

Criminology

Overview

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Criminology focuses on describing different types of crime and causes of criminal behavior, while criminal justice refers to the system in which criminals are processed and punished. Given the interdisciplinary nature of this degree, students with a criminology minor could pursue job opportunities in social and human service occupations related to criminal, juvenile, and social justice. The minor prepares students for a wide variety of career options and provides an excellent basis for graduate study in criminology, other social sciences, and law.

Minor

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For the minor in Criminology, the student must complete six courses (no less than 18 credits) with a grade of C or higher, from the following requirements:

CJ 201	Criminology	3
CJ/SO 209 or PY 313	Methods of Social Science Research Experimental Psychology I	4-3
CJ 316	Criminal Violence	3
Select three of the following (one must be a CJ course subject)		
CJ 304	Juvenile Delinquency	3
CJ 306	Victimology	3
CJ 320	Drugs and Society	3
CJ 330	Terrorism	3
CJ 424	Murder: Our Killing Culture	3
CJ 425	Domestic Violence	3
PY 212	Abnormal Psychology	3
PY 234	Forensic Psychology	3
PY 314	Experimental Psychology II	3
PY 344	Cognition	4
Total Cr.		18