Introduction

The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) strives to provide criminal justice leadership and resources to support state, local, and tribal justice strategies to achieve safer communities. In pursuit of this mission, BJA has worked with countless criminal justice and public safety organizations and experts to provide expert, coordinated training and technical assistance (TTA). The provision of these services is made possible through assistance from organizations – the BJA TTA grantees – with specialized knowledge of the criminal justice field.

In this summer 2019 edition of the BJA TTA Grantee Directory, BJA compiled a comprehensive catalog of the organizations currently funded by BJA to provide TTA to the field. The BJA TTA Grantee Directory can be printed for use as a quick reference guide or shared electronically with colleagues.

The information in the BJA TTA Grantee Directory is self-reported and does not reflect an endorsement by BJA or the U.S. Department of Justice. However, the details, which include organization descriptions, criminal justice program areas, and implemented BJA-funded projects, will enable enhanced collaboration among BJA and criminal justice stakeholders and facilitate the coordination of TTA services. The BJA TTA Grantee Directory is one way BJA aims to facilitate greater communication and collaboration among BJA, TTA grantees, and the field. We hope you find the BJA TTA Grantee Directory to be a useful tool.

This document is intended to summarize pertinent information, submitted to BJA by the providers, and does not represent an exhaustive profile of the provider.
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Advocates for Human Potential, Inc.

AHP

For 30 years, Advocates for Human Potential, Inc. (AHP) has influenced change in health and business systems to support vulnerable populations – from creating policy all the way to ground-level, hands-on work. AHP believes improved health systems and organizations mean improved health outcomes.

AHP invites people to leverage their deep experience in behavioral and primary health systems to help successfully navigate the shifting regulatory, financial, clinical, and technological demands of the health care environment.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Residential Substance Abuse Treatment Training and Technical Assistance Program
- Training and Technical Assistance for the Comprehensive Opioid Abuse Program

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Corrections, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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AEquitas

AEquitas’ mission is to improve the quality of justice in sexual violence, intimate partner violence, stalking, and human trafficking cases by developing, evaluating, and refining prosecution practices that increase victim safety and offender accountability. AEquitas’ staff includes former prosecutors who provide 24/7 case consultation; conduct legal research; deliver live and web-based trainings; and publish articles, monographs, and other resources. AEquitas’ guiding philosophy is that success in criminal cases means achieving justice, which the U.S. Supreme Court has defined as an outcome in which the guilty do not escape and the innocent do not suffer. The prosecutor’s mandate to seek justice – not only convictions – requires practices that focus on protecting victims from offenders as well as from the collateral consequences of participating in the criminal justice process.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- The Smart Prosecution Initiative Training and Technical Assistance Program
- Improving Victim and Witness Cooperation

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Victims of Crime

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Altarum Institute is a nonprofit health systems research and consulting organization. Altarum integrates independent research and client-centered consulting to create comprehensive, systems-based solutions that improve health.

With the rigor of the finest research institution, consulting skills honed for nearly seven decades, and an abiding commitment to the public interest, Altarum enables better care and better health for all people.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**
- Promoting Peer Recovery Support Services

**Program Area(s):**
Substance Abuse/Drugs

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American University (AU) creates meaningful change in the world. With highly ranked schools and colleges and internationally recognized faculty, AU offers a balance between class time and a career-advancing experience in Washington, D.C. and beyond. Its students, among the country’s most politically active, distinguish themselves for their service, leadership, and ability to rethink global and domestic challenges and opportunities.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• National Drug Court Resource, Policy, and Evidence-based Practice Center

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts

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Association of Prosecuting Attorneys, Inc.

APA

The Association of Prosecuting Attorneys, Inc. (APA) is incorporated in the commonwealth of Virginia and headquartered in Washington, D.C. The association is a nonprofit charitable organization that is supported by member contributions as well as government grants and funding from both foundations and the private sector. Prosecutors direct the organization through a volunteer board of directors led by the Chair of the Board, Jackson County, Missouri Prosecutor Jean Peters Baker and Vice Chairman, Multnomah County, Oregon District Attorney Rod Underhill. APA is the only national organization to represent and support all prosecutors – including both appointed and elected prosecutors, as well as their deputies and assistants – whether they work as city attorneys, tribal prosecutors, district attorneys, state attorneys, attorneys general, or U.S. Attorneys. APA’s activities include acting as a global forum for the exchange of ideas, enabling prosecutors to collaborate with all criminal justice partners, conducting timely and effective technical assistance, and providing access to technology for the enhancement of the prosecutorial function.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• National Training and Technical Assistance: Capital Case Litigation Initiative

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts

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Brandeis University is a community of scholars and students united by their commitment to the pursuit of knowledge and its transmission from generation to generation. As a research university, Brandeis is dedicated to the advancement of the humanities, arts, and social, natural, and physical sciences. As a liberal arts college, Brandeis affirms the importance of a broad and critical education in enriching the lives of students capable of promoting their own welfare, yet remaining deeply concerned about the welfare of others, and preparing them for full participation in a changing society.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Comprehensive Opioid Abuse Program: Prescription Drug Monitoring Programs Training and Technical Assistance Center

