Presenter Biographies

Margaret Abraham is Professor of Sociology at Hofstra University in Long Island, New York, where she served as Chair of the Department of Sociology and Anthropology from 2000 to 2003. Her research and teaching interests include ethnicity, gender, domestic violence and immigration. Dr. Abraham has worked as an action researcher in the South Asian community for more than a decade and has been honored for her work on domestic violence. She has served as a board member in community-based organizations and also as a national advisory board member on projects related to violence against women. She has published in various journals including, Violence Against Women, Gender & Society, and Indian Journal of Gender Studies. Her book, Speaking the Unspeakable: Marital Violence Among South Asian Immigrants in the United States (Rutgers University Press, 2000) received the American Sociological Association: Section on Asia and Asian America Outstanding Book Award.

Kamran Afzal is Commander of the Auto Theft Unit in Criminal Investigation Division, Arlington County, Virginia, Police Department. He has been an officer in the Department for 11 years and has served as a Patrol Officer, Community Police Officer with emphasis on gang suppression and intelligence, evidence collection technician and a Field Training Officer. Lieutenant Afzal spent the last 4 years as a supervisor on the Civil Disturbance Team. He also served for 1.5 years as a U.S. Capitol Police Officer.

Jay S. Albanese is Acting Chief of the Drugs and Crime and International Research Division at the National Institute of Justice. He is a past president of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (ACJS), the Northeastern Association of Criminal Justice Sciences, and the White Collar Crime Research Consortium. He is currently Executive Director of the International Association for the Study of Organized Crime. Dr. Albanese is a Fellow of ACJS and a recipient of the Founders Award from ACJS for his contributions to criminal justice education and to the Academy. He received the Teaching Excellence Award from the Sears Foundation and was named the Elske Smith Distinguished Lecturer in the College of Humanities & Sciences of Virginia Commonwealth University. He is the author of books that include Criminal Justice (2nd edition, Allyn & Bacon, 2002) and is co-editor of Organized Crime: World Perspectives (Prentice Hall, 2003). Dr. Albanese received his Ph.D. from Rutgers University.

Barbara Allen-Hagen is a Senior Social Science Analyst in the Child Protection Division in the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. Over the past 27 years, she has been responsible for overseeing several national programs and studies, including the Juvenile Justice Statistics and Systems Development Program, which produced the first National Report on Juvenile Offenders and Victims; the first national study of Conditions of Confinement for youth; the Performance-Based Standards (PbS) Program for Juvenile Detention and Correctional Facilities; the first and second National Incidence Studies of Missing, Abducted, Runaway and Thrownaway Children (NISiMART); and other national surveys of youth, including the forthcoming the Survey of Youth in Residential Placement (SYRP). Ms. Allen-Hagen has
also monitored the OJJDP study groups on serious and violent juvenile offenders and on child delinquents, and is now responsible for the soon-to-be-funded Girls Study Group. She is Project Manager for Understanding and Monitoring the ‘Whys’ Behind the Juvenile Crime Trends.

**Geoffrey P. Alpert** is Professor and Chair of the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice at the University of South Carolina. For the past 20 years, Dr. Alpert has concentrated his research and training on the evaluation of high-risk police activities, including the use of force, deadly force, pursuit driving, and accountability systems. He is currently working on studies concerning police decision making and racial profiling. Dr. Alpert has authored numerous books and monographs, including *The Force Factor: Measuring police Use of Force Relative to Suspect Resistance* (with R. Dunham) and *Police Pursuits: What We Know* (with R. Dunham, D. Kenney and W. Smith). He has also written more than 125 articles on topics that include the use of force, pursuit driving, accountability systems, and racial profiling.

**Bernard Auchter** is a Senior Social Science Analyst in the Violence and Victimization Research Division in the Office of Research and Evaluation at the National Institute of Justice. This division includes the research and evaluation program on violence against women and family violence, as well as other victim and violence issues. He has been with NIJ for 28 years; and during that time, he has been involved in research programs on violence against women, crime prevention, prosecution, adjudication, and white collar crime. Prior to joining NIJ, he was with the New Jersey Administrative Offices of the Courts in a Probation Research and Development unit. He has also worked as a child protective services caseworker. He has a B.A. in Humanities from Villanova University and a Master's degree in Social Policy Analysis from Rutgers University.

**Terrence Austin** has been the Chief of ATF’s National Firearms Tracing Center in Martinsburg, West Virginia, since May 2001. The Center is comprised of the Firearms Tracing, Industry Records and Law Enforcement Services Branches. Special Agent Austin became Director of ATF’s Youth Crime Gun Interdiction Initiative, “YCGII”, in October of 1998, and served concurrently as the Chief of Staff for the Assistant Director of Firearms, Explosives and Arson. From 1998 to 99 he was also the Chief, Firearms Programs Division, overseeing ATF firearms law and regulatory enforcement programs such as “Exile”, firearms trafficking, crime gun analysis and focused inspections. Special Agent Austin has been in charge of several projects that have resulted in the publication of valuable material concerning the ATF firearms mission. He has also provided assistance on several projects with the National Institute of Justice, most recently a Demonstration Evaluation related to firearms enforcement for the City of Los Angeles. He recently served as a member in the UN Group of Governmental Experts on Tracing Small Arms and Light Weapons.

Agent Austin’s previous assignments for ATF have included Assistant Special Agent in Charge of the Houston Field Division; Special Agent in Charge of Resource Management; Special Agent in Charge of Asset Forfeiture and Seized Property; and Resident Agent in Charge of the Portland, Maine field office. As a field agent in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, he worked the full range of ATF investigations and also has had extensive undercover experience. Chief Austin has also provided training in these and other areas to countless agents and police officers at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC), and numerous state and local police academies, including the U.S. sponsored International Law Enforcement Academy (ILEA).
Prior to joining ATF, Chief Austin was an agent for the United States Border Patrol in the El Paso, Texas Sector. From 1976 to 1978, he was a uniformed peace officer for the New York State University Police in Morrisville, New York. He is a 1976 graduate of the State University of New York at Utica/Rome.

**Jack Ballantyne** is an Associate Professor of Chemistry at the University of Central Florida (UCF) and the Associate Director for Research at the National Center for Forensic Science in Orlando, Florida. His current duties include teaching and conducting research in forensic molecular genetics. He teaches a variety of forensic biology courses to baccalaureate and Masters level students in the Forensic Science Program and nucleic acid biochemistry to Ph.D. students in the Biomolecular Sciences Program. His research interests include Y chromosome markers, the assessment and in vitro repair of damaged DNA templates, mRNA profiling for body fluid identification, the determination of physical characteristics by molecular genetic analysis and single cell/low copy number analysis.

