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Academic Background

Education

- 2011 Ph.D., Criminology
Indiana University of Pennsylvania – Indiana, Pennsylvania
Dissertation: An Analysis of Criminal Situations: Decision Making and Other
Contextual Factors of Robbery and Assault
- 2007 M.A. in Criminology and Criminal Justice
M.S. in Social Work
The University of Texas at Arlington – Arlington, Texas
- 2005 B.S.W. Social Work (2nd Major: Criminal Justice)
Midwestern State University – Wichita Falls, Texas

Professional Certifications

- 2021-2022 TCU Master Leaders Program (MLP), Cohort 4. July, 2021-June, 2022.
- 2021 Performance Leadership, Cornell University
6-course certificate program on leadership and strategic decision-making

Present Rank

2019-Present Associate Professor, Criminology & Criminal Justice

Year of Appointment to the University and Rank

- 2020-Present Graduate Program Director, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2014-2019 Assistant Professor, Criminal Justice
2014-2019 Assistant Graduate Program Director, Criminal Justice

Year of Last Promotion

Fall 2019 Associate Professor

Previous Teaching Other than TCU

2011-2014 Assistant Professor, Criminal Justice, Tarleton State University

Professional Development

- 2025 Finding Ourselves in Community (FSC) Training. Cohort 5. Friday morning cohort: 6 meetings, spring semester.
- 2025 Child Abuse Prevention. Esther Saldivar. Alliance For Children.
- 2024 Active Listening: Supporting People During Difficult Conversations. Cheryl Strauss Einhorn. Cornell University.
- 2023 Manager Foundation Facilitator Training. Cameron Potter. TCU Human Resources. June 28 & July 12.
- 2023 Women at Work. Harvard Business Review.
- 2023 Developing & Implementing an Outward Mindset. HR Training. January 11-12.
- 2022 TBRI Training. Karyn Purvis Institute of Child Development. February 7-11.
- 2021 AddRan College of Liberal Arts Leadership Academy. September-November.
- 2021 Intentional Dialogue Training-Level 1. TCU Human Resources.
- 2021 Manager Foundations Program. 6-week series that strengthens the workforce through cohort-based, on-demand manager development. TCU Human Resources.
- 2021 Interrupting Microaggressions. TCU Human Resources & Office of Diversity & Inclusion.
- 2021 Core Strengths 2.0-Managing Conflict & Overdone Strengths. TCU Human Resources.
- 2021 Core Strengths-Results through relationships, debrief & strengths applied. TCU Human Resources.
- 2020 Coaching Conversations-Performance Evaluations Q & A. TCU Human Resources.
- 2020 Make Difficult Conversations Easy. TCU Human Resources.
- 2020 Assessing and Improving Trauma-Informed Care in a Children's Advocacy Center. Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP).
- 2020 Children's Advocacy Centers dealing with the effects of trauma on children, youth, and families. Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP).
- 2020 Selection Committee Training. TCU Human Resources & Office of Diversity and Inclusion.
- 2020 Responsible Conduct of Research. TCU Graduate Studies.
- 2020 Trauma Informed Response to Sexual Assault. The Women's Center.
- 2020 Pedagogy in Practice: Supporting Mental Health in Your Students. TCU.
- 2020 Growth as a Post-Trauma Response. Justice Clearing House.
- 2019 Recognizing the Signs of Victimization in Children with ASD. Justice Clearing House.
- 2019 Successful Re-entry. Justice Clearing House.
- 2019 The Impact of Trauma on Child Development. Justice Clearing House.
- 2019 Panel on Intimate Partner Violence Law & Policy. 8 panelists from Tarrant County DA's Office, Fort Worth PD, and TCU PD. TCU.
- 2019 Domestic Violence Post Conviction. Justice Clearing House.
- 2018 FBI Citizen's Academy. Federal Bureau of Investigation-Dallas Office. September 6th-November 8th, 2018. Every Thursday from 5:30-9 p.m.
- 2017 Presenting Data Effectively. Sage Talks.
- 2016 Thinking Strategically about Grants. TCU.
- 2016 Communicating Social Science Research. Consortium of Social Science Associations.
- 2014 Perceptions of Crime and Justice Workshop at Graterford Prison with the Inside-Out Prison Exchange Program.
- 2012 Active Offender Research: History, Practice & Prospects Workshop (ASC).
- 2010 HLM Workshop. Chicago, Illinois,