Program Area(s):
Substance Abuse/Drugs

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Center for Court Innovation
CCI

The Center for Court Innovation seeks to help create a more effective and humane justice system by designing and implementing operating programs, performing original research, and providing reformers around the world with the tools they need to launch new strategies.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Tribal Risk/Need Assessment Tool
- Sixth Amendment Training and Technical Assistance Project
- Price of Justice Training and Technical Assistance Project
- National Problem-Solving Justice Initiative
- Adult Drug Court State-based Drug Court Training and Technical Assistance Project

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Corrections, Crime Prevention, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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Center for Effective Public Policy

CEPP

The Center for Effective Public Policy (CEPP) is a nonprofit organization first incorporated in Pennsylvania in 1981 with its main office in Kensington, Maryland and satellite offices in San Francisco, California; Melbourne Beach, Florida; Columbia, Missouri; Lebanon, Pennsylvania; Columbia, South Carolina; and Edgerton, Wisconsin. CEPP’s staff and network of expert consultants are configured into project teams that have diverse qualifications and backgrounds in criminal justice, corrections, organizational development, nonprofit management, training, human services research, agency administration, and policy development.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Justice Reinvestment Initiative: Maximizing State Reforms
- The National Diversion Repository
- National Initiatives Reaching Criminal Justice Policymakers Program
- National Parole Resource Center Supplement

Program Area(s):
Corrections

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The CNA Corporation

CNA

The CNA Corporation analyzes and solves problems by getting as close as possible to the people, the data, and the problems themselves in order to find the clear, credible answers government leaders need to choose the best course of action.

CNA’s objective, empirical research and analysis helps decisionmakers develop sound policies, make better-informed decisions, and manage programs more effectively. Their work, which in its early decades focused solely on defense-related matters, has grown to include investigation and analysis of a broad range of national security, defense, and public interest issues, including education, homeland security, and air traffic management. Through their Center for Naval Analyses and Institute for Public Research (IPR), CNA provides public sector organizations with the tools they need to tackle the complex challenges of making government more efficient and keeping the United States safe and strong.

CNA’s IPR Safety and Security Division works hand-in-hand with justice system agencies and institutions to provide training and technical assistance that covers a range of justice-related issues, including use of force, community collaboration, technology implementation, rigorous evaluation of new initiatives, training, policy formulation and analysis, and more. CNA is dedicated to conducting high-quality, action-oriented research to support justice agencies in rapidly responding to critical incidents and community concerns.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Using Analytics to Improve Officer Safety
- Project Safe Neighborhoods National Training and Technical Assistance Program
- Public Safety Partnership Supplement
- Strategies for Policing Innovation Technical Assistance Program
- Body-Worn Camera Policy and Implementation Training and Technical Assistance Provider

Program Area(s):
Corrections, Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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Community Resources for Justice

The Crime and Justice Institute (CJI) at Community Resources for Justice works with national, state, local, and tribal criminal justice organizations to improve public safety and the delivery of justice throughout the country. CJI provides nonpartisan policy analysis, implementation consulting, capacity-building assistance, and research services to advance evidence-based practices and create systems-level change.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):

• Justice Reinvestment Initiative: State-level Technical Assistance Supplement

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Corrections, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement

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Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc.
C.O.P.S.

Each year, between 140 and 160 officers are killed in the line of duty, and their families and coworkers are left to cope with the tragic loss. Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. (C.O.P.S.) provides resources to help them rebuild their shattered lives. There is no membership fee to join C.O.P.S., for the price paid is already too high.

C.O.P.S. was organized in 1984 with 110 individual members. Today, C.O.P.S. membership includes more than 37,000 survivors. Survivors include spouses, children, parents, siblings, significant others, and affected coworkers of officers killed in the line of duty according to federal government criteria. C.O.P.S. is governed by a national board comprised of law enforcement survivors. All programs and services are administered by the National Office in Camdenton, Missouri. C.O.P.S. has more than 50 chapters nationwide that work with survivors at the grassroots level.

C.O.P.S. programs for survivors include the “National Police Survivors” Conference, held each May during National Police Week; scholarships; peer support at the national, state, and local levels; the “C.O.P.S. Kids” counseling reimbursement program, “C.O.P.S. Kids” Summer Camp, and “C.O.P.S. Teens” Outward Bound experience for young adults; special retreats for spouses, parents, siblings, adult children, extended family, and coworkers; trial and parole support; and other assistance programs.

C.O.P.S. knows that a survivor’s level of distress is directly affected by the agency’s response to the tragedy. C.O.P.S., therefore, offers training and assistance to law enforcement agencies nationwide on how to respond to the tragic loss of a member of the law enforcement profession. C.O.P.S. is a 501(c) (3) nonprofit organization. C.O.P.S. programs and services are funded by grants and donations.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- National Outreach Programs to Provide Peer Support, Counseling, Services and Resources to Survivors of Fallen Law Enforcement Officers

Program Area(s):
Law Enforcement

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THE COUNCIL OF STATE GOVERNMENTS

Founded in 1933, The Council of State Governments (CSG) is the nation’s only organization serving all three branches of state government. CSG is a region-based forum that fosters the exchange of insights and ideas to help state officials shape public policy. This offers unparalleled international, national, and regional opportunities to network, develop leaders, collaborate, and create problem-solving partnerships. CSG’s national headquarters is in Lexington, Kentucky.

