

# ECU COURSE CATALOG

## CRIMINAL JUSTICE COURSES

### **CRJS-2233 Introduction to Criminal Justice 3 Credits**

AN OVERVIEW OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM, TO INCLUDE POLICE, COURTS, AND CORRECTIONS AS THEY PERTAIN TO BOTH ADULTS AND JUVENILES. AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE PARTICIPANTS, AND THEIR ROLES, IN ACCOMPLISHING THE MISSIONS OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM.

### **CRJS-2253 Adult Correctional Systems 3 Credits**

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE ADULT CORRECTIONAL SYSTEM, BOTH IN OKLAHOMA AND ON A NATIONWIDE BASIS. THE COURSE WILL PROVIDE THE STUDENT WITH INFORMATION REGARDING THE ENTIRE FIELD OF ADULT CORRECTIONS.

### **CRJS-2353 Juvenile Justice System 3 Credits**

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM, BOTH IN OKLAHOMA AND ON A NATIONAL BASIS. THE MAJOR AREAS EXPLORED WILL BE DIVERSION AND TREATMENT GOALS.

### **CRJS-2453 The Police Function 3 Credits**

POLICE SYSTEMS ESTABLISHED IN AMERICA AND ABROAD, FUNCTIONS AND ACTIVITIES, DIVISION AND SUBDIVISIONS WITH RESPONSIBILITIES OF EACH. SPECIAL EMPHASIS IS PLACED ON CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS, RULES, PRINCIPLES AND CONCEPTS GOVERNING ARREST, SEARCH, AND SEIZURE.

### **CRJS-2881 Special Studies in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 1 Credit**

DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

### **CRJS-2882 Special Studies in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 2 Credits**

DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

### **CRJS-2883 Special Studies in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 3 Credits**

DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

### **CRJS-2884 Special Studies in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 4 Credits**

DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

### **CRJS-3013 Introduction to Narcotics Enforcement 3 Credits**

THIS COURSE PROVIDES AN INTRODUCTION TO TOPICS IN NARCOTICS. TOPICS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, NARCOTICS INVESTIGATION, CURRENT DRUG TRENDS, PATROL LEVEL SURVEILLANCE, AND INTRODUCTORY NARCOTICS IDENTIFICATION.

### **CRJS-3203 Victimology 3 Credits**

THE PURPOSE OF THIS COURSE IS TO INTRODUCE THE FIELD OF VICTIMOLOGY. AN INTERDISCIPLINARY AND CONTEXTUAL APPROACH WILL BE USED TO EXPLORE CRIMINAL VICTIMIZATION, AND CONSIDER THE ROLE OF INTRAPERSONAL, INTERPERSONAL, FAMILIAL, PEER, COMMUNITY, AND MASS MEDIA INFLUENCES. STUDENTS WILL BE INTRODUCED TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE FIELD, THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM'S RESPONSES TO VICTIMIZATION, SUBAREAS OF VICTIMOLOGY, AND POLICY DEVELOPMENT.

### **CRJS-3333 Criminal Behavior 3 Credits**

A REVIEW OF HISTORICAL AND CURRENT THEORIES REGARDING THE CAUSES OF CRIMINAL BEHAVIOR. STUDY OF THE MAJOR TYPES OF CRIMINAL OFFENDERS. Required Previous: CRJS-2233

### **CRJS-3423 Introduction to Law Enforcement 3 Credits**

AN IN-DEPTH STUDY OF OKLAHOMA'S SUBSTANTIVE AND PROCEDURAL CRIMINAL LAWS RELATED TO THE REGULATION OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM. Required Previous or Concurrent: CRJS-2233

### **CRJS-3503 Rural Criminology 3 Credits**

RURAL CRIMINOLOGY IS A FIELD WITHIN CRIMINOLOGY THAT ACKNOWLEDGES THE IMPACT OF RURALITY AND COMMUNITY SIZE ON THE

INCIDENCE OF CRIME, TYPE OF CRIME, AND RESOURCES TO RESPOND TO CRIME. IN THIS COURSE, CRIMINOLOGICAL THEORY WILL BE APPLIED TO RURAL AREAS TO EXPLAIN HOW SOCIAL, CULTURAL, AND ECONOMIC FORCES INFLUENCE CRIME IN RURAL AREAS OF THE UNITED STATES.

