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Curriculum Vitae

Title and Office Address

Assistant Professor of Criminology
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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2022 - present Associate Professor of Criminology
Department of Criminology, Anthropology & Sociology
Cleveland State University
- 2016 - 2022 Assistant Professor of Criminology
Department of Criminology, Anthropology & Sociology
Cleveland State University

DEGREES AWARDED

- 2016 Ph.D. in Sociology, Kent State University
- 2008 M.A. in Justice Studies, Kent State University
- 2006 B.A. in Psychology and Justice Studies, Kent State University

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Health Consequences of Incarceration	Conditions of Confinement
Inequalities	Qualitative Methods
Punishment	Criminal Justice Policy and Practice

RESEARCH

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2022 **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Schnellinger, Rusty P., Adams, Richard E., and Brie Williams. "[Health information seeking behaviors in prison: Results from the U.S. PIAAC survey.](#)" *Journal of Correctional Health Care*.
- 2021 Prost, Stephanie Grace and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "[Visitation and quality of life among older adults in jail.](#)" *International Journal of Prisoner Health* (Special issue: "Health disparities among older adults in the criminal justice system").
- 2021 **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Narvey, Chelsey C., and Alex R. Piquero. "[The keepers: Returning citizens' experiences of staff misconduct in state prisons.](#)" *Criminal Justice and Behavior*.

- 2021 **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Nowotny, Kathryn M., Jackson, Dylan B., Testa, Alexander, and Michael G. Vaughn. "[Incarceration as a fundamental social cause of health inequalities: Jails, prisons, and vulnerability to COVID-19.](#)" *The British Journal of Criminology*.
- 2021 Ivanov, Stefan, **Novisky, Meghan A.**, and Matt Vogel. "[Racial resentment, empathy, and support for release during COVID-19: Results from a survey experiment.](#)" *Socius*.
- 2021 Narvey, Chelsey S., **Novisky, Meghan A.**, and Alex Piquero. "[The role of negative staff behavior and fairness on perceptions of post-release success among formerly incarcerated juveniles.](#)" *Journal of Crime and Justice* 44(2): 195-212 (Special issue: "Institutional climate and culture in correctional facilities").
- 2021 Prost, Stephanie G., **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Rorvig, Leah, Zaller, Nick, and Brie Williams. "[Prisons and COVID-19: A desperate call for gerontological expertise in correctional healthcare.](#)" *The Gerontologist*, 61(1), 3-7.
- 2020 **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Narvey, Chelsey S., and Daniel C. Semenza. "[Institutional responses to the COVID-19 pandemic in American prisons.](#)" *Victims & Offenders*, 15(7-8), 1244-1261 (Special issue: "Assessing the global response to COVID-19 outbreaks in prisons, jails, and community corrections during the pandemic – Short-term solutions or harbingers of long-term change?").
- 2020 **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Robert L. Peralta. "[Gladiator school: Returning citizens' experiences with secondary violence exposure in prison.](#)" *Victims & Offenders*, 15, 594-618.
- 2019 Pesta, Racheal, Peralta, Robert L., and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "[Utilizing a general strain framework to examine behavioral responses to psychological intimate partner violence: Are responses gendered?](#)" *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 34, 3171-3198.
- 2019 Stacey, Clare L., Pai, Manacy, **Novisky, Meghan A.**, and Steven M. Radwany. "[Revisiting 'awareness contexts' in the 21st century hospital: How fragmented and specialized care shapes patients' awareness of dying.](#)" *Social Science & Medicine*, 220, 212-218.
- 2018 **Novisky, Meghan A.** "[Avoiding the run around: The link between cultural health capital and health management among older prisoners.](#)" *Criminology*, 56, 643-678.
- 2017 Porter, Lauren C. and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "[Pathways to depressive symptoms among former inmates.](#)" *Justice Quarterly*, 34, 847-872.
- 2015 **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Robert L. Peralta. 2015. "[When women tell: Intimate partner violence and the factors related to police notification.](#)" *Violence Against Women*, 21, 65-86.
- 2013 Skubby, David, Bonfine, Natalie, **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Munetz, Mark R. and Christian Ritter. 2013. "[Crisis intervention team \(CIT\) programs in rural communities: A focus group study.](#)" *The Community Mental Health Journal*, 49, 756-764.

