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*Curriculum Vitae*

John Jay College of Criminal Justice  
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### EDUCATION

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Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.  
Social Welfare  
M.Div, Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, NJ  
.Focus: Religion and Society  
MBA, Brenau University, Gainesville, GA  
.Focus: TQM Philosophy and Methodology  
B.A., Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA.  
Business Administration, Major: Economics

### ORDINATION

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Ordination, 2001, The Elim International Fellowship of Reformed Episcopal Churches  
Associate Pastor, 1999-2010 The Elim International Fellowship, Brooklyn, NY

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Non-Profit Involvement in Prisoner Reentry

- Faith-based Organizations & Religion
- Community-based Organization & Community Reentry
- International/Comparative Non-profit and NGOs

Race, Religion, Policy & Reentry

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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*reentryBase* Focus Group Research , John Jay College of Criminal Justice/University of  
Pennsylvania, October, 2010

- Wrote successful proposal for funding
- Designed/developed needs assessment
- Created implementation and analysis protocol

Principal Investigator, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, 2010- 2011

Project: Faith-Based Community Institutional Capacity (CIC) for Prisoner Reentry

- Wrote successful proposal for funding
- Designed/developed research protocol
- Created implementation and analysis of data protocol

Principal Investigator, Program for Religion and Social Policy Research, University of Pennsylvania, 2006-2007

Project: *The Collective Efficacy: Philadelphia Ex-Prisoner Reentry Capacity Appraisal*

- Wrote successful proposal for funding; Secured IRB approval
- Designed/developed instruments used for data collection
- Created study protocol for all aspects of research
- Analyzed quantitative data using SPSS; Coded qualitative data
- Recruited and trained 20 data collectors and data entry staff

Principal Investigator, Program for Religion and Social Policy Research, University of Pennsylvania, 2003-2006

Project: *Ethnographic Portraits from a Faith-Based Cognitive-Behavioral Reentry Intervention and Program in the Philadelphia Prison System: REST Philly*

- Designed full research and pilot project; Conducted ethnographic pilot study; Collected, coded and analyzed qualitative data

Principal Investigator, Princeton Theological Seminary: Religion and Society Thesis, 2000-2001

Project: *Race, Poverty, Religion and Social Welfare Policy*

- Interviewed expert scholars & Extensive literature review; Won award for thesis

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Comprehensive Exam Review Lecturer/Grader, *Criminal Justice Policy Analysis*

John Jay College of Criminal Justice, Graduate and Professional Studies, 2010-Present

Assistant Professor, *Criminal Justice*

Law, Police Science and Criminal Justice Administration Department, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY, Fall 2007- Present

- Graduate Students; Undergraduate Students; Core Requirements

Instructor, *Contemporary Social Policy*,

School of Social Policy & Practice, University of Pennsylvania, Spring 2007

- Graduate MSW Students; Core Requirements; Policy Sequence Committee

Assistant in Instruction, Inside-Out Prison Exchange Program, *Exploring the Issues of Crime and Justice Behind the Walls*, Temple University at Philadelphia Prison System, Spring 2004

- Undergraduate Criminal Justice Students; Elective Experiential Learning Course

### **TRAINING/FACILATION EXPERIENCE**

Facilitator, *Women and Work: Gender Responsiveness and Workforce Development*, Philadelphia Prison System and National Institute of Corrections, September, 2008.

- Facilitated *Relational Theory and Female Development*
- Assisted in planning and coordination of training provision

Facilitator, *CUNY Career Centers Technical Assistance and Training: Serving Students with Criminal Records*, Office of Continuing and Professional Studies/Prisoner Reentry Institute, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, June 2008.

