Criminology and Criminal Law

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This highly acclaimed criminology text presents an up-to-date review and analysis of criminological theories. It incorporates current examples of deterrence research regarding crimes such as domestic violence, the court system has to regulate citizens' lives, to shape what is acceptable and what is forbidden, and to ensure that criminal justice policy balances both rights and liberties. This respected author team delivers the most recent trends and controversial issues facing courts today. This student-friendly text does not presuppose any knowledge about the courts or how they operate. Highlighted, controversial cases illustrate the tremendous power that collaboration of the most popular criminal justice authors of the century. Featuring a balanced and modern presentation, this book not only looks at the basic structure of the court system and court process, but also covers the following: the court system and its structure, the role of judges and prosecutors, court procedure, civil and criminal procedure, and the court's role in society and the law. This new edition not only offers research based insights to help students apply what is on the page to the world beyond. 'Spotlight on Community Policing Practice' sections feature real-life community policing programs in various cities, and problem-solving case studies cover special topics. The text has been revised throughout to include the most current developments in the field such as how the current climate of suspicion associated with terrorism threats affects the trust necessary for community policing, and how the newest technology can be harnessed to facilitate police interactions with citizens. Additionally, the book now explores the fragmentation of authority and emphasizes the importance of partnerships among the numerous law enforcement agencies, government agencies, and private social service agencies. "Each chapter contains learning objectives, key terms, and discussion questions that encourage comprehension". "Video and Internet links add visual and auditory elements to the learning experience". "Includes an enhanced eText and an accompanying student study guide."...and much more.

The Seventh Edition of THE TRADITIONAL TEXTBOOK ON CRIMINOLOGY is a comprehensive overview of criminology that is ideal for both new and experienced instructors. This edition incorporates new approaches to intelligence testing, social network analysis (SNA), the evolution of cybercrime, and more. Students engage with the vast array of research methods available to them, delve deeper into topics such as the future of policing, and benefit from the book's long-standing commitment to help them practice as they learn. Give your students the SAGE EDGE SAGE edge offers a robust online environment featuring an impressive array of free tools and resources for review, study, and further exploration. Includes all instructors and students the cutting edge of teaching and learning. Learn more.

The Ninth Edition of CRIMINOLOGY provides an accessible introduction to the field of criminology, carefully explaining the foundational theories and research that underpin our understanding of crime, crime causation, and the criminal justice system. It emphasizes the importance of critical thinking and encourages students to develop their own perspectives on the causes of crime, the function of the criminal justice system, and the appropriate responses to crime. The authors use a variety of examples to illustrate their points, making the material relevant and engaging for students.

Critical Criminological Theory

Critical Criminological Theory provides readers with an introduction to the key concepts, theories, and debates in the field of criminology. The book explores the relationship between crime and power, focusing on the ways in which unequal social conditions produce crime and the ways in which the criminal justice system perpetuates and exacerbates these inequalities. With clear and engaging writing, the authors provide a comprehensive overview of the field, highlighting key debates and theories while also offering a critical perspective on the role of criminology in society.

Research Methods in Criminal Justice and Criminology

This book provides a comprehensive overview of research methods in criminal justice and criminology. It covers a wide range of topics, from qualitative and quantitative research methods to the ethical considerations that must be taken into account when conducting research. The book also explores the role of research in shaping policy and practice in the criminal justice system. This makes it a valuable resource for students and professionals in the field.

Jails, Incarceration, and Community Policing

This book is an introduction to the field of criminal justice, focusing on the role of the jail and the community policing approach. The authors provide a comprehensive overview of the history and development of jails, as well as the various roles and functions of jail staff. They also explore the community policing approach, which emphasizes the importance of partnerships between the police and the community in promoting public safety.

Criminal Evidence: Principles and Cases

This book provides a comprehensive overview of criminal evidence, covering a wide range of topics from evidence collection and preservation to the rules of evidence in court. It discusses the role of evidence in criminal cases and the methods used to evaluate its admissibility. The book also covers the admissibility of various types of evidence, including digital evidence, and provides a comprehensive guide to the rules of evidence applicable to criminal cases.
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Crime and Criminal Justice CRIMINAL EVIDENCE: PRINCIPLES AND CASES, 8th Edition, delivers the key rules of evidence in criminal matters as well as their interpretations and applications, and is especially useful for students learning the law of evidence in postgraduate criminal justice or law courses. Comprehensive yet accessible and written in a student-friendly way, the text gives students the rationale behind the rules and demonstrates how law enforcement officers apply them on the job. This text includes many of the features that popularized Gardner and Anderson's best-selling CRIMINAL LAW, such as high-relevance examples, key concepts boxes, and case examples that engage students and make the topics more relevant. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

Criminology in Theoretical Criminology: Introduction, Evaluation, and Application, Eighth Edition, Ronald L. Akers, Christine S. Sellers, and Wasley G. Jenkins provide a concise but thorough review and appraisal of the leading theoretical components of the discipline in recent years. It begins with chapters on the seven essentials of criminology, integration, and criminological theory. Each chapter has been updated and substantially revised in light of recent research and important changes in the theories. More extensive revision and updating have been done on biological and biological, psychological, social, and conflict theories.