Book Chapters and Book Reviews

- 2021 **Novisky, Meghan A.** [Review of "Aging behind prison walls: Studies in trauma and resilience."](#) Authors: Tina Maschi and Keith Morgen. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*.
- 2021 **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Daniel C. Semenza. "Jails and health." [Chapter II in the Division of Corrections and Sentencing Handbook, Volume 6: Pretrial Justice.](#) Edited by Christine S. Scott-Hayward, Jennifer E. Copp, and Stephen Demuth. Routledge.

- 2021 Novisky, Meghan A., Narvey, Chelsey S., and Daniel C. Semenza. "Institutional responses to the COVID-19 pandemic in American prisons." Chapter XXVII in [*the Global Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Institutional and Community Corrections*](#). Edited by James M. Byrne, Don Hummer, and Sabrina S. Rapisarda. Routledge.
- 2020 Semenza, Daniel C. and Meghan A. Novisky. "[Mental health and services in prisons and jails.](#)" Pp. 189-202 In [*Prisons and Community Corrections: Critical Issues and Emerging Controversies*](#). Edited by Phillip Birch & Louise A. Sicard, Routledge.

Peer Reviewed Research on Teaching

- 2021 Stacey, Clare L., Hanson, Kenneth, and Meghan A. Novisky. "[From doers to donors: Sociology students' perceptions of experiential philanthropy.](#)" *Sociological Focus* 54(2): 153-166.

GRANTS

External

- Unfunded "Assessing the Impact of COVID-19 on Adult Victim Service Provision in Ohio." Under review by the National Institute of Justice (Opportunity #: O-NIJ-2021-40005). **\$98,368**. Role: Co-Principal Investigator (with Wendy Regoeczi).
- 2021 "COVID-19 Operational Assessment: Community Services." Funded by the National Institute of Corrections (NIC Opportunity #: 21CS26) **\$89,790**. Role: Consultant/Research Partner (Co-Principal Investigators: James R. Coldren and Tammy L. Felix, CNA – Center for Justice Research and Innovation).
- 2021 "A Multi-Methods Study of Barriers and Facilitators of Compassionate Release During COVID-19." Funded by the Aging Research in Criminal Justice & Health (ARCH) Network R24 of the National Institutes of Health under award number R24AG065175. **\$33,808**. Role: Co-Principal Investigator (with Jennifer James).
- 2020 "COVID-19: Operational Challenges for Corrections." Funded by the National Institute of Corrections. **\$174,457**. Role: Consultant/Research Partner (Co-Principal Investigators: James R. Coldren and Tammy L. Felix, CNA – Center for Justice Research and Innovation).
- 2020 "Correctional Health Services for Older Adults: Older Adult and Caregiver Perspectives." Funded by the Aging Research in Criminal Justice & Health (ARCH) Network R24 of the National Institutes of Health under award number R24AG065175. **\$25,000**. Role: Co-Principal Investigator (with Stephanie Grace Prost).
- 2020 "Correctional System Responses to COVID-19 in the U.S." Funded by the Scholar Strategy Network (SSN) of Northeast Ohio's Amplify & Apply Mini-Grant. **\$800**. Role: Principal Investigator.
- 2018 "The Role of Health Information Seeking Behavior and Employment Status on Prisoner Health Ratings in the U.S." Funded by Educational Testing Services, Institute of Education Sciences, U.S. Department of Education Research Grant. **\$1,362.16**. Role: Principal Investigator.
- 2018 "Perceptions and Experiences of Health Care and Interpersonal Violence among Female Former Inmates: A Qualitative Study." Funded by the University of Akron's Faculty Research Fellowship. **\$10,000**. Role: Co-Principal Investigator (with Robert L. Peralta).

2017 “Examining the Health of U.S. Prisoners with the PIAAC database.” Funded by Educational Testing Services, Institute of Education Sciences, U.S. Department of Education Research Grant. **\$569.50**. Role: Principal Investigator.

Internal

2019 “The Violent Nature of Carceral Contact.” Funded by Cleveland State University’s Faculty Scholarship Initiative. **\$4,969.50**. Role: Principal Investigator.

2019 “Incarceration-Specific Deprivations and General Strain Theory.” Funded by Cleveland State University’s Undergraduate Summer Research Award. **\$4,500**. Role: Principal Investigator.

