Reconceptualizing Crime as an Independent Variable: Understanding the Social and Personal Consequences of Criminal Involvement

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