THE COUNCIL OF STATE GOVERNMENTS JUSTICE CENTER

The CSG Justice Center provides practical, nonpartisan, and research-driven strategies and tools to increase public safety and strengthen communities.

The CSG Justice Center has approximately 120 employees based in offices throughout the United States. The staff have professional backgrounds that vary extensively, with decades of combined experience in law enforcement, community corrections, court administration, housing, mental health and addiction services, state prisons, local jails, juvenile justice, education, workforce development, and victim advocacy. Staff have served governors, state legislators, and members of Congress on both sides of the political spectrum, but what bonds them together is a shared commitment to their mission, a common set of values, and the national, bipartisan Board of Directors that guides their work.

The in-depth data analyses done by CSG Justice Center staff inform the recommendations it gives to states, counties, and community-based organizations seeking to enhance their criminal justice systems. The original, groundbreaking research the CSG Justice Center conducts prompts new national initiatives, and the on-the-ground training and assistance they provide helps state and local agencies translate the latest research into policy and practice. The CSG Justice Center’s national and state-level convenings bring together colleagues from across the country to share their successes and challenges dealing with the most pressing and complex issues facing the justice system today. Additionally, briefings it provides to top officials in Congress and the federal government result in legislation that enjoys broad, bipartisan support.

AMERICAN PROBATION AND PAROLE ASSOCIATION

The American Probation and Parole Association (APPA) supports probation and parole professionals in the Project Safe Neighborhoods initiative. APPA has been a partner with BJA and Project Safe Neighborhoods since 2004 and has provided training to more than 2,000 community corrections officers from more than 60 federal districts.

APPA is an international association composed of members from the United States, Canada, and other countries actively involved with pretrial, probation, parole, and community-based corrections, in both criminal and juvenile justice arenas. All levels of government, including federal, state/provincial, local, and tribal agencies, are counted among its constituents. By taking the initiative, APPA has grown to become the voice for thousands of pretrial, probation, and parole practitioners and providers of services, including line staff, supervisors, and administrators from both the public and private sectors. Educators, volunteers, victim service providers, concerned citizens, and others with an interest in criminal and juvenile justice are also among APPA’s members.
Council of State Governments (continued)

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Innovations in Supervision Initiative Training and Technical Assistance Program
• Tribal Corrections Capacity Building Training and Technical Assistance Program
• Justice Reinvestment Initiative State-level Technical Assistance Supplement
• Mental Health Collaboration State-based Capacity Building Program
• Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Training and Technical Assistance Program
• National Reentry Resource Center
• Tribal Justice Capacity Building Training and Technical Assistance Program: Building Tribal Capacity to Plan, Develop, and/or Enhance Reentry Efforts
• Training and Technical Assistance and Web-based Resources to Enhance Tribal Court Systems

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Corrections, Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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Fox Valley Technical College  
FVTC

The National Criminal Justice Training Center of Fox Valley Technical College (NCJTC) is a leading national training organization in the field of criminal justice.

With cutting-edge technologies and more than 300 experienced criminal justice instructors who are experts in their fields, NCJTC offers diverse and innovative training, specialized resources, and onsite technical assistance to continually meet the evolving needs of public safety and community service professionals.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Tribal Corrections Capacity Building Training and Technical Assistance
• Tribal Justice Systems Capacity Building Training and Technical Assistance
• Tribal Justice System Planning Process

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Corrections, Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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Impact Justice

Impact Justice is a national innovation and research center based in Oakland, California and Washington, D.C. Impact Justice is committed to reducing the number of people involved in the criminal justice system, improving conditions for those who remain incarcerated, providing meaningful opportunities for successful reentry, and attending to crime victims’ needs.

Home to some of the foremost leaders in juvenile and adult criminal justice, violence prevention, research and evaluation, restorative justice, and youth development, Impact Justice provides an array of technical assistance to criminal justice and community stakeholders.

Through a cooperative agreement between BJA and Impact Justice, the National Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Resource Center is working to address sexual safety in confinement and to assist state and local jurisdictions with the implementation of the U.S. Department of Justice's national PREA standards.