2018 “The Role of Violence Exposure and Medical Neglect During Incarceration on Reentry.” Funded by Cleveland State University’s Undergraduate Summer Research Award. **\$3,780**. Role: Principal Investigator.

2017 “Examining the Impact of Unmet Health Related Needs and Exposure to Trauma during Incarceration on Ease of Reentry.” Funded by Cleveland State University’s Faculty Scholarship Initiative. **\$5,822.93**. Role: Principal Investigator.

2013 “Older Male Inmates and the Factors that Influence Preferences for Advance Care Directives.” Funded by Kent State University’s Graduate Student Senate. **\$3,300**. Role: Principal Investigator.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE¹

2016 - present Cleveland State University - Department of Criminology, Anthropology & Sociology

Criminological Theory	(4 semesters)
Introduction to Criminology & Criminal Justice	(5 semesters)
Incarceration and Health (undergraduate) ^α	(1 semester)
Incarceration and Health (graduate) ^α	(1 semester)
Prison and Society ^α	(6 semesters)
Corrections	(4 semesters)
Women and Crime	(4 semesters)
Independent Study in Criminology	(7 semesters)

2009 - 2016 Kent State University - Department of Sociology

Data Analysis Lab	(2 semesters)
Introduction to Justice Studies	(2 semesters)
Introduction to Sociology	(2 semesters)
Issues in Law and Society	(3 semesters)
Social Problems	(2 semesters)
Women and Crime	(2 semesters)

2011 - 2012 The University of Mount Union - Department of Sociology

Introduction to Criminal Justice	(2 semesters)
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2011 – 2012 Kent State University at Stark - Department of Sociology

¹ α indicates an original course I developed
Novisky (April, 2022)

Introduction to Justice Studies	(1 semester)
Issues in Law and Society	(2 semester)
Women and Crime	(2 semesters)

APPLIED EXPERIENCE

2020 - present Qualitative Methods Research Consultant
CNA, Center for Justice Research and Innovation
Arlington, VA

2009 - present Evidence Based Programming Consultant and Trainer
The University of Cincinnati Corrections Institute (UCCI)
Cincinnati, OH

Utilized Curricula:

Cognitive Behavioral Interventions & Core Correctional Practices
Cognitive Behavioral Interventions for Substance Abuse
Cognitive Behavioral Interventions for Offenders Seeking Employment
Aggression Replacement Training (ART)

2015 - 2016 Statistical and Qualitative Software Consultant
Kent State University Libraries

2005 - 2010 Crime Victim Advocate
Townhall II Rape Crisis Center of Portage County - Kent, OH

PRESENTATIONS²

Conference Presentations

Upcoming Prost, Stephanie Grace and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "Visitation among older and younger adults in jail: Contributions to life quality." The Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health (ACCJH) Annual *Academic & Health Policy Conference on Correctional Health*, Virtual, April 2022.

2021 Boppre, Breanna, and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "I Feel Hopeless; There's Literally Nothing I Can Do to Help Him': Perspectives on the COVID-19 Pandemic from Families with Incarcerated Loved Ones." *American Society of Criminology*, Chicago, IL, November 19.

2021 Pyrooz, David, Tostlebe, Jennifer, and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "Responding to COVID-19: A Survey of State Correctional Agencies." *American Society of Criminology*, Chicago, IL, November 18.

2021 Semenza, Daniel C., Grosholz, Jessica M., Isom, Deena A., and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "Who Will Watch the Watchers? Mental Health, Race, and Correctional Officer Violence in U.S. Jails." *American Society of Criminology*, Chicago, IL, November 17.

Accepted **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Narvey, Chelsey, and Stephanie Grace Prost. "Distrust and Delays: Perceptions of Prison Health Care from Older Incarcerated Men." *American Society of Criminology*, Washington, DC, November 18-21. Cancelled due to COVID-19.