### **CRJS-3643 Criminal Justice Issues 3 Credits**

FOCUS ON CONTEMPORARY ISSUES CONCERNING THE PHILOSOPHY, MANAGEMENT AND OPERATIONS OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCIES. THE SCOPE AND DIRECTION OF THIS COURSE IS DETERMINED BY THE INSTRUCTOR.

### **CRJS-3653 Alternatives to Incarceration 3 Credits**

ALL PUBLIC & PRIVATE RESOURCES ARE REVIEWED PERTAINING TO EFFECTIVELY TREATING THE OFFENDERS' UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOR IN THE COMMUNITY RATHER THAN IN PRISON. THE IMPACT OF COMMUNITY TREATMENT CENTERS, GROUP HOMES, & HALFWAY HOUSES ON THE INDIVIDUAL & THE COMMUNITY, THE EFFECTIVENESS OF INDIVIDUAL, GROUP, & FAMILY THERAPIES ON THE OFFENDER ARE EXAMINED.

### **CRJS-4003 Advanced Search and Seizure 3 Credits**

THIS COURSE PROVIDES AN IN-DEPTH OVERVIEW, ANALYSIS, AND PRACTICE OF THE FOURTH AMENDMENT AND CURRENT SEARCH AND SEIZURE LAW. IN THIS COURSE STUDENTS WILL LEARN TECHNIQUES TO WRITE STRONG WARRANT AFFIDAVITS, TECHNIQUES OF SEARCH WARRANT EXECUTION, AND IMPROVE UPON ANY EXISTING SKILLS IN SEARCH AND SEIZURE.

### **CRJS-4293 Police Administration 3 Credits**

A COMPARATIVE SURVEY AND ANALYSIS OF ADMINISTRATIVE PHILOSOPHY, PROBLEMS, PROCEDURES, ORGANIZATIONS, CONTEMPORARY HUMAN RESOURCES TRENDS (IE., RECRUITMENT, SELECTION, A.D.A., E.E.O.C., AFFIRMATIVE ACTION, DIVERSITY) FOR EFFECTIVE AGENCY ORGANIZATION. CONSIDERS ADMINISTRATIVE SKILLS RELATING TO OPERATIONS AND PERSONNEL.

### **CRJS-4333 Criminal Investigation I 3 Credits**

INTRODUCTION TO THE FUNDAMENTALS OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION, INCLUDING THEORY AND HISTORY, CONDUCT AT CRIME SCENES, COLLECTION AND PRESERVATION OF EVIDENCE. Required Previous or Concurrent: CRJS-2423

### **CRJS-4343 Criminal Investigation II 3 Credits**

ADVANCED TECHNIQUES IN CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS INCLUDING FORENSIC EXAMINATIONS OF CRIME SCENES AND TRACE EVIDENCE. POLICE RESPONSES TO CRIME WILL INCLUDE FINGERPRINT LIFTING AND PRESERVATION OF EVIDENCE, AS WELL AS METHODS OF IDENTIFYING PERPETRATORS. Required Previous: CRJS-4333

### **CRJS-4473 Legal Aspects of Criminal Justice Process 3 Credits**

AN IN DEPTH STUDY OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL BASIS FOR LAW IN THE U.S. THE COURSE WILL EXAMINE THE RELATIONSHIP OF THE JUDICIAL PROCESS AND CONSTITUTIONAL LAW TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE PRACTICE. SPECIAL EMPHASIS WILL BE PLACED ON CASE DECISIONS.

### **CRJS-4503 Criminal Justice in Indian Country 3 Credits**

THIS COURSE FOCUSES ON TRIBAL CRIME DATA COLLECTION, CRIME TRENDS, AND OTHER CRITICAL JUSTICE ISSUES IN INDIAN COUNTRY. TOPICS COVERED IN THIS COURSE INCLUDE THE HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMPLEXITIES OF LAW ENFORCEMENT AND LEGAL JURISDICTION, VICTIMIZATION, AND LAW ENFORCEMENT IN THE INDIAN COUNTRY.

