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Areas of Interest / Specialization

- Criminal justice system inequalities
- Police bias
- Pretrial hearings
- Race relations and affirmative action Policies
- Racial identification and classification;
- Homicides and Drug Trafficking Crimes

Academic Background

PhD candidate in Sociology, Federal University of Minas Gerais – UFMG (2023–present) Dissertation: *Racial Identification and Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte*

Master's in Sociology, Federal University of Minas Gerais – UFMG (2019–2021) Thesis: *How Race Happens: An Analysis of Incrimination for Drug Trafficking in Belo Horizonte*

Bachelor's in Law, Federal University of Minas Gerais – UFMG (2006–2011)

Professional Experience

- Researcher at the Center for Studies on Crime and Public Security - CRISP/UFMG (2019–present)
- Public Servant – Education Technician, Office of Student Affairs, Federal University of Minas Gerais- UFMG (2015– present)
- Principal Investigator, project “*Guaranteeing Pretrial **liberty** – The Role of Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte*” (2024–present)

- Principal Investigator, project “*Measuring the Homicide Trial Timeline: Ten Years After the First Study*” (2024–present)
- Principal Investigator, Instituto de Defesa do Direito de Defesa – IDDD, project “*Monitoring Pretrial Hearings in Brazil in 2025*” (2024–2025)
- Research Consultant, IDDD, quantitative database review (January to April, 2025)
- Director of Affirmative Action Policies, Dean of Student Affairs – UFMG (2018–2023)

Teaching Experience

- Master’s in Health Promotion and Violence Prevention – UFMG Medical School
Topic: *Race and Violence*, 2023–2025
- Course on Racial Self-Identification Procedures in Public Judiciary Exams, EMERJ (Rio de Janeiro), 2024
- *Contemporary Perspectives on Human Rights: Racial Violence*, UFMG Cross-disciplinary Programs, 2023
- Course on Racial and Ethnic Identification Procedures in Higher Education Policies – UFMG Central Administration, 2020
- *Promoting Racial Equality and Combating Racism: The Role of Racial Identification Committees* – UFMG Central Administration, 2019

Affiliations

- Member of the Brazilian Bar Association – Minas Gerais Section (OAB/MG), since 2010
- Member of the Brazilian Association of Black Researchers (ABPN), since 2023

Publications

Journal Articles

RIBEIRO, L.; MARONA, M. C.; **REIS, D.**; PAZ, L. F.; BRASIL, J. C. *How the Minas Gerais Court of Justice Handles Racial Crimes*. Revista Direito e Práxis, v.16, p.1–34, 2025.

REIS, D.; RIBEIRO, L. *Racial Profiling in Drug Trafficking Cases: A Case Study in Belo Horizonte*. Tempo Social, v.35, p.189–217, 2023.

NASCIMENTO, A. R.; LAGES, L. B.; FLEURY REIS, D.; NEVES, J. *Differences Between Public and Private Defense: How They Affect Convictions in Drug Trafficking Cases*. Juris Poiesis, v.24, p.845, 2021.

FLEURY REIS, D. *Demystifying Racial Self-Identification: Reflections on Procedures in Affirmative Action Policies*. V Seminário Discente do PPGS/UFMG. 2020.

Books

RIBEIRO, L.; BASTOS, L.; **REIS, D.**; LAGES, L. B.; OLIVEIRA, T. *Guaranteeing provisional freedom: The Role of Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte*. Belo Horizonte: Ed. dos Autores, 2024.

RIBEIRO, L. M. L.; LAGES, L. B.; FLEURY **REIS, D.**; LOPES, A. G.; NUNES, F. Y. *P. Neither Free or Imprisoned: Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte as a Response to Mass Pretrial Incarceration*. Belo Horizonte: Letramento; Casa do Direito, 2020.

Book Chapters

MARIANO, J.; OLIVEIRA, T.; **REIS, D.**; FLEURY, T.; RIBEIRO, L. M. L. “*The schedule Must Go On*”: Access to Justice in the Context of Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte. In: *State Practices, Judicial Institutions and Conflict Management*. Rio de Janeiro: Autografia, 2024.