² β indicates student co-presenter
Novisky (April, 2022)

- Accepted Narvey, Chelsey, **Novisky, Meghan A.**, and Alex Piquero. "The Role of Negative Staff Behavior and Fairness on Serious Adolescent Offenders' Perceptions of Post-Release Success." *American Society of Criminology*, Washington, DC, November 18-21. Cancelled due to COVID-19.
- Accepted Abderhalden, Frances P. and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "When Fear Rules: The Role of Fear on Incarcerated Persons' Obligations to Obey Institutional Rules." *American Society of Criminology*, Washington, DC, November 18-21. Cancelled due to COVID-19.
- 2020 Boppre, Breanna and **Meghan A. Novisky**. "Incarceration During the COVID-19 Pandemic: Perspectives from Families of Incarcerated Persons." *Prisoner's Family Conference*, Virtual, October 22.
- Accepted **Novisky, Meghan A.** "The Importance of Secondary Violence Experiences in Capturing Prison Based Trauma Exposure." The Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health (ACCJH) Annual *Academic & Health Policy Conference on Correctional Health*, Virtual, April 8, 2020. Cancelled due to COVID-19.
- Accepted **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Chelsey Narvey. "Examining Returning Citizens' Perceptions of the Health-Related Impacts of Incarceration." *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, San Antonio, TX, March 25-28, 2020. Cancelled due to COVID-19.
- 2019 **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Robert L. Peralta. "'Gladiator School': Prisons and Secondary Violence Exposure." *American Society of Criminology*, San Francisco, CA, November 13.
- 2019 Adams, Richard, **Novisky, Meghan A.**, and Rusty P. Schnellinger^β. "Health Information Seeking Behaviors in Prison: U.S. Results from the Programme for the International Assessment of Adult Competencies (PIAAC)." *American Society of Criminology*, San Francisco, CA, November 14.
- 2019 Peralta, Robert L., **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Carter, James R.^β, and Nickolaus Gotsiridze^β. "Substance Use and Violence among Former Prison Inmates: A Qualitative Study of Barriers to Health and Health Care." *Society for the Study of Social Problems*, New York City, NY, August 11.
- 2019 **Novisky, Meghan A.** "Strategies for Overcoming the Methodological Pitfalls of Prison Research." *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, Baltimore, MD, March 30.
- 2019 Peralta, Robert L., **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Carter, James^β, and Nickolaus Gotsiridze^β. "Disparities, Disabilities, and Perceptions: The Consequences of Being Sick or Disabled in Prison." *The North Central Sociological Association*, Cincinnati, OH, March 29.
- 2019 **Novisky, Meghan A.** "Prevalence of Violent Victimization Among Older Incarcerated Men." The Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health (ACCJH) Annual *Academic & Health Policy Conference on Correctional Health*, Las Vegas, NV, March 22.
- 2018 **Novisky, Meghan A.** "The Role of Health Information Seeking Behavior and Employment Status on Prisoner Health Ratings in the U.S." *IES-ITS (U.S. Department of Education) Commissioning PIAAC Conference*, Washington, D.C., December 5.
- 2018 **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Peralta, Robert L., and Ernest M. Oleksy^β. "The Keepers: Staff Misconduct as a Specific Responsivity Factor." *American Society of Criminology*, Atlanta, GA, November 15.
- 2017 **Novisky, Meghan A.** "Off the Books: How Disease and Age Are Driving the Underground Prison Economy." *American Society of Criminology*, Philadelphia, PA, November 15.

- 2017 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “The Role of Unemployment and Other Secondary Stressors on the Health of Older Prisoners.” *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, Kansas City, MO, March 24.
- 2016 Pesta, Racheal, Peralta, Robert, and **Meghan A. Novisky.** “Behavioral Responses to Psychological Victimization: Are Responses Gendered?” *American Society of Criminology*, New Orleans, LA, Nov 17.
- 2016 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Factors Related to Aging Prisoners’ Preferences for Medical Treatment When Contemplating End of Life.” *Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences*, Denver, CO, March 30.
- 2015 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Taking Control: How Older Inmates Navigate Chronic Disease and Demonstrate Self Efficacy.” *The American Society of Criminology*, Washington, DC, November 21.
- 2015 Stacey, Clare L., Pai, Manacy, **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Steven Radwany. “Revisiting Awareness Contexts in the 21st Century Hospital.” *American Sociological Association*, Chicago, IL, August 22.
- 2013 **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Lauren Porter. “Sex Differences in the Incarceration-Health Link: Increased or Decreased Vulnerability among Women?” *American Society of Criminology*, Atlanta, GA, November 22.
- 2012 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Dying Inside: The Current State of the Literature on End of Life Care in Prison.” *The American Society of Criminology*, Chicago, IL, November 14.
- 2012 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Researching Vulnerable Populations.” Session Organizer. *The North Central Sociological Association*, Pittsburgh, PA, April 13.
- 2011 Clare L. Stacey, J. Zach Schiller, and **Meghan A. Novisky.** “Learning from Giving: How Philanthropy Enriches Service Learning for Students.” *Society for the Study of Social Problems*, Las Vegas, NV, August 21.
- 2010 **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Robert L. Peralta. “Reconsidering Mandatory Arrest: Perceptions from Battered Women in the Midwest.” *American Society of Criminology*, San Francisco, CA, November 17.