Prior to entering academia, Dr. Ballantyne was a casework forensic scientist in Scotland, Hong Kong, and New York, where he proffered expert testimony in the criminal courts of these jurisdictions. He was the full-time DNA technical leader in Suffolk County, New York and since then has served as a part-time consultant DNA technical leader for Mississippi and Delaware, the city of Dallas, and Sedgwick County, Kansas. Dr. Ballantyne is the Chair of the New York State DNA Sub-Committee, a regular visiting guest at the Scientific Working Group on DNA Analysis Methods (SWGDAM), a member of the U.S. Department of Defense Quality Assurance Oversight Committee; he was a member of the World Trade Center Kinship and Data Analysis Panel (KADAP). He possesses a B.Sc. (with Honours) in Biochemistry from the University of Glasgow, Scotland, a M.Sc. in Forensic Science from the University of Strathclyde, Scotland, and a Ph.D. in Genetics from the University at Stony Brook, State University of New York.

**Duren Banks** is a Senior Research Associate with Caliber Associates in Fairfax, Virginia. Her research experience includes evaluations relating to juvenile justice, delinquency prevention, the role of the family and the environment on at-risk children, and the treatment of drug offenders in the criminal justice system. Dr. Banks recently directed an evaluability assessment of several programs funded through the Department of Justice; the assessment made recommendations as to appropriate and cost-effective evaluation designs for those programs. She designed and is currently implementing a research project that will evaluate the effectiveness of a faith-based program on recent prison releases. Dr. Banks is also working on two national demonstration projects that seek to minimize the effects of exposure to violence on children. She holds a Ph.D. in Criminology from the University of Maryland at College Park.

**Israel L. Barak-Glantz** is Chief Scientist and Director of the Bureau of the Chief Scientist of the Ministry of Public Security of the State of Israel. Since 1979, Dr. Barak has been responsible for the scientific research and development program of the Ministry of Public Security in Israel, spanning both the social and behavioral science areas, the exact and natural Sciences, and technological aspects. His current areas of scientific interests include scientific analyses and evaluation of criminal justice; law enforcement and homeland security policy and practice; criminality and deviant behavior and penal punishment; structure, organization, criminal justice and homeland security processes in democratic society; and social policy
planning, implementation, and evaluation. Dr. Barak has published his work in sociological and criminological refereed journals that include: *Sociological Focus, Journal of Criminal Justice,* and *Criminal Justice Review.* He has co-edited two books: *The Mad, The Bad and The Different...* with C.R. Huff and *Comparative Criminology* with E. Johnson. Dr. Barak received his Ph.D. in Sociology in 1978 from the Ohio State University. He served as Professor of Sociology and Public Policy, both in the United States and in Israel.

**Dick Bathrick** is Director of Programs for Men Stopping Violence (MSV). He has been with MSV since its founding in 1982. As a member of the State Commission on Family Violence, he coauthored the original protocols for Batterer’s Intervention Programs in the state of Georgia. As a consultant to the Georgia Correctional System, he supervised the curriculum development of a 12-session course on family violence to be taught to every Georgia state inmate. Mr. Bathrick is now conducting trainings for prison staff in teaching the curriculum. As part of MSV’s national training team, he has co-led trainings for a variety of organizations including the National Council of Churches, the U.S. Army and U.S. Marines, the American Orthopsychiatric Association, the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence, the National Association of Secondary School Principals, Blue Cross Blue Shield, and Bell South. Mr. Bathrick is co-author of the curriculum manual *Men Stopping Violence: A Program for Change,* of “Male Privilege and Male Violence: Patriarchy’s Root and Branch” in *Men and Intimacy,* edited by Franklin Abbott (Crossing Press, 1990), and two articles in the Journal of Religion and Abuse.

**Marlene Beckman** currently serves as Senior Program Analyst, Justice Systems Division, Office of Research and Evaluation in the National Institute of Justice. Before returning to the Office of Justice Programs in January 2004, Ms. Beckman worked in the Department of Justice’s Criminal Division, managing programs to assist justice system officials on rule of law issues in developing democracies in Central and Eastern Europe. She was also detailed to the U.S. Parole Commission for 6 months to assist with the transition of District of Columbia parolees to the Federal system. From 1994 to 2001, Ms. Beckman served as Special Counsel to the Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Justice Programs. Prior to that, she spent 3 years as a trial attorney in the Fraud Section of the Criminal Division. Her earliest work included conducting research at the Federal Bureau of Prisons and working with delinquent youngsters at Maryland Department of Juvenile Services’ Cheltenham residential school for boys. Ms. Beckman is a 1985 graduate of the Georgetown University Law Center. Before and during law school, she worked for the Department’s Civil Rights Division and the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration. Ms. Beckman also defended white collar criminal defendants while working for two Washington, DC law firms. She holds Master of Education and Bachelor of Arts degrees from the University of Maryland.

**Michael Berkow** supervises the administrative team of the Phoenix Police Department’s early intervention program called the Personnel Assessment System (PAS). He has been a member of the Department for more than 33 years and is currently assigned as a sergeant in the Professional Standards Bureau. He is committed to the continued development and improvement of the department's early intervention program that is currently viewed positively.
by employees as a form of employee assistance. Sergeant Snodgrass is also a statewide trainer for the Arizona Regional Community Policing Institute on the topics of Pension / Retirement Planning and Early Intervention. He has extensive experience in the area of labor / management relations; he has been on the board of trustees for his labor association since 1976.

Duane Blackburn is an Electronics Engineer in the Investigative Technology Division of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He also serves as an Agency Representative in the National Science and Technology Council at the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy. His primary area of responsibility is facilitating interagency cooperation on biometrics research, development, and evaluation. Prior to joining the FBI, Mr. Blackburn worked at the U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) Counterdrug Technology Development Program Office and the National Institute of Justice, where he managed research, development and evaluation programs in multiple technology areas. Mr. Blackburn established the Face Recognition Vendor Test (FRVT) series of government-managed technology evaluations of face recognition and co-managed the 2000 and 2002 evaluations. He also managed the first large-scale evaluation of face recognition operating in the watchlist task. In 2001/2002 Mr. Blackburn established and co-chaired (with FAA) the Aviation Security Biometrics Working Group and served as the DoD representative on the Department of Transportation Go-Team #9 that established the initial direction of biometric technology within the Transportation Security Administration. He also established and facilitated the 2003 U.S. Government Biometrics Workshop. Mr. Blackburn holds B.S. and M.S. degrees in Electrical Engineering from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Anthony A. Braga is Senior Research Associate in the Program in Criminal Justice Policy and Management of the Malcolm Wiener Center for Social Policy at Harvard University’s John F. Kennedy School of Government. His research focuses on working with criminal justice agencies to develop crime prevention strategies to deal with urban problems such as firearms violence, street-level drug markets, and violent crime hot spots. He has served as a consultant on these issues to the Rand Corporation; National Academy of Sciences; U.S. Department of Justice; U.S. Department of the Treasury; Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF); Boston Police Department; New York Police Department; and other state and local law enforcement agencies.

