



# THE CAMPBELL COLLABORATION

## CRIME AND JUSTICE GROUP NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to the newsletter of the **Campbell Collaboration Crime and Justice Group**. As part of the international Campbell Collaboration, our mission is *to coordinate, facilitate, assist and encourage the production, updating and accessibility of high quality systematic reviews on the effects of criminological and criminal justice interventions*.

For more information about the Group, please [visit our website](#).

### CCJG Systematic Reviews: Progress Reports and Library Updates

#### Recently Approved Protocols (click titles for full-text links)

##### [Legitimacy in policing](#)

Lorraine Mazerolle (University of Queensland), Sarah Bennett, Matthew Manning, Patricia Ferguson, and Elise Sargeant  
*Approved May 25, 2010*

##### [The effects of Pulling Levers policing on crime](#)

Anthony Braga (Rutgers University), and David Weisburd  
*Approved June 7, 2010*

##### [Stress management training and development programs for police officers and recruits](#)

George T. Patterson (CUNY Hunter College), Irene Chung, and Phil Swan  
*Approved June 11, 2010*

##### [Cross-border trafficking in human beings: prevention and intervention strategies for reducing sexual exploitation](#)

Peter H. van der Laan (NSCR/University of Amsterdam), Monika Smit, and Geert Jan J.M. Stams  
*Approved June 30, 2010*

##### [Interview and interrogation methods: effects on confession rate, quality of information elicited, and accuracy of credibility assessment](#)

Christian Meissner (University of Texas, El Paso), Allison Redlich, Sujeta Bhatt, and Susan Brandon  
*Approved July 21, 2010*

##### [GIS effects on crime reduction efficacy](#)

Larry Hoover (Sam Houston State University), Yan Zhang, and Solomon Zhao  
*Approved July 22, 2010*

##### [Spatial displacement and diffusion of benefits among geographically focused policing initiatives](#)

Kate Bowers (UCL Jill Dando Institute of Crime Science), Shane Johnson and Rob Guerette  
*Approved August 30, 2010*

#### Recently Approved Titles

##### [Aftercare programs for reducing recidivism among juvenile and young adult offenders](#)

Chrissy James (University of Amsterdam), Peter van der Laan, Geert Jan J.M. Stams, and Jessica Asscher  
*Approved September 28, 2010*

##### **Displacement of crime and diffusion of crime control benefits in large-scale geographic areas**

David Weisburd (George Mason University/Hebrew University), Cody Telep, Doron Teichman, David McClure, and Charlotte Gill  
*Approved October 4, 2010 – online publication coming soon!*

## Changes in the CCJG Steering Committee

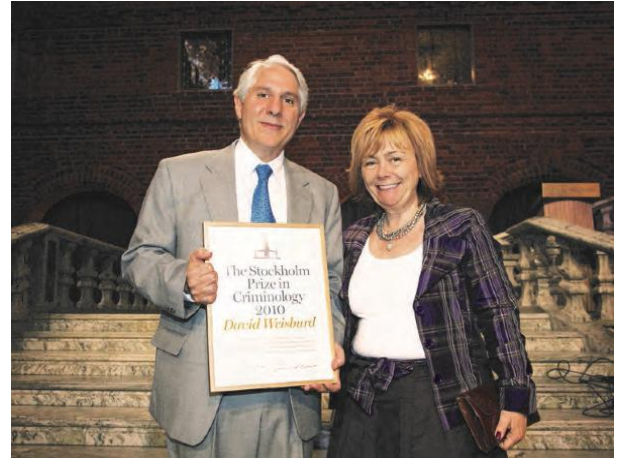
At our November meeting in San Francisco we will be saying goodbye to co-chair **Peter Grabosky** (Australian National University), who is stepping down from the Committee after ten years of service, three of which he served as co-chair. We are extremely grateful to Peter for his tireless work in support of CCJG over the years, and for being a wonderful colleague and friend! Steering Committee member **Martin Killias** (University of Zurich, Switzerland) is our incoming co-chair, and will begin his term alongside **David Weisburd** in November.

Earlier this year **Vicente Garrido** (University of Valencia, Spain), also a valued founding member of CCJG, stepped down as the Committee's Spanish speaking representative. We are delighted to welcome **Santiago Redondo** from the University of Barcelona as our new Spanish speaking group member, and look forward to working with him.