Invited Talks

- 2021 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Mass Incarceration, Public Health, and COVID-19 in the U.S.” Bioethics and Medical Law Society Speaker Series. University College London. London, England, February 2 (virtual).
- 2020 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Correctional Health is Public Health: Health Equity, Prisons, and COVID-19.” Sociology of Health and Justice in the Era of COVID Presentation Series. The University of Akron, Department of Sociology. Akron, OH, October 29 (virtual).
- 2020 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Embracing the Strengths and Contributions of Qualitative Methods for Criminal Justice Research. University of Albany, School of Criminal Justice. Albany, NY, April 17 (virtual).
- 2020 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Using Qualitative Research to Understand Incarceration-Driven Health Disparities.” University of Texas at Dallas, School of Economic, Political and Policy Sciences. Dallas, TX, April 8 (virtual).

- 2020 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Research on Incarceration and Health.” Washington and Lee University School of Law. Lexington, VA, April 1 (virtual).
- 2019 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Conducting Health Inequalities Research in Corrections Settings.” The University of Louisville Center for Family and Community Well-Being. Louisville, KY, September 12.
- 2019 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Conditions of Confinement and the Call for Core Correctional Practices.” Cleveland Marshall College of Law: Cleveland, OH, April 4.
- 2018 Dunn, Ronnie, **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Schiavoni, Sara, and Jonathan Witmer-Rich. “Professors Take On *Serial Podcast*.” Scholars Strategy Network (SSN) of Northeast Ohio: Cleveland, OH, November 28.
- 2017 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “The Role of Unemployment and Other Secondary Stressors on the Health of Older Prisoners.” The University of Akron Sociological Research Series: Akron, OH, April 25.

PUBLIC CRIMINOLOGY

- 2021 **Novisky, Meghan A.**, Narvey, Chelsey, and Alex R. Piquero. “[Medical Neglect, Violence Lead Complaints of Misconduct by Prison Staff: Study.](#)” Viewpoint for *the Crime Report*. June 9.
- 2021 *Street Roots Newspaper* (Correspondent: Emily Green). “[The Trauma of Incarceration: It's 'Gladiator School' Inside. Experiencing, or even witnessing, violence behind bars can have long-term impacts on prisoners, researcher Meghan Novisky explains.](#)” March 3.
- 2021 Walled In Podcast. “[Episode 1: 'It Was a Nightmare': Prison Violence and Its Lasting Toll](#)” (Hosts: Joshua Wright and Emily Green). February 28.
- 2021 The Criminology Academy Podcast. “[Episode 11: Secondary Violence and COVID-19 in Prisons with Meghan Novisky](#)” (Hosts: Jose Sanchez and Jen Tostlebe). February 1.
- 2021 On the Count – The Prison and Criminal Justice Report Radio 99.5 FM NYC. “[Violence and Trauma in Prison](#)” (Hosts: Andre Ward and Harmony Hope). January 30.
- 2020 Race, Violence, and Medicine Podcast. “[COVID-19, Healthcare Equity, and Criminal Justice Reform with Dr. Meghan Novisky](#)” (Host: Dr. Brian Williams). August 24.
- 2020 Boppre, Bree and **Meghan A. Novisky.** “[Pandemic and Prison Policies Combine to Stress Families of Nevada’s Incarcerated.](#)” Op-Ed for *Nevada Current*. July 12.
- 2020 Boppre, Bree and **Meghan A. Novisky.** “[COVID-19 Doesn't Have to Turn Prison Time into a Death Sentence.](#)” Op-Ed for *the Hill*. July 9.
- 2020 *HuffPost* (Correspondent: Jessica Schulberg). In “[Inside The Prison Where 8 In 10 Of The Incarcerated Have Gotten Coronavirus.](#)” July 9.
- 2020 **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Bree Boppre. “[The Public Health Threat in Ohio's Prisons is Not Over.](#)” Op-Ed for *Cleveland Scene*. July 8.
- 2020 *Ohio Capital Journal* (Correspondent: Jake Zuckerman). In “[Ohio prisons chief walks back claim that 96% of prison COVID-19 cases were asymptomatic.](#)” June 17.