- Design curricula and facilitated *Structural and Operational Barriers to Employment*
- Assisted in coordination of training provision

### **PUBLICATIONS/PAPERS**

- Frazier, B. D.** (2012). *Using Web-based Technology to Improve Reentry Outcomes* in "Prisoner Reentry Reader," Crow, M. & Smykla, J. (eds.) Boston, MA: Jones & Barlett.
- Frazier, B. D.** (in progress, 2012). *My Brothers Keeper: Faith-Based Reentry in America*. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner.
- Jones-Brown, D., & **Frazier, B. D.** (2012). *African Americans and Criminal Justice: An Encyclopedia*. Westport, CT: Greenwood.
- Frazier, B. D.** (2012). African Americans and Prisoner Reentry. In Jones-Brown, D., & **Frazier, B.** (Eds.), *African Americans and Criminal Justice: An Encyclopedia*. Westport, CT: Greenwood.
- Frazier, B. D.** (2012). African Americans and Community-based Crime and Reentry Theory. In Jones-Brown, D., & **Frazier, B. D.** (Eds.), *African Americans and Criminal Justice: An Encyclopedia*. Westport, CT: Greenwood.
- Frazier, B. D.** (2012). Faith-based Prisoner Reentry. In Jones-Brown, D., & **Frazier, B.** (Eds.), *African Americans and Criminal Justice: An Encyclopedia*. Westport, CT: Greenwood.
- Frazier, B. D.** (forthcoming). African Americans and reentry: The threat of even greater challenges. *Journal of Race and Ethnicity*.
- Frazier, B. D.** (2010). *reentryBase Focus Group Report* Center for Religion and Urban Civil Society. University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA
- Frazier, B. D.** (2009). *Faith-Based Programs* in "Rethinking Corrections," Gideon, L. & Hung-En, S. (eds.) Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Cnaan, R., Drain, J., **Frazier, B. D.**, & Sinha, J. (2009). *Ex-Prisoners' Reentry: An Emerging Frontier and a Social Work Challenge* in "New Horizons for Public Practice," Hofer, R. (ed). New York, NY: Routledge.
- Cnaan, R., Drain, J., **Frazier, B. D.**, & Sinha, J. (2008). Ex-Prisoner Reentry: An Emerging Frontier and a Social Work Challenge. *Journal of Policy Practice*, 7(2-3), 178 - 98.
- Cnaan, R., Drain, J., **Frazier, B. D.**, & Sinha, J. (2008). *The Limits of Citizenship: Rights of Prisoners and ex-Prisoners in USA*. Scholarly Commons, Departmental Papers, School of Social Policy and Practice, University of Pennsylvania: Philadelphia, PA.
- Frazier, B. D.** (2007). *Assessing Philadelphia's Social Service Capacity for Ex-Prisoner Reentry: Final Research Report*. Washington, DC: National Institute of Corrections.  
<http://www.nicic.org/Features/Library/?AU=%20Frazier,%20Beverly%20D>.
- Roman, J., Kane, M., Turner, E. & **Frazier, B. D.** (2006). *Instituting Lasting Reforms for Prisoner Reentry in Philadelphia*. Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.  
<http://www.urban.org/publications/411345.html> Washington, DC: The Urban Institute.

### CONFERENCE PAPERS/PRESENTATIONS

#### *The Roles of Non-profits in Prisoner Reentry,*

John Jay College of Criminal Justice Biennial International Conference, June, 2012

#### *reentrybase: A Web-Based Approach To Improving Prisoner Reentry Outcomes-*

(Presented and Chaired)

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, New York, New York, March, 2012

#### *More God, Less Crime: A Leap of Faith or Matter of Fact?*

Book Panel Discussion, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, May, 2011

#### *Reentry-Based Web-Based Computer Application: A Needs Assessment*

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Toronto, Canada, March, 2011

#### *Case Studies in Faith-based Prisoner Reentry*

American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA, November, 2010

#### *Faith-Based Social & Supportive Reentry Services Provision - (Presented and Chaired)*

American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, PA, November, 2009