## CCJG at the Stockholm Criminology Symposium, June 14-16, 2010

The CCJG featured prominently at this year's Stockholm Criminology Symposium. Co-chair **David Weisburd** was awarded the Stockholm Prize for his work on crime displacement at a ceremony in Stockholm City Hall, which was followed by dinner in the grand Golden Hall. Read Professor Weisburd's reflections on winning the Prize [here](#).

Group members and affiliates also actively participated in a number of well-attended panels organized by Steering Committee member **Brandon Welsh** (Northeastern University, USA) and CCJG author **Cynthia Lum** (George Mason University, USA), on themes including *Using Scientific Evidence to Reduce Crime and Improve Justice*, *Translating Scientific Evidence into Action*, *What Works in Reducing Crime*, and *Campbell Systematic Reviews on Policing and Probation*.



CCJG co-chair David Weisburd with Swedish Justice Minister Beatrice Ask.

## Peter Neyroud inducted into Evidence-Based Policing Hall of Fame

Congratulations to CCJG Steering Committee member **Peter Neyroud**, who was inducted into the Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy's [Evidence-Based Policing Hall of Fame](#) at a ceremony at George Mason University (Fairfax, Virginia, USA) on August 11, 2010. The Hall of Fame is an elite group of innovative law enforcement practitioners who have been central to the implementation of a high-quality research program in their affiliated agency, highlighting individual excellence in both using and conducting policing research. Chief Constable Neyroud, who heads the United Kingdom's National Policing Improvement Agency, was recognized as a champion in changing police culture and standards related to use of research in police practice.

## Larry Sherman wins Boruch Award

We are also congratulating Steering Committee **Larry Sherman** (Cambridge University/University of Maryland), who will be awarded the Boruch Award by the Campbell Collaboration at the joint Cochrane/Campbell Colloquium in Keystone, Colorado this month. This award is presented to individuals who have made important contributions to research on social interventions that inform public policy in crime and justice, education, or social welfare. Read more [here](#).

## New Systematic Reviewing Resources from the Campbell Collaboration

The Campbell Collaboration's website has a wealth of resources for researchers planning or conducting a Campbell systematic review. Check out these useful links for further information about Campbell procedures and methods!

[What is a systematic review?](#)

[Procedures and guidance](#) for conducting a C2 review

[Detailed guidelines for producing a C2 review](#)

["Searching for Studies" information retrieval guide](#) by the C2 Information Retrieval Methods Group

[Effect size calculator tool](#) by CCJG editor **David B. Wilson**

[Burning questions](#) – let us know what topics you would like to see reviewed.

## Forthcoming Book Chapter on the Campbell Crime & Justice Group

The forthcoming **Routledge Handbook of International Criminology**, edited by Cindy Smith, Sheldon Zhang, and Rosemary Barberet, due for publication in March 2011, features a chapter on the progress of the Campbell Crime and Justice Group, written by **David Farrington, David Weisburd, and Charlotte Gill**. The volume is now available for pre-order from the publisher and at Amazon.com.

## News from our Members and Affiliates

The Institute for Social Science Research at the University of Queensland, Australia is hiring 2 Experimental Criminologist Research Fellows. The closing date for these positions is **October 22, 2010**.

Internal website: <http://www.uq.edu.au/jobs/index.html?page=143706&pid=11217>

External website: <http://www.seek.com.au/job/b-experimental-b-b-criminologist-b-research-fellow-positions/brisbane/18229019/84/1/>

Position number: 3022370

- Submitted by Professor Lorraine Mazerolle

An International Seminar on the Relevance of the Indian Penal Code in Controlling and Combating Crime in the Modern Age will be held on December 14-15, 2010. The event is organized by Dr. RML National Law University, Lucknow, India. Contact [Dr. Mridul Srivastava](#) for information and registration details.

- Submitted by Dr. Mridul Srivastava

## Upcoming Events

### Joint Colloquium of the Cochrane and Campbell Collaborations

Keystone, CO USA, October 18-22, 2010

<http://www.regonline.com/builder/site/Default.aspx?eventid=766689>

### Center for Evidence-Based Crime Policy, George Mason University

#### Congressional Briefing: Juvenile Justice in the Age of the Second Chance Act

Washington, D.C. USA, October 26, 2010

<http://gemini.gmu.edu/cebcp/Briefings/juvenilejustice.html>

### American Society of Criminology Conference

San Francisco, CA USA, November 17-20, 2010

<http://www.asc41.com/annualmeeting.htm>

### 16<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Society of Criminology

Kobe, Japan, August 5-9, 2011

<http://wcon2011.com/>

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