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I. EDUCATION

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Concentration</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Degree</u>
Rutgers University	Sociology	1980-83	Ph.D.
University of Toledo	Sociology	1979-80	M.A.
University of Toledo	Criminal Justice	1977-79	B.S.
University of Toledo,	Law Enforcement	1974-77	A.A.

Special Areas of Interest

Police Studies
Juvenile Delinquency
Fear of Crime
Sociology of Sport
Comparative Criminology

II. PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

<u>Position/Rank</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Professor	UNC-Wilmington	1993-present
Associate Professor	UNC-Wilmington	1988-93
Assistant Professor	UNC-Wilmington	1983-88
Teaching Assistant	Rutgers University	1980-83
Research Assistant	University of Toledo	1979-80

III. TEACHING

Courses Taught at UNCW

Introduction to Sociology
Deviant Behavior
Research Methods
Introduction to Criminal Justice
Issues in Criminal Justice
Social Problems
Police in Society
Corrections
Juvenile Delinquency
World Criminal Justice Systems
Criminal Justice Internship and Lab
Directed Individual Study
Sociology Senior Project

Other Teaching Responsibilities

Department Advisor: 25-30 students per semester
Faculty Advisor, UNCW Criminal Justice Club, 1990-1993, 2000-2001
Faculty Advisor, UNCW Chapter of Alpha Phi Sigma (National Criminal Justice Honor Society) (1999-2010)
Faculty Advisor, Criminology Minor

IV. RESEARCH ACTIVITY

Book

LaGrange, Randy L.

1998 *Policing American Society*, 2nd edition, Chicago, IL: Nelson-Hall, Inc.

Refereed Journal Articles (peer reviewed)

Kim, Sangmoon, Cecil Willis, Keely Geyer and Randy LaGrange

2016 "When Birds of a Feather Don't Flock Together: A Macrostructural Approach to Interracial Crime," *Sociological Inquiry* 86(2): 166-188.

LaGrange, Randy

2014 "Security Checks and Beyond: Enhancing Police Effectiveness through CPTED" *Law Enforcement Executive Forum* 14(4): 1-11.

Kim, Sangmoon, Randy LaGrange and Cecil Willis

2013 "Place and Crime: Integrating Sociology of Place with Environmental Criminology," *Urban Affairs Review* 49 (1): 125-139.

LaGrange, Randy L. and Liz Marciniak

2009 "Police Practices and Perceptions of Public Safety: The Impact of Community Policing," *Law Enforcement Executive Forum* 9 (2): 121-131.

LaGrange, Randy L.

2007 "Police Consolidation Revisited: Implications for American Law Enforcement," *Law Enforcement Executive Forum*, 7(4): 1-10.

Willis, Cecil, T. D. Evans and Randy L. LaGrange

1999 "'Down Home' Criminology: The Place of Indigenous Theories of Crime," *Journal of Criminal Justice*, vol. 27(3):227-238.

Evans, T. David, Randy L. LaGrange and Cecil L. Willis

1996 "Theoretical Development of Comparative Criminology: Rekindling an Interest." *International Journal of Comparative and Applied Criminal Justice* 20 (1):15-29.

LaGrange, Randy L., Kenneth F. Ferraro and Michael Supancic

1992 "Perceived Risk and Fear of Crime: Role of Social and Physical Incivilities." *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency* 29 (3): 311-334.

Ferraro, Kenneth F. and Randy L. LaGrange

1992 "Are Older People Most Afraid of Crime? Reconsidering Age Differences in Fear of Victimization." *Journal of Gerontology* 47 (5): 233-244.

LaGrange, Randy L. and Kenneth F. Ferraro

1989 "Assessing Age and Gender Differences in Perceived Risk and Fear of Crime." *Criminology* 27(4): 697-719.

Kenneth F. Ferraro and Randy L. LaGrange

1988 "Are Older People Afraid of Crime?" *Journal of Aging Studies* 2(3): 277-287.

