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EDUCATION

- 2015-present Ph.D. Criminology and Criminal Justice,
University of South Carolina
Dissertation: "Too Feminine for Execution?: Gender Stereotypes and the
Media's Portrayal of Women Sentenced to Death"
Chair: Dr. John Burrow
- 2019 Graduate Certificate in Gender and Women's Studies
University of South Carolina
Area Paper: "Decoding the Media's Image of 'Violent' Girls: Emerging
Dichotomies Between the "Good (White) Girl" and the "Bad (Black) Girl"
- 2015 B.A. Sociology; Minor: Mathematics
Saint Mary College, Notre Dame, IN
Senior Thesis: "When an Act is Labeled a Crime and a
Person Labeled a Criminal: An Analysis of Breaking Bad."

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Criminal courts; death penalty policy and practice; intersections of race, class, and gender; restorative justice; prisoner reentry; women's studies; masculinity studies; media studies; qualitative methods; feminist criminology

PUBLICATIONS

Edited Book Chapters

- Andersen, T.S., Isom Scott, D., & Collins, K. (2018). Constructing the "bad girls" hype: An intersectional analysis of news media's depictions of violent girls. In K. McQueeney & Malone (eds.). *Girls, aggression, and intersectionality: Transforming the discourse of "mean girls" in the United States* (pp. 24-44). New York: Routledge.

Refereed Journal Articles

Alexander, S. M., & Collins, K. (2015) "From patriotic rroops to branded boyhood: Hegemonic boyhood masculinity as depicted on Boy's Life magazine, 1911- 2012." *Boyhood Studies: An Interdisciplinary Journal* 8(1): 84-109.

Under Review

Collins, K., & Isom-Scott, D. "An Intersectional Look at the Victim-Crime Relationship."

In Progress

Collins, K., & Burrow, J. "Waiting to Die: An Exploratory Look at Case Complexity and Delay in Death Sentences."

RESEARCH GRANTS AWARDED

Collins, K. (PI), Alexander, S. B. (Co-PI). (2014). *Attacking Masculinity: An Examination of Hegemonic Masculinity in Two Television Series*. Submitted to Student Independent Study and Research Grant Program (SISTAR), Saint Mary's College. \$5,000

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Collins, K. (2021) "Too Feminine for Execution?: Gender Stereotypes and the Media's Portrayal of Women Sentenced to Death." *American Society of Criminology Annual Conference*. Chicago, IL

Collins, K., & Isom-Scott, D. (2019) "An Intersectional Look at the Victim-Crime Relationship." *American Society of Criminology Annual Conference*. San Francisco, CA.

Collins, K., & Burrow, J. (2017) "Waiting to Die: An Exploratory Look at Case Complexity and Delay in Death Sentences." *American Society of Criminology Annual Conference*. Philadelphia, PA.

Collins, K., Andersen, T.S., Isom Scott, D. (2016) "Decoding the Media's Images of the 'Violent' Girls." *American Society of Criminology Annual Conference*. New Orleans, LA.

Collins, K, & Alexander, S. (2014). "It's a [White] Boy's Life: The Hegemonic Masculinity of Boy Scouts Magazine Covers, 1911-2012." *Fun with Dick and Jane: Gender and Childhood Conference*. Notre Dame, IN.

Collins, K, & Alexander, S. (2014). "It's a [White] Boy's Life: The Hegemonic Masculinity of Boy Scouts Magazine Covers, 1911-2012." *North Central Sociological Association's annual meeting*. Cincinnati, Ohio.

Collins, K, & Alexander, S. (2014). "The Sporting Lifestyle: Selling Hegemonic Masculinity in Sports Illustrated." *University of Notre Dame Undergraduate Scholars Conference*. Notre Dame, IN.

Collins, K, & Alexander, S. (2014). "From Scouting to Manhood: Learning What it Means to be a Man." *Saint Mary's Annual Diverse Student Leadership Conference*. Notre Dame, IN.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught

Introduction to Criminology
Corrections
Criminal Courts
Alternatives to Incarceration

Teaching Assistant

Introduction to Criminology
Criminal Procedure
Criminal Law
Evidence
Women's Health

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2016-Present	American Society of Criminology
2016-Present	Division on Women and Crime
2019-Present	Academy for Criminal Justice Sciences

SERVICE

- 2016-2017 President of the Criminology and Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association: University of South Carolina
- 2017-2019 Vice President and Secretary of the Criminology and Criminal Justice Graduate Student Association: University of South Carolina
- 2021- Present Arbitrator for South Carolina's Department of Juvenile Justice

HONORS/AWARDS

- 2015-Present Graduate Assistantship: University of South Carolina Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice
- 2019 Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Doctoral Summit Fellowship
- 2021 Graduate Assistantship: University of South Carolina Department of Women's and Gender Studies
- 2021 University of South Carolina Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice's J.P. Strom Fellowship