



Call for Handbook Series Editor(s)

Division on Corrections and Sentencing Handbook (Published by Routledge)

The American Society of Criminology's Division on Corrections and Sentencing (DCS) sponsors a series of volumes published by Routledge on seminal and topical issues that span the fields of sentencing and corrections. The critical essays, reviews, and original research in each volume provide a comprehensive assessment of the current state of knowledge, contribute to public policy discussions, and identify future research directions. Each thematic volume focuses on a single topical issue that intersects with corrections and sentencing research. The contents are eclectic in regard to disciplinary foci, theoretical frameworks and perspectives, and research methodologies.

The DCS Handbook Series has benefited from the editorial guidance of Series Editors Pamela Lattimore & John Hepburn and Beth Huebner & Jodi Lane and DCS is currently seeking the next Editor or Editors. The Editor(s) plays a crucial role in ensuring that the annual Handbook addresses important issues in corrections and sentencing space to address current and important issues in our discipline broadly and subfield specifically.

Key Responsibilities:

- Oversight for the annual series
- Work with Routledge and the Chair of the Division to negotiate contract, as needed
- Manage the editorial process with Routledge
- Manage Editorial Board activities and meetings
- Recruit and appoint new Editorial Board members
- Solicit annual handbook editors and vet ideas for the handbook
- Work with handbook editors to curate material and produce a final product
- Attend the annual DCS breakfast meeting and any additional required meetings, as requested by the Chair of the DCS.
- Assist the Division and Routledge in promoting the Handbook

Requirements:

- Earned Ph.D. or terminal degree in area of specialization.
- Established reputation for scholarly and/or applied excellence in the field of criminal justice and criminology as measured by such indicators as publications in referred journals, book publications, and/or funded research and senior rank at host institution (e.g., senior researcher, associate professor or above).
- Prior editorial experience as measured by such indicators as editorial responsibility for other scholarly publications and past experiences as a referee or associate/deputy editor of an academic journal, or other editorial experience demonstrating applicant's ability to improve or maintain the quality of the publication.
- Must maintain active membership in the Division on Corrections and Sentencing for the duration of the editorial term (5 years).

How to Apply:

Please submit a letter of interest, not to exceed 3 single spaced pages, statement of applicant's qualifications (no more than one single spaced page, and CVs to the DCS Chair Eileen Ahlin (ema105@psu.edu) for consideration by current editors. No compensation is provided by the Division for this task. This letter of interest should include the following information:

- Statement of editorial philosophy for the Handbook. Proposals should include information on how the editor (s) plan to maintain or expand the readership of the volumes. Proposals that include specific strategies for ensuring inclusivity and amplifying perspectives from traditionally underrepresented communities in the field will be prioritized.
- Statement of applicant's qualifications, including CVs.
- Application deadline is January 31, 2025.

Questions should be addressed to Jodi Lane (jlane@ufl.edu) or Beth Huebner (Beth.Huebner@asu.edu) (Beth.Huebner@asu.edu).