

CRIMINAL JUSTICE (CRJU)

CRJU 101 - The American Criminal Justice System (3 Credits)

Survey of crime and societal responses to crime, including law enforcement, courts, corrections, and the juvenile justice system.

Carolina Core: GSS

CRJU 202 - Research Methods in Criminology and Criminal Justice (3 Credits)

Introduction to the practice of social research in criminology and criminal justice settings.

Graduation with Leadership Distinction: GLD: Research

CRJU 311 - Policing (3 Credits)

Current and historical perspectives on American policing.

CRJU 312 - Corrections (3 Credits)

Current and historical perspectives on incarceration and its alternatives.

CRJU 313 - Criminal Courts (3 Credits)

Structure and organization of the federal and state criminal court systems and personnel.

CRJU 314 - Criminal Law (3 Credits)

Origin and development of criminal law in America. Basic elements of crimes and defenses.

CRJU 323 - Violence in America (3 Credits)

Historical overview of violence in American society, including theoretical perspectives on the causes and prevention of violence.

CRJU 341 - Sociology of Crime (3 Credits)

Social factors in the development, identification, and treatment of criminals.

Cross-listed course: SOCY 353

Graduation with Leadership Distinction: GLD: Diversity and Social Advocacy

CRJU 351 - Juvenile Delinquency (3 Credits)

Social factors in the development, identification, and treatment of delinquents.

Prerequisites: CRJU 101 OR SOCY 101.

Cross-listed course: SOCY 350

Graduation with Leadership Distinction: GLD: Diversity and Social Advocacy

CRJU 399 - Independent Study (1-6 Credits)

Contract approved by instructor, advisor, and Office of Academic Programs is required for undergraduate students.

Graduation with Leadership Distinction: GLD: Research

CRJU 421 - Victimization (3 Credits)

Causes and consequences of criminal victimization and public policy responses to victimization issues.

CRJU 423 - Street Gangs: Structure, Activity, and Response (3 Credits)

Course covers the theoretical and empirical work on gangs, gang members, and gang activity along with insight on these issues from a practitioner perspective. It then examines the variety of policy responses from government and community organizations.

CRJU 426 - Criminal Justice and Mental Health (3 Credits)

Interface between the mental health sciences and the criminal justice system.

CRJU 491 - Special Topics (3 Credits)

Topics in criminology and criminal justice. Individual topics to be announced by title. May be repeated once with consent of advisor.