The PREA Resource Center works closely with adult prisons and jails, juvenile facilities, community confinement facilities, and lockups across the nation in their efforts to change confinement facility culture to lessen the likelihood of sexual victimization of inmates, residents, and detainees. This is being achieved through numerous mechanisms including, but not limited to, revisions to policies and operational practices, staff training, education to inmates, residents, and detainees, effective investigations, data collection and analysis, and the PREA Audit Function.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):

- Program Strategic Support for Prison Rape Elimination Act Implementation in Local Confinement Facilities Nationwide
- National Prison Rape Elimination Act Resource Center

Program Area(s):

Adjudication/Courts, Corrections, Crime Prevention, Law Enforcement, Victims of Crime

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The Institute for Intergovernmental Research, (IIR) is a Florida-based nonprofit corporation specializing in criminal justice (with a law enforcement focus) and homeland security issues. IIR has a proven history of promoting greater efficiency and effectiveness among federal, state, local, and tribal criminal justice agencies through customized services. IIR is a highly experienced team of professionals equipped with the knowledge and ability to respond to the needs of justice agencies. IIR's expertise and services are far-reaching, including, but not limited to, research, customized training, and technical assistance programs in the following specialized fields: officer safety and wellness; violence reduction; anti-terrorism prevention and interdiction; gang prevention, intervention, and suppression; task force management; intelligence and information sharing; and privacy issues. IIR's legacy has been the promotion of greater efficiency and effectiveness among federal, state, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies, not only within their operations, but also cooperatively across jurisdictional lines. IIR specializes in the development and implementation of strategic solutions to maximize criminal justice programs, operations, and relations. IIR is also an authorized federal vendor for professional services, including consulting, facilitation, and survey services.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**

- Continued Support for the Comprehensive Opioid Abuse Program Training and Technical Assistance
- Support for the National Public Safety Partnership
- Continued Support for the State, Local, Tribal, and Territorial Information Sharing and Nationwide Suspicious Activity Reporting Initiative Technical Assistance Program
- Preventing Violence Against Law Enforcement and Ensuring Officer Resilience and Survivability (VALOR) Law Enforcement Suicide Prevention Training Program
- Criminal Intelligence Systems Operating Policies (28 CFR Part 23)
- State and Local Anti-Terrorism Training
- Global Justice Information Sharing Initiative
- VALOR Officer Safety and Wellness Training and Technical Assistance Program
- Criminal Justice Forecasting Group Coordination
- Global Justice Information Sharing Initiative
- Enhancing Task Force Leadership, Operations, and Management
- 28 CFR Part 23 Training and Technical Assistance Program
- State, Local, Tribal, and Territorial Information Sharing and Nationwide Suspicious Activity Reporting Technical Assistance Program
Institute for Intergovernmental Research (continued)

**Program Area(s):**
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*The International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) is a professional association for law enforcement worldwide. For more than 120 years, IACP has been launching internationally acclaimed programs, speaking on behalf of law enforcement, conducting groundbreaking research, and providing exemplary programs and services to members across the globe. Today, IACP continues to be recognized as a leader in these areas. By maximizing the collective efforts of the membership, IACP actively supports law enforcement through advocacy, outreach, education, and programs. By engaging in strategic partnerships across the public safety spectrum, IACP provides members with resources and support in all aspects of law enforcement policy and operations. These tools help members perform their jobs effectively, efficiently, and safely, while also educating the public on the role of law enforcement to help build sustainable community relations.*

IACP is committed to serving the leaders of today and developing the leaders of tomorrow and is dedicated to advancing the law enforcement profession through advocacy, outreach, education, and programs.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**

- Innovations in Community-based Crime Reduction Program Training and Technical Assistance Program
- National Consortium on Preventing Law Enforcement Suicide
- National Anti-Human Trafficking Training and Technical Assistance for Law Enforcement Task Forces Program
- VALOR Law Enforcement Agency and Officer Resilience Training Program
- Anti-Human Trafficking National Training and Technical Assistance Program for Law Enforcement Task Forces Supplement

**Program Area(s):**

Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement, Victims of Crime

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Justice and Security Strategies, Inc.  
JSS

Justice and Security Strategies, Inc. (JSS) assists organizations that seek to enhance systems, manage change, define problems, develop solutions, fund and implement projects, train staff, evaluate performance, and receive public recognition for their best achievements.

JSS’s expertise in strategic thinking, governmental relations, technical assistance, rigorous research, evaluation and assessments, appropriate training and technology, and matching projects with funding – complementing an organization’s professional knowledge, skills, and experience – is dedicated to an organization’s success.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• National Prosecutor’s Consortium: Data-driven, Evidence-based Training and Technical Assistance

Program Area(s):
Information not available.

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Local Initiatives Support Corporation

LISC

The mission of the Local Initiatives Support Corporation is to support the neighborhood revitalization efforts of community groups by providing them with financing (e.g., grants, loans, and equity capital), technical and management assistance, training opportunities, and policy support.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):

- Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Training and Technical Assistance Program

Program Area(s):

Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement

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Margolis, Healy & Associates, LLC is a professional services firm specializing in campus safety, security, and regulatory compliance for higher education and K-12. The firm provides their clients with a variety of specialized services that include, but are not limited to, campus safety and security assessments; Title IX and Clery Act assessments; emergency management risk and hazard assessments; emergency preparedness and crisis response systems and exercises; implementation of lethal and less-than-lethal force options; litigation consultation; and special investigations/independent reviews. Their team of professionals brings a diverse set of skills and expertise to client institutions ranging from large public universities to private institutions, community colleges, and K-12 private and public school districts.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• National Center for Campus Public Safety Program

Program Area(s):
Crime Prevention

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National American Indian Court Judges Association

NAICJA

The National American Indian Court Judges Association (NAICJA) is a national association comprised of tribal justice personnel and others devoted to supporting and strengthening tribal justice systems through education, information sharing, and advocacy. NAICJA is a nonprofit corporation established in 1969 as a corporation in the state of Delaware following the enactment of the federal Indian Civil Rights Act of 1968 (ICRA). The act required tribes to follow certain requirements similar to those in the Bill of Rights in the U.S. Constitution. Tribal courts are the forums where those rights are enforced.

