

Deviance, Law, and Social Control Comprehensive Exam Reading List

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**Note: This list is intended to serve as a baseline guide. Students should supplement with additional readings for specific topic areas of interest, with their advisor's approval.*