Dr. Braga was a key member of the Boston Gun Project/Operation Ceasefire working group that was responsible for reducing youth homicide in Boston by almost two-thirds during the late 1990s. The Operation Ceasefire program has received numerous prestigious awards, including the International Association of Chiefs of Police Webber-Seavey Award for quality in law enforcement, the Police Executive Research Forum Herman Goldstein Award recognizing excellence in problem-oriented policing, and the Ford Foundation Innovations in American Government Award. Dr. Braga has also been involved in a number of other strategic crime prevention programs such as the ATF Youth Crime Gun Interdiction Initiative and the U.S. Department of Justice-sponsored Strategic Alternatives to Community Safety Initiative and Project Safe Neighborhoods. He is also an affiliated faculty member of the Harvard Injury Control Research Center at the Harvard School of Public Health and was a Visiting Fellow at the National Institute of Justice. He received his M.P.A. from Harvard University and his Ph.D. in Criminal Justice from Rutgers University.
Laurie C. Bright is a Senior Social Science Analyst in the Office of Research and Evaluation at the National Institute of Justice. As evaluation program manager for the Serious and Violent Offender Reentry Initiative and the substance abuse treatment for prisoners issue area, Ms. Bright is responsible for developing, implementing, and disseminating information to practitioners and policymakers. Prior to joining NIJ in 1993, Ms. Bright conducted research and evaluations in a wide variety of subject areas for the U.S. General Accounting Office, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and George Mason University. Her previous work includes research on drug abuse prevention strategies, treatment for adult children of alcoholics, and victims of crime. Along with an A.A.S. and B.A. in Counseling/Social Work, Ms. Bright holds an M.A. in Applied Sociological Research from George Mason University.

Murray H. Brilliant has been the Lindholm Professor of Genetics in the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Arizona College of Medicine since 1997. Dr. Brilliant is the Chair of the Genetics Graduate Program at the University of Arizona and Chair of the Research Steering Committee of the Department of Pediatrics. He has held faculty positions at the Jackson Laboratory in Bar Harbor, Maine (1986-1989) and at the Fox Chase Cancer Center in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1989-1997). Dr. Brilliant has over 14 years of experience in the molecular genetics of pigmentation in mice and humans. His efforts have led to the identification of two of the four known genes involved in oculocutaneous albinism. Dr. Brilliant’s laboratory has authored almost all of the publications to date on the functional analyses of the P and MATP proteins. These two genes (P and MATP) are also known to be major contributors to normal human pigment variation. He currently serves on the editorial boards of Pigment Cell Research and Mammalian Genome and has served on numerous NIH review panels. Dr. Brilliant received his Ph.D. in Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology from the University of Colorado at Boulder in 1984.

Robert H. Brown, Jr. joined the Bureau of Justice Assistance in 1987. Since then has worked to develop and implement national, state, tribal, and local initiatives through BJA’s Discretionary and Formula Block Grant Programs. His current duties focus on advising BJA’s Director and command staff on policies and procedures to better plan and implement federal programming that targets urban, rural, and American Indian and Alaska Native communities; developing competitive national scope programs/solicitations; responding to prevention- and tribal justice–related congressional, state, and local inquiries; providing technical assistance at national, regional, and local venues; and mentoring BJA staff. His specialty areas include comprehensive strategic planning; community-based prevention and policing; neighborhood mobilization; developing and sustaining public service campaigns; and tribal justice programming. Mr. Brown’s work experience includes over 27 years in the fields of education, corrections, law enforcement, and federal grants management. He began his criminal justice career in 1976 as a correctional counselor for Polk County Court Services, Iowa's Fifth Judicial District. The following year, he was selected for employment by the Polk County Sheriff's Office, Des Moines, Iowa, where he served as jailer, hearing officer, patrolman, and as lead community service officer. In addition to the numerous courses and seminars, Mr. Brown’s formal education consists of an A.A. from Grand View College (Des Moines, Iowa), a B.A. and teacher certification from Drake University (Des Moines, Iowa), and peace officer certification from the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy.
Carol Bruce is a Senior Research Analyst with Westat. Prior to her career in social research, Dr. Bruce worked as a counselor with adolescents and families in crisis and with adolescent girls in residential treatment. She served as the Lead Analyst on the Planning for the Survey of Youth in Residential Placement (SYRP) and is currently completing analyses for the first national implementation of the SYRP. In her work with Westat, Dr. Bruce also served as Analyst on the National Study of Child Protective Service Systems and Reform Efforts and on several projects related to planning the fourth National Incidence Study of Child Abuse and Neglect (NIS-4). She received her Ph.D. in Human Ecology, M.S. in Statistics, and M.S. in Child and Family Studies from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Andy Bucholz is President of G2Tactics, a law enforcement technology company. He was an army officer before he became a police officer in the city of Alexandria, Virginia. He has significant experience in law enforcement as a former police officer. Mr. Bucholz is the author of the 1999 internationally published book Police Equipment and former Chairman of the City of Alexandria, Criminal Justice Board. He is a graduate of The Citadel.

James R. Bueermann has been a police officer for the City of Redlands, California for the last 24 years, serving in every unit within the department. He was appointed Chief of Police and Director of Housing, Recreation and Senior Services in May 1998. Under his direction, the implementation and strategic development of community policing in Redlands included the consolidation of Housing, Recreation and Senior Services into the police department, as a preventive strategy for reducing crime and adolescent problem behavior. Chief Bueermann works closely with several federal and state agencies and research organizations in an advisory capacity relative to crime mapping, risk and protective factor analysis, community policing, organizational development, and future issues in law enforcement. He holds a Bachelor’s degree from California State University at San Bernardino and a Master’s degree from the University of Redlands. In addition, he is a graduate of the FBI National Academy in Quantico, Virginia, and the California Command College.

James J. Cadigan is a Special Agent with the National Insurance Crime Bureau (NICB). The NICB is dedicated to fighting insurance crime and fraud through a comprehensive program of training member companies and law enforcement as well as conducting criminal theft and fraud investigations. Mr. Cadigan has been a member of the International Association of Auto Theft Investigators (IAATI) for over 26 years. He has served on the Executive Board of this organization and was recently awarded lifetime membership in the Association in recognition of all of his efforts for IAATI over the years. He has lectured extensively during his career at international and local IAATI seminars, and to various federal, state, and local law enforcement and insurance organizations in the United States, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands as well as in Europe. Mr. Madigan was a member of the Federal Bureau of Investigation from 1971 until his retirement in 2002. Assigned to the Auto Theft squad in Newark, New Jersey, he developed an expertise in identifying stolen over-the-road tractors. In one year, he recovered well over a million dollars of stolen tractor-trucks and received recognition from the Bureau for his efforts. In 1976, Mr. Cadigan was transferred to the Firearms-Toolmarks Unit (FTU) of the FBI Laboratory, where he eventually became Chief; he remained with this unit until his retirement.
Brett Chapman is a Social Science Analyst in the Office of Research and Evaluation at the National Institute of Justice. As a member of the Crime Control and Prevention Research Division, he is responsible for the assessment, development, and evaluation of a number of policing issues. His current projects include the Community Mapping, Planning and Analysis for Safety Strategies (COMPASS); Law Enforcement and Family Support field tests; and the Minority Trust and Confidence in the Police project. Mr. Chapman’s other research interests include death penalty issues, firearms violence, violence prevention, community-oriented policing, and issues involving drugs and crime. Before joining NIJ, Mr. Chapman was an instructor at the University of Maryland at College Park, where he taught courses in criminological theory, advanced theory, and drugs and crime. He was previously employed as a Pretrial Services Officer at the D.C. Pretrial Services Agency in Washington, D.C., where he performed a number of supervisory functions in the Pre-Release, Post-Release, Failure to Appear, and Intensive Supervision units. Mr. Chapman received his M.A. in Criminology and B.A. in Criminal Justice at the University of Maryland at College Park. He is currently completing his doctoral requirements at the same institution.

