Requirements for Criminology (B.A. – 42 hours)

I. University Studies requirements (see Undergraduate Catalogue)

Some general education requirements may be double-counted in the major. Please see your degree audit for information.

II. Required Courses

- CRM 105 - Introduction to Criminal Justice
- SOC 105 - Introduction to Sociology
- CRM/SOC 255 - Criminology or CRM/SOC 256 (WI) 
  (pre: CRM 105 or SOC 105)
- CRM 360 - Criminological Theory (pre: CRM 105) (WI)
- STT 215 - Introduction to Statistics or MAT 111 or higher (pre-req: placement or MAT 105)
- CRM/SOC 300 - Methods of Social Research (pre or co-req: STT 215 or MAT 111)
- CRM/SOC 301 – Sociological Data Analysis and Interpretation (pre: CRM/SOC 300 and STT/MAT)
- Senior Seminar (option based on concentration choice – see below)

III. Concentrations

Option 1. Criminology

Required

- CRM 495 - Senior Seminar or CRM 499 – Honors Work in Criminal Justice (pre: CRM/SOC 255 or 256, CRM/SOC 300, CRM/SOC 301, CRM 360, and senior standing)

Primary Electives (choose two)

- CRM 310 - White Collar Crime
- CRM 315 - Victimology
- CRM 370 - Minorities, Crime and Criminal Justice Policy
- CRM 375 - Drugs and Crime
- CRM/SOC 376 - Juvenile Delinquency
- CRM 420 - Collective Violence

Secondary Electives (choose two)

- CRM Elective 1
- CRM Elective 1

(includes any CRM courses that are not required or primary electives)

Option 2. Criminal Justice

Required

- CRM 495 - Senior Seminar or CRM 499 – Honors Work in Criminal Justice (pre: CRM/SOC 255 or 256, CRM/SOC 300, CRM/SOC 301, CRM 360 and senior standing)

Primary Electives (choose two)

- CRM 307 - Police in Society
- CRM 320 - Criminal Courts
- CRM 330 - Corrections
- CRM 380 - Criminal Law
- CRM 381 - Criminal Procedure
- CRM 460 - Crime and Public Policy

Secondary Electives (choose two)

- CRM Elective 2
- CRM Elective 2

(includes any CRM courses that are not required or primary electives)

Option 3. Public Criminology (39 hrs.)

Required

- CRM 391 - Public Criminology Seminar (pre: CRM/SOC 300, CRM/SOC 301 and SOC 360)
- CRM 496 - Practicum in Public Criminology (6 hours)

Electives (choose four)*

- CRM Elective 1
- CRM Elective 2
- CRM Elective 3
- CRM Elective 4

* includes any CRM course not already required

IV. Social Science Electives (choose three)

- FSC 211 – Fundamentals of Forensic Science
- PSY 247 – Abnormal Psychology
- PSY 275 – Forensic Psychology
- SOC 215 – Modern Social Problems
- SOC 220 – Sociology of Death and Dying
- SOC 325 - Racial and Ethnic Group Relations
- SOC 335 - The Sociology of Deviant Behavior
- SOC 340 - Organizations in Modern Society
- SOC 345 - Sociology of the Family
- SOC 350 - Gender and Society
- SOC 360 - Social Theory
- SOC 365 - Social Psychology
- SOC 375 - Urban Sociology
- SOC 380 - Social Classes
- SOC 433 - Sociology of Mental Illness
- SOC 449 - Sociology of Law
- SOC 460 - Sociology of Poverty

A grade of “C” or better is required in CRM 105, and no more than one course with a grade of “D” may count toward the requirements for the major (or minor) in criminology.

Students have the responsibility to understand and meet the requirements for the curriculum under which they are studying and should seek advice as appropriate.
Criminology Elective Course List

Secondary Electives for Criminology (CRM) Concentration Only
CRM 307 - Police in Society
CRM 320 - Criminal Courts
CRM 330 - Corrections
CRM 380 - Criminal Law
CRM 381 - Criminal Procedure
CRM 460 - Crime and Public Policy

Secondary Electives for Criminal Justice (CRJ) Concentration Only
CRM 310 - White Collar Crime
CRM 315 - Victimology
CRM 370 - Minorities, Crime and Criminal Justice Policy
CRM 375 - Drugs and Crime
CRM 376 - Juvenile Delinquency
CRM 420 - Collective Violence

Secondary Electives for Either Concentration
CRM 110 - Crime and Justice Issues
CRM 377 – Restorative Justice
CRM 385 - Law of Evidence
CRM 390 - Media, Crime, and Justice
CRM 395 - Topical Seminar
CRM 405 - Criminal Justice Administration
CRM 410 - World Criminal Justice Systems
CRM 425 - Trials of the Century
CRM 450 - Criminal Justice Theory
CRM/CRML 490 - Criminal Justice Practicum
CRM 491 – Directed Individual Study

Sociology Elective Course List

SOC 200 - Sociology of Sport
SOC 215 - Modern Social Problems
SOC 220 - Sociology of Death and Dying
SOC 240 - Individuals and Societies in a Global World
SOC 250 - Issues in Social Justice
SOC 255 - Criminology
SOC 256 - Criminology: Writing Intensive
SOC 303 - Media and Society
SOC 304 - Popular Culture
SOC 305 - Demography
SOC 306 - Sociology of Culture
SOC 315 - Urban Sociology
SOC 320 - Rural Sociology
SOC 325 - Racial and Ethnic Group Relations
SOC 335 - The Sociology of Deviant Behavior
SOC 336 - Sociology of Aging
SOC 337 - Medical Sociology
SOC 340 - Organizations in Modern Society
SOC 345 - Sociology of the Family
SOC 346 - Sociology of Religion
SOC 347 - Sociology of Education
SOC 350 - Gender and Society
SOC 365 - Social Psychology
SOC 366 - Social Change
SOC 370 - Sociology through Film
SOC 376 - Juvenile Delinquency
SOC 380 - Social Classes
SOC 399 - Topical Seminar
SOC 415 - Globalization and Development
SOC 433 - Sociology of Mental Illness
SOC 438 - Social Epidemiology
SOC 449 - Sociology of Law
SOC 460 - Sociology of Poverty
SOC 485 - The Community
SOC 486 - Sociology of Work and Occupations
SOC 498 - Internship in Sociology (1-6)

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