White, Helene Raskin, Robert J. Pandina and Randy L. LaGrange

1987 "Longitudinal Predictors of Serious Substance Use and Delinquency." *Criminology* 25(3): 715-740.

LaGrange, Randy L. and Kenneth F. Ferraro

1987 "The Elderly's Fear of Crime: A Critical Examination of the Research." *Research on Aging* 9(3): 372-391.

[Reprinted as book chapter in *The International Library of Criminology, Criminal Justice and Penology*. Jason Ditton and Stephen Farrall, eds. Ashgate Publishing, 2000.

LaGrange, Randy L.
1987 "The Future of Police Consolidation." *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice* 3:6-16.

Johnston, Lee W. and Randy L. LaGrange
1987 "North Carolina's New Infractions Law: Decriminalizing Non-Criminals." *Judicature* 70(6): 370-371.

White, Helene Raskin and Randy L. LaGrange
1987 "An Assessment of Gender Effects in Self-Report Delinquency." *Sociological Focus* 20(3): 195-213.

Ferraro, Kenneth F. and Randy L. LaGrange
1987 "The Measurement of Fear of Crime." *Sociological Inquiry* 57(1): 70-101.
[Reprinted as book chapter in *The International Library of Criminology, Criminal Justice and Penology*. Jason Ditton and Stephen Farrall, eds. Ashgate Publishing, 2000.

LaGrange, Randy L. and Helene Raskin White
1985 "Age Differences in Delinquency: A Test of Theory." *Criminology* 23(1): 19-45.

Nigem, Elias T., Randy L. LaGrange and James A. King
1981 "Self-Reported Delinquency and Alienation: A Study of Juvenile Crime." *Journal of Juvenile and Family Courts* 32(3): 49-57.

Other Published Works

LaGrange, Randy L.
2010 "Incivilities and Fear" Frank Cullen and Pamela Wilcox (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Criminological Theory*, Vol 1: 552-555. Sage.

LaGrange, Randy L.
2007 Tandem review of "Baseball and the Media," by George Castle, and "Baseball without Borders" by George Gmelch (ed.), *Sociology of Sport Journal*, 24(4):495-498.

LaGrange, Randy L.
2003 Review of "Fragmentation of Policing in American Cities," by Hung En-Sung, *Urban Affairs Review*, 38(6): 870-871.

LaGrange, Randy L.
1988 Review of "Crime and Culture in America: A Comparative Perspective," by Parviz Saney, *Journal of Criminal Law and Criminology* 79(2): 546-548.

LaGrange, Randy L.
1983 Review of "Inner-City Alcoholism: An Ecological Analysis and Cross-Cultural Study," by Geoffrey P. Kane, *Journal of Studies on Alcohol* 44(5): 925-926.

LaGrange, Randy L.
1980 Review of "Experiencing Social Research," by J. Runcie, *Social Science* 55(2): 123-124.

Non-Published Works

LaGrange, Randy L.
2015 *Police in Society*. Free 70,000-word online textbook written especially for UNCW students taking the CRM 307 Police in Society course.