### **CRJS-4623 Interrogation Techniques 3 Credits**

THIS COURSE IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE COUNCIL ON LAW ENFORCEMENT EDUCATION AND TRAINING (CLEET) REQUIREMENTS, AND IS CONSTRUCTED SPECIFICALLY FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS. THE FOCUS OF THIS COURSE IS TO PREPARE FOR AND TO CONDUCT INTERVIEWS AND INTERROGATIONS INCORPORATING NON-VERBAL KINETICS (BODY LANGUAGE) TECHNIQUES, GRAMMATICAL CLUES TO INDICATE DECEPTION, VERBAL BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS, AND EVASIVE VERBAL RESPONSES DURING INTERVIEWS AND INTERROGATIONS. Required Previous or Concurrent: CRJS-2423

**CRJS-4941 Internship (Field named in title listing) 1 Credit**  
EACH STUDENT IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A TOTAL OF TWELVE HOURS (USUALLY ONE SEMESTER) OF FIELD TRAINING CONSISTING OF FULL-TIME WORK IN AN APPROVED SETTING. UNDER SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES, ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS MAY BE APPROVED.

**CRJS-4942 Internship (Field named in title listing) 2 Credits**  
EACH STUDENT IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A TOTAL OF TWELVE HOURS (USUALLY ONE SEMESTER) OF FIELD TRAINING CONSISTING OF FULL-TIME WORK IN AN APPROVED SETTING. UNDER SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES, ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS MAY BE APPROVED.

**CRJS-4944 Internship (Field named in title listing) 4 Credits**  
EACH STUDENT IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A TOTAL OF TWELVE HOURS (USUALLY ONE SEMESTER) OF FIELD TRAINING CONSISTING OF FULL-TIME WORK IN AN APPROVED SETTING. UNDER SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES, ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS MAY BE APPROVED.

**CRJS-4946 Internship (Field named in title listing) 6 Credits**  
EACH STUDENT IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A TOTAL OF TWELVE HOURS (USUALLY ONE SEMESTER) OF FIELD TRAINING CONSISTING OF FULL-TIME WORK IN AN APPROVED SETTING. UNDER SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES, ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS MAY BE APPROVED.

**CRJS-4981 Seminar in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 1 Credit**  
DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

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**CRJS-4984 Seminar in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 4 Credits**  
DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

**CRJS-5013 Administration in the Criminal Justice System 3 Credits**  
AN OVERVIEW OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE ADMINISTRATION CONCENTRATING PRIMARILY ON ISSUES WHICH ARE UNIQUE TO THE VARIOUS CRIMINAL JUSTICE AREAS. THE CLASS WILL FOCUS ON INTERDEPARTMENTAL AND INTRADEPARTMENTAL FUNCTIONS WITHIN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM.

**CRJS-5113 Political and Legal Aspects of the Criminal Justice System 3 Credits**  
THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO HELP THE STUDENT UNDERSTAND THE IMPACT OF POLITICAL AND LEGAL DECISIONS ON THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM. EMPHASIS WILL BE PLACED ON THE STUDENT'S UNDERSTANDING OF HOW AGENCIES WITHIN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM CAN FUNCTION WITHIN A LEGAL POLITICAL CLIMATE.

**CRJS-5213 Litigation in the Criminal Justice System 3 Credits**  
THE PRIMARY FOCUS OF THIS COURSE WILL BE ON INDIVIDUAL AND AGENCY LIABILITY. THE COURSE WILL INCLUDE ISSUES IN THE SCOPE AND BREADTH OF LIABILITY, CONFINEMENT, AND DISCUSSION OF WAYS TO PROVIDE INDIVIDUAL AND AGENCY PROTECTION FROM LIABILITY.

**CRJS-5313 Interrogation/Report Writing 3 Credits**  
THE FOCUS OF THIS COURSE IS TO PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH AN UNDERSTANDING OF EFFECTIVE INTERROGATION TECHNIQUES. THE STUDENT WILL BE FAMILIARIZED WITH VARIOUS TYPES OF REPORTS AND DOCUMENTATION NECESSARY IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM.

**CRJS-5323 Foundations of the Criminal Justice Profession 3 Credits**  
TO PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH A THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM. ALL MAJOR ASPECTS OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE WILL BE COVERED. THE COURSE WILL PROVIDE THE FRAMEWORK FOR ALL OTHER REQUIRED COURSES.

**CRJS-5333 Crime Reduction Strategies 3 Credits**  
THIS COURSE EXAMINES CRIME PREVENTION AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO A REACTIVE CRIMINAL JUSTICE OPERATIONS. IT REVIEWS CURRENT THEORIES OF, AND LEADING RESEARCH ON, THE MAIN APPROACHES TO PREVENTING CRIME, INCLUDING DEVELOPMENTAL, SITUATIONAL, AND COMMUNITY PREVENTION. A SPECIAL FOCUS IS PLACED ON ASSESSING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF PREVENTION PROGRAMS AND POLICIES.

