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### I. GENERAL BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

#### A. Personal Data

Birthplace: Cagayan de Oro City, Philippines  
Marital Status: Married

#### B. Academic Training

- 1994 Ph.D., School of Criminal Justice, Rutgers University  
Dissertation: *Formal and Informal Social Controls on Drug Treatment Retention of Offenders*  
Advisor: Jeffrey Fagan, Ph.D.
- 1987 Master of Science in Sociology. Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University  
Master's Thesis: *Sponsorship and Migration in Northeast Thailand*  
Advisor: Theodore Fuller, Ph.D.
- 1985 Bachelor of Science in Sociology and Bachelor of Science in Economics  
Xavier University, Philippines, *Magna Cum Laude*

#### C. Academic/Professional Appointments

- June 01- Present Associate Professor  
School of Criminal Justice, Michigan State University
- Aug 94 - June 2001 Assistant Professor  
School of Criminal Justice, Michigan State University
- Mar 93 - Aug 94 Research Fellow  
National Institute on Drug Abuse and the National Development and  
Research Institute of New York City, Inc.
- Aug 93 - May 94 Adjunct Professor  
Rutgers University, Department of Sociology

Aug 93 - Dec 93     Adjunct Professor  
St. Johns University, Department of Sociology

Sep 91 - Jul 93     Research Associate  
Brooklyn District Attorney, New York City, NY

Sep 90 - Dec 92     Instructor and Graduate Research Assistant  
Rutgers University, School of Criminal Justice

Jan 88 - Jun 90     Senior Research Assistant  
Criminal Justice Agency, New York City, NY

Sep 85 - Apr 87     Graduate Research Assistant  
Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University,

Jan 85 - Sep 85     Researcher  
Research Institute for Mindanao Culture, Philippines

***D. Courses Taught***

Ph.D. Level Courses:

Research Utilization in Criminal Justice  
Seminar on Criminal Justice Systems

Masters Level Courses:

Quantitative Methods in Criminal Justice Research  
International Perspectives on Violence Against Women  
Research Methods in Criminal Justice  
Delinquency Prevention and Control

Undergraduate:

Women in Criminal Justice  
Violence and Victims  
Research Methods in Criminal Justice  
Corrections Programming and Analysis  
Correctional Organizations and Systems  
Sociology of Prisons  
Introduction to Criminal Justice  
Introduction to Sociology

## II. SCHOLARSHIP

### A. Publications

\*\*peer-reviewed

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Christopher Maxwell. (2009). “*Youth Aggression and At-Risk Behavior Interventions*” In Bhawe, Swati and Sunil Saini, Eds. The AHA Syndrome and Cardiovascular Diseases; Anamaya Publishers, India.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Omara Rivera-Vasquez.. Under Review. “*Do Quantities of Punitive vs. Rehabilitation Probation Conditions Matter? Assessing Competing, Race-Related Effects*” Journal of Criminal Justice .

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Christopher Maxwell. (2005) “*Examining the Prostitution “Career” Within the Nexus of Drug Use, Drug Selling, and other Illicit Activities*” Criminology 38 (3) 401-423. Reprinted in Readings on Drugs and Society. Pearson Publishers, Boston, MA. pp.133-143.

\*\*Maxwell,Sheila Royo (2005). *Rethinking the Broad Sweep of Recidivism: A Task for Evaluators*. Criminology and Public Policy 4(3) 512-520.

\*\*Moon, Byong-Ok and Sheila Royo Maxwell. (2004). *Assessing the Correctional Orientation of Corrections Officers in South Korea*. International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology 48(6) 729-743.

\*\*Mayzer, Roni; Kevin Gray and Sheila Royo Maxwell. (2004). *Probation Absconders: A Unique Risk Group?* Journal of Criminal Justice, 32(2). 137-150

\*\*Moon, Byong-Ok and Sheila Royo Maxwell. (2004). *The Sources and Consequences of Corrections Officers’ Stress: A South Korean Example*. Journal of Criminal Justice 32(4), 359-370.

