

# CCJP: HIGHLIGHTS FROM 2019-2020

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BIRMINGHAM



CENTRE FOR CRIME  
JUSTICE AND POLICING

# TEAM SUCCESS

- 21<sup>st</sup> Century Transnational Crime recognised as a main theme of the University's Institute for Global Innovation.
- Funded work from the College of Policing to evaluate interventions around Vulnerability and Violent Crime Programme (CoSS, LES, MDS).
- IRIS (Identification and Referral to Improve Safety) evaluation.
- Several papers linking DV with health outcomes, including mental health.
- Extensive coverage for the team, especially lead author Dr Joht Chandan.
- A 20-month programme of work has been commissioned by the Swiss Police to explore their use of the Violent Crime Linkage Analysis System, or ViCLAS, and behavioural analysis more generally across the country.

# INDIVIDUAL SUCCESS

- Melissa Colloff and Heather Flowe won a public engagement award called the Light of Understanding for their work with children and carers regarding eyewitness memory.
- Jess Woodhams and Sami Bensassi won impact awards for their work on ANPR and tariffs and lowering trade in the illegal sector respectively.
- Jack Grieve won an award from the NCA for his work on combatting CSE.
- Juliane Kloess awarded an ECR prize from the British Psychological Society for advancing the field of qualitative methods.

# STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

- Continue our active engagement and co-production of research and improving practice with a number of police forces.
- Work with several other partners e.g. Skills for Justice and Health, Public Health England, local councils (e.g. Sandwell) on our justice and health streams.

# INTERNATIONALISATION

- Links with globally acclaimed researchers (some of whom are speaking today!)
- CCJP members have given keynotes internationally.
- International collaborations and collaborator visits a regular feature.