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About

Title of PhD: The case linkage of stranger, acquaintance, and domestic sexual assault

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Kari Davies is undertaking doctoral research into the case linkage of sexual assault. She will be using data from the UK and abroad in order to conduct investigations into sexual offenders' behaviour; specifically looking at whether victim choice affects the way that offenders commit these offences.

Qualifications

MSc Forensic Psychology (distinction) – University of Leicester
BSc Psychology (2:1 Hons) – University of Durham

Biography

Kari completed her degree at the University of Durham and her Masters at the University of Leicester. She has also been involved in a number of research projects, including working for the Home Team Behavioural Sciences Centre in Singapore.

Publications

Davies, K., Tonkin, M., Bull, R., & Bond, J. W. (2012). The course of case linkage never did run smooth: A new investigation to tackle the behavioural changes in serial car theft. *Journal of Investigative Psychology and Offender Profiling*, 9, 274-295. doi: 10.1002/jip.1369

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