



BACHELOR OF ARTS

Criminal Justice

with a concentration in Criminology



FMU
FLORIDA MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Criminal Justice program empowers students to become critical thinkers, problem-solvers, policy initiators, ethical actors, and competent administrators in the practice of crime prevention and the study of crime and criminal behavior. The curricula are dynamic, innovative and provide both substantive and practical instruction that connect social-scientific theories with appropriate methodologies to serve a diverse multicultural environment.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students who choose to major in Criminal Justice or Criminal Justice with a Concentration in Criminology will be prepared for opportunities in all areas of the Criminal Justice System as well as in the private sector. Specifically, students will be prepared to pursue careers in various fields such as: law enforcement, the court system, corrections, the private sector (i.e., private security, private investigator, loss prevention), and applied research.

DEGREE CHECKLIST

FRESHMAN			
Prefix	Course No.	Course	Credits
FMU	101	University 101	2
CSC	101	Intro to Computers	3
ENG	101	College Writing I	3
REL		Society and Global Inquiry (HUM/VPA)	3
MAT	106	Math for Liberal Arts I	3
REA	101	Critical Thinking & Reading	3
TOTAL - 1st SEMESTER			17
SSS	102	Critical Thinking in Social Science	2
ENG	102	College Writing II	3
MAT	107	Math for Liberal Arts II	3
PSY	200	Intro to Psychology	3
HIS		African Diaspora and the World	3
REL		Intro to Religion or Philosophy	3
TOTAL - 2nd SEMESTER			17

MARJOR COURSES			
Prefix	Course No.	Course	Credits
CRJ	307	Criminology	3
SOC	309	Sociology of Deviance	3
CRJ	405	Law Enforcement	3
CRJ	407	Constitutional Law I	3
BIO	301	Principles of Biology	3
BIO	301	Principles of Biology Lab	1
TOTAL - 5th SEMESTER			16
CRJ	407	Constitutional Law I	3
CRJ	409	Court Procedures and Criminal Evidence	3
CRJ	411	Drugs, Alcohol & Crime	3
PSY	308	Drugs, Alcohol & Crime	3
TOTAL - 6th SEMESTER			12

FRESHMAN/SOPHOMORE			
Prefix	Course No.	Course	Credits
CRJ	200	Intro to Criminal Justice	3
COM	103	Intro to Public Speaking	3
		Scientific Inquiry	3
	201	World Language I	3
SOC	200	Intro to Sociology	3
PSY/SCC	312/302	Intro to Statistics	3
TOTAL - 3rd SEMESTER			18
CRJ	301	Criminal Law I	3
CRJ	305	Confinement Facilities	3
ENG	309	Advanced Grammar & Composition	3
POL	301	US Government	3
PSY	401	Advanced Statistics (Pre Req: PSY 312)	3
	202	World Language II	3
TOTAL - 4th SEMESTER			18

MARJOR COURSES			
Prefix	Course No.	Course	Credits
SSC	300	Research Methods (Pre-Req: PSY 312)	3
CRJ	412	Criminal Investigations	3
		Elective	3
		Elective	3
TOTAL - 7th SEMESTER			12
SSC	423	Senior Project (Pre-Req: SSC 300)	3
		Elective	3
		Approved Elective	3
		Approved Elective	3
TOTAL - 8th SEMESTER			12