

CURRICULUM VITAE

Robert L. Bingham

EDUCATION

WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY, 1970

B.A. Sociology/Anthropology

BRYN MAWR COLLEGE, 1976

M.S.S., Clinical Social Work

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2005-2012 Beginning February 18, 2005, employed as Chief Probation Officer for the Marion Superior Court Probation Department with expanded administrative duties encompassing Adult Probation, Adult Pretrial, and Juvenile Probation. Supervised 267 staff within two divisions at six different physical locations. Immediate supervisors: Hon. Grant W. Hawkins, Hon. David J. Certo, Hon. Steven R. Eichholtz, and Hon Lisa F. Borges. Note: Interim administrative responsibility for the Marion Superior Court Juvenile Detention Center assigned from 04/24/06 through 09/03/07 on an emergency basis.

2000-2005 MARION SUPERIOR COURT PROBATION DEPARTMENT
Indianapolis, IN

Employed as Chief Probation Officer for the Marion Superior Court Probation Department, Adult Services Division. Responsible for all administrative, budgetary, and service delivery operations within a department of 208 employees. Provided operational guidance and supervisory maintenance of a highly specialized and innovative Adult Probation Department. Immediate supervisors: Hon. Jane Magnus-Stinson and Hon. Mark D. Stoner.

1998-2000 OAKLAND COUNTY PROBATE COURT
Pontiac, MI

From January 1, 1998, assigned as interim Family Division Administrator for the new Family Division of the Oakland County Circuit Court. Responsible for the administrative processing and programmatic operations of the Family Division, including the efficient functioning of three specialized units, Administrative, Support, Court Services, and Judicial Support. Supervised an operating budget of \$20.5 million, Child Care Fund budget of \$21.7 million, and 193 employees. Service areas included: prevention (Youth Assistance), juvenile probation, psychological clinic, adoptions, and the formal processing of child abuse/neglect petitions. Immediate supervisors: Hon. Linda S. Hallmark, Hon. Eugene Arthur Moore, and Hon. Edward Sosnick.

1994-1997 OAKLAND COUNTY PROBATE COURT
Pontiac, MI

From September 1994 through December 1977, employed as Court Administrator and Chief Probation Officer for the Oakland County Probate Court. Oversaw all administrative functions while providing leadership, direction, and policy for the Probate Court and the Court's three divisions: Administrative Support, Court Services, and Judicial Support. Responsible for a \$21 million operating budget and 240 employees. Directed a professional work force which provided diversified services, including prevention (Youth Assistance), juvenile probation, formal processing of complaints of child abuse and neglect, adoptions, mental health hearings, probating of decedent's estates, and appointments of guardians and conservators. Immediate supervisors: Hon. Eugene Arthur Moore and Hon. Joan E. Young.

1989-1994 ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS – LAKE COUNTY COURT SERVICES
Waukegan, IL

From January, 1989, to September, 1994, employed as Deputy Administrator, Chief of Court Services. Oversaw and directed adult probation, juvenile probation, juvenile detention, and psychological services operations; total staff supervised: 123. Developed, directed, and coordinated diversified, innovative Court Services programming. Provided direct administrative assistance and coordination regarding budgetary, personnel, and staff development issues. Immediate supervisor: Robert A. Zastany, Court Administrator.

1985-1988 McLEAN COUNTY – DEPARTMENT OF COURT SERVICES
Bloomington, IL

From September, 1985, to December, 1988, employed as Director of the McLean County Department of Court Services. Supervised adult and juvenile probation divisions; total supervised staff: 25. Responsible for all administrative, budgetary, personnel, and treatment/surveillance functions. The following programs received specialized attention: juvenile diversion and prevention, residential care, public service work, adult intensive probation, DUI probation, and drug testing. Directly supervised by Hon. Luther H. Dearborn and Hon. William T. Caisley.

1979-1985 WINNEBAGO COUNTY – JUVENILE PROBATION DIVISION
Rockford, IL

From May, 1979, to September, 1985, employed as administrator of the juvenile probation division of the Winnebago County Department of Court Services. Administered an office composed of 16 juvenile probation officers and four clerical workers. Emphasized agency reorganization, casework accountability, creative treatment planning, and policy formulation with the following programs receiving specialized attention: residential care, foster care, volunteers, and public service work. Directly supervised by C. Karl Ambroz, Director of Court Services, Hon. Harris H. Agnew, and Hon. Bradner C. Riggs.

1977-1979 DELAWARE COUNTY – YOUTH SERVICE BUREAU
Media, PA

From March to November, 1977, and while employed as a juvenile probation officer, assigned as interim director of the newly created LEAA-funded Delaware County Youth Service Bureau; permanent directorship of this agency was awarded in November, 1977. This agency operated as a 24 hour, crisis-oriented referral and short-term counseling agency for domestically troubled youth and families. Staff supervised included an administrative

assistant/secretary, four counselors, and several undergraduate student interns from local universities. Immediate supervisor: Lawrence J. DeMooy.

1976-1977 DELAWARE COUNTY JUVENILE COURT
Media, PA

From May, 1976, to November, 1977, employed by the Delaware County Juvenile Court as a juvenile program officer whose sole service responsibility pertained to ungovernable and runaway youth. Developed and implemented an experimental status offender project which sought to divert and refer youth and their families from the juvenile justice system while also providing intensive, crisis-oriented, short-term treatment for domestically troubled youth and families. Immediate supervisor: Lawrence J. DeMooy

1975-1976 DELAWARE COUNTY JUVENILE COURT
Media PA

Field placement: As a graduate student fulfilling a second-year practicum requirement, assigned to the position of juvenile probation officer. Immediate supervisor: Virginia Martin.