**CRJS-5433 Advanced Criminological Theory 3 Credits**  
EXAMINATION OF CLASSIC AND CONTEMPORARY THEORETICAL EXPLANATIONS OF CRIME FROM MULTIPLE CRIMINOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES INCLUDING CLASSICAL, BIOLOGICAL, PSYCHOLOGICAL, AND SOCIOLOGICAL THEORIES. ANALYSIS OF CRIME PATTERNS AND CRIME CORRELATES AND SUBSTANTIVE FOCUS ON THE APPLICATION OF SUCH THEORIES TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE AGENCIES, COMMUNITY, AND SOCIETY.

**CRJS-5553 Practicum in Criminal Justice 3 Credits**  
THIS COURSE PROVIDES STRUCTURED EXPERIENCES IN DIFFERENT AREAS OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE ADMINISTRATION. THE STUDENT WILL BE DIRECTED TOWARDS THE INTEGRATION AND APPLICATION OF DECISION MAKING, EVALUATION AND SUPERVISORY SKILLS.

**CRJS-5981 Seminar in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 1 Credit**  
DIRECTED INTENSIVE STUDY ON SELECTED PROBLEM OR SPECIAL TOPIC.

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DIRECTED INTENSIVE STUDY ON SELECTED PROBLEM OR SPECIAL TOPIC.

**CRJS-5983 Seminar in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 3 Credits**  
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**CRJS-5984 Seminar in Criminal Justice (Subject named in title listing) 4 Credits**  
DIRECTED INTENSIVE STUDY ON SELECTED PROBLEM OR SPECIAL TOPIC.

**CRJS-C4946 Internship in Criminal Justice 6 Credits**  
EACH STUDENT IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A TOTAL OF TWELVE HOURS (USUALLY ONE SEMESTER) OF FIELD TRAINING CONSISTING OF FULL-TIME WORK IN AN APPROVED SETTING. UNDER SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES, ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS MAY BE APPROVED.

**CRJS-H2233 Honors-Introduction to Criminal Justice 3 Credits**  
AN OVERVIEW OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM, TO INCLUDE POLICE, COURTS, AND CORRECTIONS AS THEY PERTAIN TO BOTH ADULTS AND JUVENILES. AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE PARTICIPANTS, AND THEIR ROLES, IN ACCOMPLISHING THE MISSIONS OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM.

**CRJS-H3333 Honors-Criminal Behavior 3 Credits**  
A REVIEW OF HISTORICAL AND CURRENT THEORIES REGARDING THE CAUSE OF CRIMINAL BEHAVIOR. STUDY OF THE MAJOR TYPES OF CRIMINAL OFFENDERS. Required Previous: CRJS-2233

**CRJS-H4153 Honors-Juvenile Programs and Settings 3 Credits**  
A SENIOR LEVEL COURSE DESIGNED TO ENHANCE THE STUDENT'S KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING TREATMENT MODALITIES WITHIN JUVENILE SETTINGS. EMPHASIS WILL BE PLACED ON THE STUDENTS ACQUIRING KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING THE WHOLE REALM OF JUVENILE PROGRAMS AND SEEING HOW EACH FIT WITHIN THE OVERALL STRUCTURE.

**CRJS-H4333 Honors-Criminal Investigation I 3 Credits**  
INTRODUCTION TO THE FUNDAMENTALS OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION, INCLUDING THEORY AND HISTORY, CONDUCT AT CRIME SCENES, COLLECTION AND PRESERVATION OF EVIDENCE. Required Previous or Concurrent: CRJS-2423

**CRJS-H4413 Honors-Correctional Programs and Settings 3 Credits**  
STUDY OF THE CURRENT MAJOR CORRECTIONAL PROGRAMS BEING UTILIZED TO CHANGE ADULT CRIMINALS' BEHAVIOR. ALSO, HOW THE VARIOUS CORRECTIONAL SETTINGS HAVE A SIGNIFICANT INFLUENCE ON THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THESE PROGRAMS.

**CRJS-P4946 Internship- Cops 6 Credits**

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