#### *Faith-Based Community Institutional Capacity For Prisoner Reentry- (Presented and Chaired)*

- Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Boston, MA, March 2009  
*Assessing Organizational Capacity for Offender Re-entry Services-* (Presented and Chaired)  
 American Society of Criminology, St. Louis, MO, November, 2008  
*Social and Supportive Services for Prisoner Reentry in Philadelphia,*  
 Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Cincinnati, OH, March 2008  
*Committed to Long-term Change: Hope for a Better Future,* Guest Speaker,  
 Mayor's Office for the Reentry of Ex-Offenders (MORE), Ex-Offender Job Readiness  
 Completion Ceremonies, Philadelphia, PA, February, 2008  
*Assessing Community Institutional Capacity for Prisoner Reentry in Philadelphia,*  
 American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA, November, 2007  
*Philadelphia Reentry Community Capacity Appraisal and Development Strategy,*  
 American Society of Criminology, Los Angeles, CA, November 2006  
*Preparing Jail Inmates for Returning Home in Philadelphia,*  
 American Society of Criminology, Toronto, Canada, November 2005  
*Reintegration Session, Panel Moderator,*  
 Commonwealth Forum on Criminal Justice Reform, Camp Hill, PA, November, 2005  
*Examining Relationships between Prison Services and Prisoner Expectations in Philadelphia,*  
 14<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Criminology, Philadelphia, PA, August 2005  
*Prisoner Reentry: Crisis in America, Guest Lecturer,*  
 Eastern University, Philadelphia, PA, February 2005  
*Faith-Based Reentry: An Ethnographic Work-in-Progress,*  
 Fontaine Society Spring Conference, Philadelphia, PA, March 2004

### **CONSULTING – Organizational Dynamics and Development**

Expert Panel, Pew Forum on Religion & Public Life, Washington, D.C.,  
 November 2009 – June 2012

(<http://pewforum.org/>)

- Serve as member of expert panel for planning and implementing a Pew survey of prison chaplains to better understand their role in state and federal prisons, as well as the place of religion in inmate rehabilitation and community re-entry.

Director, Strategic Planning & Assessment, The Elim International Fellowship of Churches,  
 January 2009- April 2009

- Leadership Coaching
- Administrative/Organization Infrastructure Design
- Strategic and Tactical Planning, Implementation & Assessment

Principal Investigator, Strategic Planning & Assessment, Shiloh Baptist Church, Trenton, NJ,  
 September 2012

- Lead Congregational Ministries Focus Group
- Strategic and Tactical Planning, Implementation & Assessment for Church Strategic Plan

### **GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Research Grant, Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), ESRC International Partnership  
 and Networking Scheme 2011, June 2012 – June 2014

Study: Global Perspectives on Nonprofit Involvement in Prisoner Reentry

Senior Research Fellow, Program for Research on Religion and Urban Civil Society (PRRUCS),  
 University of Pennsylvania, January 2010 – Present

Research Grant, PSC-CUNY Research Award, July 2010-June 2011

Study: Case Studies in Faith-based Prisoner Reentry  
Research Grant, PSC-CUNY Research Award, July 2008-June 2009

Study: Faith-Based Community Institutional Capacity (CIC) for Prisoner Reentry  
Research Grant, City of Philadelphia, Mayor's Office for the Reentry of Ex-offenders, June 2006-  
June 2007.

Study: The Collective Efficacy: Philadelphia Ex-Prisoner Reentry Capacity Appraisal  
Pre-Dissertation Fellowship, Program for Research of Religion and Urban Civil Society (PRRUCS),  
University of Pennsylvania, 2005- Present.

Resident Fellow, Program for Religion and Social Policy Research, University of Pennsylvania,  
2002-2008

Religion and Society Senior Fellowship, Princeton Theological Seminary, 2001

Senior Thesis: "*Fragile Faith, Fragile Existence: A discussion of race, poverty and faith  
among America's Underclass*" Professor Max Stackhouse, Advisor.

Edward Howell Roberts Scholarship in Preaching, 2000

Professor Nora Tisdale, Instructor.

Affiliate Fellow, The Center for the Study of Religion, Princeton University, 1999-2001

Marie Griffith, Assistant Director