

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2008-present            Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Miami

### FORMAL EDUCATION

Ph.D. 2003-2008        Sociology, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC  
“Theoretical Investigation of the Causes of Juvenile Delinquency in Ukraine:  
Toward Integration of Classic Strain and Control Theories.”  
Dissertation Committee: William Smith (Chair), Ronald Czaja, Patricia McCall,  
Charles Tittle.

M.A. 1999-2001        Criminal Justice, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY, New York, NY

B.A. 1997-1999        Criminal Justice, *summa cum laude*, Lees-McRae College, Banner Elk, NC

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Crime, Deviance, and Social Control
- Sociological Theory

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (RESEARCH)

In progress            Data Collection Project “Social Support and Coercion in Armenia, Bangladesh, and  
Ukraine” (with Charles Tittle)

2006                    Data Collection Project “Theoretical Investigation of the Causes of Juvenile Delinquency  
in Ukraine” (with William Smith)

2006                    Data Collection Project “Tricountry Survey” (Greece, Ukraine, and Russia) (with Charles  
Tittle, Ekaterina Botchkovar, and Maria Kranidioti)

2006                    Research Assistant, "Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Stops of Pedestrians and Vehicles."  
Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department Grant

1999-2000            Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Law and Police Science, John Jay College of  
Criminal Justice

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (TEACHING)

- 2003-current Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, North Carolina State University with sole responsibility for all courses taught
- 2001-2003 Adjunct Instructor, Department of Behavioral and Social Sciences, Lees-McRae College

### **COURSES TAUGHT**

Criminology, Social Deviance, Social Problems, Comparative Criminal Justice, Principles of Law Enforcement, Population and Society

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Botchkovar, Ekaterina, Charles R. Tittle, and Olena Antonaccio. "General Strain Theory: Additional Evidence Using Cross-Cultural Data." *Criminology*: Forthcoming, February, 2008.

Antonaccio, Olena and Charles R. Tittle. "Morality, Self-Control, and Crime." *Criminology*: 46:801-32.

Antonaccio, Olena and Charles R. Tittle. 2007. "Cross-National Test of Bonger's Theory of Criminality and Economic Conditions." *Criminology* 45:701-734.

### **PAPERS UNDER REVIEW**

Antonaccio, Olena, Charles R. Tittle, Ekaterina Botchkovar, and Maria Kranidioti. Revise and Resubmit "The Correlates of Crime: Additional Evidence." *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*.

Tittle, Charles R., Olena Antonaccio, Ekaterina Botchkovar, and Maria Kranidioti. Under review. "Morality, Rationality, and Criminal Probability: A Comparative Study Using Greek and Russian Samples."

Tittle, Charles, Olena Antonaccio, and Ekaterina Botchkovar. Under review. "Social Learning, Reinforcement, and Criminal Probability."

### **PAPERS IN PROGRESS**

Antonaccio, Olena, Charles R. Tittle, and Ekaterina Botchkovar. "Etiology of Criminal Motivation: Evidence from Three Countries."

Tittle, Charles R., Olena Antonaccio, and Maria Kranidioti. "Morality, Self-Control, and Crime: A Replication Using Greek Respondents."

Engen, Rodney, Olena Antonaccio, and Kylie Parrotta. "Plea Bargaining and Charge Reductions under Sentencing Guidelines: Toward an Organizational Theory of Prosecutorial Decision Making."

Antonaccio, Olena and William Smith. "Theoretical Investigation of the Causes of Juvenile Delinquency in Ukraine: Toward Integration of Strain and Control Theories."

Antonaccio, Olena and William Smith. "Social Disorganization and Routine Activity Theories: Socio-Ecological Models of Crime in an Urban Context."

## **PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS**

Antonaccio, Olena, Charles R. Tittle, Ekaterina Botchkovar, and Maria Kranidioti. 2008. "The Correlates of Crime: Additional Evidence." Paper to be presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, St.Louis, MI.

Antonaccio, Olena and Charles R. Tittle. 2007. "Morality, Self-Control, and Crime." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Engen, Rodney, Olena Antonaccio, Kylie Parrotta and R.V. Rikard. 2007. "Plea Bargaining and Charge Reductions Under Sentencing Guidelines: Toward an Administrative Theory of Prosecutorial Decision Making." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA.

Antonaccio, Olena and Charles Tittle. 2006. "Cross-National Test of Bonger's Theory of Criminality and Economic Conditions." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Los Angeles, CA.

Antonaccio, Olena, William Smith, Perver Baran, Yu Long, and Elisabeth Davison. 2006. "Social Disorganization and Routine Activity Theories: Socio-Ecological Models of Crime in an Urban Context." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Los Angeles, CA.

Fulkerson, Greg, Olena Antonaccio, Gretchen Thompson, and Elisabeth Seale. 2005. "Environmental Stress Reduction of Nation-States: A Comparison of Political Economy, Political Democracy, and Human Ecology Perspectives." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, Charlotte, NC.

Engen, Rodney, R.V. Rikard, Kylie Parrotta, and Olena Antonaccio. 2004. "Prosecutorial Discretion under Structured Sentencing." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, GA.

## **REPORTS**

Smith, William, Olena Antonaccio, and Matthew Zingraff. 2007. "Stops and Searches of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department: Years 2004 and 2005." Final Report to the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department.

## **GRANTS RECEIVED**

Smith, William and Olena Antonaccio. 2006. "Theoretical Investigation of the Causes of Juvenile Delinquency in Ukraine: Toward Integration of Strain and Control Theories." Research Grant. College of Humanities and Social Sciences, North Carolina State University, \$1,500.

Smith, William and Olena Antonaccio. 2006. "Theoretical Investigation of the Causes of Juvenile Delinquency in Ukraine: Toward Integration of Strain and Control Theories." Research Grant. Department of Sociology and Anthropology, North Carolina State University, \$3,000.

## **ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS**

- Member of *Alpha Kappa Delta* International Sociology Honor Society, North Carolina State University, 2005

- 1999 Class Valedictorian, Lees-McRae College, 1999
- Criminal Justice Award, Lees-McRae College, 1999
- International Presidential Scholarship, Lees-McRae College, 1997-1999
- Calvin Lindsey Academic Scholarship, Lees-McRae College, 1998

## **SERVICE**

2006-2007 Assistant Editor, Newsletter of the Crime, Law and Deviance Section of the American Sociological Association.

## **MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

- American Sociological Association (Section on Crime, Law, and Deviance)
- American Society of Criminology
- Southern Sociological Society