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Biography

Dr. Kevin W. Jennings joined LMU in 2020, and is currently the director of the undergraduate program in criminal justice. He has a BA in Anthropology, and a BS, MS, and PhD in Criminal Justice from Texas State University. His primary research areas are cybercrime, digital forensics, and police use of technology. He is a Certified Digital Forensics Examiner, Certified Network Forensics Examiner, and an Accessdata Certified Examiner. He has testified as an expert witness in the field of digital forensics, and has worked with the United States Department of Justice to help the academic community of the Philippines to create a course on cybercrime and digital forensics that is now required for all criminal justice majors in that country.

Teaching and Research Interests

Cybercrime, Digital Forensics, and Police Technology

Publications and Presentations (last five years)

Publications

> Jennings, K., & Balas, M. (2021). Twenty First Century Digital Forensics: New Patterns in Evidence Analysis. *Philippine Criminology Journal,* 1(2), 1-10.

> Jennings, K. (2020). Chapter 6: Equipment. In *The Management of Police Specialized Tactical Units* by Tomas Mijares and Ronald McCarthy. Charles C Thomas Publisher, ltd.

> Jennings, K. and Bossler, A. (2019). Digital Piracy. In *The Palgrave Handbook of International Cybercrime and Cyberdeviance* by Thomas Holt and Adam Bossler (Eds.).

> Jennings, K. (2018). Chapter 7: Stereotypes and Misperceptions in Criminal Justice Employment. In *Careers for the Criminal Justice Major* by Tomas Mijares. Charles C Thomas Publisher, ltd.

> Jennings, K. (2018). Chapter 4: Electives that will Help. In *Careers for the Criminal Justice Major* by Tomas Mijares. Charles C Thomas Publisher, ltd.

Presentations

> Jennings, K. (2022, September). Cybercrime in a Healthcare Context. Presented at The International Conference of Law, Economy, and Health, Jakarta, Indonesia (Online).

Jennings, K. (2022, August). Cybercrime and Tourism. Presented at The Conference on Law and Digital Tourism, Jakarta, Indonesia (Online).

Jennings, K. (2020, October). Open Source Digital Forensics Tools. Presented at the International Integrated Research Conference, Manilla, The Philippines (Online).

Jennings, K. (2019, November). Tips for Using Hands On Assignments When Teaching Cybercrime. Presented at the American Society of Criminology meeting, San Francisco, Ca.

Jennings, K. & Bossler, A. (2018, November). The Challenges of Teaching about Cybercrime and Technology to Social Science Students. Presented at the American Society of Criminology meeting, Atlanta, Ga.

Jennings, K. & Ericksen, S. (2018, April). How Race and Gender Affect Cyber Criminality. Presented at the Southern Sociological Society meeting, New Orleans, LA.