Honors and Awards

2022 Outstanding Faculty Mentor-AddRan, Office of Graduate Studies
2014 Sage Junior Faculty Professional Development Teaching Award
2011 Outstanding Graduate Student Research Award
2010 Certificate of Appreciation, African American Cultural Center at IUP

Teaching

Courses Taught at TCU *Denotes Graduate Courses

Introduction to Criminal Justice	Victimology/Crime Victims
Career Planning, Ethics, & Professional Development (1 & 3 credit hours)	
Criminal Violence	Advanced Criminological Theory*
Comparative Criminology in Scandinavia	Applied Research & Policy I*
Crime and Justice in Scandinavia	Corrections & Reentry*
Criminological Theory	Criminal Justice Systems*
Critical Issues in Crime and Justice	Research Writing*
Internship in Criminal Justice	Social Science Statistics & Probability*
Sex Crimes	

Courses Taught at Other Universities

Survey of Criminology	Theories of Criminology & Deviance*
Correctional Systems	The Criminal Justice System*
Research Methods	Directed Study in Criminal Justice*
Violence and Victimology	Violence & Victimization*
Race, Ethnicity, Social Structure & Crime	

Honors Projects

2024-Present	Ava Faris, Chair, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2023-2024	Tiffany Brown, Committee, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2023	Grant Farmer, Committee, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2022-2023	Cade Yarborough, Chair, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2023	Ulrika Shragge, Committee, Philosophy
2021	Truley Juneau, Committee, Psychology
2020	Aubrey Tonsager, Committee, Criminal Justice
2019	Rachel Taylor, Committee, Criminal Justice
2019	Hope Bentley, Committee, Criminal Justice
2019	Carly Beltzer, Committee, Criminal Justice
2018	Hannah Parry, Committee, Criminal Justice

Thesis & Dissertation Committees

2024-Present	Leilani Arriazola, Thesis Chair, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2024-Present	Elijah Castellanos, Thesis Chair, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2024-Present	Michael Miller, Thesis Committee, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2023-2024	Lisa Nichols, Dissertation Committee, Sociology, TWU

2023-2024	Jhala Criss, Dissertation Committee, Health Sciences-Social Work
2023	Thomas Sease, Dissertation Committee, Psychology
2021-2022	Laritz Diazgonsen, Thesis Chair, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2021-2022	Thomas Sease, Thesis Committee, Psychology
2020-2021	Clare Benes, Thesis Committee, Speech-Language Pathology
2019-2020	Alessa Juarez, Thesis Chair, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2020-2020	Danny Davis, Thesis Committee, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2018-2019	Neil Noakes, Thesis Committee, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2018-2019	Stephanie Osbourne, Thesis Committee, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2018-2019	Anna Kubeer, Thesis Committee, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2016-2017	Aaron Saoirse, Thesis Chair, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2016-2017	Tim Mabry, Thesis Committee, Criminology & Criminal Justice
2014-2016	Sarah Gammell, Thesis Chair, C Criminology & Criminal Justice

Academic Advising

2019-Present I advise all graduate students. Previous to 2022, I advised 20-30 undergradutae students every semester. Due to the addition of centralized advising, I advise approximately 10 undergraduates each semester.

Research

Refereed Publications *Denotes work with graduate students.

Comer, B., Burns, R., Diamond, B., & Bowen, K. Examining racial dyads and the odds of conviction for sexual assault: Evidence from a Southern District Attorney's Office. <https://doi.org/10.1177/00111287251316527>

*Nichols, L.M., & Bowen, K.N. (2024). Law enforcement perceptions of job stress and barriers to supportive resources when working child sexual abuse cases in the southern United States. *Policing: An International Journal*, 47(2), 273-284. <https://doi.org/10.1108/PIJPSM-09-2023-0121>

Burns, R., Diamond, B., & Bowen, K. (2024). Does type of counsel matter? A comparison of outcomes in cases involving retained- and assigned counsel. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 47(3), 376–389. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0735648X.2023.2273379>

Bowen, K.N., Diamond, B., & Burns, R. (2022). An exploratory analysis of harassment in adult sexual assault cases. *Violence and Victims*, 37(4), 515-531. <https://doi.org/10.1891/VV-2021-0037>

Diamond, B., Bowen, K., & Burns, R. (2022). Factors affecting sexual assault case processing: Filing through sentencing in a large southern county. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 37(13-14). <https://doi.org/10.1177/0886260521993923>

Diamond, B., Burns, R., & Bowen, K. (2022). Criminalizing homelessness: Circumstances surrounding criminal trespassing and people experiencing homelessness. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 33(6), 563-583. <https://doi.org/10.1177/08874034211067130>

