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Peter Moskos was a Baltimore City Police officer assigned to patrol on the midnight shift in the high-crime Eastern District, an area known to many from the H.B.O. series The Wire.

Moskos left the police force to return to his graduate studies in sociology. He received his B.A. from Princeton University (1994) and his Ph.D. from Harvard University (2004). He's currently a professor of Law and Police Science at John Jay College of Criminal Justice in New

York City.

Moskos is the author of the award winning and critically acclaimed *Cop in the Hood*, published by Princeton University Press. Moskos argues that the War on Drugs has created a new policing paradigm. His current research focuses on police, crime prevention, and public policies that succeed at improving quality of life and saving lives.

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