NAICJA’s early goal was to provide education to tribal judges so that it could conduct proceedings in compliance with the ICRA. Today, NAICJA’s primary goals include securing needed increases in funding for the daily functioning of tribal justice systems; serving as the national voice of tribal justice systems when advocacy is needed; ensuring that quality, culturally appropriate tribal judicial education is available nationwide; improving cooperation between federal, state, and tribal judiciaries; and providing support to tribal judiciaries by creating opportunities for networking and mentorship.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Holistic Defense Pilot Training and Technical Assistance Project
- Tribal Justice System Capacity Building Training and Technical Assistance Program
- Tribal Civil and Criminal Legal Assistance Program

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Justice Information Sharing, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Tribal Justice

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National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers

The National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers is the preeminent organization in the United States advancing the mission of the nation’s criminal defense lawyers to ensure justice and due process for persons accused of crime or other misconduct.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• National Training and Technical Assistance: Capital Case Litigation Initiative
• Wrongful Conviction Review Training and Technical Assistance Program

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts

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National Association of Drug Court Professionals
NADCP

The National Association of Drug Court Professionals is a national nonprofit 501(c)(3) corporation founded in 1994 by pioneers from the first 12 drug courts in the nation.

This extraordinary group of innovative judges, prosecutors, defense attorneys, and clinical professionals created a common-sense approach to improving the justice system by using a combination of judicial monitoring and effective treatment to compel drug-using offenders to change their lives.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Adult Drug Court Planning Initiative
• Adult Drug Court Training and Technical Assistance Initiative
• Adult Drug Court Training Initiative

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Corrections, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs

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National Center for Victims of Crime

The National Center for Victims of Crime is a nonprofit organization that advocates for victims’ rights, trains professionals who work with victims, and serves as a trusted source of information on victims’ issues. After more than 25 years, the National Center for Victims of Crime remains the most comprehensive national resource committed to advancing victims’ rights and helping victims of crime rebuild their lives.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Project Safe Neighborhoods National Training and Technical Assistance Program

Program Area(s):
Victims of Crime

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NCIA

The National Correctional Industries Association is an international nonprofit professional association whose members represent all 50 state correctional industry agencies, federal prison industries, foreign correctional industry agencies, and city/county jail industry programs. Private sector companies that work in partnership with correctional industries, both as suppliers/vendors and as partners in apprenticeship and work programs, are also members.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Prison Industry Enhancement Certification Training and Technical Assistance Program

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Corrections

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National Criminal Justice Association

NCJA

The National Criminal Justice Association (NCJA) works to promote a balanced approach to communities’ complex public safety, criminal, and juvenile justice system problems. NCJA offers a number of different opportunities to enhance the professional development of state, local, and tribal criminal and juvenile justice decisionmakers and policymakers through both educational training and events. NCJA also promotes a variety of events and conferences, all designed to increase networking opportunities and foster the exchange of valuable knowledge and skills.

As a network of state, local, and tribal justice and public safety information-sharing practitioners, the Justice Information Sharing Practitioners (JISP) Network is committed to increasing national, regional, and local sharing of justice information through peer collaboration and facilitation. JISP improves the capacity and management of information-sharing efforts nationwide by facilitating communication among justice technology practitioners and managers, sharing resources, offering and facilitating training and technical assistance, and providing guidance and direction regarding standards and model approaches.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- National Initiatives: Reaching Criminal Justice Policy Makers

Program Area(s):
Justice Information Sharing

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National Fallen Firefighters Foundation

_NFFF_

Congress created the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation to lead a nationwide effort to remember America’s fallen firefighters. Since 1992, the tax-exempt, nonprofit foundation has developed and expanded programs to honor our fallen fire heroes and assist their families and coworkers.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- National Firefighter and First Responder Survivor Support Programs: Peer Support, Counseling, and Public Safety Officers’ Benefits

Program Area(s):
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National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund

NLEOMF

Founded in 1984, the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund (NLEOMF) is dedicated to telling the story of U.S. law enforcement and making it safer for those who serve.

A nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization headquartered in Washington, D.C., NLEOMF built and continues to maintain the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial – the nation’s monument to law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty. NLEOMF is a principal organizer of the National Police Week observance each May and hosts a Candlelight Vigil each May 13 to honor all fallen officers. In addition, NLEOMF maintains the largest, most comprehensive database of line-of-duty officer deaths, conducts research into officer fatality trends and issues, and serves as an information clearinghouse.

