

Juvenile Justice Studies Resources in CCOL and Web

This handout identifies helpful resources for the Juvenile Justice degree program in the School of Undergraduate Studies.

For “Resources in CCOL and Web for General Requirements for All Undergraduate Studies Degree Programs,” see the School of Undergraduate Studies section of http://www.cambridgecollege.edu/library/ccol_research.cfm

Also see “Legal Studies Resources in CCOL and Web” on http://www.cambridgecollege.edu/library/ccol_research.cfm

Journal, document, book, and periodicals in CCOL

The *Search for ALL Subjects* search box includes *National Criminal Justice Reference Service Abstracts* which provides users with information thoroughly covering the fields of law enforcement and criminal justice. The database contains summaries of more than 200,000 publications including books, government reports, research reports, and unpublished research. It also includes content from 189 journals, including 12 with core coverage. Content dates range from 1970 to the present. Topics covered within the database include corrections, courts, crime statistics, domestic preparedness, drugs, juvenile justice, law enforcement, and victims. All documents covered are either written in English or have an English-language summary. To facilitate users' research, the database also includes a subject-specific thesaurus.

Some relevant journals in full-text in CCOL are:

- *Journal for Juvenile Justice & Detention Services*
- *Journal for Juvenile Justice Services*
- *Journal of Juvenile Law*
- *Journal of Research on Adolescence (Lawrence Erlbaum)*
- *Adolescence*
- *Journal of Youth Studies*

Ebrary Electronic Books in CCOL

To search for books in the Ebrary Electronic Books collection:

- From the CCOL HOME page, click Direct to Databases
- Click Ebrary Electronic Books
- Click Advanced (to the right of the “Search Ebrary” box)
- Use the drop-down menu of the “Search in” box to search by subject (or title, author, etc.)
- For example, there are
 - 26 books for the SUBJECT “Juvenile Justice”

- 10 books with “Juvenile Justice” in the TITLE
- 25 books with “Juvenile” in the TITLE
- 18 books with “Bullying” as the SUBJECT
- 69 books with “Child abuse” as the SUBJECT
- 27 books with “adolescence” in the TITLE
- 1 book on “Family Mediation” as SUBJECT

Tutorials on Juvenile Justice

Juvenile justice program evaluation tutorial

<http://www.jrsa.org/pubs/juvjustice/tutorial/tutorial.html>

This is Ohio, but hopefully generalizes to other states: “Welcome to "Special Education and the Juvenile Justice System," a tutorial developed by the Ohio Legal Rights Service (LRS). This tutorial teaches you about special education and the juvenile justice system in Ohio and how using the law can help children stay in school and out of prison.”

<http://www.olrs.ohio.gov/tutorials/specialed>

Introduction to Juvenile Justice online course (possibly first two chapters only).

http://onlinelearning.mhhe.com/demos/Introduction_to_Criminal_Justice_V5_a.11/

Websites on Juvenile Justice

Although not from scholarly journals, useful information can be found on the web. Please be careful to check the credibility of all sites.

Note: websites can change and disappear at any time! If the URL doesn't work, try putting the name of the site into Google.

National Criminal Justice Reference Service

<https://www.ncjrs.gov/app/topics/topic.aspx?topicid=122>

National Center for Juvenile Justice <http://www.ncjj.org/>

Juvenile Justice laws and resources http://www.law.cornell.edu/wex/Juvenile_justice

US Dept of Justice Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention <http://www.ojjdp.gov/>

National Gang Center <http://www.nationalgangcenter.gov/>

List of gang-related and other juvenile justice web sites

<http://www.nationalgangcenter.gov/About/Related-Web-Sites>

FindYouthInfo is a collaborative Web-based resource supported by various federal agencies focused on general youth-related issues. FindYouthInfo.gov is the U.S. government Web site that helps users create, maintain, and strengthen effective youth programs. Included are youth

facts, funding information, and tools to help users assess community assets, generate maps of local and federal resources, search for evidence-based youth programs, and keep up to date on the latest youth-related news. <http://www.findyouthinfo.gov/>

National links of foundations, associations, research groups <http://www.cfjj.org/links-national.php>

Annie E. Casey Foundation <http://www.aecf.org/OurWork/JuvenileJustice.aspx>

Macarthur Foundation grantmaking
http://www.macfound.org/site/c.1kLXJ8MQKrH/b.943477/k.9538/Domestic_Grantmaking_Juvenile_Justice.htm

Free Child Project http://www.freechild.org/juvenile_injustice.htm

National Center for Mental Health and Juvenile Justice <http://www.ncmhjj.com/>

Various learning materials
<http://www.merlot.org/merlot/materials.htm?nosearchlanguage=&pageSize=&page=1&nosearchlanguage=&sort.property=relevance&materialType=&keywords=juvenile+justice&category=&newsearchbutton0.x=0&newsearchbutton0.y=0&newsearchbutton0=Search>

History of the Juvenile Justice system <http://www.lawyershop.com/practice-areas/criminal-law/juvenile-law/history>

Massachusetts laws <http://www.lawlib.state.ma.us/subject/about/juvenile.html>

Organizational Change in Juvenile Justice <http://www.juvenilejusticechange.com/>

StopBullying.gov <http://www.stopbullying.gov/>

Glossaries

Juvenile Justice glossary <http://www.lawyershop.com/practice-areas/criminal-law/juvenile-law/glossary>

US Dept of Justice glossary <http://www.ojjdp.gov/ojstatbb/glossary.html>

Statistics and Demographics

US Department of Justice statistics <http://www.ojjdp.gov/ojstatbb/default.asp>

National Youth Gang Survey Analysis <http://www.nationalgangcenter.gov/About/Surveys-and-Analyses>

NOLO articles explaining the legal system for juvenile justice <http://www.nolo.com/legal-encyclopedia/juvenile-justice>

Teen suicide stats <http://www.teensuicide.us/>

Associations

Massachusetts advocacy organization <http://www.cfjj.org>

Try googling ["Juvenile Justice" association "your state"]

Video and Audio Podcasts

PBS Frontline on Juvenile Justice <http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/pages/frontline/shows/juvenile/>

Juvenile Justice reform videos and slide shows
http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/ofpa/jj/jjreform_forum.htm

24 videos from MacArthur Foundation
http://www.macfound.org/site/c.lkLXJ8MQKrH/b.4284677/k.7175/Multimedia_Library_Search/apps/s/search.asp

Google video search
https://www.google.com/search?tbm=vid&hl=en&source=hp&biw=1366&bih=587&q=juvenile+justice&gbv=2&og=juvenile+justice&aq=f&aqi=g10&aql=&gs_sm=e&gs_upl=25341742710175291301251411014112131176512.5.41110

TED Talks: brief entertaining videos by fascinating people on many topics:

http://www.ted.com/speakers/steven_levitt.html on the freakonomics of gangs

http://www.ted.com/talks/lang/en/joel_burns_tells_gay_teens_it_gets_better.html on bullying

Do You Need Books to Expand Your Research?

Google Books at <http://books.google.com> is amazing!

- Be sure to search it for your subject area!
- Click "Advanced Book Search" and check "Full View Only" to limit the search to full-text results
- "PartialView" can also provide plenty of full-text

<http://www.amazon.com> or <http://www.bn.com> Use these easy search engine to get lists of books on your topic and to read excerpts, but try to get the books from your local library or buy from your local independent bookstore. Or, buy a less expensive used copy from an online independent bookstore at <http://www.bookfinder.com>

If you can't find what you need or you need more, ask yourself:

Who would care about this topic?

Where would they publish what they know?

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