Research Reports

- Darrell Irwin, Randy LaGrange, Michael Maume, and Stephen Meinhold
2006 *Wilmington Crime Survey – 2006*. Report submitted to local agencies.
- LaGrange, Randy, Darrell Irwin, Michael Maume, and Stephen Meinhold
2003 *Wilmington Crime Survey – 2003*. Report to the Wilmington Police Department.
- LaGrange, Randy and Michelle Salter
2001 *Wilmington Housing Authority Annual PHDEP Resident Survey*. Report to the Wilmington Housing Authority.
- LaGrange, Randy, Stephen Meinhold, Richard Dixon, and Ronald Everett
1999 *UNCW Wilmington Crime Survey– 1999*. Report to the Wilmington Police.
- Ferraro, Kenneth F. and Randy L. LaGrange
1990 *Are Older People Afraid of Crime? Risk, Fear and Constrained Behavior*. Final Report to the AARP Andrus Foundation.
- Ferraro, Kenneth F. and Randy L. LaGrange
1990 *Are Older People Afraid of Crime? Risk, Fear and Constrained Behavior*. Mid-Project Report to the AARP Andrus Foundation.
- Willis, Cecil L. and Randy L. LaGrange
1987 *Juvenile Justice Diversion and Intervention Project: Final Report*. Report to the Cape Fear Substance Abuse Center, Wilmington, N.C.
- Willis, Cecil L. and Randy L. LaGrange
1986 *Juvenile Justice Diversion and Intervention Project: First Year Report*. Report to the Cape Fear Substance Abuse Center, Wilmington, N.C.
- King, J., W. Muraco, K. Vezner, J. Wells, and R. LaGrange
1980 *Profiling the Needs of Older Persons*. Report to the Office on Aging of Northwest Ohio.

Research Contracts and Grants

- Associate Investigator (with Ken Ferraro, principal investigator), "Are Older People Afraid of Crime? Examining Fear, Risk and Constrained Behavior." *AARP Andrus Foundation*, January 1, 1990 - December 31, 1990. Budget: \$49,067.
- Co-Principal Investigator (with Cecil Willis), "An Evaluation Study of the Juvenile Justice Diversion and Intervention Project." Cape Fear Substance Abuse Center, October 1, 1985 - July 31, 1987. Budget: \$6,006.
- Recipient, 1992 UNCW Summer Initiatives (\$2,700).

Papers Present at Professional Meetings (partial listing)

- Kim, Sangmoon, Cecil Willis, Keely Geyer and Randy LaGrange
2013 "When Birds of a Feather Flock Together: A Macrostructural Approach to Interracial Crime." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the *American Society of Criminology*, Atlanta, GA, November 20-23, 2013.
- Kim, Sangmoon, Randy LaGrange and Cecil Willis

- 2010 "The Sociology of Place: A New Understanding of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design," Paper presented at the annual meeting of the *Southern Sociological Society*, Atlanta, GA, April 21-25, 2010.
- Irwin, Darrell, LaGrange, R, and Maume, M.
2008 "Tracking the Fear of Crime in the Cape Fear Region," Paper to be presented at the *American Society of Criminology*, St. Louis, MO, November 12-15, 2008.
- LaGrange, Randy L. and Liz Marie Marciniak
2002 "Does Community Policing Reduce Fear of Crime?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the *Southern Sociological Society*, Baltimore, MD, April 3-6.
- Irwin, Darrell and Randy L. LaGrange
2000 "Project Exile-Type Violence Reduction Programs: 'Shotgun-Wedding' of Political Right and Left." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, New Orleans, LA, March 22-25.
- Marciniak, Liz Marie and Randy L. LaGrange
2000 "Perceptions of Crime Among Males and Females: Modeling Gender Differences in Fear of Crime." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, New Orleans, LA, March 22-25.
- LaGrange, Randy L.
1997 "Community Policing and Fear of Crime: Dealing with Public Anxiety about Crime and Disorder." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the *American Society of Criminology*, San Diego, CA, November 19-22.
- Willis, Cecil, T. David Evans and Randy L. LaGrange
1995 "'Down Home' Criminology: The Place for Indigenous Theories of Crime." Paper presented at the *American Society of Criminology*, Boston, MA, November 15-19.
- Evans, T. David, Randy L. LaGrange and Cecil L. Willis
1995 "Crime and Justice in the Global Community: Developing a Comparative Perspective." Paper presented at the *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, Boston, MA, March 8-11.
- Ferraro, Kenneth F., Randy L. LaGrange and William C. McCready
1991 "Age Differences in Perceived Risk of Crime at Night: A Comparison of Measurement Strategies." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the *Gerontological Society of America*, San Francisco, CA, November.
- LaGrange, Randy L. and Kenneth F. Ferraro
1990 "Community Concern With Crime: Role of Physical and Social Incivilities." Paper presented at the *American Society of Criminology*, Baltimore, MD, November 7-10.