David M. Chavis is internationally recognized for his work in the implementation, support, and evaluation of community initiatives. The primary topics of his work have been the prevention of substance abuse, violence, poverty, illness and other social problems; coalitions and other collaborative strategies; diffusion of knowledge and innovations; participatory evaluation methods as well as methods to improve the use of the evaluation process. He has published articles on the theory, research, and practice of coalitions and other collaborative strategies. Dr. Chavis has disseminated the results of his research and experience to scientists, decision-makers, community leaders, and other citizens through academic publications, reports, presentations, and workshops. He and Kien Lee received the 2002 Outstanding Evaluation award from the American Evaluation Association. Dr. Chavis has provided technical assistance and training assistance internationally to evaluators and prevention program staff on collaborative and useful evaluation methods. Currently, he leads the evaluation of the Safe Start Initiative, funded by the Department of Justice for the past four years. He has been responsible for the national evaluation of this collaborative systems change effort and leads the team that provides technical assistance and other capacity building services to local evaluators and program staff. Dr. Chavis has led other national and local evaluations, including Community Partnership Demonstration Grant and Community Prevention Coalition Programs funded by the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP); the National Funding Collaborative for Violence Prevention; and Embedding Prevention in States (National Crime Prevention Council). He is a founder and faculty member of the prestigious Evaluators Institute. He has conducted many workshops at national and local conferences on community-based evaluations.

Betty M. Chemers has spent more than 25 years in the public and not-for-profit sectors working on criminal justice and juvenile justice issues. In March 2003, she assumed responsibility for the newly created Evaluation Division at the National Institute of Justice. The Division is working to improve the quality, utility, and effectiveness of NIJ evaluations through oversight of evaluation research activities, long range planning, development of standards, and evaluation capacity building within the Office of Justice Programs and the criminal justice field. Prior to NIJ, she served as the Deputy Administrator for Discretionary Programs at the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, overseeing research, demonstration, and training
and technical assistance activities. Her non-Federal service includes directing the Planning and Policy Analysis Division for the Maryland Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services and consulting on strategic planning, finance, and management issues with non-profits. Ms. Chemers received her M.A. in History from Boston University and her B.A. (Education/Sociology) from the University of Maryland.

Janet Chiancone is a Social Science Program Specialist at the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. At OJJDP, she manages research and evaluation projects in the areas of truancy prevention and intervention, juvenile justice statistics, courts and prevention programs. Her responsibilities include managing grants to the National Center for School Engagement to evaluate OJJDP’s Truancy Demonstration Program Evaluation and the National Truancy Prevention Association’s training and technical assistance project. She also works with the Bureau of the Census and the National Center for Juvenile Justice to make available the latest statistics on juvenile arrests, court cases, and youth in the corrections system. Prior to coming to OJJDP, Ms. Chiancone conducted research on parental abduction, and worked on state child dependency court improvement projects at the American Bar Association Center on Children and the Law. Her background also includes work as a Program Manager for a local Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) program, as a Project Manager for a Department of Education-funded research project that examined the impact of Head Start programs on homeless children and families, and as a program development consultant assisting local housing authorities to develop drug prevention and youth development programs for children and their families. Ms. Chiancone has an M.S. from the University of Maryland in Family and Community Development and a B.A. in Government and Politics.

Wilbur Chin is the Manager of the U.S. Army’s Sense Through the Wall Science and Technology Objective Program. He works for the Army Research, Development and Engineering Command Communications-Electronics Research, Development and Engineering Center’s Intelligence and Information Warfare Directorate. Mr. Chin has over 15 years of experience in acquisition and research, development and engineering. He has worked on numerous intelligence and electronic warfare systems and has supported several programs for the Department of Defense Counter Drug Technology Program Office. He holds a B.S. in Electrical Engineering from Rutgers University.

Heidi Clark is a 27-year veteran of the Los Angeles County Sheriff’s Department. During her career, she has worked a variety of assignments from uniformed patrol to various investigative assignments. Since 1994, she has been assigned to the Arson/Explosives Detail (bomb squad) as a full-time bomb technician and full-time arson investigator. She is currently the Operations and Training Sergeant for her unit and is responsible for the overall daily operations and coordinates all training for the assigned personnel. During 2002, Sergeant Clark traveled twice to Israel and conducted in-depth training on suicide/homicide bombers with the Israel National Police. Her mission was to obtain information regarding the terrorist groups, their methods of operation, and types of devices they deploy and formulate response protocols to these types of events for American public safety organizations. Sergeant Clark has shared the information she acquired with agencies from coast to coast. She has collected a vast amount of articles and studies regarding all aspects surrounding suicide/homicide bombers and has made most of her research available to public safety agencies upon request.
Joannie Delgado Collins is currently the Law-Related Education (LRE) Academy Manager for the Arizona Foundation for Legal Services & Education, provides quality law-related education instruction to Arizona school resource officers, school probation officers, teachers, administrators, and community resource people. Ms. Collins is responsible for designing and implementing training for Arizona School Resource Officers, school probation officers, and teachers; the LRE Academy trains approximately 450 educators a year. In addition, Ms. Collins oversees the Arizona Community Works Expansion Center providing Arizona educators with the necessary training and resources to implement Community Works in their schools. She received her B.S. in Justice Studies and her M.A. in Criminal Justice from Arizona State University.

Thomas P. Coty has 23 years of Federal service. In February 2004, he joined the U.S. Department of Homeland Security’s Science and Technology Directorate as the Director for Technical Solutions and Standards with the SAFECOM Program. Before joining DHS, Mr. Coty managed the National Institute of Justice’s AGILE Program, a highly visible national program addressing communications interoperability and information sharing issues on behalf of over 45,000 public safety agencies. Prior to joining NIJ in 1997, Mr. Coty was a recognized expert in high performance thermal target acquisition systems employed as a Senior Systems Engineer at the U.S. Army’s Night Vision and Electronic Sensors Directorate. Mr. Coty received his B.S. degree in Physics from the University of Connecticut in 1981.

Christine Crossland is a Senior Social Science Analyst in the Office of Research and Evaluation at the National Institute of Justice. She is responsible for planning, testing, evaluating, managing, and reporting drugs and crime grants and studies. She also develops and oversees drug-related research projects; oversees contracts and grants; acts as liaison with contract, operational, and research staff; and offers advice on scientific issues related to drugs and crime research study design and implementation. Before assuming this position, Ms. Crossland served as the Deputy Chief of the Arrestee Drug Abuse Monitoring (ADAM) program and as a Program and Policy Analyst in the Drugs and Crime and International Research Division.

