

Crimmigration and Border Control

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Description:

The proposed thematic group is based around the emerging sub-discipline variously described as 'border criminology' or the 'criminology of mobility'. It will bring together members who undertake research on the confluence of criminal and immigration law, a development characterised by US legal scholar Juliet Stumpf as 'crimmigration'. Members of this thematic group are at the forefront of interdisciplinary efforts to understand the context for the expansion and effectiveness of crimmigration and other forms of border control, and their impact on sovereignty, mobility, lived experience, and on long-standing criminal justice and immigration procedures and processes.

Aims and Objectives:

The Crimmigration and Border Control Thematic Group aims to:

- Foster the exchange and deepening of ideas between scholars operating in Australia/New Zealand-Aotearoa and globally
- Form a cross-institutional research network that promotes communication, research collaboration, dissemination, mentoring and support
- Enhance the relevance and impact of existing and emerging research areas
- Ensure a rural, regional and remote focus is visible within research collaborations, networks and events
- Build and forge links between researchers and industry partners in the criminal justice and immigration system
- Provide a 'crimmigration and border control' stream within the ANZSOC conference program
- Maintain a presence on the ANZSOC website and act as a point of first contact for information about this research area

Members:

The following 20 researchers (in no particular order) have so far expressed an interest in joining this thematic group.

Leanne Weber	Monash University
Alison Gerard	Charles Sturt University
Marinella Marmo	Flinders University
Erin O'Brien	Queensland University of Technology
Mike Grewcock	University of New South Wales
Louise Boon-Kuo	University of Sydney
Sanja Milivojevic	La Trobe
Marie Segrave	Monash University
Sharon Pickering	Monash University
Maria Giannacopolous	Flinders University
Rebecca Powell	Monash University
Meg Randolph	Monash University

Mary Bosworth	Oxford/Monash University
Claire Loughnan	University of Melbourne
Willem de Lint	Flinders University
Nerida Chazal	University of South Australia
Elizabeth Stanley	Victoria University
Anthea Vogl	University of Technology Sydney
Andy Kaladelfos	University of New South Wales
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