- Bowen, K.N., & Nhan, J. (2021). Stakeholder collaborations of a Texas Children's Advocacy Center: An exploratory analysis of relations between law enforcement, child protective services, and the children's advocacy center. *Children and Youth Services, 121*, 1-8. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2020.105837>
- Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (2021). Religious duress and reverential fear in clergy sexual abuse cases: Examination of victims' reports and recommendations for change. *Criminal Justice Policy Review, 32*(5), 484-500. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0887403420921232>
- *Juarez, A., Bowen, K., & Nhan, J. (2021). Collaborative efforts between law enforcement and mental health professionals when responding to mental health crises. *Justice Policy Journal, 18*(1), 1-19.
- Nhan, J., & Bowen, K.N. (2020). Policing internet sex trafficking. *Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice & Criminology, 9*(1). <https://doi.org/10.21428/88de04a1.2d5eb46e>
- Nhan, J., Bowen, K., & Bartula, A. (2020). A comparison of a public and private university of the effects of low-cost streaming services and income on movie piracy. *Technology in Society, 60*, 1-8. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.techsoc.2019.101213>
- Bowen, K.N., Nhan, J., & Polzer, K. (2019). Comparing ex-offenders in need who use and decline reentry services. *Corrections: Policy, Practice and Research, 4*(3), 183-194. <https://doi.org/10.1080/23774657.2017.1399094>
- Nhan, J., Bowen, K.N., & Helfers, R. (2019). A new model for law enforcement management and leadership pedagogy for the 21st century. *Law Enforcement Executive Forum, 19*(4), 26-38.
- Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (2019). Examination of a nascent taxonomy of priest sexual grooming. *Sexual Abuse, 31*(6), 707-728. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1079063218809095>
- *Spraitz, J.D., Bowen, K., & Strange, L. (2018). Introducing a behavioral taxonomy of priest sexual grooming. *International Journal for Crime, Justice and Social Democracy, 7*(1), 30-43. <https://doi.org/10.5204/ijcjsd.v7i1.387>
- *Spraitz, J.D., Bowen, K.N., & Authors, S. (2017). Neutralisation and sexual abuse: A study of monks from one Benedictine Abbey. *Journal of Sexual Aggression, 23*(2), 195-206. <https://doi.org/10.1080/13552600.2016.1204471>
- Nhan, J., Bowen, K., & Polzer, K. (2017). The reentry labyrinth: The anatomy of a reentry services network. *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation, 56*(1), 1-19. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10509674.2016.1257533>
- Bowen, K.N., Roberts, J.J., & Kocian, E.J. (2016). Testing social information processing concepts in adult offenders using vignettes. *Applied Psychology in Criminal Justice, 12*(1), 1-17.
- Bowen, K.N., Frenzel, E., & Spraitz, J.D. (2016). Sex offender registration and notification laws: Thoughts from registered sex offenders in three states. *Safer Communities, 15*(2), 94-

- Spraitz, J., & Bowen, K. (2016). Techniques of neutralization and persistent sexual abuse by clergy: A content analysis of priest personnel files from the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence, 31*(15), 2515-2538. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0886260515579509>
- Spraitz, J.D., Bowen, K.N., & Bowers, J.H. (2016). Neutralizations and a history of “keeping the lid” on it: How Church leaders handled and explained sexual abuse in one diocese. *Journal of Crime and Justice, 39*(2), 264-281. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0735648x.2014.995204>
- Bartula, A., & Bowen, K.N. (2015). University and college police officials’ perceptions of open carry on college campus. *Justice Policy Journal, 12*(2), 1-17.
- Spraitz, J.D., Frenzel, E.D., Bowen, K.N., Bowers, J.H., & Phaneuf, S. (2015). Adam Walsh Act compliance in Pennsylvania: What does the future hold? *Criminal Justice Policy Review, 26*(3), 252-261. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0887403413511632>
- Bowen, K.N., Roberts, J., Kocian, E., & Bartula, A. (2014). An empirical test of social information processing theory and emotions in violent situations. *Western Criminology Review, 15*(1), 18-33.
- Frenzel, E.D., Bowen, K.N., Spraitz, J.D., Bowers, J.H., & Phaneuf, S. (2014). Understanding collateral consequences of registry laws: An examination of the perceptions of sex offender registrants. *Justice Policy Journal, 11*(2), 1-22.
- *Heath, W.C., & Bowen, K. (2013). Traffic citation issuance and the relation with crashes: Is there really a reduction of crashes based on the number of citations issued? *Critical Issues in Justice & Politics, 6*(2), 27-46.
- Huck, J., & Bowen, K. (2013). Best practices: Process evaluation of a diversion program. *Critical Issues in Justice and Politics, 6*(1), 37-49.
- Vardalis, J.J., Bowen, K.N., & Waters-Bland, S. (2013). Opportunity crime and the great American garage sale. *Safer Communities, 12*(2), 57-64. <https://doi.org/10.1108/17578041311315021>
- *Bartula, A., Bowen, K.N., Getty, R., & Heath, W.C. (2012). The effects of media and social networking on alcohol and substance abuse. *Journal of Media Studies, 27*(2), 106-124.
- Karata, A., Wiatrowski, M., Vardalis, J.J., & Bowen, K.N. (2012). An assessment of democratic policing in Turkey. *International Journal of Police Science and Management, 14*(4), 299-311. <https://doi.org/10.1350/ijps.2012.14.4.291>
- Huck, J. L., Lee, D., Bowen, K.N., Bowers, J.H., & Spraitz, J.D. (2012). Specifying the dynamic relationships of general strain, coping, and young adult crime. *Western Criminology Review, 13*(2), 26-45.