Milton M. Crump is Special Assistant to the Director of the Prince George’s County Department of Corrections. His career in law enforcement and public safety began in 1966 as a Patrol Officer with the Prince George’s County Police Department. He served in varied capacities—in the Robbery Section, the Homicide Unit, as Commander in Homicide and Sex Crimes Section, Commander of the Internal Affairs Section, Commander of the Inspectional Services Division, as the Assistant to the Chief of Police, and as the Deputy Chief of the Bureau of Support Services. During his tenure with the agency, he initiated and developed the first Homicide Investigative Unit of the Prince George’s County Police Department. In 1987, Major Crump was detailed to the Prince George’s County Department of Corrections; in January 1988, he became a permanent administrator, as a Deputy Director (Colonel/Chief of Operations). Colonel Crump was assigned to his current position in 2003. Throughout his service with the Police Department and the Department of Corrections he has received many awards and citations such as Chief’s Awards, Meritorious Service Awards, Award of Merit Awards. Colonel Crump has participated in the Governor’s Commission on Disruptive Youth, has been a Southern Regional Representative for the National Criminal Justice Association, and participated in the
Development of the President’s Drug Control Strategy. He was appointed in 1995 by the Lieutenant Governor to serve on the Task Force on Sentencing and Intermediate Sanctions, and is currently a member in good standing as a Governor appointee in the Maryland Correctional Administrators Association. Colonel Crump majored in Law Enforcement Administration at the University of Maryland where he received his A.A. degree in 1974 and his B.S. degree in 1976. He obtained his Masters Degree from Nova University in Fort Lauderdale, Florida in 1979. Col. Crump is also a graduate of the FBI National Academy (1985).

Richard Curtis is an Associate Professor of Anthropology at the John Jay College of Criminal Justice. He has 20 years of experience conducting ethnographic research among drug distributors and users in New York City. While at the Vera Institute of Justice in the late 1980s, he participated in an evaluation of the New York City Police Department’s Tactical Narcotics Teams (TNT). At the National Development and Research Institute, Inc. (NDRI), he participated in several large studies on injecting drug users and HIV risk networks and conducted survey and ethnographic research on risk behaviors among young adults in a neighborhood with high rates of HIV and other sexually transmitted diseases. As a consultant to the Midtown Community Court in the mid-1990s, Mr. Curtis helped evaluate the effectiveness of the court by conducting ethnographic research on changing street-level conditions and their impact on misdemeanor offenders in midtown Manhattan. At John Jay College, he was Director of the NIDA-funded Heroin in the 21st Century project, a 5-year ethnographic study of heroin users and distributors in New York City. He was also the Principal Investigator of the NDIJ-funded Lower East Side Trafficking project, a 2-year study examining the developmental trajectories and interactions between markets for different illegal drugs. In 2003, Mr. Curtis conducted a “rapid assessment” of shootings and homicides in two Brooklyn police precincts with the assistance of the District Attorney’s Office and the New York Police Department.

Deborah J. Daniels was nominated by President George W. Bush and confirmed by the U.S. Senate on September 21, 2001 as the Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice. As Assistant Attorney General, Ms. Daniels is responsible for developing and coordinating the policies and priorities of the OJP bureaus and offices, including the National Institute of Justice, OJP’s research, program development, and evaluation agency.

Ms. Daniels guides OJP in its mission to promote understanding of critical crime, delinquency, and justice issues; support promising and innovative strategies for ensuring safe and just communities and assisting victims of crime; and build partnerships that strengthen federal, state, local, and tribal government and community capacities in addressing crime and the administration of justice. She is responsible for dissemination and outreach related to the work of the Global Justice Information Sharing Advisory Committee, which advises the Attorney General and, through him, law enforcement at all levels on matters relating to effective information and intelligence sharing. She coordinates OJP activities related to several major Administration initiatives, including the President’s DNA initiative, Citizen Corps, and Project Safe Neighborhoods, and was appointed by Attorney General John Ashcroft to serve as the National AMBER Alert Coordinator.

Prior to being appointed Assistant Attorney General, Ms. Daniels served as United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana and was the first director of the Justice Department’s Executive Office for Weed and Seed. Ms. Daniels also was Chief Counsel to the
Marion County (Indiana) prosecutor, where she tried felony cases of all types and supervised grand jury operations. In addition, she headed a major not-for-profit corporation in Indianapolis responsible for forging partnerships between the public and private sectors. She received a B.A. with honors from DePauw University and graduated cum laude from the Indiana University School of Law.

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Mike Dolamore was commissioned into the British Army in 1979 and served the initial part of his career in Germany as well as undertaking an operational tour as an Infantry Platoon in Belfast in 1981. He trained as an Ammunition Technical Officer in 1987 and then commanded an operational EOD Troop on the United Kingdom (UK) mainland for 2 years. During this time he also completed a tour in Armagh Northern Ireland as a bomb disposal operator. He then spent two years in the UK MoD working on the Search and EOD operational requirements desk. During this time, he was part of the team staffing all urgent equipment requirements during the Gulf War. On promotion to Major in 1991, he assumed command of an EOD Squadron at the height of PIRA’s mainland bombing campaign. Major Dolamore was made MBE in 1994 for services to counter-terrorism. From 1994 to 1996, he was a principal staff officer responsible for all EOD and related policy matters. In 1996, he was posted to the Defence Intelligence Staff and spent 3 years as the military subject matter expert on terrorist techniques and weapons. On promotion to Lt. Colonel in 1999, he assumed responsibility for all wider logistic policy organization and development. He assumed command of the UK Army School of Ammunition in September 2001, with responsibility for all counter-terrorist bomb disposal and land service ammunition training. Colonel Dolamore retired from the army in July 2004 and assumed the appointment of Operations and Analysis Director with HMS Ltd. As an international expert on terrorist technology matters, he is a frequent presenter on the international conference circuit and has presented papers to RUSI in London, the Centre for Terrorist Studies at St. Andrews, ICT in Israel and the Monterey Institute in America as well as at numerous other forums. He has recently co-written a chapter of a book on the terrorist use of weapons of mass destruction and contributed to Rohan Gunaratna’s recent book on Al Qaeda. Mr. Dolamore is a Member of the Board of Advisors of the International Association of Bomb Technicians and Investigators as well as the North West Europe Chapter Director. He is also an acknowledged expert on First World War tunneling and mining and is the Deputy Chairman of the Durand Group, a volunteer organization working with the French, Belgian, and Canadian authorities to archaeologically survey subterranean military workings on the Western Front and render safe the explosive legacy. A frequent contributor to Battlefields Review, the author of numerous battlefield archaeological reports, and a regular national speaker on the subject, he is currently involved in writing a commissioned book on military mining and tunneling.

