

# Dr. Beth Hardie PhD (Cantab)

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## Academic Activity & Employment

2004+; *part time since 2010*

*Maternity leave: 1 year 2015; 1 year 2018*

*Chronic illness (period of much reduced work due to long covid): 2021-2023*

### Research:

- Independent; 2021+  
Co-PI, SATNAV school-wide programme; behaviour change for social betterment
- University of Cambridge Institute of Criminology; 2004-2020  
Peterborough Adolescent & Young Adult Development Study (PADS+)  
Research Manager PADS+, 2006-2020  
Research Assistant PADS+, 2005-2006  
Research Manager, Peterborough Community Survey (within PADS+), 2004-2005

### Editorial/Peer Review:

- Managing Editor, European Journal of Criminology; 2021+
- Reviewer 2012+: European Journal of Criminology; Criminology; Crime & Delinquency; Criminal Justice Review; Deviant Behavior; Journal of Research in Crime & Delinquency; Social Science Research; International Journal of Law Crime & Justice; Security Journal; Journal of Urban Design; Environment & Planning B: Urban Analytics & City Science

### Teaching, Examining and Training Delivery:

- External PhD supervisor: Cent. for Accident Research & Road Safety - Queensland Univ. of Tech; 2020-2024
- Internal PhD examiner: Univ. Cambridge 2022
- External pre-viva public panel examiner: Malmö University 2021
- Occasional lectures: Univ. Cambridge MPhil Crim. & MPhil Crim. Research; 2005+
- MPhil Supervisor: Univ. Cambridge MPhil Crim. & MPhil Crim. Research; 2020/1
- MPhil, MSt & PhD thesis advisor & reviewer: Univ. Cambridge, Inst of Crim; 2008-2020
- Devised and conducted numerous in-situ workshops and training sessions for collaborative studies' research staff (e.g., UK, Spain, Sweden, Netherlands, Canada); 2007-2019
- Lecturer, Malmö Univ., BA Crim. & MA Research Methods: Research methodology; 2011
- A-level Psychology & A-level Criminology: conferences, seminars and workshops (PADS+ was part of the OCR A-level Psychology syllabus); various, 2011-2015

### Awards and funding

- Nigel Walker Prize, 2020; for distinctive scholarly contribution to the field of Criminology by a member of the Univ. Cambridge
- Key member of successful PADS+ team application for two ESRC Large Grants 2014-17, £1,336,214; 2007-2013, £2,588,503
- Univ. Cambridge Domestic Research Scholarship; PhD funding, 3 years (PT pro rata)

## **Publications**

*Citations: 1781; h-index: 10; i10-index: 10 (Apr 2024)*

### **Books and Monographs**

- **Hardie, B.** (2020). *Studying Situational Interaction: Clarifying and demonstrating appropriate analysis of person-environment interaction to explain behaviour*. Springerbriefs in Criminology; Springer. (Citations: 40)
- **Hardie, B.** (2017). *Why monitoring doesn't always matter: The situational role of parental monitoring in adolescent crime*. Doctoral Thesis. University of Cambridge. (Citations: 21)
- Wikström, P-O H., Oberwittler, D., Treiber, K., & **Hardie, B.** (2012). *Breaking rules: The social and situational dynamics of young people's urban crime*. Oxford University Press. (Citations: 886)

### **Book sections**

- **Hardie, B.,** & Wikström, P.-O. H. (2021). Space-Time Budget methodology: Facilitating social ecology of crime. In J. C. Barnes & D. R. Forde (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of research methods and statistical techniques in Criminology and Criminal Justice*. Wiley. (Citations: 11)
- Wikström, P-O H., Treiber, K., & **Hardie, B.** (2012). Examining the role of the environment in crime causation: small-area community surveys and space-time budgets. In D. Gadd, S. Karstedt, & S. F. Messner (Eds.), *The SAGE handbook of criminological research methods*. SAGE. (Citations: 50)