- 2020 Growing Democracy Podcast. "[Episode 3: Professor Joe Mead and Dr. Meghan Novisky, Incarceration and COVID-19](#)" (Hosts Dr. Ashley Nickels and Dr. Casey Boyd-Swan). June 15.
- 2020 ACLU opposition to application for a stay of the injunction issued by the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio and for an administrative stay (*Mark Williams, Warden of Elkton Federal Correctional Institution, and Michael Carvajal, Director of the Federal Bureau of Prisons*). [Exhibit A., pp. 1a-10a, Declaration of Dr. Meghan Novisky](#). June 3.
- 2020 ACLU opposition to application for a stay of the injunction issued by the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio and for an administrative stay (Mark Williams, Warden of Elkton Federal Correctional Institution, and Michael Carvajal, Director of the Federal Bureau of Prisons). [Exhibit A., pp. 1a-10a., Declaration of Dr. Meghan Novisky](#). May 22.
- 2020 ACLU class action emergency petition for writ of habeas corpus (*Adenis Enrique Prieto Refunjol et al. v. ICE Field Office Director Rebecca Adducci et al.*: Case no. 2:20-cv-2099). Declaration of Meghan Novisky, PhD. May 3.
- 2020 WOIO Channel 19 News (Cleveland Correspondent: Kelly Kennedy). Video coverage of "[Federal judge orders Elkton prison to transfer inmates out to stop spread of COVID-19.](#)" April 22.
- 2020 Newsday, BBC World Service Radio (Correspondent: Lawrence Pollard). Radio coverage of "[76 percent COVID-19 infection rate at Marion prison in Ohio](#)" (minute 27:25). April 21.
- 2020 WOIO Channel 19 News (Cleveland Correspondent Kelly Kennedy). Video coverage of "[Criminology professor says inmates need to be released now to prevent more COVID-19 deaths.](#)" April 21.
- 2020 *The Business Journal* (Correspondent: Jo Ann Bobby-Gilbert). In "[In class action lawsuit, Elkton inmates reveal conditions inside prison.](#)" April 14.
- 2020 ACLU class action emergency petition for writ of habeas corpus, injunctive, and declaratory relief (*Craig Wilson, Eric Bellamy, Kendal Nelson, and Maximino Nieves v. Warden of Elkton Federal Correctional Institution and Federal Bureau of Prisons Director*). [Exhibit A, pp. 1-9, Declaration of Dr. Meghan Novisky](#)). April 13.
- 2020 ACLU motion for leave to file amicus curiae brief in support of relator Derek Lichtenwalter (*State of Ohio ex rel. Derek Lichtenwalter, relator, v. Governor of Ohio, et al., respondents*). [Exhibit 1, pp. 1-7, Declaration of Professor Meghan Novisky](#)). April 3.
- 2020 *The Atlanta Journal Constitution* (AJC Opinion Contributor: Manny Arora). In "[Recognize virus' risk to GA U.S. prisoners.](#)" April 2.
- 2020 WKYC Channel 3 News (Cleveland Correspondent: Rachel Polanksy). Video coverage of "[Exclusive: 3 inmates test positive at eastern Ohio prison for COVID-19, another 80 are showing symptoms.](#)" April 1.
- 2020 *The Appeal* (Correspondent: Joshua Vaughn). In "[Pennsylvania has few options to release elderly prisoners as COVID-19 spreads.](#)" March 23.
- 2020 *The Los Angeles Times* (Correspondent: Kurtis Lee). In "[Activists implore prisons to release at-risk inmates to prevent coronavirus deaths.](#)" March 19.

