

Criminology - Law Enforcement Option, B.S.

DEPARTMENT

MN in Criminology, Minor
MS in Criminology, M.S.
BS in Criminology - Victimology Option, B.S.
BS in Criminology - Corrections Option, B.S.
BS in Criminology - Law Enforcement Option, B.S. - Continuing & Global Education
BS in Criminology - Law Enforcement Option, B.S.
BS in Forensic Behavioral Sciences, B.S.
MN in Forensic Behavioral Sciences, Minor

REQUIREMENTS

Department of Criminology

Bachelor of Science Degree Requirements

Criminology Major

A grade of C or higher is required for all courses to be counted toward the major (excluding CR/NC classes).

1. Criminology - Law Enforcement Option major requirements (49 units)

Lower-division requirements: CRIM 1, 2, 20, 50 (10 units)

Upper-division core: CRIM 100, 102, 109, 112, 170, 174 (18 units)

Upper-division requirements: CRIM 113, 110, 117, 138, 180I or 180HI (15 units)

Electives (6 units)

Any upper-division course offered by the Criminology Department that is not already required by the option, or any of the following courses: AFRS 146, CLAS 120, PHIL 121, and PAX 100, or any other suitable course with permission from the department

2. General Education requirements (49 units)

3. Other requirements (9 units)

American Government and Institutions (PLSI 2), Multicultural and International (MI), and Upper-division writing

4. Sufficient elective units to meet required total units (varies)

(See Degree Requirements); may be used toward a double major or minor

5. Total units (120)*

* G.E. and MI courses can be double-counted with major requirements. The writing requirement may be met by taking the upper-division writing exam. See advisor for details.

Advising Notes

1. From Fall 2019, students wishing to change their major to Criminology or Forensic Behavioral Sciences will need to have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5.
2. CRIM 108 - a maximum of three units can be used as a criminology elective, or as a substitution for the internship requirement, but not both. Excess units from CRIM 108 will count as general elective units which can be used as part of the 120 unit graduation requirement.

FACULTY

The criminology department consists of 16 full-time faculty members whose expertise includes numerous specialties in the criminal justice system, including corrections, counseling, victimology, juvenile delinquency, theory, legal studies, supervision

and management, and criminal justice administration. Various part-time faculty members from major criminal justice agencies also instruct in the department.

For faculty phone numbers and e-mail, see the campus directory.

For more on the faculty, see the faculty pages.

The faculty pages are updated by the department or program.