More recently, NLEOMF launched a campaign to build the first-ever National Law Enforcement Museum in Washington, D.C. The museum tells the story of U.S. law enforcement through exhibits, collections, research, and education.

The Memorial Fund is governed by a board of directors representing 16 of the most prestigious law enforcement organizations in the country. In addition, three major corporate partners serve on the board of directors, including DuPont, Motorola, and Target Corporation. Led by Interim Chief Executive Officer Lori Sharpe Day, NLEOMF staff members bring diverse backgrounds and skills to the organization’s mission. NLEOMF does not receive taxpayer dollars for its day-to-day operations but relies on the generous contributions of the public.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):

- Destination Zero Officer Safety and Wellness Recognition Program

Program Area(s):
Crime Prevention, Information Sharing, and Law Enforcement

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National Legal Aid and Defender Association  
**NLADA**

Founded in 1911, the National Legal Aid and Defender Association (NLADA) is the United States’ oldest and largest nonprofit association devoted to excellence in the delivery of legal services to those who cannot afford counsel. NLADA has a long history of providing technical assistance, including seminal systems evaluations, training, and toolkits to promote excellence in state and local public defense delivery systems. The NLADA team devoted to this project brings extensive technical assistance and evaluation experience, as well as a wealth of field experience in public defense delivery. NLADA is a mission-driven organization with a vast network of subject matter experts, drawn from members and strategic partners located throughout the nation, who possess the knowledge and vision needed for the Smart Defense Initiative.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**
- Sixth Amendment Training and Technical Assistance Supplement
- Smart Defense Training and Technical Assistance Initiative

**Program Area(s):**
- Adjudication/Courts

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National Police Foundation

The purpose of the National Police Foundation is to help the police be more effective in doing their job, whether it be deterring robberies, intervening in potentially injurious family disputes, or working to improve relationships between the police and the communities it serves. To accomplish their mission, the National Police Foundation works closely with police officers and police agencies across the country, and it is in their hard work and contributions that their accomplishments are rooted.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):

- National Resource and Technical Assistance Center for Improving Law Enforcement Investigations
- Technology Innovation for Public Safety Addressing Precipitous Increases in Crime Training and Technical Assistance Program
- National Officer Safety Initiatives Program
- National Initiatives: Law Enforcement: Building Trust and Accountability with Communities through CompStat Training and Technical Assistance
- Officer Safety and Wellness Pilot Research and Evaluation Model

Program Area(s):

Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement

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National Sheriffs' Association

NSA

Chartered in 1940, the National Sheriffs' Association (NSA) is a professional association dedicated to serving sheriffs' offices and its affiliates through police education, police training, and general law enforcement information resources. NSA represents thousands of sheriffs, deputies, and other law enforcement, public safety professionals, and concerned citizens nationwide.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• National Officer Safety Initiatives Program

Program Area(s):
Law Enforcement

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National White Collar Crime Center

*NW3C*

For more than 40 years, the National White Collar Crime Center (NW3C) has provided comprehensive training programs to help law enforcement professionals master the principles, concepts, and skills needed to fight cyber and economic crime. The support includes various training and technical assistance options (onsite and offsite), both in-person and remote.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**
- NW3C: Economic, High-Technology, White Collar, and Internet Crime Prevention National Training and Technical Assistance Program

**Program Area(s):**
Adjudication/Courts, Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement, Victims of Crime

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New York University  
NYU

The Litmus Program is in the Marron Institute of Urban Management at New York University. Litmus promotes innovation in criminal justice, working with public agencies across a range of policy issues to engage stakeholders, help identify and develop promising strategies, support constant process improvement, and foster organic innovation through ongoing iterative evaluation. Litmus operates the BJA Swift Certain Fair Resource Center, supporting state, local, tribal, and territorial jurisdictions and agencies in implementing and testing innovations in community corrections. It provides resources, materials, and free training and technical assistance, customized to the recipient’s interests and circumstances. Its Segregation Solutions project promotes innovations in corrections management and testing of promising strategies to create safer, more rehabilitative corrections environments.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Innovative Responses to Behavior in the Community: Swift, Certain, and Fair Supervision Program

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Corrections

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Police Executive Research Forum

PERF

Founded in 1976 as a nonprofit organization, the Police Executive Research Forum (PERF) is a police research organization and a provider of management services, technical assistance, and executive-level education to support law enforcement agencies. PERF helps enhance the delivery of police services through the exercise of strong national leadership, public debate of police and criminal justice issues, and research and policy development.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Improving Homicide Investigations

Program Area(s):
Crime Prevention, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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Policy Research Associates, Inc. (PRA) is a small business that is a national leader in behavioral health and research. PRA offers four core services that help individuals with behavioral health needs achieve recovery. In partnership with its sister nonprofit organization, Policy Research, Inc., PRA offers technical assistance, training, research, and meeting facilitation services, primarily in the following content areas: behavioral health; homelessness; benefit access; criminal justice; juvenile justice; service members, veterans, and their families; recovery support; consumers and family members; trauma; wellness; child welfare; and education.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- VALOR: Law Enforcement and Community: Crisis Intervention Training Model

Program Area(s):
Law Enforcement

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Polis Solutions, Inc.