- 2020 **Novisky, Meghan A.** and Chelsey Narvey. “[COVID-19, Incarceration, and Our Public Health](#)” Op-ed for *The Hill*. March 19.
- 2019 WOIO Channel 19 News (Cleveland Correspondent: Shannon Houser). Video coverage of “[Use of force protocol at Cuyahoga County Jail](#).” July 12.
- 2019 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “[Conditions in our jails and prisons too often do not promote reform.](#)” Op-ed for *The Hill*. June 20.
- 2019 Lebovits, Hannah, Nickels, Ashley E., and **Meghan A. Novisky.** “[Prison management and the efficiency and equity trade-off.](#)” Op-ed for *The PA Times*. March 27.
- 2018 ABC Channel 5 News (Cleveland Correspondent: Homa Bash). Video coverage of “[Issue 1 a complex ballot measure aiming to curb drug epidemic; opponents say it makes drug laws laxer.](#)” November 6.
- 2018 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “Approving state Issue 1 likely would lower crime rates in [Ohio](#).” Op-ed for *The Canton Repository*. November 1.
- 2018 **Novisky, Meghan A.** “[How prisons are exacerbating health inequalities – Especially for older prisoners.](#)” Policy brief for *Scholars Strategy Network*. July 25.

SERVICE

Service to the Department and University

- 2021 - present Member, Grade Dispute Committee, College of Graduate Studies
- 2021-present Member, Budget and Planning Committee, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences
- 2020 - present Co-Program Director, Division of Criminology
- 2018 - 2020 Member, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences (CLASS) Research Advisory Board
- 2017 - present Social Media and Website Development Organizer, Division of Criminology
- 2017 - 2018 Member, Committee for Student Life
- 2016 - present Co-Faculty Advisor, Sociology and Criminology Undergraduate Student Club
- 2016 - present Member, Curriculum Development Committee, Division of Criminology

Service to the Discipline

- 2021- present Associate Editor, *Health & Justice*
- 2020 - present Editorial Board Member, *Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice & Criminology*
- 2020 - present Chair, the Division of Corrections and Sentencing Awards Committee
The American Society of Criminology
- 2018 - 2020 Executive Board Member – Secretary/Treasurer⁷
The Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Section on Corrections

2018 – 2019 Committee Member, The Division of Corrections and Sentencing Awards Committee
The American Society of Criminology

Ad Hoc Reviewer:

Corrections: Policy, Practice and Research
Crime & Delinquency
Criminal Justice and Behavior
Criminology
Criminology & Public Policy
International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology
International Journal of Prisoner Health
Journal of Applied Gerontology
Journal of Correctional Health Care
Journal of Crime and Justice
Journal of Criminal Justice
Journal of Criminal Psychology
Journal of Family Violence
Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences
Journal of Health & Social Behavior
Journal of Interpersonal Violence
Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency
Justice Evaluation Journal
Justice Quarterly
Social Problems
Social Science & Medicine
Trauma, Violence, and Abuse
Violence Against Women

Service to the Community

2019 - present [Clevelawn](#) 501(c)3 Board of Directors Board Member, Cleveland, Ohio

HONORS AND AWARDS

2021 Golden Apple Award for Outstanding Faculty Contributions to Undergraduate Education
The Young Alumni Council, Cleveland State University Alumni Association

2021 Learning Experiences to Advance Practice (LEAP) Investigator Award (2021-2023)
The Justice Community Opioid Innovation Network (JCOIN)

2020 Early Career Investigator Award
The Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health (ACCJH)

2020 Faculty Merit Award (Research and Teaching): \$2,000
Cleveland State University

2019 Faculty Merit Award (Research and Teaching): \$1,000
Cleveland State University

2018 Golden Apple Award for Outstanding Faculty Contributions to Undergraduate Education
The Young Alumni Council, Cleveland State University Alumni Association

2018 Student Organization Faculty Advisor of the Year Award
Novisky (April, 2022)

The Office of Student Life, Division of Student Affairs, Cleveland State University

- 2016 Ph.D. Student Scholarship Award: \$600
The Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (ACJS)
- 2016 Outstanding Ph.D. Student in Sociology Award (\$100)
Department of Sociology, Kent State University
- 2015 30th Annual Graduate Student Senate Research Symposium Award for Outstanding
Presentation, Kent State University (\$100)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Criminology (Division Membership: Corrections & Sentencing; Convict Criminology)
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (Division Membership: Corrections)
Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health
Aging Research in Criminal Justice & Health Network (Division Membership: Compassionate Release)
Justice Community Opioid Innovation Network
Scholars Strategy Network (Division Membership: Northeast Ohio)