\*\*Maxwell, Christopher D. and Sheila Royo Maxwell (2003) . “*Experiencing and Witnessing Familial Aggression and their Relationship to Physically Aggressive Behaviors of Filipino Adolescents.*” Journal of Interpersonal Violence 18(2).

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo, David Martin and Christopher Maxwell (2003) . “*Issues in Crime and Justice*” in Ballard, Charles, et al., Michigan at the Millennium. East Lansing, MI: MSU Press, pp. 495-513.

\*\*Maxwell, Christopher and Sheila Royo Maxwell. (2001) "*The Legal Responses to Hate Motivated Crimes: Their Potential Impact on Minority Communities.*" Journal of Social and Behavioral Sciences. 38(2) pp. 115-127

\*\*Gray, Kevin; Monique Fields; Sheila Royo Maxwell and Timothy Bynum. (2001) "*Probation Violations: Who, What and When.*" Crime and Delinquency, 47 (4) 537-557.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo (2001) "*A Focus on Familial Strain: Antisocial Behaviors and Delinquency in Filipino Society.*" Sociological Inquiry, 71(3) 265-292.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Timothy Bynum with Thomas Combs (2000) "*Examining Probationer Recidivism in Michigan.*" Corrections Compendium, December 2000.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo (2000). "Drugs: Legal and Illegal Dimensions in Western Civilization" in Byrant, Clifton (Ed). Criminology and Deviant Behavior: An Encyclopedia. New York: Francis and Bacon, Vol. 1.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Jessica Davis. (2000) "*The Saliency of Race and Gender in Pretrial Release Decisions*" Criminal Justice Policy Review 10 (4).

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo. ( 2000) "*Sanction Threats in Court-Ordered Programs: Examining Their Effects on Offenders Mandated Into Drug Treatment.*" Crime and Delinquency 46 (4) 542-564.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Christopher Maxwell. (2000) "*Examining the Prostitution "Career" Within the Nexus of Drug Use, Drug Selling, and other Illicit Activities*" Criminology 38 (3) 401-423.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo and M. Kevin Gray. (2000) "*Deterrence: Testing the Effects of Perceived Sanction Certainty on Probation Violations.*" Sociological Inquiry Vol. 70 (2) pp.117-138.

\*\*Lin, Min-Chieh, Sheila Royo Maxwell and Andrew Barclay. (2000) "*The Types of Sex Offenders and the Degree of Difficulty in Treating Them: A Comparison of Perceptions by Clinicians in Taiwan and in Michigan*" International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology Vol. 44 (2): 222-231.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo. (1999) "*Conservative Sanctioning and Correctional Innovations in the United States: An Examination of Recent Trends.*" International Journal of the Sociology of Law, Vol. 27 (4): 401-412.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo (1999) "*Towards Understanding Antisocial Behaviors and Delinquency Among Filipino Youth*" International Journal of Comparative and Applied Criminal Justice Vol 23 (2). pp. 257-266.

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo. (1999) “*Examining the Congruence Between Predictors of ROR and Failures-to-Appear.*” Journal of Criminal Justice Vol. 27 (2). pp. 127-142

\*\*Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Omara Rivera Vazquez. (1998). “*Assessing the Instrumental and Symbolic Elements in Attitudes towards the Death Penalty Using a Sample of Puerto Rican Students.*” International Journal of Comparative and Applied Criminal Justice Vol. 22 (2) pp. 329-340.

Maxwell, Sheila. (1997). “Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Among Women” in McFadden, M. (Ed.) *Ready Reference: Women’s Issues*, Vol 1. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Salem Press, Inc.

\*\*Maxwell, Christopher and Maxwell, Sheila Royo. (1995). "*Youth Participation in Hate Motivated Crimes: Research and Policy Implications*". University of Colorado: Center for the Study and Prevention of Violence.