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Michael J. Farrell has served in many positions in the New York City Police Department. On January 7, 2002, he was appointed Deputy Commissioner for Strategic Initiatives. In this position, he directs the activities of the Office of Management Analysis and Planning and the Quality Assurance Division. His first appointment was as Director of Special Projects in 1985; he served in that capacity until August 1990, when he was promoted to Assistant Commissioner, Office of the First Deputy Commissioner. In February 1993, Mr. Farrell was appointed to the position of Deputy Commissioner, Policy Development. From January 1994 until May 1999, he served as the Deputy Commissioner, Policy and Planning. He served as the Deputy Director of Criminal Justice for New York State from June 1999 to January 2002. In that capacity, he provided oversight and coordination of the state’s criminal justice agencies. Prior to his tenure with the New York City Police Department, Deputy Commissioner Farrell served on the Director’s staff at the National Institute of Justice. He holds a B.A. and a Masters degree in Public Administration from New York University. He has also completed Harvard University’s Program for Senior Executives in State and Local Government, and was a member of the Executive Session on Public Sector Performance Management at Harvard University.

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Dr. Feucht has conducted research in the areas of substance abuse, intravenous drug use and HIV, prostitution, prison drug use, and school violence. He has served as a member or chair of numerous Federal working groups and committees on substance abuse, drug treatment, and crime control; and he has published extensively in the areas of substance abuse and crime. Dr. Feucht received his doctorate in Sociology in 1986 from the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill with an emphasis in quantitative research methods and statistics.

**John R. Firman** has been Director of the Research Division of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) since 1994. His duties include development and implementation of a national and international law enforcement policy research and evaluation program for the Association. Before joining the IACP, Mr. Firman directed the research and policy activities of the Illinois Criminal Justice Authority. He began his 36-year career in criminal justice as a seasonal police officer in Stone Harbor, New Jersey, in 1968 and has spent over 20 years conducting systemwide criminal justice and law enforcement planning and research projects throughout the United States and its territories. Mr. Firman received the U.S. Department of Justice G. Paul Sylvestre Award (1989) for outstanding work in the field of criminal justice policy research. He received the Justice Research and Statistics Association (JRSA) Phillip Hoke Excellence in Analysis Award for research publications in 1988, 1991, and 1993. In 2002, he received both the International Association of Law Enforcement Intelligence Analysts (IALEIA) and the Law Enforcement Intelligence Unit (LEIU) awards for Leadership and Contribution to the Law Enforcement Intelligence Community. Mr. Firman holds a B.A. in Sociology from La Salle University in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and an M.A. in Sociology from Temple University, also in Philadelphia.

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Consequences; with Geoff Alpert, she co-authored Police Vehicles and Firearms: Instruments of Deadly Force. She is the first author of the PERF book entitled Racially Biased Policing: A Principled Response, which guides law enforcement agencies in their response to both racially biased policing and the perceptions of its practice, and the author of By the Numbers: A Guide for Analyzing Race Data From Vehicle Stops.

Joseph R. Fuentes is the 14th Superintendent of the New Jersey State Police (NJSP). He enlisted in the State Police in January 1978, and he has served throughout the state, including assignments as a general road duty trooper in Central and Southern New Jersey, and an instructor at the Sea Girt Academy. He also was a supervisor with the FBI/NJSP Joint Terrorism Task Force, the Narcotics Units, and the Street Gang Unit. Prior to being named Acting Superintendent, he was assigned as the Chief of the Intelligence Bureau, overseeing nine units within the Intelligence Section. The recipient of numerous awards, Superintendent Fuentes has been recognized by the U.S. Justice Department, Drug Enforcement Administration, and in 1993 was a co-recipient of the New Jersey State Police Trooper of the Year award. Superintendent Fuentes earned a B.S. degree from Kean College of New Jersey in 1977, a M.A. in Criminal Justice from John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, in 1992, and a Ph.D. in Criminal Justice from City University of New York in 1998.

James J. Fyfe has been the New York City Police Department’s Deputy Commissioner for Training since May 2002. He is responsible for administering all training for the NYPD’s 51,000 sworn and civilian employees, and has led the first major revision of the NYPD’s recruit curriculum in 30 years. He was a New York City police officer, sergeant, and lieutenant during 1963-1979, and earned seven Department citations while working on patrol in Brooklyn, Manhattan, and Queens. He was the first Chairman of the Police Academy's Police Science Department, Commander of the Management Training Unit, and the founding coordinator of NYPD's Executive Development Program. Dr. Fyfe is on leave from John Jay College, where he is a distinguished professor. He previously was on the faculties of Temple University (1992-2002) and American University (1979-1992). He was a commissioner of the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (1989-1997); a senior fellow of the Police Foundation (1979-1988); a member of the District of Columbia Select Committee on Fiscal and Budget Priorities (1989-1991); a member and chair (1991-1995) of the selection committee for the United Kingdom Police Fulbright Fellowship program; and a visiting professor at the School of Police Studies at Charles Sturt University in Australia (2001). Dr. Fyfe has published seven books and more than 80 articles and book chapters on police and criminal justice matters; he was the editor of Justice Quarterly. He has served on the editorial boards of Criminal Justice, Criminal Law Bulletin, Journal of Criminal Justice Education, Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency, and Justice Quarterly.

Dr. Fyfe has testified as a police practices expert in the United States Senate and Congress and in federal and state courts in the District of Columbia, 38 states, and Canada. Among the notable cases in which he has consulted and/or testified is Tennessee v. Garner, in which the U.S. Supreme Court cited his work in ruling unconstitutional the “fleeing felon” rule; Thurman v. Torrington, the first case in which a Federal court agreed that an abused spouse had been denied equal protection of law by police who failed to respond to her repeated requests for assistance; and in successful civil rights litigation emanating from Jeffrey Dahmer's serial killings in Milwaukee and the Philadelphia police MOVE bombing, which killed 11 people and
destroyed 61 homes. He testified as the police practices expert for the defense in New Jersey v. Soto, the case that proved racial profiling on the New Jersey Turnpike; and in New York v. Boss, et al., the criminal case against the four New York City police officers acquitted of murder charges in the Amadou Diallo tragedy. He was the federal government’s police expert in the successful prosecution of the officers who beat Rodney King. He has consulted on police and criminal justice matters with several divisions of the U.S. Justice Department and with state and local governments across the country. He currently serves on the American Bar Association Innocence Committee and on the Police Working Group of the United States Department of Justice’s Office of Justice Programs. Dr. Fyfe holds a B.S. (1971) and an honorary doctorate of laws (1999) from John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York, and M.A. (1972) and Ph.D. (1978) degrees in criminal justice from the University at Albany, State University of New York.

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Sarah V. Hart was nominated by President Bush to be the Director of the National Institute of Justice, the research, development, and evaluation agency of the U.S. Department of Justice and the only Federal agency solely dedicated to researching crime control and justice issues. Ms. Hart was confirmed by the U. S. Senate by a vote of 98-0 and sworn in as Director of NIJ on August 7, 2001. From 1995 to August 2001, Ms. Hart served as Chief Counsel for the Pennsylvania Department of Corrections. She currently serves on the Pennsylvania Supreme Court’s Appellate Procedural Rules Committee. Previously, she served for 16 years as a prosecutor in the Philadelphia District Attorney’s Office, nine of those years as lead counsel in litigation involving the Philadelphia prison system. While serving in the Pennsylvania corrections system, Ms. Hart provided substantial assistance to the Judiciary Committees of the U.S. Congress in drafting the Prison Litigation Reform Act (PLRA) and the November 1997 amendments to the PLRA. She worked to develop legislation in Pennsylvania relating to prison litigation reform, community empowerment, and crime victims; and she has provided extensive training on the PLRA and other corrections legal issues to professional associations in the corrections field.