Bowen, K.N. (2012). Book Review of “Police use of intelligence networks for reducing crime” by C. L. Johnson. *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, 23(3), 387-389.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0887403411406713>

Bowen, K.N. (2009). An evidence-based treatment model for persons with co-occurring diagnoses in the criminal justice system. *Critical Issues in Justice and Politics*, 2(3), 77-88.

Edited Book

Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (Eds.). (2021). Institutional sexual abuse in the #MeToo Era. Southern Illinois University (SIU) Press.

Bowen, K.N., & Spraitz, J.D. (Eds.). (2017). *Contemporary Criminal Justice: An examination of the system, its challenges, and its future*. San Diego, CA: Cognella Publishing.

Technical Reports

*Bowen, K.N., Nichols, L., Young, B., & Nhan, J. (2024). Law Enforcement Perceptions of Time and Resources in Child Abuse Cases: Findings from 15 CACs. Technical Report with Appendix to CACTX.
Technical Report. (2023).

Nhan, J., Young, B., Bowen, K., & Burns, R. (2022). Fort Worth violent crime prevention and neighborhood conservation. Technical Report to the City of Fort Worth.

Bowen, K.N., & Nhan, J. (2020). Law enforcement perceptions of time and resources in child abuse cases: Findings from 1 CAC. Technical Report to CACTX.
Executive Summary. (2020).

Diamond, S., Bowen, K., & Burns, R. (2020). An examination of racial disparities in criminal trespassing cases in Tarrant County: 2018-2019. Technical Report to Tarrant County District Attorney, Sharen Wilson.

Diamond, S., Bowen, K., & Burns, R. (2019). A preliminary investigation of sexual assault cases in Tarrant County: 2015-2017. Technical Report to Tarrant County District Attorney, Sharen Wilson.

Nhan, J., Bowen, K., & Diamond, B. (2017). A preliminary examination of FWPD FTO attitudes towards field training community. Technical Report to Fort Worth Police Department Executive Staff, November 4, 2017.

Other Publications

*Bowen, K.N., & Nichols, L.M. (2023). Collaborating on child abuse cases: Strategies to maximize relations between stakeholders in the CAC model. *Child Welfare 360°*.
https://cascw.umn.edu/portfolio_tags/cw360/

Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (2021). Introduction. (2021). In Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N.