### ***B. Research Reports***

Maxwell, Sheila. *Assessing validity of self-reported antisocial behaviors and delinquency among a sample of Filipino youth* (December 2003). Submitted to the National Science Foundation

Maxwell, Sheila Royo, Kevin Gray and Timothy Bynum (August, 1999). *Probationer Recidivism in Michigan: A Collaborative Study Between the School of Criminal Justice and the Michigan Department of Corrections.* Submitted to Michigan State University’s Vice President of University Projects: The Michigan Applied Public Policy Research Grants.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo (November, 1998). *Extending Delinquency Theories in Southeast Asia.* Submitted to Michigan State University’s Office of the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies for the All University Research Initiation Grant.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Christopher Maxwell (February, 1997). *An Intervention Program for At-Risk Youth: A Preliminary Examination of Project SEEK (Services to Enable and Empower Kids).* Submitted to the Mott Children’s Health Center.

### ***C. Grants, Contracts and Consultancies***

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila. *Assessing the Spatial Effects of Madrasahs on AntiWestern Sentiments and Terrorism Support.* Submitted to the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, September 2008. \$199,993. Pending.

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila; Co-PI: Edmund McGarrell. *Strengthening Leadership through Innovative Jurisprudence and Responsive Citizenship: a U.S.-Philippines*

*Exchange Program*. Funded by the U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, September 2008- August 2009. \$325,000

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila. *A Project to Reproduce Analysis and Demonstrate the Use of the CJRP (Census of Juveniles in Residential Placement) and JRFC (Juvenile Residential Facility Census) Data*. Funded by the Office of Justice Programs: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. Oct 2008 - June 2009. \$65,700.00

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila. *Towards Understanding the Context of Discontent, Anti-Western Sentiments and Terrorism Support: A Pilot Study in Mindanao, the Philippines*. Travel Award from the Center for Advanced Study on International Development (CASID). \$2,000. June 2008.

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila. *Examining the Needs and Treatments of Troubled Youth: A Qualitative Study of Juvenile Justice in the Philippines*. Fulbright Research Fellowship: June - August, 2004. Council for International Exchange of Scholars, U.S. Department of State. \$10,400

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila. *Dealing with the Use and Abuse of Illicit Drugs: Examining Problems and Policy Issues*. Funded by the Institute for Public Policy and Social Research, Michigan State University. May 2001- December 2001. \$24,997.00

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila. *Assessing validity of self-reported antisocial behaviors and delinquency among a sample of Filipino youth*. Funded by the National Science Foundation, June 2000- June 2002. \$74,956.00

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila with Timothy Bynum, Co-Principal Investigator. *Reducing Probationer Recidivism*. (A collaborative project with the Michigan Department of Corrections). Funded through the Michigan Applied Public Policy Research Funds, August 1998- August 1999. \$74,534.00

Co-Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila with Christopher Maxwell, Principal Investigator. *The Impact of Community and Legal Factors on the Adjudication and Sentencing Process*. Funded by the National Institute of Justice. July 1998 - September 2000. \$24,973.00

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila. *Extending Delinquency Theories in Southeast Asia*. Funded by Michigan State University: All-University Research Initiation Grant. May 1997- August 1998. \$12,760.00.

Principal Investigator: Maxwell, Sheila. *An Intervention Program for At-Risk Youth: A Preliminary Examination of Project SEEK (Services to Enable and Empower Kids)*. June 1996 - January 1997. Mott Children's Health Center, Flint, Michigan.. \$5,023.00

Consultant: Maxwell Sheila. *Youth Gangs in Juvenile Confinement Facilities*, Grant to the National Juvenile Detention Association, from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, Department of Justice, \$81,680.00

***D. Other Awards***

June 1996 Selected Participant: *Quantitative Analysis of Crime and Criminal Justice*, Bureau of Justice Statistics at the University of Michigan

Mar 93 - Aug 94

Pre-doctoral Fellowship from the National Institute on Drug Abuse and the National Development and Research Institute of New York City, Inc.