Ms. Hart has served as Vice Chair of the Legal Affairs Committee of the American Correctional Association, Chairman of the Sentencing and Corrections Subcommittee of the Federalist Society, and member of the Board of Directors of the Crime Victims Law Institute. Her published articles concern federalism, corrections, and criminal law. Ms. Hart is a graduate of Rutgers School of Law, where she served as an associate editor of the Law Review. She received her B.S. degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Delaware.

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**Fernando I. Soriano** is Associate Professor and Chair of the Human Development Program at California State University at San Marcos (CSUSM) and Senior Research Associate with the Child and Adolescent Services Research Center at Children’s Hospital in San Diego. Dr. Soriano is well known regionally and nationally for his research on violence among multicultural populations. He has an ambitious program of research, which includes research projects focusing on such topics as intimate partner violence, adolescent ethnic identity development, school-based violence, gang and substance use prevention, intercultural group conflict, gang membership, and delinquency prevention among adolescent populations. His work has been funded by the National Institute of Justice, the Carnegie Corporation of New York, the Russell Sage Foundation, the Kauffman Foundation, the National Institute on Drug Abuse, the National Institute of Mental Health, among others. His specialty in research, however, is focusing on assessing the role of culture in violence among multicultural populations. Dr. Soriano has served and continues to serve on various prominent national committees and commissions. For example, he served on the National Commission on Youth Violence for the American Psychological Association, and the National Advisory Committee for Youth Drugs and Gangs for the Administration for Children Youth and Families. Currently, he serves on the Bureau of the Census’ Race and Ethnicity Advisory Committee and on a standing grants review committee for the Centers for Disease and Control and Prevention. He is the
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**Henry J. Steadman** is President of Policy Research Associates, Inc. Before he founded Policy Research Associates in 1987, Dr. Steadman ran a nationally known research bureau for 17 years for the New York State Office of Mental Health. Among his major current projects are (1) the National GAINS Center for Persons with Co-Occurring Disorders in the Justice System; (2) Violence Risk Assessment Software project from the National Institute of Mental Health Small Business Innovative Research program; (3) the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation Prevalence of Mandated Community Treatment Study; (4) National Institute of Justice Mental Health Court Evaluation; and (5) SAMHSA’s Technical Assistance and Policy Analysis Center for Jail Diversion. Dr. Steadman has published 8 books, over 130 journal articles in a wide range of professional journals, 20 chapters, and numerous reports. He has received major awards that include the Saleem A. Shah Award from the State Mental Health Forensic Directors and the Distinguished Contribution to Forensic Psychology from the American Psychiatric Association for his outstanding contributions to the psychiatric aspects of jurisprudence. Dr. Steadman received his B.A. and M.A. in Sociology from Boston College and his Ph.D. in Sociology at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

**Darrel W. Stephens** was appointed Chief of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department (CMPD) in September 1999. The CMPD is a consolidated city-county department of 2000 employees serving a population of 625,000 people. Under his leadership, the department continued and expanded its community problem oriented policing philosophy. Chief Stephens has served as police chief in St. Petersburg, Florida (1992-97), Executive Director of the Police Executive Research Forum (1986-92), police chief in Newport News, Virginia (1983-86), police chief in Largo, Florida (1979-83), assistant chief in Lawrence, Kansas (1976-79), and as a police officer, sergeant, and unit commander in Kansas City, Missouri (1968-76). He also served for two years as the St. Petersburg City Administrator (1997-99). He is recognized nationally for his contributions to community problem oriented policing. Chief Stephens is engaged in many community and professional activities. He serves on the Board of Directors of Big Brothers and Big Sisters, the Mental Health Association, and Right Moves for Youth. He is actively involved with improving policing in America through writing, speaking, and professional organizations. He currently serves as the Vice-President of the Major Cities Chiefs Association. Chief Stephens was a member of the Harvard Kennedy School Executive Session on Domestic Preparation that addressed terrorism issues and produced several policy-oriented publications between 2000 and 2003. He has co-authored several books and published many articles on policing issues. He holds a B.S. degree in the Administration of Justice from the University of Missouri-Kansas City and an M.S. degree in Public Administration from Central Missouri State University.

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Christopher E. Stone has served as director of the Vera Institute of Justice since 1994. For more than 40 years, the Vera Institute has designed, operated, and evaluated innovations throughout the justice system, always in partnership with government. Vera works locally in New York, nationally throughout the United States, and internationally in Europe, Africa, Latin America, and Asia. Under Mr. Stone’s direction, Vera has begun new programs on improving police accountability and police-community relations, reducing adolescent violence and improving school safety, reforming U.S. detention practices in deportation proceedings, providing drug treatment in the juvenile justice system, strengthening pre-release services in prisons, and improving conditions of jury service. In 1997 Vera opened an office in Cape Town, South Africa, in partnership with the Ministry of Justice, working on the reform of court, prosecution, and police institutions. In June 2000, Vera began similar work in Moscow and Nizhny Novgorod in the Russian Federation. Vera recently joined with five other nongovernmental organizations in Brazil, Chile, India, Nigeria, and Russia to create Altus, a global alliance.

Prior to his selection as Vera’s third director, Mr. Stone was the founding director of two Vera spin-off organizations: the Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem and the Center for Alternative Sentencing and Employment Services. He joined Vera in 1986 and served through 1988 as director of Vera’s office in London, England. Before joining the Vera Institute, Mr. Stone was a staff attorney at the Public Defender Service of Washington, D.C. He is a graduate of Harvard College, the Institute of Criminology at Cambridge University, and Yale Law School. In January 2005, Mr. Stone will end his tenure at Vera to take up the Daniel and Florence Guggenheim Chair in Criminal Justice Policy and Management at Harvard’s Kennedy School of Government.