RIBEIRO, L.; **FLEURY, D.**; SOARES, R. *Once Accused by Police, Immediately Convicted by the Courts: The Processing Pattern in Drug Courts of Belo Horizonte*. In: *Conflict Management and Citizenship – Volume VII*. Rio de Janeiro: Autografia, 2023.

FLEURY REIS, D.; RIBEIRO, L.; OLIVEIRA, V. *Racial Erasure in Criminal Statistics*. In: *Public Security Statistics: Production and Use of Criminal Data in Brazil*. São Paulo: Fórum Brasileiro de Segurança Pública, 2022.

Other Academic Productions

JESUS, R. E.; **REIS, D.**; GOMES, N. L.; ALMEIDA, S. R. G. *Who Wants (or Can) Be Black in Brazil?* Belo Horizonte: Autêntica, 2021. (Book Preface)

REIS, D. et al. *Overview of Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte and Betim – Sep–Dec 2024.* (Research Report)

- RIBEIRO, L. M. L. et al. *Public Defenders in Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte – Dec 2022 to May 2023.* (Research Report)
- RIBEIRO, L. et al. *Drug Trafficking Case Processing in Belo Horizonte: A Decade of Selectivity,* 2020. (Research Report)
- RIBEIRO, L. et al. *Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte: Advances and Challenges,* 2019. (Research Report)

Conference Presentations

- **FLEURY, D. R.**; RIBEIRO, L. L. *Race, Crime, and the Criminal Justice System: The Impact of Racial Classification on Pretrial Hearing Decisions.* American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting (upcoming, Nov 2025)
- **FLEURY, D. R.**; CAMPOLINA, N.; OLIVEIRA, T. “Nowadays, Even Handcuffing Is Police Violence” – *Can Police Violence Justify Pretrial Release?* 22nd Congress of Sociology, São Paulo, 2025.
- **FLEURY, D. R.**; RIBEIRO, L. M. L. *Racial Identity in the Context of Incarceration: Absences and Emergences.* V Colóquio Raça e Interseccionalidades and Primer Congreso del Investigadores Afrolatinoamericano y del Caribe, UNIRIO, 2024.
- OLIVEIRA, T.; **REIS, D.** et al. *Can the Detainee Speak? The "Voice" of the Accused in Pretrial Hearings in Belo Horizonte.* XI Seminário Internacional – INCT-InEAC/UFF, 2024.
- LAGES, L. et al. *Producing Injustice: How Judicial Decisions in Pretrial Hearings Reiterate Racial Inequality.* 14th Meeting of the Brazilian Political Science Association (ABCP), Salvador, 2024.
- OLIVEIRA, V. et al. *Racial Composition of Schools in Brazilian Municipalities: What the School Census Says (and Doesn't Say).* 48th ANPOCS Annual Meeting, Campinas, 2024.

- PAZ, L. F.; **FLEURY, D.**; BRASIL, J. C. *How the Minas Gerais Court of Justice Handles Racial Crimes*. VIII Encontro Nacional de Antropologia do Direito, 2023.
- **FLEURY REIS, D.**; SOARES, R. *The Link Between Race and Territory: Dimensions That Intersect in Drug-Related Incrimination in Belo Horizonte*. 21st Congress of Sociology, Belém, 2023.
- **FLEURY REIS, D.** et al. *In This War, Who Is the Enemy? An Analysis of the Role of Race in Drug Trafficking Convictions*. 44th ANPOCS Annual Meeting, 2020.

Invited Talks and Presentations

- Keynote Speaker, *I Workshop of the Subnational Justice Observatory in Brazil*, 2023. Talk: Racial Agenda in the Minas Gerais Court of Justice.
- Keynote Speaker, *IPEA Research Launch: Drug Law Enforcement and Criminal Proceedings in Brazil*, 2023. Panel 1: What Data (or Its Absence) Tells Us About Drug Law Application.
- Panelist, *VII International Seminar on Prison Research*, 2023. Roundtable: Drugs and Incarceration.
- Speaker, *I Training Meeting of Racial Identification Committees – UFU*, 2019.