

Measuring Justice Workshop Agenda

Mason Inn, George Mason University
Fairfax, VA

Day 1

Welcome Session (9:00-10:30)

Introduction from workshop organizers and GMU administrators

Self-introductions from participants

Break (10:30-10:45)

Discussion of the Concept Paper Reviews (10:45-12:00)

Shannon Portillo and Michael Musheno will lead a discussion of the findings from the review of concept papers from the first workshop. All reviews were distributed prior to the workshop.

Lunch (12:00-1:00)

Break out session: Methodological Possibilities (1:00-2:30)

The group will divide into small groups around particular methodological interests. Small groups will discuss how each method may be applied to the study of justice.

Break (2:30-2:45)

Break out session recap (2:45-3:30)

Small groups will report back on discussions of methods and justice inquiry.

Agenda Planning: What are the unanswered questions and how do we explore them? (3:30-5:00)

The group will discuss the current and possible research agenda around justice. How does it fit with work we are already engaged in? What are the areas we need to explore next? How do we engage more scholars and practitioners in this discussion?

Dinner Reception (6:30-8:00)

Day 2

Breakfast and Large Group Discussion (8:30-9:00)

Synthesis and Next Steps Discussion (9:00-10:15)

Each group will recap its discussions from the first day's gatherings. Participants will address the issues and themes raised and will seek to identify possible paper ideas and likely roundtable or panel proposals for upcoming conferences or journal submissions.

Break (10:15-10:30)

Working Group Meetings (10:30-12:00)

Working group meetings planning roundtables for the Law & Society Association Annual Meeting and American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting and to discuss various writing projects emerging from the workshops.

Adjournment and Departure (12:00)