

CRIMINAL JUSTICE MINOR

The Criminal Justice minor introduces students to the history, current structure, and processes of the American criminal justice system, including its principal components, the ethical issues surrounding each of those components, and the research that evaluates the impact of the system. It provides an introduction to the perspectives of other social systems and cultures, as well as the contemporary competing models of what a criminal justice system ought to be, both domestic and cross-cultural.

Code	Title	Credits
All of the following Criminal Justice courses:		
SOC 320	Theories of Crime and Deviance	3
CRJ 321	Introduction to the Criminal Justice System	3
CRJ 323	Crime, Victimization and Public Health	3
CRJ 423	Law and Society	3
Select six credits from the following:		6
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology: Self and Society	
SOC 170	Social Science and Social Problems	
SOC 301	Social and Cultural Theory	
SOC 309	The Urban Social System	
CRJ 312	Research Design for the Social Sciences	
SOC 313	Power and Society: Political Sociology in Action	
SOC 314	Statistics for the Social Sciences	
CRJ 316	Qualitative Methods, Ethnography, and Engagement	
CRJ 317	Criminal Justice Administration and Ethics	
SOC 318	Gender in American Society	
CRJ 322	Victim Advocacy Policy and Practice	
CRJ 341	Race and Justice	
CRJ 385	Community Internship	
SOC 411	Social Inequality and Stratification	
CRJ 493	Directed Independent Readings	
CRJ 495	Directed Independent Study	
CRJ 497	Directed Independent Research	
SOC 540	Structural Injustice	
CRJ 570	Geographic Info System	
PLS 320	Judicial Process	
PLS 337	Constitutional Law	
Total Credits		18