# Class Schedule: Violence in America: SPRING 2012

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<td>Jan. 23, 25 (1)</td>
<td><strong>Violence in America:</strong> Introduction and overview:</td>
<td>Reidel &amp; Welch1&lt;br&gt;Chapter 1 Powerpoint&lt;br&gt;cspan_presentation on BJS statistics-Crime in America&lt;br&gt;Violence Project Outline Spring 2012</td>
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<td>Jan. 30, Feb. 1 (2)</td>
<td><strong>Patterns of Violence:</strong> Time and Place</td>
<td>Reidel &amp; Welch 2,3&lt;br&gt;Chapter 3 Powerpoint&lt;br&gt;Patterns of Violence Lecture&lt;br&gt;Chapter 2 Powerpoint&lt;br&gt;Crime Mapping and Serial Killing&lt;br&gt;The Write Place Writing Assistance</td>
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<td>Feb. 6, 8 (3)</td>
<td><strong>Why are we a violent society?</strong> An overview of violence causation: Classical, biological, psychological, and sociological explanations</td>
<td>On line reading: &lt;br&gt;Levitt - Understanding Why Crime rates fell...&lt;br&gt;Fox Chapters 1-3</td>
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<td>Feb. 13, 15 (4)</td>
<td><strong>Murder and Assault in the US:</strong> Official, Victimization, and Self-Reported Measures of Violence</td>
<td>Reidel &amp; Welsh chapter 4&lt;br&gt;Chapter 4 Powerpoint&lt;br&gt;Murder Lecture (3)</td>
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<td>Feb. 22 (5)</td>
<td><strong>Types of Homicide:</strong> 1 vs multiple victims (serial, spree, and mass murder)</td>
<td>Fox chapters 4, 5, 7 &amp; 9&lt;br&gt;Ted Bundy Interview&lt;br&gt;A look back at Boston's history of mass murders since the '70s&lt;br&gt;NPR &quot;Inside the Mind of BTK&quot;</td>
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NO CLASS
FEB. 20
PRESIDENT'S DAY

Feb. 27, 29 (6) Predicting Violence and Profiling Violent Offenders—Myths and realities of risk prediction
Reidel & Welch chapter 14
Chapter 14 Power Point
On line reading: Gladwell Profiling!!!
On line reading: Predicting violence lecture
Lecture Notes
On-line reading: can science help us predict violent behavior?
Risk Assessment PPT
Safety on campus? Absolutely

Mar. 5, 7 (7) Risk Prediction & Control: Do we need a department of pre-crime?
Review sheet for midterm released on Mar.7
On-line reading: predicting violence
http://vachss.com/guest_dispatches/dvoskin4.html

MIDTERM REVIEW

Mar. 12-16 SPRING BREAK!!

Mar. 19, 21 (8) MAR 19: KEY FACTORS: Drugs, Gangs, and Violence
Reidel & Welsh chapters 11-13
Chapter 11 Powerpoint Gangs
Chapter 12 Powerpoint
Chapter 13 Powerpoint Drugs and Alcohol
Lecture Notes: Violence Lecture
FBI Gang Video
DrugPubs - New Research and Dissemination Centers

MIDTERM EXAM MARCH 21

Mar. 26, 28 (9) Myths and Realities of Violence prevention and Control: What
Fox chapters 13 & 14
Reidel & Welsh 15
Chapter 15 Powerpoint
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| Apr. 2, 4 (10) | Rape and Sexual Assault | Myths and Facts About Sex Offenders  
The Prevention of Childhood Sexual Abuse  
Polyvictimization: Children's Exposure to Multiple Types of Violence, Crime and Abuse  
Reidel & Welch 6  
Chapter 6 Powerpoint  
Sexual Offender Research Link  
Phillip Garrido  
Elizabeth Smart Kidnapping  
The Kidnapping of Elizabeth Smart  
Tracking sex-crime offenders gets trickier  
Acquaintance Rape of College Students  
Sexual Assault of Young Children as Reported to Law Enforcement: Victim, Incident, and Offender Characteristics |
| Apr. 9, 11 (11) | Violations of Trust? Violence in the family and in the helping professions: Parents, Siblings, Doctors, teachers, clergy, therapists, coaches, & caregivers | Reidel & Welch 8, Fox chapters 4 & 8  
Chapter 8 powerpoint  
Child Deaths Resulting From Inflicted Injuries: Household Risk Factors and Perpetrator Characteristics  
Sexual Exploitation by Helping Professionals  
The Nature and Scope of the Problem of Sexual Abuse of Minors by Catholic Priests and Deacons in the United States  
Sexual Abuse in Social Context: Catholic Clergy and Other Professionals |
### Violence in the Helping Professions: Prevention and Control Strategies

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<td>Domestic Homicide</td>
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### Educator Sexual Misconduct

- Ex-Youth Leader Gets 40 Years
  - McMartiin Preschool Trial
  - Fells Acre Daycare Center Preschool Trial
  - PBS Frontline: Innocence Lost the Plea
  - Sandusky child sex charges possible
  - Sandusky-Grand-Jury-Presentment

### Assignment 2 due April 11th to

- TurnItIn.com

### Workplace Violence

- Workplace violence/Robbery
  - Reidel & Welch 5, 9
  - Chapter 5 Powerpoint
  - Chapter 9 Powerpoint

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- MONDAY APR.16 PATRIOT'S DAY

- New Violent Robbery Initiative: Gets Help from an Older Federal Law
| Apr. 23, 25 (13) | Cult violence/Religion & violence/Hate crimes | Reidel & Welsh chapter 7  
Chapter 7 Powerpoint  
FBI Hate Crime 2010  
Hate Groups Video  
MSNBC Hate Crimes Video  
Extremist-Right PDF  
Scott Roeder convicted of murder in shooting of abortion provider George Tiller  
Lecture 9: Hate crimes...  
Killer Cults  
Waco: The Inside Story  
David Koresh  
FBI Warning: Homegrown Terrorists  
Oklahoma City Bombing  
The Jonestown Massacre |
| Apr. 30, May 2 (14) | School violence: Case studies, the legacy of Columbine and Virginia Tech | TurnItIn.com  
Reidel & Welch 10  
Chapter 10 Powerpoint  
On line reading: case studies of columbine and VT murderers  
Columbine Massacre  
10 years later, the real story behind Columbine  
Virginia Tech Panel Report  
Northern Illinois University Shooting  
Guide for Preventing and Responding to School Violence  
On-line reading: School Shooting Assessment  
For many, 'mean girl' practice starts early  
The untouchable Mean Girls  
System of secrecy allows bullies to thrive |
Prosecutors: 9 teens charged in Phoebe Prince death

Time Line of Worldwide School Shootings

May 7 (15)

Institutional violence: Why do we need to care? What can we do to prevent and/or control prison violence? Are today’s prisoners being recruited by terrorist groups?

The Role of Offender Risk Assessment: A Policy Maker Guide

On-line reading: The Ghosts of Abu Ghraib

http://www.newyorker.com/archive/2004/05/10/040510fa_fact

Myths and Realities of Prison Violence: A Review of the Evidence

In Search of the Tossed Salad Man

Nearly 90,000 raped in lockup, study finds

Online reading: Security threat groups in prison

FINAL EXAM - TBA