

# **Patrick Oliver, Ph.D.**

**Associate Professor of Criminal Justice at Cedarville University**

Cedarville, OH, US

Dr. Oliver serves as Director of the Criminal Justice Program.

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## **Biography**

Professor Oliver serves as Director of the Criminal Justice Program. Prior to coming to Cedarville in 2005, he served for 27 years in law enforcement, including as Chief of Police in the cities of Fairborn, Grandview Heights, and Cleveland, Ohio, and as Ranger Chief of Cleveland Metropolitan Parks. He also spent 11 years as a trooper with the Ohio State Highway Patrol. Professor Oliver serves as a Crown Financial Ministries budget coach and seminar instructor, as well as being a consultant and trainer for the International Association of Chiefs of Police and Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police.

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## **Industry Expertise**

Research, Education/Learning

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Community-based Policing, Improper / Proper Use of Force, Recruiting, Hiring, Retaining Police Officers, Biased-based Policing

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## **Education**

**Antioch University**

Ph.D. Leadership and Change

**Baldwin Wallace College**

M.B.A.

**Baldwin Wallace College**

B.A. Criminal Justice

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