Polis Solutions, Inc. was founded by the creators of a $40 million Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency effort to develop innovative methods and technologies for training social interaction and trust-building skills. Polis Solutions is a training, consulting, and research firm that specializes in creating evidence-based programs that build public trust and safer communities. Polis Solutions’ work focuses on helping police departments and other organizations develop customized programs to manage the social dynamics that shape human performance and trust in critical situations. Their team combines world-class expertise in policing, social science research, adult education, military special operations, and technology development to create effective training and actionable analysis for their clients.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- De-Escalation Training and Technical Assistance Program

Program Area(s):
Law Enforcement

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**RTI International**

RTI International is an independent, nonprofit institute that provides research, development, and technical services to government and commercial clients worldwide. Their mission is to improve the human condition by turning knowledge into practice.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**
- The Sexual Assault Forensic Evidence Reporting Enhancement to the Sexual Assault Kit Initiative: National Training and Technical Assistance

**Program Area(s):**
Crime Prevention

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School of Criminal Justice at Michigan State University

MSU

The School of Criminal Justice at Michigan State University (MSU) is the nation’s oldest continuous degree-granting program in criminal justice. Since 1935, MSU has been a leader in criminal justice scholarship with its pioneering research; undergraduate and graduate education; and engaged collaboration with criminal justice agencies, the private sector, and communities locally and abroad.

As the nation’s pioneering land-grant university, MSU prides itself on applying research-based knowledge to real-world problems. The School of Criminal Justice is at the forefront of working collaboratively, using knowledge to solve problems and assist communities locally and globally to improve the quality of life, promote public safety, and enhance fairness and effectiveness in the delivery of justice.

Empirical research is an integral part of MSU’s land-grant mission. Specifically, MSU scholars seek to apply research findings to real-world problems with the goal of developing solutions, improving lives, and advancing knowledge. The faculty at the School of Criminal Justice actively contributes to this mission, conducting interdisciplinary research on a range of topics related to crime, victimization, justice, and law. Major projects have been funded by these U.S. Department of Justice organizations: the Bureau of Justice Assistance, the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, and the National Institute of Justice.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):

- Project Safe Neighborhoods National Training and Technical Assistance Program
- Smart Suite Training and Technical Assistance Program
- Project Safe Neighborhoods Training and Technical Assistance Program

Program Area(s):
Corrections, Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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Seattle University

SU

Seattle University, founded in 1891, is a Jesuit Catholic university and law school located on 50 acres in Seattle, Washington's Capitol Hill neighborhood. More than 7,200 students are enrolled in undergraduate and graduate programs within 8 schools and colleges.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Training and Technical Assistance to Support the Protection of Constitutional Rights Under the Sixth Amendment

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts

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*SPC*

The Center for Public Safety Innovation (CPSI) at St. Petersburg College’s mission is to develop and deliver high-quality training for emergency and first responders, military personnel, and the general public, in a variety of formats — web-based, video, broadcast, and face-to-face — using state-of-the-art technology and best practices in education and training. CPSI training focuses on public safety, the disaster preparedness cycle, illegal drug interdiction, community engagement, and enhanced quality of life for all.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**  
- Executive Session Police Leadership

**Program Area(s):**  
Crime Prevention, Law Enforcement

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Stetson University College of Law

Founded in 1900 as Florida’s first law school, Stetson University College of Law has educated outstanding lawyers, judges, and other leaders for 113 years. The mission of the National Clearinghouse for Science, Technology and the Law (NCSTL) at Stetson University College of Law is to foster communication among the scientific, technological, and legal communities, resulting in awareness and understanding of the policies, interests, and concerns affecting those communities. To accomplish this, NCSTL provides comprehensive scientific, technological, and legal information, which will promote justice based on sound science and technology.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Capital Case Litigation Training and Technical Assistance Initiative

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts

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Texas State University
TSU

The Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training (ALERRT) Center at Texas State University (TSU) provides the best, research-based active attack response training in the nation. From the 1966 shooting at the University of Texas, to the coordinated terrorist attacks in Mumbai, India in 2008, to the Las Vegas, Nevada shootings in 2017, and to the Douglas High School shooting in February 2018, the most important lesson learned is to be prepared. The ALERRT Center has developed a research-based standard for integrated active attack response. Law enforcement professionals across the nation are carrying this standard forward.

The ALERRT Center is the only national training program whose primary mission is responding to an active attack threat. While much of the training is delivered onsite in communities around the country, ALERRT also has a multimillion-dollar training facility in San Marcos, Texas for advanced active shooter response training. Since 2002, the ALERRT Center at TSU has delivered vital active shooter response training to more than 107,500 first responders across the nation, through more than $65 million in federal and state funding.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- ALERRT Project

Program Area(s):
Crime Prevention

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Tribal Law and Policy Institute

TLPI

The Tribal Law and Policy Institute (TLPI) is a 100-percent American Indian-operated nonprofit organization organized to design and deliver education, research, training, and technical assistance programs that promote the enhancement of justice in Indian country and the health, well-being, and culture of native peoples.