Introduction to Criminal Justice This text offers an engaging and wide-ranging account of crime and criminal justice. It provides a clear and comprehensive consideration of the theoretical, practical, and political aspects of the subject, including the influence of physical, biological, psychological, and social factors on criminality.

Criminal Investigation This text presents the fundamentals of criminal investigation and provides a sound method for reconstructing a past event (a "case"), based on three major sources of information — people, records, and physical evidence. The system for conducting an investigation is updated with the latest techniques available, teaching the reader new ways of obtaining information from people, including the use of social media tools.

Textbook on Crime for its unique blend of scientific and legal research. Crime and Criminal Justice, Fifteenth Edition uses an interdisciplinary approach to bring a sprawling subject into sharp relief. From the history and theory of criminal law to today's hot-button topics, leading scholar Reid clearly explains to students how crime originates and affects our justice system, Policing: A Feature of this edition, Reid provides an effective and unique balance of social science and legal research. Media Focus and Global Focus boxes that give context to theories with discussions of current, real-life events. Student-friendly chapter outlines, chapter summaries, key terms, exhibits, study questions, and end-of-chapter exercises.

Criminology: Theories This First Canadian Edition of Criminal Justice: A Critical Introduction combines empirical research, policy, and legal issues to create a thoroughly Canadian text. Ideal for university and college students enrolled in introductory criminological theory courses, the book offers a solid foundation to criminology which unites traditional theories of crime with contemporary approaches and perspectives. By relating theory to everyday life, students gain a greater understanding of the major theoretical considerations of the nature and causes of criminal behaviour. New emphasis on social and environmental theories are unique to this edition. Updated references reflect recent research in emerging fields of criminology.

The Practice of Research in Criminal Justice

Basic of Research Methods for Criminal Justice and Criminology Based on Earl Babka's best-selling text, THE PRACTICE OF SOCIAL RESEARCH, this text combines the key strengths of Babka's text (accessibility, a conversational, "friendlier" writing style, and a great example) with Michael G. Maxfield's expertise in criminology and criminal justice for a text that addresses the specific methods used in criminal justice research. The new edition of this market-leader includes changes in its coverage of ethics, causation, validity, and research design, as well as updated coverage of its expanded examples, especially in the discussion of field research. A running case study on the chopping crime rate in New York City's study on which co-author Maxfield has close link further demonstrates the important role of methodological research in our evolving understanding of crime and society.

Criminology This book provides a comprehensive and up-to-date introduction to criminological theory for students taking courses in criminology at both undergraduate and postgraduate level. Building on previous editions, this book presents cutting-edge criminology research. The book also features a wide range of current topics in criminological development, the latest additions to the literature, and updated perspectives on key issues that criminologists have been grappling with in recent years. Within these, the various criminological theories are located chronologically in the context of one of these different traditions, and the strengths and weaknesses of each theory and model are clearly identified. The fourth part of the book looks closely at more recent attempts to integrate theoretical elements from both within and across models of criminal behavior, while the fifth part addresses a number of key recent concerns of criminology, postmodernism, cultural criminology, globalization and community. The book concludes with a chapter on assessing theories and their policy implications. This book is an essential guide for students of criminology and for those involved in criminology research.

Crime & Criminology The Criminology of Criminal Law considers the relation between criminal law and theories of crime, criminality and justice. This book discusses a wide range of topics, including: the way in which white-collar crime is punished; the historical development of our legal system; the footloose threes of which address ideal types of criminal behavior; the rational actor model; and the law as an instrument of social control. Within these, the various criminological theories are located chronologically in the context of one of these different traditions, and the strengths and weaknesses of each theory and model are clearly identified. The fourth part of the book looks closely at more recent attempts to integrate theoretical elements from both within and across models of criminal behavior, while the fifth part addresses a number of key recent concerns of criminology, postmodernism, cultural criminology, globalization and community. The book concludes with a chapter on assessing theories and their policy implications. This book is an essential guide for students of criminology and for those involved in criminology research.

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Victimization This broad introduction to research methods combines accessibility and a conversational writing style with Michael G. Maxfield's expertise in criminology and criminal justice. In fewer than 400 pages, the text introduces victims' rights, the legal system and crime prevention, research methods, and further exploration, keeping both instructors and students on the cutting edge of teaching and learning. Learn more at edge.sagepub.com/rennisonrm. Available with Perusall—an eBook that makes it easier to prepare for class! Perusall is an award-winning eBook platform featuring social annotation tools that allow students and instructors to collaboratively mark up and share eBooks, and further explore and further explore and explore and explore...

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