1974-1975 POPLAR GUIDANCE CENTER OF HAHNEMANN MEDICAL COLLEGE
Philadelphia, PA

Field placement: As a graduate student fulfilling a first-year practicum requirement, assigned to the Children's Unit of a community mental health clinic affiliated with Hahnemann Medical College. Immediate supervisor: Norma Sevutekin.

1973-1974 METHODIST HOME FOR CHILDREN
Philadelphia, PA

For seven months, employed as supervisor of the MacKinnon Boys Cottage at a residential treatment facility for emotionally disturbed, disadvantaged youth. Responsible for daily cottage operation and the physical and emotional welfare of the 20 residents. Supervised a staff of seven while coordinating treatment plans with the cottage social worker and consulting child psychiatrist. Immediate supervisor: Helen Draper.

1972-1973 DIAGNOSTIC CENTER OF THE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CENTER –
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Cornwell Heights, PA

For 15 months, served as a diagnostic counselor/probation liaison at a short-term minimum security residential treatment unit for adjudicated male delinquents. Duties included in-cottage responsibilities of maintenance and control while concurrently developing creative, team-coordinated treatment plans for chronically delinquent youth who had historically not responded to traditional residential and community-based programming. Immediate supervisor: Jasper Hill

1970-1972 FAMILY COURT OF PHILADELPHIA
Philadelphia, PA

For two years, employed by the Juvenile Branch of the Family Court as a juvenile probation officer servicing the Germantown section of the city. Maintained a caseload of 70-90 adjudicated male delinquents, the majority of whom were involved in internecine, gang warfare. Immediate supervisor: Samuel Jenkins, Jr.

PUBLICATIONS

“A Juvenile Court Related Status Offender Project”,
JUVENILE AND FAMILY COURT JOURNAL, 1978

“Guidelines on Ungovernability”, THE POLICE CHIEF,
April, 1979

With Stephen R. Merritt, Mary A. Johnson, Arthur J. Gerhard,
And Lynda J. Grant, “A Proposed Adolescent Services Plan”,
CHILD WELFARE, October, 1979

“A New Responsibility for Juvenile Courts”, 1982
(unpublished)

“One That Got Away – What Went Wrong?”, 1989
(unpublished)

“Public Service Work – Alternative Sentencing Helps
Nonprofits”, INCOMMON, August, 1992

With Annette Z. Henderson, George Keiser, and Michael
Ricketts, “Reinventing Community Corrections: A
Medley of Responses to Osborne and Gaebler’s
Reinventing Government”, PERSPECTIVES, Summer, 1993

With Frank Kuzmickus, Tina Bowcott, Stephen Fabbri, and
Daniel Horan, “Feedback Committee”, National Association
of Probation Executives: EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE,
Winter, 1994

“Suburban Chiefs’ Alliance”, National Association of Probation
Executives: EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE, Winter, 1994

“Probationer Questionnaires”, National Association of Probation
Executives: EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE, Winter, 1994

“A Tangible Response to Monitoring Sex Offenders”, National
Association of Probation Executives: EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE,
Winter, 1994

“The Sex Offender Committee: Setting Standards for Managing
Sex Offenders”, National Association of Probation Executives:
EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE, Winter, 1994

“Probation’s Role in Handling Drug Offenders: Striking a Balance Between Client Needs and Public Safety”, Loyola University: DRUGS AND COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS, Spring, 1994

“Commitment to Parenting”, Oakland County Bar Association: LACHES, December, 1994

With Kenneth J. Aud, Sue Gionfriddo, Michael Ricketts, and Richard E. Wyett, “Learning From Your Peers”, EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE, Fall, 1996

“Juvenile Justice Reform”, Oakland County Bar Association, LACHES, October, 1996

“The Two-Way Street”, Oakland County Bar Association, LACHES, March, 1997

“Art in the Court”, Oakland County Bar Association, LACHES, July, 1997

“Improved Access to Probate Court for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing”, Oakland County Bar Association, LACHES November, 1997

“Case Study: Control and Change in a Probation Department”, Houston, James G.: Correctional Management: Functions, Skills, and Systems. Chicago: Nelson-Hall Publishers, 1999

“Taking Over from the Outside”, National Association of Probation Executives: EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE, Spring, 2002

With Alicia L. Antonetti, Bradford S. Grabow, and John R. von Arx, “Better, Faster Cheaper: Applying Business Process Review and Redesign to Probation”, PERSPECTIVES, Fall, 2004

“Morale: A Chief Probation Officer’s Challenge”, EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE, Summer 2008

With Andrea Jackson, “Pragmatic Supervisory Response to Newly Assigned Adult Probation Personnel”, EXECUTIVE EXCHANGE, Spring 2011

VIDEO PRODUCTION

“Juvenile Court: A Reality Check”, Executive Producer July, 1999

COLLEGE INSTRUCTION

Department of Criminal Justice Sciences
Illinois State University, Normal, IL, 1988

Department of Criminal Justice
Loyola University, Chicago, IL, 1991-1992

Criminal Justice Program
McHenry County College, Crystal Lake, IL 1993

Department of Criminal Justice Studies
University of Detroit Mercy, Detroit, MI, 1997

Department of Criminal Justice,
Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, 1997-2000

Department of Criminal Justice,
Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, 2000-present

Department of Criminal Justice,
Indiana University-Purdue University at Indianapolis
Indianapolis, IN, 2001-present

NATIONAL AND STATE PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Correctional Association

American Probation and Parole Association

Illinois Probation and Court Services Association
(Honorary Lifetime Member)

Indiana Correctional Association

National Association of Probation Executives
(President, 1998-2000 and 2012-2014)

National Coalition of Community Corrections Associations

National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges

National Juvenile Court Services Association

Probation Officers Professional Association of Indiana