V. SERVICE

University Service (UNCW) (partial listing)

Building and Ground Committee, 2014 (1998-2002)

Member, Search Committee for Police Patrol Commander, UNCW Campus Police (March-April 2013)

Police Investigations Commander Assessment, UNCW Campus Police (May, 2012)

Member, Search Committee for Career Development Counselor (May-June, 2012)

UNCW Police Sergeant Assessor – UNCW Campus Police, August 5, 2010

NCAA Fact-Finding Committee, July-August 2011

Chancellors Security Committee, 2005-2006

University Curriculum Committee, 2000-2004 (Chair 2003-2004)
Admissions Committee, 1999-2003
Campus Recreational Advisory Board, 1993-1996
Student Affairs Committee, 1995-1997

Department Service (UNCW) (partial listing)

Space Committee (past Chair multiple years)
Scholarship Committee
Assistant Chair, Department of Sociology & Criminal Justice
Chair, SACS Contractual Relations Committee (member, multiple subcommittees)
Department Handbook Committee
Chair, Evaluation of Academic Advising Committee
Chair, Criminal Justice Recruitment Committees (multiple times)
Coordinator, Criminology Program (multiple years)

Service to the Profession (partial listing)

Session Organizer and Chair, "Fear of Crime: Community, Neighborhood and the Media," at the annual meeting of the ASC, St. Louis, MO, November 12-15, 2008.
Manuscript Reviewer (dozens of manuscripts for various publishers and journals)
Member, Planning Committee, North Carolina Sociological Association annual meeting, 2007
Board of Directors, *Troy D. Carr Scholarship Foundation*, 1995-2010.
Member, Research Advisory Council, N.C. Justice Academy, 1997.
Board of Directors, *North Carolina Criminal Justice Association*, 1994-98
Roundtable presenter, "Comparative Research in Criminal Justice," at the annual meeting of the *American Society of Criminology*, Chicago, IL, November 21-24, 1996.
Chair, "Fear and Reactions to Crime," at the annual meeting of the *American Society of Criminology*, San Diego, CA, Nov. 19-22, 1997.

Service to the Community (partial listing)

Panelist, Clergy & Law Enforcement Partnership Conference, Wilmington, N.C., October, 2014.
Interview Screen Board, UNCW Campus Police Sergeant Recruitment, August 2010
Consultant (unpaid) Wilmington Housing Authority Annual Survey on Fear of Crime, 2001
Interview Screening Board, Wilmington Police Department, April 2000.
Board of Directors, Wilmington Supper Optimists, 1998-2000, 2002-06.
Presented report to Wilmington City Council, March 2, 1999, on community crime survey.
Consultant (unpaid), Wilmington Police Department, Emergency Response Team, 1999-00. Panel Member, Carolina Beach Community and Business Revitalization Conference, October 1, 1997.

Media Presentations: (partial listing)

Interviewed by *Wilmington Star News* on crime in Wilmington, September 2010
Interviewed by WWAY-TV on Fear of Crime, February 6, 1997. Interviewed by *Wilmington Star News* on youth aggression, article appeared April 21, 1995.
Interviewed by *Wilmington Star News* on violence in the schools, article appeared May 15, 1994.
Interviewed by *Wilmington Star News* reporter on fear of crime, article appeared on July 17, 1994.
Guest, WAAV talk-radio on numerous criminal justice issues, September 30, 1992
Interviewed by WWAY-TV on Community Policing, June 8, 1992.
Interviewed by *Charlotte Observer* reporter on crime problem in Charlotte area, May 1, 1991.
Interviewed by *Wilmington Star News* on fear of crime, article appeared February 14, 1991.

VI. MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Society of Criminology
North Carolina Criminal Justice Association
North Carolina Sociological Association
Southern Sociological Society