports and Book Chapters:

- Derek J. Robey and Jason Robey. 2018. "Utilizing Social Science Theories, Findings, and Comparative Analyses to Create a Framework for Understanding Economic Inequality." in *Teaching Economic Inequality and Capitalism in Contemporary America*, edited by Kristin Haltinner and Leontina Hormel. Springer.
- Jason Robey. 2018. *New York City Department of Probation: Probation Officer Survey Report*. Minneapolis: Robina Institute of Criminal Law and Criminal Justice.

- Ebony L. Ruhland and Jason Robey. 2018. *New York City Department of Probation: A Qualitative Report of Practice and Philosophy of New York City Probation Officers*. Minneapolis: Robina Institute of Criminal Law and Criminal Justice.
- Ebony L. Ruhland and Jason Robey. 2018. *Massachusetts*. In Probation Revocation and Its Causes: Profiles of State and Local Jurisdictions. Minneapolis: Robina Institute of Criminal Law & Criminal Justice.
- Ebony L. Ruhland and Jason Robey. 2018. *Probation Revocations: Findings from Interviews with Revoked Probationers from Bell County and Matagorda Community Supervision and Corrections Departments*. Minneapolis: Robina Institute of Criminal Law and Criminal Justice.
- Ebony L. Ruhland, Jason Robey, Ronald P. Corbett, Jr., and Kevin R. 2017. Reitz. *Exploring Supervision Fees in Four Probation Jurisdictions in Texas*. Minneapolis: Robina Institute of Criminal Law and Criminal Justice.
- Kaleena J. Burkes, Edward E. Rhine, Jason Robey, and Ebony L. Ruhland. 2017. *Releasing Authority Chairs: A Comparative Snapshot Across Three Decades*. Minneapolis: Robina Institute of Criminal Law and Criminal Justice.
- Ebony L. Ruhland, Edward E. Rhine, Jason Robey, and Kelly Lyn Mitchell. 2016. *The Continuing Leverage of Releasing Authorities: Findings from a National Survey*. Minneapolis: Robina Institute of Criminal Law and Criminal Justice.
- Ebony L. Ruhland and Jason Robey. 2016. *Hennepin County, Minnesota*. In Probation Revocation and Its Causes: Profiles of State and Local Jurisdictions. Minneapolis: Robina Institute of Criminal Law & Criminal Justice.

TEACHING

University at Albany (SUNY)

CRIM 3260: Immigration and Crime (Undergraduate)

University at Albany (SUNY)

RCRJ 302: Punishment and Corrections (Undergraduate)

RCRJ 507: Theories of Crime (Graduate)

RCRJ 607: Advanced Theories of Crime (Graduate)

RCRJ 659: Immigration, Crime, and Enforcement (Graduate)

University of Wisconsin-Madison

SOC 360: Statistics for Sociologists I (summer)

AWARDS

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| 2022-23 | Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award, National Institute for Child Health and Development |
| 2022 | RC28 Student Travel Award |
| 2021-22 | Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award, National Institute for Child Health and Development |
| 2021 | Hauser Research Scholar, University of Wisconsin-Madison |
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2019	Hauser Research Scholar, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2018	Hauser Research Scholar, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2017-18	Graduate School Fellowship, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2014	Sociology Undergraduate Research Fellowship, University of Minnesota
2014	Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program, University of Minnesota
2012-15	University Honors Program, University of Minnesota

