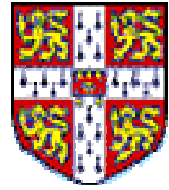


The ESRC's Priority Research Network



SCoPiC



For the Study of Social Contexts of Pathways in Crime

Conference Programme

The First Annual
SCoPiC Conference:

*Development, Context and
Mechanisms*

Cambridge

2-3 June 2004

Conference Co-Chairs

**Professor Per-Olof Wikström, University of Cambridge
Professor Robert Sampson, Harvard University**

Wednesday 2nd June

Chair: Professor **John Spencer**, University of Cambridge

10.30 *Welcome and Introductions*
Professor **Michael Tonry**
Director of Institute of Criminology, University of Cambridge

Professor **Ian Diamond**
Chief Executive, Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC)

Professor **Per-Olof Wikström**
Director of SCoPiC, University of Cambridge

11.00 *The Systemic Approach to Social Facts*
Professor **Mario Bunge**
McGill University

12.00 *Discussant (Bunge)*
Professor Sir **Anthony Bottoms**
University of Cambridge

12.30 LUNCH

Chair: Professor **Joanna Shapland**, University of Sheffield

14.00 *How Does Community Context Matter? Social Mechanisms and the Explanation of Crime*
Professor **Robert J Sampson**
Harvard University

15.00 *Linking Individuals, Settings and Action: Situational Mechanisms and the Explanation of Crime*
Professor **Per-Olof Wikstrom**
University of Cambridge

16.00 COFFEE BREAK

16.30 *Discussant (Sampson, Wikström)*
Professor **David Farrington**
University of Cambridge

18.30 PRECONFERENCE DINNER DRINKS

19.30 CONFERENCE DINNER

Thursday 3rd June

Chair: Professor **Manuel Eisner**, University of Cambridge

10.00 *Self-Control and Social Bonds in a Developmental Perspective*
Professor **Marc LeBlanc**
University of Montreal

11.00 *Developmental Pathways to Serious Delinquency: Individual Contagion and Contextual Effects*
Professor **Rolf Loeber**
University of Pittsburgh

12.15 LUNCH

Chair: Professor **Ken Pease, OBE**

14.00 *Testing Causal Models in Developmental Criminology: Contributions from Genetically-Sensitive Research Designs*
Professor **Avshalom Caspi**
King's College London

15.00 *Discussant (LeBlanc, Loeber, Caspi)*
Professor **John Laub**
University of Maryland

15.45 COFFEE BREAK

16.15 END OF CONFERENCE