- (Eds), *Institutional sexual abuse in the #MeToo Era*. Southern Illinois University (SIU) Press.
- Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (2021). Sexual abuse in religious institutions. In Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (Eds), *Institutional sexual abuse in the #MeToo Era*. Southern Illinois University (SIU) Press.
- Bowen, K.N., & Spraitz, J.D. (2021). Where do we go from here? In Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (Eds), *Institutional sexual abuse in the #MeToo Era*. Southern Illinois University (SIU) Press.
- Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (2018). Denial of responsibility and failure to act: Examining persistent sexual abuse in the archdiocese of Milwaukee. *Family & Intimate Partner Violence Quarterly*, 11(1), 59-67. Reprint of a 2106 article in a peer reviewed journal.
- Bowen, K.N., & Spraitz, J.D. (2017). The future of the criminal justice system. In K.N. Bowen, J.D. Spraitz (Eds.), *Contemporary Criminal Justice: An examination of the system, its challenges, and its future* (pp.215-225). Cognella Publishing.
- Burns, R., & Bowen, K. (2015). The future of delinquency prevention and treatment. In M.D. McShane & M.R. Cavanaugh (Eds.), *Understanding juvenile justice and delinquency* (pp.228-248). Praeger.
- Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K.N. (2014). Denial of responsibility and failure to act: A qualitative examination of two components of persistent sexual abuse in the Archdioceses of Milwaukee. *Sexual Assault Report*, 18(2), 17-18 & 26-28.
- Bowen, K. N. (2014). *Rehabilitation*. In J. S. Albanese (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice*. Wiley-Blackwell.
- Bowen, K. N. (2011). *Narcotics Anonymous*. In M. Kleiman, J. Hawdon, & J. G. Golson (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Drug Policy* (pp. 548-551). Sage.
- Bowen, K.N. (2011). *Peter Bensinger*. In M. Kleiman, J. Hawdon, & J. G. Golson (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Drug Policy* (pp. 95-96). Sage.
- Bowen, K. N. (2009). *Genardo Wilson*. In H. T. Green & S. L. Gabbidon (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Race and Crime* (Vol. 2, pp. 907-908). Sage.
- Bowen, K. N. (2009). *Johnnie Cochran*. In H. T. Green & S. L. Gabbidon (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Race and Crime* (Vol. 1, pp. 128-129). Sage.

Accepted, Awaiting Publication

- *Huck, J.L., Lee, D, Homer, M., Bowen, K. N., & Spraitz, J.D. Student Perceptions of Stigma, Shame, and Rape Myths in Context of #MeToo. Submitted to *Family & Intimate Partner Violence Quarterly* on August 5, 2024. Accepted for Volume 17.
- *Juarez, A., Bowen, K.N., & Nhan, J. Communication inhibitors: Dilemmas in community

partnerships amidst mental health crises in Texas. Submitted to the *Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice and Criminology* on February 5, 2024. Accepted October 21, 2024. <https://doi.org/10.21428/88de04a1.8f82f079>

*Nichols, L.M., & Bowen, K.N. “It’s Like We Never See the Light at the End of the Tunnel”: Law Enforcement Perceptions on Stakeholder Collaboration and Resources at CACs in a Southern State. Submitted to the *Journal of Child Sexual Abuse* on June 26, 2024. Status: Revise & Resubmit on September 23, 2024. Resubmitted November 3, 2024. Accepted February 1, 2025. In Press February 20, 2025.

Under Review

Huck, J. L., Lee, D., Spraitz, J. D., Bowen, K., & Lamphere, R. Allocating Consent: Rape Myths amid Sex and Gender Roles. Submitted to the *Journal of Interpersonal Violence* on August 16, 2024. Revise & Resubmit February 12, 2025.

Manuscripts in Progress

Bowen, K.N. & Young, B. Does the size and resources of the CAC matter in child abuse investigations. Fall 2024 Completion.

*Bowen, K.N., Young, B., Nichols, L., & Nhan, J. Time and resources: Law enforcement perceptions of child abuse investigations. Spring 2025 Completion.

*Juarez, A., Bowen, K.N., & Nhan, J. Data-informed partnerships: Strengthening mental health crises responses in Texas.

Presentations, Media, and Panels

- 2023 Juarez, J., Bowen, K., & Nhan, J. Communication inhibitors: Dilemmas in community partnerships amidst mental health crises in Texas. American Society of Criminology-Philadelphia, PA.
- 2023 Nhan, J., Bowen, K., Bartula, A., & Mabry, T. Roundtable: Conducting research and building a relationship with a police department. American Society of Criminology-Philadelphia, PA.
- 2023 Bowen, K., Nichols, L., Young, B., & Nhan, J. Law enforcement perceptions of time & resources in child abuse cases. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences-Washington D.C.
- 2022 Bowen, K., Diamond, B., & Burns, R. G. An exploratory analysis of harassment in adult sexual assault. charging through sentencing in a large southern county. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Las Vegas, NV. *Panel Chair*.
- 2022 Burns, R. G., Bowen, K., & Diamond, B. Factors affecting sexual assault case processing: Charging through sentencing in a large southern county. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Las Vegas, NV.
- 2022 Diamond, B., Burns, R. G., & Bowen, K. Criminalizing homelessness: Circumstances surrounding criminal trespassing and people experiencing homelessness. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Las Vegas, NV.
- 2022 Diamond, B., Bowen, K., & Burns, R. G. Addressing marginalization: Procedural and policy suggestions related to criminal trespassing. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Las Vegas, NV.