PAPER PRESENTATIONS

2024	“Dude, Who’s in My Cohort? Challenges with and Solutions for Measuring Cohort Homicide Rates from Pooled Period Data” <i>American Society of Criminology</i> annual meeting in San Francisco, CA
2024	“State, Race, Cohort: Inequalities in the Lifetime Risk of Imprisonment” <i>American Society of Criminology</i> annual meeting in San Francisco, CA
2024	“State, Race, Cohort: Inequalities in the Lifetime Risk of Imprisonment” <i>RC28 Spring Conference</i> in Shanghai, China
2024	“State, Race, Cohort: Inequalities in the Lifetime Risk of Imprisonment” <i>Population Association of America</i> annual meeting in Columbus, OH
2023	“Military Service, Violence, and Race.” <i>Population Association of America</i> annual meeting in New Orleans, LA.
2022	“Military Service, Violence, and Race.” <i>American Society of Criminology</i> annual meeting in Atlanta, GA.
2022	“A Generational Shift: Race and the Lifetime Risk of Incarceration.” <i>American Sociological Association</i> annual meeting in Los Angeles, CA
2022	“A Generational Shift: Race and the Lifetime Risk of Incarceration.” <i>American Society of Criminology</i> annual meeting in Atlanta, GA.
2022	“A Generational Shift: Race and the Lifetime Risk of Incarceration.” <i>RC28 Summer Conference</i> in South Bend, Indiana.
2022	“A Generational Shift: Race and the Lifetime Risk of Incarceration.” <i>Population Association of America</i> annual meeting in Atlanta, GA.
2022	“Toward Causal Peer Effects.” <i>Population Association of America</i> annual meeting in Atlanta, GA.
2021	“Toward Causal Peer Effects.” <i>American Society of Criminology</i> annual meeting in Chicago, IL.
2021	“Toward Causal Peer Effects.” <i>American Sociological Association</i> online annual meeting
2021	“Stubborn Differences: The Lasting Impact of Judicial Appointments on Criminal Sentencing.” <i>American Society of Criminology</i> annual meeting in Chicago, IL.
2021	“Stubborn Differences: The Lasting Impact of Judicial Appointments on Criminal Sentencing.” <i>American Sociological Association</i> online annual meeting.
2021	“Stubborn Differences: The Lasting Impact of Judicial Appointments on Criminal Sentencing.” <i>Population Association of America</i> online annual meeting
2019	“Causal Peer Effects on Adolescent Delinquency.” <i>American Society of Criminology</i> annual meeting in San Francisco, CA.

- 2019 “Crime and Delinquency Over the Life Course: Adolescence, Peers, and Policy”
American Sociological Association annual meeting in New York, NY
- 2016 “The Relevance and Impact of Contemporary Paroling Authorities”
American Society of Criminology annual meeting in New Orleans, LA
- 2016 “Probation Research: Interdisciplinary, Multi-Jurisdictional, and Mixed
Methods” Invited presentation for the Twin Cities Research Group at the
Wilder Foundation in St. Paul, MN
- 2016 “Probation Revocation and Its Causes: Ramsey County, Minnesota”
Presentation by the Robina Institute at the Ramsey County Courthouse
for Continuing Legal Education (CLE) credits. St. Paul, Minnesota.
- 2015 “Race and the Changing Typifications of Players in the National Basketball
Association” at the Sociology Research Institute at the University of Minnesota.
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY & SERVICE

Ad Hoc Reviewer:

*American Journal of Sociology, Criminology, Journal of Quantitative Criminology, PNAS
Nexus, Law and Society Review, Sociological Quarterly, Asian Journal of Criminology, Law and
Social Inquiry, International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology*

Departmental and University Service:

University at Albany, (SUNY), School of Criminal Justice

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| 2025-26 | Faculty Recruitment Committee – Assistant Professor (committee member) |
| 2025-26 | Faculty Recruitment Committee – Online Lecturer (committee member and ODI
representative) |
| 2024-25 | Graduate Admissions Committee (committee member) |
| 2024-25 | Carson Carr Graduate Diversity Fellowship Procedures Committee (committee
member) |
| 2023-24 | Undergraduate Committee (committee member) |
| 2023-24 | Faculty Recruitment Committee – Online Lecturer (committee member and ODI
representative) |

GRADUATE STUDENT MENTORSHIP

Comprehensive and Qualifying Exam Committees:

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| 2025 | Baruch Rainey | University at Albany, SUNY – Member |
| 2026 | Manuela Brunner-Carrasco | University at Albany, SUNY – Member |
| 2027 (exp) | Bob Rakhmatullaev | University at Albany, SUNY – Advisor |

Dissertation Committees:

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| 2025 | Hilary Jackl | University at Albany, SUNY – Member |
| 2029 (exp) | Manuela Brunner-Carrasco | University at Albany, SUNY – Member |

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Society of Criminology
American Sociological Association
Population Association of America

REFERENCES

Available upon request

STATISTICAL PROGRAMS

STATA, R, python, SPSS, lem, Latent Gold