



CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Bachelor of Arts

College of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences

Program Overview

UIW's Criminal Justice program develops an awareness and knowledge of the criminal justice system in American society. The Bachelor of Arts degree in Criminal Justice is built from an integrated liberal-arts orientation. Emphasizing the history and current operations of the criminal courts, law enforcement, and corrections, the program fosters critical analysis of criminal justice as a social institution. The program develops informed and conscientious students who understand the responsibilities of working in the criminal justice field.

Career Opportunities

Students with a Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice can pursue a career in the following areas:

Texas Ranger	Victim Services Specialist
Juvenile Court Counselor	U.S. Customs Agent
Probation Officer	Fish and Game Warden
Police Officer	Corrections Officer
Park Ranger	Postal Service Investigator
Parole Officer	Pre-Trial Services Officer

Criminal Justice Minor

12 semester hours (6 upper-division) in any of the courses offered

Faculty

Dr. Georgen Guerrero, Associate Professor (Ph.D., Sam Houston State University)

Dr. Doshie Piper, Assistant Professor (Ph.D., Prairie View A&M University)

Dr. Roger C. Barnes, Professor (Ph.D., University of Kansas)

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Freshman Year: Fall		Hrs.
CRJU 1311 Introduction to Criminal Justice		3
ENGL 1311 or 1311L Core		3
RELS 1305, 1315, 1325, 1335 or 1327H		3
HIST Core		3
Elective		3
Total hours		15
Sophomore Year: Fall		
CRJU 2392 Introduction to the U.S. Legal System		3
ENGL 2310 World Literature Studies		3
Fine Arts Core		3
Modern Language I		3
Natural Science and Lab Core		4
Total hours		16
Junior Year: Fall		
CRJU 3330 Law Enforcement in America		3
CRJU 3340 Corrections		3
CRJU 3384 Research Methods in Criminal Justice		3
Minor or Electives		6
Total hours		15
Senior Year: Fall		
CRJU Electives		6
Minor or Elective		6
Elective Course		3
Total hours		15

Freshman Year: Spring		Hrs.
MATH Core		3
DWHP 1200 or 3200 and 1hr physical activity course		3
ENGL 1312 Composition II		3
PHIL 1381 Introduction to Philosophy		3
Elective		3
Total hours		15
Sophomore Year: Spring		
CRJU 3322 Criminology		3
CRJU Elective		3
Modern Language II		3
PHIL or RELS Core (upper division)		3
Total hours		12
Junior Year: Spring		
CRJU 3381 Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences		3
CRJU Elective		3
Minor (upper division)		6
Electives		3
Total hours		15
Senior Year: Spring		
CRJU 4301 Senior Seminar in Criminal Justice		3
Electives		12
Total hours		15

Core Curriculum - Total Hours 40
Major - Total Hours 78
Degree - Total Hours 118