### **Journal articles (selected)**

- **Hardie, B.** (2024). Supervision, presence and knowledge: Clarifying 'parental monitoring' concepts within a model of goal-directed parental action. *Theory & Society*. (Citations: 0)
- **Hardie, B.** (2022). What do parents do? Towards conceptual clarity in the study of parental influence on adolescent behavioural outcomes. *New Ideas in Psychology*, 66. (Citations: 2)
- **Hardie, B.** (2021). Reconceptualising parental monitoring within a model of goal-directed parental action. *New Ideas in Psychology*, 61. (Citations: 6)
- **Hardie, B.** (2021). Why monitoring doesn't always matter: The interaction of personal propensity with physical and psychological parental presence in a situational explanation of adolescent offending. *Deviant Behavior* 42(3), 329-352 (online first 2019). (Citations: 24)
- Wikström, P-O H., Mann, R., & **Hardie, B.** (2018). Young people's differential vulnerability to criminogenic exposure. In J. Reinecke & H. Hirtenlehner (Eds.), *European Journal of Criminology: Special issue on testing Situational Action Theory* 15(1), 10-31. (Citations: 132)
- Hirtenlehner, H., & **Hardie, B.** (2016). On the conditional relevance of controls: an application of Situational Action Theory to shoplifting. *Deviant Behavior*, 37(3), 315-331. (Citations: 81)
- Wikström, P-O H., Ceccato, V., **Hardie, B.,** & Treiber, K. (2010). Activity fields and the dynamics of crime: Advancing knowledge about the role of the environment in crime causation. *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*, 26(1), 55-87. (Citations: 328)

### **Reports**

- Rose, C., Nandavar, S., **Hardie, B.,** Watson, B., & Watson, A. (2022). *Re-evaluating speeding behaviour among ACT drivers: An action theory approach*. Report for the Australian Capital Territory Road Safety Fund. (Citations: 0)

### **Republished chapters (selected)**

- Wikström, P-O H., Oberwittler, D., Treiber, K., & **Hardie, B.** (2015). Situational Action Theory. Chapter 1 of *Breaking Rules* republished in McGee, T., & Mazerolle, P. (Eds.), *Developmental and life-course criminological theories*. Ashgate Publishing. (Citations: 194)

## **Education**

University of Cambridge Institute of Criminology & Churchill College, 2010-2017

**PhD Criminology** (Part time alongside Research Manager position; inc. one-year maternity leave)

Thesis title: Why monitoring doesn't always matter: The situational role of parental monitoring in adolescent crime

University of Cambridge Churchill College, 2000-2004

**BA Social and Political Sciences**. II.I (67.3) (MA conferred by right)

Part I: Politics, sociology, social anthropology, social psychology

Part II: Social psychology, developmental psychology, experimental psychology, psychology of emotion, psychology of communication, psychology of judgement & decision-making, criminology, research dissertation

Cirencester College 1997-1999

*A-Level*: 4 A grades

Cirencester Deer Park School 1992-1997

*GCSE*: 13 A\*/A grades

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## **Media appearances (selected)**

- Personal interviews about PADS+ research activities and outputs: The Independent, 'Thinking Allowed' (BBC Radio 4), BBC Radio Cambridgeshire, BBC Radio Devon
  - Other print media coverage of PADS+ research outputs: Daily Mail, Huffington Post
  - Television coverage of PADS+ research outputs: BBC World News, BBC Breakfast, Press TV (Iranian English language news broadcaster)
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## **Keynotes and invited seminars**

- National Education Union Cambridgeshire District AGM: Keynote speaker, 2024
- Leadership Partner Schools Network conference: Keynote speaker, 2023
- Risky places for crime - Safeplaces Network public seminar series: Invited speaker 2021
- High Sherriff of Cambridgeshire Legal Conference: Keynote speaker 2013

## **Conferences**

- European Society of Criminology Annual Conference:  
Presenter 2005-07, 2009, 2013-14; Delegate 2019; Discussant & workshop chair 2021
  - American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting:  
Delegate 2005; Presenter 2010-12; Authors meet Critics (critic) 2021
  - Research and practice in conversation – serious youth violence: Delegate 2020
  - Cambridge Situational Action Theory workshop: Delegate 2014, 2018; Presenter 2016
  - Stockholm Criminology Symposium:  
Invited presenter 2011; Authors meet Critics (author) 2012; Delegate 2016
  - UK Criminology PhD Conference: Panel Chair 2010
  - SCoPiC (Social Contexts of Pathways in Crime) conference, Cambridge: Delegate 2005-07
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## **Personal memberships, qualifications, volunteer work (selected)**

Karen Hilltribes Trust; 2004+: Chair of board of trustees; monitoring & evaluation lead

The Scout Association Beavers Leader; 2024+

Meridian Triathlon Club member; 2015+

St John Ambulance trained First Aider at Work; 2005-2016