- 2020 Diamond, B., Bowen, K., & Burns, C. Prosecutorial discretion: Examining sexual assault data from an urban district attorney's office. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–San Antonio, TX. **(Cancelled due to COVID-19)**.
- 2020 Nhan, J., Helfers, R., & Bowen, K. A new model for law enforcement management and leadership pedagogy for the 21st Century. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–San Antonio, TX. **(Cancelled due to COVID-19)**.
- 2019 Nhan, J., Helfers, R., & Bowen, K.N. Roundtable: Issues in advertising and operating an Online Master's Program. The American Society of Criminology–San Francisco, CA.
- 2019 Diamond, S., Bowen, K., & Burns, R. A preliminary investigation of sexual assault cases in Tarrant County: 2015-2017. DA of Tarrant County.
- 2018 Nhan, J., Bowen, K., & Noakes, N. FWPD & TCU Partnership. Presented to Fort Worth City Council.
- 2017 Bowen, K., Nhan, J., & Polzer, K. The reentry labyrinth: Through the eyes of ex-offenders. The American Society of Criminology–Philadelphia, PA.
- 2017 Nhan, J., Bowen, K., & Diamond, B. A preliminary examination of FWPD FTO attitudes towards field training community. Presented to Fort Worth Police Department Executive Staff.
- 2016 Nhan, J., & Bowen, K. The role of post-releases employment and reentry. The American Society of Criminology–New Orleans, LA.
- 2016 Roundtable: Bowen, K., Spraitz, J., Pierce, M., Pleggenkuhle, B., & Ward, K. Navigating the anticipated and often unanticipated perils of human subjects research. The American Society of Criminology–New Orleans, LA.
- 2016 Nhan, J., & Bowen, K. The anatomy of a reentry network. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Denver, CO.
- 2016 Bartula, A., & Bowen, K. University and college police chiefs' perceptions of open carry on college campus. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Denver, CO.
- 2015 Spraitz, J.D., & Bowen, K. Examining diocesan sexual abuse files: A look at 'priests, church leaders, cover-up, and blame minimization. The American Society of Criminology–Washington, DC.
- 2015 Spraitz, J.D., Bowen, K., & Authurs, S. Justifications and neutralizations used to explain clergy sexual abuse at a Benedictine Abbey. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Orlando, FL.
- 2015 Bowen, K., Bartula, A., & Getty, R. To laugh is to be deviant. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Orlando, FL. *Panel Chair*.
- 2015 Roundtable: Student organizations on campus: The good, the bad, and the ugly (issues). Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Orlando, FL.
- 2014 Spraitz, J., Bowen, K., & Bowers, J. Techniques of neutralization by clergy: Qualitative analysis of priests' files from Chicago and Los Angeles. The American Society of Criminology–San Francisco, CA.
- 2014 Spraitz, J., Bowen, K., & Bowers, J. An analysis of the techniques of neutralization used by priests accused of sexual abuse. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Philadelphia, PA.
- 2013 Bartula, A., Bowen, K., Getty, R., & Heath, C. The effects of media and social networking on imprudent behavior. The American Society of Criminology–Atlanta, GA.
- 2013 Rodriguez, B., Bowen, K., & Vardalis, J. Prison pre-release facilities in Texas: What effect do these programs have on offender success? Western Association of Criminal Justice–Las Vegas.
- 2012 Bowen, K., Roberts, J., & Kocian, E. An analysis of individual and contextual factors in ambiguous standardized situations. The American Society of Criminology–Chicago, IL.