***E. Recent Academic Presentations & Conferences***

Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Raymund Narag. *Coping with Stressful Life Events: Gender Differences Among Filipino Adolescents*. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology. Los Angeles, California, October 2006.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. *Probationer Violations: Are There Effective Responses?*. Presented at the American Society of Criminology. Toronto, Canada, November 2005.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. *Crime and Justice Practices, Youth Antisocial Behaviors: A Look at the Philippine Experience*. Presented at the World Congress on Criminology. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 2005.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. *The Salience of Family Violence on Antisocial Behaviors of Filipino Adolescents*. Presented at the British Society of Criminology. Leeds, England, July 2005.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. *From Anti-Western Sentiments to Terrorism Support: Views From the Philippines*. Presented at the Conference on Democracy and Global Security. Istanbul, Turkey, June 2005.

Maxwell, Christopher D., Sheila Royo Maxwell, Steve Dow. *The Impact of Defense Counsel on the Processing and Disposition of Felony Court Cases*. Presented at the American Society of Criminology, Nashville, Tennessee, November 2004.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. *Juvenile Justice: Structure and Practice in a Southeast Asian Country*. Presented at the American Society of Criminology, Nashville, Tennessee, November 2004.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. *Juvenile Justice: Structure and Practice in a Southeast Asian Country*. Presented at the American Society of Criminology, Nashville, Tennessee, November 2004.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. *The Promises and Challenges of Conducting Research Outside of the United States*. Presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences' Annual Convention, Las Vegas, Nevada. March 2004.

Byong-Ok, Moon and Sheila Royo Maxwell. *Assessing the Correctional Orientation of Corrections Officers in South Korea*. Presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences' Annual Convention, Washington D.C., March 2003.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo and Christopher Maxwell. *Experiencing and Witnessing Family Violence: Examining Effects on Filipino Boys and Girls*. Presented at the International Congress of the International Association for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect (IPSCAN), Denver, CO, 2002.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. *Examining Western-Based Explanations of Antisocial Behaviors in a Southeast Asian Country: Preliminary Results of a Longitudinal Study*. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA, November 2001.

Maxwell, Christopher D., Yan Zhang and Sheila Royo Maxwell. *The Impact of Sentencing Reform on the Trends and Nature of Probation Revocations throughout the United States*. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, GA, 2001.

Maxwell, Sheila Royo. Invited Participant in the World Association of Non-Governmental Organizations, Assembly 2001: The Search for Solutions to Critical Global Problems. *Global Violence: Crisis and Hope*. New York, NY, October 2001.

Rivera-Vasquez, Omara and Sheila Royo Maxwell. *Examining the Effects of Probation Conditions on Probationer Recidivism*. Presented at the annual meetings of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Washington DC, April 2001.

Moon, Byong and Sheila Royo Maxwell. *Factors Related to Probation Recidivism Among Probationers with Drug Problems in Michigan*. Presented at the annual meetings of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Washington DC, April 2001.

#### ***F. Invited Lectures/Presentations***

2007, August

Youth Crime and Justice Practices: A Look At the Philippine Experience. Invited presentation at the Research Institute for Mindanao Culture, 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, Xavier University, Philippines.

2007, June

Globalization and Support for Democratic Principles: Views from Asia. 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference On Democracy and Global Security Conference, Istanbul, Turkey

2005, June

From Anti-Western Sentiments to Terrorism Support: Views from Asia. 1<sup>st</sup> International Conference On Democracy and Global Security Conference, Istanbul, Turkey

2004, August 30

Delinquency and Crime: Justice Issues for Minors Under the Philippine Justice System. Philippine-American Educational Foundation, Makati, Metro Manila, Philippines

2004, August 27

Programming for Pretrial Services: The U.S. Experience. Presented to the Capital-Region Parole and Probation Administration Employee Association, Manila City Hall, Quezon City, Manila, Philippines