TLPI seeks to facilitate the sharing of resources so that American Indian Nations and tribal justice systems have access to cost-effective resources that can be adapted to meet the individual needs of their communities. TLPI strives to establish programs that link tribal justice systems with other academic, legal, and judicial resources such as law schools, American Indian law clinics, tribal colleges, American Indian Studies programs, American Indian legal organizations and consultants, tribal legal departments, other tribal courts, and other judicial/legal institutions.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Tribal Justice System Capacity Building Training and Technical Assistance Program
• Tribal Healing to Wellness Court Training and Technical Assistance

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Justice Information Sharing, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Tribal Justice, Victims of Crime

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Active BJA-funded Project(s):
- Upholding the Rule of Law and Preventing Wrongful Convictions Program
- Sentinel Events Initiative Demonstration Project

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University of Cincinnati

UC

The University of Cincinnati provides training, technical assistance, and research.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**
- Justice Reinvestment Initiative: Maximizing State Reforms Grant Program
- The Implementation and Evaluation of the Effective Practices in Community Support Model for Influencers
- Evaluation of a Cognitive-Behavioral Program for Inmates in Administrative Segregation

**Program Area(s):**
Adjudication/Courts, Corrections, Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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UND

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Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• Tribal Justice Systems Infrastructure Training and Technical Assistance Program Supplement

Program Area(s):
Adjudication/Courts, Tribal Justice

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Urban Institute

*Urban*

The Urban Institute’s (Urban) Justice Policy Center staff members conduct research and evaluations and provide technical assistance to improve justice policy and practice at the national, state, and local levels. Urban researchers examine the development, implementation, and impact of policing, crime prevention, and gang disruption initiatives. The work includes a large breadth of topics ranging from risk assessment, community corrections and reentry, human trafficking, forensic science, courts and sentencing, to gun violence.

Researchers work closely with governors, mayors, state and federal policymakers, police chiefs, corrections directors, community groups, and service providers to provide technical assistance to improve public safety and find smarter ways to spend scarce criminal justice resources. Urban staff members use their knowledge of the federal, state, and local correctional systems to guide concrete, real-world solutions. They conduct rigorous evaluations and in-depth data analyses and give context to the data through interviews with victims, perpetrators, and the practitioners who interact with these groups. This hands-on work and technical assistance allow Urban staff members to hear from the people most affected by justice policy decisions and makes findings more relevant and useful.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**

- Justice Reinvestment Initiative: Program Oversight, Coordination, and Outcome Assessment Provider Supplement
- Risk Assessment Clearinghouse

**Program Area(s):**

Corrections, Crime Prevention, Justice Information Sharing, Law Enforcement, Substance Abuse/Drugs, Victims of Crime

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Vera Institute of Justice

Vera

The Vera Institute of Justice (Vera) combines expertise in research, demonstration projects, and technical assistance to help leaders in government and civil society improve the systems people rely on for justice and safety.

Vera is an independent, nonpartisan, nonprofit center for justice policy and practice, with offices in New York City, New York; Washington, D.C.; New Orleans, Louisiana; and Los Angeles, California. Their projects and reform initiatives, typically conducted in partnership with national, state, or local officials, are located across the United States and around the world.

Active BJA-funded Project(s):
• National Segregation Reduction and Alternatives Campaign Supplement
• Opening Doors: Improving Reentry Outcomes by Increasing Access to Public Housing
• National Training and Technical Assistance Initiative to Improve Police-based Responses to People with Mental Health Disorders and Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

Program Area(s):
Law Enforcement

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Virginia Center for Policing Innovation
VCPI

Virginia Center for Policing Innovation (VCPI) serves as a powerful resource for public safety and communities nationwide, advancing public safety through the development and delivery of training (onsite and eLearning), consulting, technical assistance, program development, implementation, management, and much more. Since 1997, VCPI, a nonprofit organization, has trained more than 50,000 public safety professionals and others in a wide variety of public safety topics.

VCPI’s experience and expertise expand beyond the development and delivery of training to include:

- Program design and implementation;
- Critical response technical assistance;
- Organizational assessments;
- Policy and procedure development;
- Research and model development;
- Community policing assessments;
- Data analysis;
- Technology-enhanced toolkits and resources;
- Community engagement;
- Security assessments; and
- Instructor development.

As a leader in its field, VCPI continues to shape the future of public safety across the nation. For 20 years, VCPI has enjoyed successful national partnerships with committed public safety practitioners, local law enforcement agencies, universities, private organizations, statewide organizations, and federal agencies such as the Bureau of Justice Assistance, the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, the Department of Homeland Security, and the National Institute of Justice. Each of these partnerships has afforded VCPI the opportunity to expand its reach and impact, advancing public safety nationwide, one person, one agency, one community at a time.

**Active BJA-funded Project(s):**
- Measuring What Matters: Building Trust and Legitimacy

**Program Area(s):**
Crime Prevention, Law Enforcement, Victims of Crime

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## Appendix

### Common Acronyms in BJA-funded Projects

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