Sociology and Criminology

FEATURED COURSES OFFERED SPRING 2022

CRIME AND COMMUNITY IN THE CAPE FEAR
CRM/PLS 250
CRN: 23765 & 23775
WED 5-6:15 PM
INSTRUCTOR: MR. BEN DAVID, LOCAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY

MODERN SOCIAL PROBLEMS
SOC 215
CRN: 23667
WED 5-7:45 PM
INSTRUCTOR: MR. FELIX BROOKS

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE
CRM 377
CRN: 22268
MON 3:30-6:15 PM
INSTRUCTOR: DR. KIM COOK

ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY
SOC 399
CRN: 22165
TUE/THUR 2-3:15 PM
INSTRUCTOR: DR. BROCK TERNES
CRIME AND COMMUNITY
IN THE CAPE FEAR

COURSE INSTRUCTED BY
DISTRICT ATTORNEY
BEN DAVID

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FULFILLS EXPLORATIONS BEYOND THE CLASSROOM
ALL MAJORS WELCOMED
CRM 377 RESTORATIVE JUSTICE
CRN: 22268
PROFESSOR KIM COOK
FMI, EMAIL: COOKK@UNCW.EDU

- **Join the Circle:** in CRM 377 (CRN 22268)
- **Mondays:** 3:30 – 6:15, 219 Bear Hall.
- **Restorative Justice** is a global and local reform strategy to provide meaningful justice options to people whose lives have been impacted by crime. This class explores the theory, practice, and empirical findings associated with restorative justice. Applied learning is central to this class in that circle process is used throughout the semester as a platform for instruction.
- **Pre-Requisites:** CRM 105, SOC/CRM 255 or 256, plus three hours in criminology at 300 level, or permission of instructor
- **Excellent preparation for employers** – this is an expanding practice across the country.

**Assignments:** weekly circle process participation, academic and practitioner oriented readings, topical cluster presentation, and practice-oriented term paper.

You may also be interested in the optional Restorative Justice Community Engagement as a companion for CRM 377. You can work in a local community agency that is using restorative justice to learn and contribute to their programs. This will satisfy EBC and can be used as a primary or secondary elective in criminology, if you enroll in 3 credits for the RJCE.
SOC 215: MODERN SOCIAL PROBLEMS

Wednesday 5-7:45 pm
Instructor: Felix Brooks
CRN: 23667

If there was any time that we as humans felt under siege that time would be now. Between Climate change, the Pandemic and Political Polarization there are a host of social problems we need to come to grips with. In Modern Social problems I will attempt to address these issues and look at possible solutions. If you are up for a nuanced investigation that considers the complexity surrounding these issues, join me and participate in a lively discussion and analysis designed to broaden your understanding and give you a narrative with which to speak of the current state of affairs.
Environmental sociology is a subfield that problematizes conceptual distinctions between nature and culture. Broadly, students will examine environment-society relations from various perspectives and discuss climate change, food systems, disasters, and environmental justice. SOC 399’s learning objectives include: (1) applying the sociological perspective to think about the environment; (2) grasp the complexity related to environmental problems including climate change; and (3) understand different ways to conceptualize the relationship between people and nature. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Dr. Ternes (ternesb@uncw.edu).