Kevin J. Strom is a Research Criminologist with RTI International. His research interests include the structural determinants of community violence, the measurement of violent crime using alternative data sources, and the use of information technology to improve domestic preparedness. He is currently the Co-Principal Investigator on a National Institute of Justice-funded study that examines interagency coordination and response to terrorism in the United States, Canada, and the United Kingdom. He is also principal investigator for the local research component of the Department of Justice-funded Project Safe Neighborhoods initiative, which seeks to decrease firearm crime through improved coordination among federal, state, and local agencies. In addition, Dr. Strom serves as Associate Project Director for RTI’s contract with the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration to develop and administer the National Forensic Laboratory Information System (NFLIS). Prior to coming to RTI, he worked for over 6 years at the U.S. Department of Justice’s Bureau of Justice Statistics. He has extensive analytical experience in criminological research and has published articles and reports related to interpersonal violence on topics such as firearm injury and death, youth homicide, intimate violence, and hate crimes. He has worked with numerous large criminal justice data systems, including the implementation and analysis of data from the National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS).
Gary W. Strong is currently on detail from the National Science Foundation (NSF) to the U.S. Department of Homeland Security to assist in establishing a new research organization in the Science and Technology Directorate. At NSF, Dr. Strong assisted with interagency coordination of national security and homeland security related programs, managed the computer science cluster of biology-related research programs, and managed a large cross-agency information technology research program. Prior to this, he was on detail to the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) to manage the Translingual Information Detection, Extraction and Summarization Program and co-manage the Bio:Info:Micro Program. Dr. Strong is co-chair of two National Science and Technology Council groups: the NSTC Biometrics Working Group and the Social, Behavioral, and Economics Research Subcommittee. Previously, he was member or chair of several interagency working groups on Information Technology Research and Development. He led the development of a research initiative for every-citizen access to the National Information Infrastructure, commissioning a study by the National Academy that continues to serve as a reference standard for efforts to bridge the digital divide. Dr. Strong’s international efforts have resulted in the NSF-European Commission multilingual research program. This was a cooperative science program that involved coordinated peer review on both sides. From 1982-1994, Dr. Strong was a faculty member at Drexel University, where his primary task was to establish a new undergraduate degree program in information systems. He received his B.S. in Electrical Engineering from the University of Michigan in 1967, his M.S. in Electrical Engineering from Columbia University in 1969, and his Ph.D. jointly in Computer and Communication Sciences and in Anthropology from the University of Michigan in 1981.

Faye S. Taxman is the Director of the Bureau of Governmental Research (BGR) and an associate professor in the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice at the University of Maryland, College Park. As Director of BGR, she is responsible for studies on various aspects of the criminal justice system, including a 2-site randomized experiment testing the efficacy of a seamless system of drug treatment services for offenders (National Institute on Drug Abuse) and a 4-site study of drug treatment services offered in Drug Courts (with the University of Southern Maine and funded by the National Institute of Justice). BGR was awarded the Coordinating Center for the NIDA-funded Criminal Justice National Drug Treatment Studies (CJ-DATS). CJ-DATS emphasis is focused on fidelity of interventions through a series of studies to examine implementation issues and to develop and test models of technology transfers. The Center will also serve as a coordinating center for the other research centers to facilitate research in the area of offenders involved in the correctional system. BGR conducted an 8-site study for the Office of Justice Programs on Reentry Partnerships Initiative, which produced five papers identifying best practices and issues that impact reentry programming. Dr. Taxman is co-principal investigator with Dr. James Byrne for the National Institute of Corrections study on prison culture. She has spearheaded a number of initiatives focused on efficacy of interventions and has developed the Recidivism Reduction Laboratory to test ideas and concepts. Her articles on “unraveling what works in drug treatment for offenders” and “recidivism reduction” are frequently cited by practitioners as a guide to improving practice. She recently was guest editor for Federal Probation on drug treatment issues. She has published articles in many prominent journals such as the Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency, Prison Journal, and Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment. Dr. Taxman received the University of Cincinnati award from the American Probation and Parole Association in 2002 for her contributions to the field.
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Ms. Thomas is Co-Founder and President of the Center for Child Protection and Family Support, Inc. of Washington, D.C. She is also the former director of the Division of Child Protection of Children’s National Medical Center in Washington, D.C. Under her leadership, this hospital-based child abuse center was recognized as an Exemplary Project, by the National Institute of Justice, and developed pioneering intervention strategies for the treatment of sexually abused children. Ms. Thomas is a registered nurse who received her Bachelor of Science degree from the College of Holy Names in Oakland, California, her Master’s Degree in Public Health from the University of California School of Public Health in Berkeley, California, and her certification as a pediatric nurse practitioner from Temple University School of Medicine in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

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Prior to joining George Mason University, Dr. Turner completed a 21-year career with the Federal Bureau of Prisons, retiring in 1995 as Senior Deputy Assistant Director. His numerous assignments included service as Warden of the Federal Correctional Institution, LaTuna, Texas, a 1000 bed medium security prison, Warden of the Medical Center for Federal Prisoners, Springfield, Missouri, a 1,200-bed correctional medical facility providing medical care to high security inmates, and Warden of the super-maximum security U.S. Penitentiary, Marion, Illinois, which housed the most violent, high-risk inmates incarcerated in the Federal Prison System. Dr. Turner was appointed to the Federal government Senior Executive Service in 1983. He is a recipient of the Senior Service Meritorious Award and the Federal Bureau of Prisons Commendable Service Medal. A retired U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Officer and Vietnam veteran, Dr. Turner holds Doctor of Public Administration and Master of Public Administration degrees from the University of Southern California and a Master of Arts in the Administration of Justice from the University of Missouri.
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Dr. Vila’s personal research specialties include developing comprehensive, practical long-term crime control strategies that emphasize attacking crime at its roots; applying human factors and fatigue management techniques to increase the efficiency, productivity, safety, and professionalism of police agencies; the historical development of policing and punishment in American society; and developing a holistic theoretical model for understanding crime, criminal behavior, and the responses to them. His numerous publications include three books, Tired Cops: The Importance of Managing Police Fatigue (PERF 2000), The Role of Police in American Society (Greenwood Press 1999); and Capital Punishment in the United States (Greenwood Press 1997). His articles have been published in Police Quarterly, Politics and the Life Sciences, Journal of Applied Developmental Psychology, Criminology, and American Journal of Sociology.

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Just prior to beginning Federal service, Dr. Whitehurst was Leading Professor of Psychology and Pediatrics and Chairman of the Department of Psychology at Stony Brook University, State University of New York. He also served on the faculty of the University of New South Wales in Australia and was Academic Vice President of the Merrill-Palmer Institute in Detroit. He was editor-in-chief of two leading scientific journals in his field: The Merrill-Palmer Quarterly of Behavior and Development and Developmental Review. As researcher, Dr. Whitehurst was the author or editor of five books and published more than 100 scholarly papers on language and pre-reading development in children. One of the techniques he developed,
dialogic reading, is a widely used method of shared picture book reading that enhances children's language development. His work to identify preschool predictors of reading achievement influenced curriculum for Head Start and pre-K programs and led to the development of screening instruments to identify children with low levels of reading readiness. Throughout his academic career, Dr. Whitehurst focused on the development of knowledge and programs that might have a direct influence on the lives of children and families. He received his Ph.D. in Experimental Child Psychology in 1970 from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

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Dr. Wilkinson is Past President of the American Correctional Association. Currently, he is Vice Chair for North America of the International Corrections and Prisons Association (ICPA) and is Director of the ICPA Centre for Exchanging Correctional Best Practices. He is President of the Association of State Correctional Administrators. Dr. Wilkinson is also Past President of the Ohio Correctional and Court Services Association; the Ohio chapter of the National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice; and the State of Ohio Training Association. He has authored numerous articles and book chapters on a variety of correctional topics. His academic background includes a B.A. in Political Science and a M.A. in Higher Education Administration, both from Ohio State University. He was also awarded a Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) from the University of Cincinnati.

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