2004, August 26

Antisocial Behaviors of Filipino Youth: Testing the Applicability of Western Behavioral Models. Presented to the faculty and students of the Psychology Department, The University of the Philippines, Quezon City, Manila, Philippines

2004, August 17 & 18

Filipino Minors in Trouble with the Law: Issues, Problems, Prospects. Xavier University, Cagayan de Oro City, Philippines

2004, July 8

Academic Life in American Universities. Philippine-American Educational Foundation, Makati, Metro Manila, Philippines

2003, April

A Longitudinal Analysis Measuring the Effect of Watching and Experiencing Aggression and Violence Among Filipino Adolescents. Center for Youth Violence Prevention Seminar Series. The Joseph L. Mailman School of Public Health, Columbia University, New York City, NY. with Christopher Maxwell

2002, December

*Crime Trends in Michigan*. Presentation to the new Michigan Legislators, Michigan State University

2001, April

*Race and the Criminal Justice System*. Race in the 21st Century Conference, Michigan State University

2000, April

*Adolescent Violence : Trends, Prevention Strategies and an Empirical Study*. Presentation to the Adolescent In the Family class. Invited by Dr. Martha Bristor, Department of Family and Child Ecology

1999, June.

*The Impact of Community and Legal Context on the Adjudication Process*. Presented at The Annual Conference on Criminal Justice Research and Evaluation. Washington, D.C. (With Christopher Maxwell)

1998, December

*Crime Trends in Michigan and Other States*. Invited Presentation to the Legislative Leadership Conference, an annual conference of Michigan legislators.

1998, April

*Adolescent Violence: Etiology and Prevention Strategies*. Presentation to the Adolescent In the Family class. Invited by Dr. Martha Bristor, Department of Family and Child Ecology

1997, May

*Conservative Correctional Policies and Practices in the U.S.: Rhetoric, Reality, and Future Prospects*. Presentation for the International Conference on Corrections, Seoul, Korea

1996, July

*Trends in Youth Violence and Prevention Measures*. Presentation at the Michigan State 4-H Extension Training Workshop. Detroit, Michigan

1995, November

A presentation on prison issues in the United States for the “*American Criminal Justice Systems: A USIA Project for Young African Leaders*”

### **III. SERVICE**

#### **A. Academic**

Ad-Hoc Reviewer for Journals:

*Experimental Criminology* (2006), *Journal of Criminal Justice* (2006), *Sociological Inquiry* (1997-present) *Criminology* (2000-2001), *Criminal Justice Policy Review*, *Marriage and Family Review*, *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*, *Violence and Victims*, *Contemporary Journal of Criminal Justice*

1997-present Associate Editor and Peer Reviewer for the *Sociological Inquiry*

2000 Editorial Board member for the *Philippine Journal of Law and Justice* and assisting efforts to start a criminal justice program at the University of the Philippines in Diliman, Quezon City

1996            *National Science Foundation* grant reviewer for the Law and Social Sciences,  
Division of Social, Behavioral and Economic Research

***B. Professional Projects***

2006-2008    Evaluation of Drug Court Programs:  
Lansing, MI: Court 54-A  
Mason, MI: Court 55

***C. Professional Presentations/Interviews***

Research on "Crimes in I-94" featured in two front-page articles of the Detroit News, January 11, 1999: "*I-94 Proves Fertile Ground for Crime*" and "*More cops may deter interstate crime*".

Same study featured in an article in the Associated Press, January 11, 1999; the National Public Radio, and many local newspapers and TV stations

Newspaper interview (Lansing State Journal) for a front page article on "*Kid criminals, justice: a difficult balancing act.*" (October 1996)

MetroLIVE television panel discussion. East Lansing Michigan  
Topic: Drugs: Fighting Back (March 1996)

***D. Academic/Professional memberships***

American Society of Criminology

American Sociological Association

Law and Society Association

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences

Society for the Study of Social Problems