

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

2023-2024 Degree Requirements

Name: _____

ID Number: _____

TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE: 120

UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM: 42 credits

Required Fundamental Courses:

COMM 101	Oral Comm. & Pres.	3 credits	
ENGL 101	College Composition	3 credits	
UNIV 101	City-University Life	3 credits	
Senior Capstone	CRMJ 400	3 credits	(Transnational Criminal Activities)

Choose Thematic Core courses in the following:

Explore the World - Choice 1	3 credits
Explore the World - Choice 2	3 credits
Investigate Science	3 credits
Investigate Mathematics	3 credits
Interpret Creative Works	3 credits
Understand People - Choice 1	3 credits
Understand People - Choice 2	3 credits
Succeed in Business	3 credits
Appreciate & Apply the Arts	3 credits
Discover Technology	3 credits

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 66 cr.

FSCI 370 Forensic Evidence I (3)
FSCI 371 Forensic Evidence II (3)
HIST 382 History of Pittsburgh (3)
PSYC 245 Intro to Forensic Psych (3)
CRMJ 150 Intro to Criminal Justice (3)
CRMJ 151 Evolution of Policing (3)
CRMJ 201 Const Law for Law Enforce (3)
CRMJ 220 Profess Comm in CRMJ (3)
CRMJ 230 Profess Responsibilities (3)
CRMJ 250 Crim Law & Procedure (3)
CRMJ 251 Criminology (3)
CRMJ 261 The Courts & Crim Trial (3)
CRMJ 262 Corrections, Prob, & Parole (3)
CRMJ 361 Crim Evidence (3)
CRMJ 362 Crim Investigations (3)
CRMJ 403 Fed Law Enforcement (3)

Choose 6 courses from the following:

CRMJ 254 Juvenile Justice (3)
CRMJ 290 Hist of Org Crime (3)
CRMJ 304 Comp Exams & Hire Proc (3)
CRMJ 305 Joint Task Force (3)
CRMJ 313 Sex Crimes Inv (3)
CRMJ 315 Quantitative Method (3)
CRMJ 330 Risk Assess & Inv (3)
CRMJ 351 Research Methods & Des (3)
CRMJ 352 Fraud Inv (3)
CRMJ 364 Money Laundering (3)
CRMJ 396 Act 120(12)or Corr Ac(9)**
CRMJ 404 International Crim Law (3)
CRMJ 420 Re-think Rehab & Re-Entry (3)
CRMJ 455 Crim Just Internship (3)
CRMJ 470 Crim Profiling (3)

****Certificate of Completion Required**

GENERAL ELECTIVES: 12 cr.

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Upon successful completion of this program, a student will be able to:

1. Offer clear and concise oral and written criminal justice reports based on the formats, content, and style of reports and oral communications within the criminal justice community.
2. Apply critical thinking in order to collect, analyze, and interpret information by using accepted methods from the criminal justice community, including the use of accepted tools and sources within the criminal justice community.
3. Define the criminal justice system and describe and analyze the elements that construct the system including community interactions, emergency response, administrative requirements, and investigate techniques and methods, consitutional requirements, and the applied sciences of the criminal justice system.
4. Describe, evaluate, and analyze the history of the criminal justice system, its origins, and evolution in the U.S. and its effect on the communities they serve.
5. List, describe, and evaluate the range of criminal justice procedures, techniques, and legal requirements in criminal justice system. Students will also assess the most effective application in utilizing accepted source, methods and techniques of the various elements in order to attain the criminal justice goals.