- 2012 Vardalis, J., Bowen, K., & Bartula, A. Opportunity crime and the great American garage sale. Western Association of Criminal Justice–Coeur d’Alene, ID.
- 2011 Bowen, K., Roberts, J., & Kocian, E. An analysis of the criminal situation: Decision making and other contextual factors of assault. The American Society of Criminology–Washington, D.C.
- 2011 Bowen, K., Frenzel, E., Phaneuf, S., Bowers, J., & Spraitz, J. Understanding collateral consequences of registry laws: An examination of the perceptions of Pennsylvania sex offender registrants. The American Society of Criminology–Washington, D.C.
- 2011 Bowers, J., Bowen, K., Frenzel, E., Phaneuf, S., & Spraitz, J. Offenders perceptions on Megan’s Law. The American Society of Criminology–Washington, D.C.
- 2011 Vardalis, J. & Bowen, K. Policing in the United Arab Emirates. Western Association of Criminal Justice–Reno, NV.
- 2011 Bowers, J. H., Bowen, K., Huck, J., Lee, D., Spraitz, J.D. College binge drinking. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- 2011 Roundtable: Pantaleo, K., Bowen, K., Iannacchione, B., Frenzel, E., & Lewis, J. The impact of consolidated advising. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- 2010 Bowen, K. The Role of Advising University Students: An important yet often overlooked responsibility. The American Society of Criminology–San Francisco, CA.
- 2010 Lee, D., Huck, J. L., Kim, B., Bowers, J. H., Bowen, K. N., & Spraitz, J. D. Understanding coping strategies, drug use, and crime in response to negative affective states. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–San Diego, CA.
- 2010 Roundtable: Huck, J. L., Bowen, K. N., Bowers, J. H., Bratina, M., Clevenger, S., & Spraitz, J. D. Transition from student to faculty. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–San Diego, CA.
- 2009 Huck, J. L., Lee, D., Bowen, K., Bowers, J. H., & Spraitz, J. D. General strain theory: Replication and extension of Broidy’s test. American Society of Criminology–Philadelphia, PA.
- 2009 Bowen, K. Introduction to restorative justice. Understanding crime and justice series: Restorative justice discussion. Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Criminology Department.
- 2009 Bowen, K. After-school programs: Are they an effective crime-prevention strategy? American Society of Criminology–Philadelphia, PA.
- 2009 Roundtable: Martin, J. S., Bowen, K., Huck, J., King, L., Spraitz, J. D., & Stroup, B. Ethical issues within the Criminal Justice System. The Pennsylvania Association of Criminal Justice Educators–Cranberry Township, PA.
- 2009 Bowen, K. N. Modified therapeutic communities: Effective treatment of co-occurring disorders in prison settings. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Boston, MA.
- 2009 Bowen, K. N. & Huck, J. L. Assessing social learning and self-control: Which explains more variance? Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Boston, MA.
- 2009 Huck J. L. & Bowen, K. N. Pretrial diversion: Policy mechanism to manage mental health populations in Jail. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences– Boston, MA.
- 2009 Martin, J. S., Hanrahan, K., Gibbs, J. J., & Bowen, K. N. Reshaping doctoral education: Preparing future faculty. Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences–Boston, MA.
- 2008 Bowen, K. N. An evidence-based treatment model for persons with co-occurring diagnoses in the criminal justice system. American Society of Criminology–St. Louis, MO. *Panel Chair.*
- 2008 Bowen, K. N. Racial disparity due to the war on drugs. The Pennsylvania Association of Criminal Justice Educators–Altoona, PA. *Panel Chair.*

Invited Lectures/ Presentations/Webinars/Podcasts/ Interviews

- 2024 Bowen, K. Law enforcement perceptions of time & resources in child abuse investigations. Webinar for Children’s Advocacy Centers of Texas (CACTX). August 27th. Approximately 200 people in attendance.
- 2024 Interviewed for news article entitled Should convicted sex offender lead prison ministry? Gateway Church pastor under scrutiny. Fort Worth Report. July 28, 2024. <https://fortworthreport.org/2024/07/28/should-convicted-sex-offender-lead-prison-ministry-gateway-church-pastor-under-scrutiny/>
- 2023 Bowen, K. Intimate partner violence presentation to Kazakhstan Government Officials. TCU.
- 2022 Spraitz, J., & Bowen, K. Institutional sexual abuse in the #metoo era. July, 1, 2022. Podcast with Dr. Jeannette Cockroft. New Books Network.
- 2019 Bowen, K. N. Global perspectives on children of the incarcerated. TCU Department of Journalism & The Pulitzer Center on Crisis Reporting. TCU.
- 2016 Bowen, K.N. Juries. Mini-discussion leading up to Serial. TCU Honors College.

Grants Received

- 2024 Transformational Leadership, Fort Worth, Grand Prairie, & Lake Worth Police Departments. \$8,400.
- 2022 Leadership Training, Fort Worth Police Department (for Criminology & Criminal Justice Department), \$7,200.
- 2021-Present CCPD Study for Fort Worth Police Department. \$10,202 Annually.
- 2021 Pathways to Hope Reentry Program. \$28,000.

