

Fundamentals of Research in Criminology and Criminal Justice Ronet Bachman, Russell K. Schutt 9781483333458 SAGE Publications, 2014 2014 306 pages

This book uniquely helps to teach research design and techniques within the context of substantive criminology and criminal justice issues of interest to students and the field. This is a briefer version of Ronet and Russ's successful *The Practice of Research in Criminology and Criminal Justice*, written in a less formal style, with more concise examples drawn from everyday experience, and less coverage of complex or more rigorous methods. This is an excellent introductory methods text for undergraduate research courses in the fields of Criminal Justice and Criminology. It is ideal for students Cambridge Core - Research Methods in Sociology and Criminology - Fundamentals of Criminological and Criminal Justice Inquiry. How to think about, conduct, and evaluate research is fundamental to the study and understanding of criminology and criminal justice. Students take methods, statistics, theory, and topic-specific classes, but they struggle to integrate what they learn and to see how it fits within the broader field of criminology and criminal justice research. This book directly tackles this problem by helping students to develop a 'researcher sensibility', and demonstrates how the 'nuts and bolts' of criminal justice research - including research design, theory, data, and analysis - are an research in which information is obtained through the responses that all available members of an entire population give to questions. Cluster. a naturally occurring, mixed aggregate of elements of the population. a set of elements larger than or different from the population sampled and to which the researcher would like to generalize study findings. Units of Analysis. the level of social life on which a research question is focused, such as individuals. The criminal justice system is a key social institution pertinent to the lives of citizens everywhere. *Fundamentals of Criminal Justice: A Sociological View, Second Edition* provides a unique social context to explore and explain the nature, impact, and significance of the criminal justice system in everyday life. This introductory text examines important sociological issues including class, race, and gender inequality, social control, and organizational structure and function. Discover the world's research. 19+ million members. a book I have seen that systematically includes issues pertinent to women and minorities, such as racial profiling in policing, stalking, jury nullification, hate crimes, female gang. participation, habitual offender statutes, the family structure debate, and elaborate. Real-world criminal justice cases illustrate the methods described and help students better understand contemporary research and its application in the field. Exercises sets include SPSS exercises, Developing a Research Report activities, and Web Research activities. Extensive use of graphics throughout adds simplicity and increases understandability of complex concepts. Includes more coverage of qualitative research and mixed methods than other comparable introductory texts. Preview this book. Shipped Options: BUNDLE: Bachman, *Fundamentals of Research in Criminology and Criminal Justice 5e* (Paperback) + Allen, *The SAGE Guide to Writing in Criminal Justice Research Methods* (Paperback). ISBN: 9781071818268. \$105.00. Shipped Options