



## **2017 Zoukis Summer Institute: *Crime, Punishment & Sentencing***

**Location: 1076 Langdale (Political Science Department)**

### **May 2**

- 8:30am: Coffee & Breakfast in Langdale 1081
- 9am: Brief introduction for students
- 9:30-10:45am: ***Panel 1: Criminal Justice Reform in Georgia***
  - Judge Steven C. Teske (Clayton County)
  - Representative Park Cannon (GA House Rep. District 58)
  - Dr. Robert Howard, Department of Political Science, GSU (Moderator)
- 10:45-11:00AM – Coffee/Break
- 11:00-12:15PM: ***Panel 2: Crime & Punishment in Georgia***
  - Mark Loudon-Brown (Southern Center for Human Rights)
  - Dr. Jessica Seares (Office of the Public Defender, Fulton Co.)
  - Dr. Robert Howard, Department of Political Science, GSU (Moderator)
- 12:15-1:15pm: Lunch
- 1:15-3:15pm: Students work on collaborative research project

### **May 3**

- 9am: Coffee & Breakfast in Langdale 1081
- 9:30-10:45am: ***Panel 1: Immigration, Crime & Punishment***
  - Ms. Monica Khant (GAIN)
  - Representative Brenda Lopez (GA House Rep. District 99)
  - Dr. Henry Carey, Center for Human Rights & Democracy / Dept. Poli. Sci., GSU
- 10:45-11:00AM – Coffee/Break
- 11:00-12:15pm: ***Panel 2: Families and Incarceration***
  - Ms. Sandra Barnhill (Forever Family)
  - Louis Cassamajor (Americorps, VISTA member)
  - Casey Davis (Americorps, VISTA member)
  - Briana Jenkins (Americorps, VISTA member)
  - Dr. Carrie Manning, Chair, Department of Political Science, GSU (Moderator)
- 12:15-1:15pm: Lunch
- 1:15-3:15pm: Students work on collaborative research project

### **May 4**

- 9am: Coffee & Breakfast in Langdale 1081
- 9:30-10:45am: ***Panel 1: Race & Policing in America: A Reporter's Perspective***
  - Mr. Brad Schrade (AJC, CMG-Atlanta)
  - Ms. Patti DiVincenzo (WSB, CMG-Atlanta)
  - Ms. Jennifer Peebles (AJC, CMG-Atlanta)
  - Dr. Lakeyta Bonnette, Department of Political Science, GSU (Moderator)
- 10:45-11:00- Coffee/Break
- 11:00-12:15pm: ***Panel 2: Incarceration and Re-Entry: Prisoners' Perspectives\****
  - Mr. Denny Chow (Founder, ChangeMatters.org)
  - Mr. Omar Howard, (Founder, Freedom is a Choice, Inc.)
  - Ms. Colleen Higgins, (Program Manager, Someone Cares, Inc.)
  - Dr. Peter Lindsay, (Founder, ***\*GSU Prison Education Project, panel co-sponsor***)
- 12:15-1:15pm: Lunch
- 1:15-3:15pm: Students work on collaborative research project