Service

Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice Service

- 2023 Search Committee Chair, Tenure-Track Position
- 2022 Early Law Enforcement Leadership Training (\$7,200 to Department)
- 2020-2021 Assessment, Criminal Justice Graduate Program
- 2019-2021, 2022-2023 Department Advisory Committee
- 2017-2019, 2022, 2023 Department Coach for SWACJ Student Quiz Bowl (1st Place 2017, 2019, 2023)
- 2014-2020 Co-Faculty Advisor, Criminal Justice Society
- 2016-2020, 2023 Departmental Paper Award Committee
- 2019-2019 Search Committee, Lecturer Position
- 2019-2019 Search Committee, Tenure-Track Position
- 2017-2018 Search Committee, Tenure-Track Position
- 2017-2018 Search Committee, Lecturer Position

AddRan College of Liberal Arts Service

- 2024-2025 Instructor Search Committee, Economics Department
- 2023-Present AddRan College Advisory Committee

2024 2025 AddRan Distinguished Faculty Lecture Committee
 2023-2024 AddRan New Faculty Mentor
 2022 AddRan Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies Search Committee
 2022 AddRan Faculty/Staff Annual Campaign Representative
 2021 Committee, AddRan Social Science Nominee for Chancellor's Award
 2020-2021 Ambassador, AddRan Assessment
 2020 Committee, Deans Award for Teaching, Scholarship, & Creative Activity-Social
 Science
 2017-2020 Graduate Council
 2019 Committee, Research & Creative Activities
 2016 Search Committee, Honors College Fogelson Lecture
 2015-Present AddRan Festival Judge (could not judge 2016 due to conference conflict and
 COVID cancellation in 2020)

University Service (TCU)

2022-Present Scholarships and Financial Aid Committee (Chair Elect, August 2025)
 2022 Pillar of University Leadership Award
 2020-2021 Administrative Council
 2017-2020 Faculty Senate & Faculty Relations Subcommittee
 2016-2020 Beyond Borders Faculty Mentor
 2018-2019 Cross-Disciplinary Solutions to Human Trafficking Symposium Work Group
 2015-2018 Intercollegiate Athletics Committee
 2016 Tunnel of Oppression, Debrief Volunteer

Community Service (Related to Profession)

2025-present Board Member, Alliance For Children
 2025-present Editorial Board, Journal of Family Trauma, Child Custody, and Child
 Development
 2025-2026 National Criminal Justice Month, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences
 2024-2025 Student Affairs Committee, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences
 2023-Present Mentor, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences
 2017-Present Board Member, Tarrant County Sheriff's Dept. TCOLE Compliance
 2019-2022 Pinwheel Society
 2022 Tenure & Promotion Reviewer, New Mexico State University
 2022-2023 ACJS Policy Evaluation Chair
 2022-2023 ACJS Assessment Committee
 2020-2022 Vice President, Board Member, Fort Worth Police Department Motor Support
 Group
 2016-2018 Board Member, Alliance For Children
 2012-2015 Board Member, Paluxy River Children's Advocacy Center
 2014-2015 Board Member, Fort Worth Resource Council for Youth

Book Reviewer

2023 *Essentials of Victimology: Crime Victims, Theories, Controversies, and Victims' Rights.*
 Aspen Publishing.
 2019 *Sex Crimes, Offenders, and Collective Responses: Contemplating Questions of*

- Character and Culture*. Chs.7-15. Rowman & Littlefield.
- 2018 *Sex Crimes, Offenders, and Collective Responses: Contemplating Questions of Character and Culture*. Chs. 1-6. Rowman & Littlefield.
- 2018 *Criminal Justice-A Systems-Based Approach*. Unit 4 (Corrections) Review. Oxford University Press.
- 2017 *Career Guide in Criminal Justice*. Review of the proposal and table of contents. Oxford University Press.
- 2016 *Surveying Criminal Justice*. Review of the proposal and table of contents. Oxford University Press.
- 2015 *Sex crimes and sex offenders: A question of character and culture*. Chs. 1-9. Oxford University Press.

Journal Reviewer

American Journal of Criminal Justice
Aggressive Behavior
Children & Society
Criminal Justice Review
Criminal Justice and Behavior
Criminal Justice Policy Review
Criminology and Criminal Justice
International Journal of Law, Crime and Justice
Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment, & Trauma
Journal of Child Sexual Abuse
Journal of Family Trauma, Child Custody, & Child Development

Journal of Forensic Psychology Research and Practice
Journal of Interpersonal Violence
Journal of Offender Rehabilitation
Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice & Criminology
Policing: An International Journal
Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research & Treatment
The Social Science Journal
Violence & Victims

Professional Memberships

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (ACJS)
 Southwestern Association of Criminal Justice (SWACJ)
 FBI Dallas Citizens Academy Alumni Association (FBI Dallas CAAA)