



B.A. IN CRIMINOLOGY & CRIMINAL JUSTICE

EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, ANTHROPOLOGY, & CRIMINOLOGY

GENERAL EDUCATION: 37-45 HRS

LANGUAGE: 9 HRS

Course	Hours	Grade	Semester
ENG 1001G College Composition I	3		
ENG 1002G College Composition II	3		
CMN 1310G Intro to Speech Comm	3		

Grade of "C" or better is required

SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES: 9 HRS

Course	Hours	Grade	Semester
SOC 1838G Introductory Sociology	3		
	3		
	3		

HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS: 9 HRS

Course	Hours	Grade	Semester
Humanities:	3		
Fine Arts:	3		
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SCIENTIFIC AWARENESS: 7 HRS

Course	Hours	Grade	Semester	Lab
BIO:	3/4			
PHY:	3/4			

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MATHEMATICS: 3 HRS

Course	Hours	Grade	Semester
	3		

SENIOR SEMINAR: 3HRS

Course	Hours	Grade	Semester
	3		

Seminar topic must be outside the major

FOREIGN LANGUAGE: 0-8 HRS

EXEMPT? YES NO

Exempt if 2yrs in high school of a single foreign language with average grade of "C" or better

Course	Hours	Grade	Semester
	4		
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ELECTRONIC WRITING PORTFOLIO

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EWP 2	<input type="checkbox"/>

CRIMINOLOGY & CRIMINAL JUSTICE REQUIRED CORE COURSES: 25 HRS

Course	Hours	Grade	Semester
SOC 1838G Introductory Sociology	3		
CRM 1829 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3		
CRM 2761 Introduction to Criminology *	3		
SOC 2840 Race and Ethnic Relations *	3		
SOC 3620 Research Methods for Collecting Social Data *	3		
SOC 3630 Statistical Analysis of Social Data **	4		
CRM 3650 Criminological Theory ***	3		
CRM 4700 Contemporary Topics in Crim & CJ ****	3		

* Prerequisite: SOC 1838G

** Prerequisite: SOC 3620

*** Prerequisite: CRM 2761

**** CRM 4700: Prerequisites & Notes: SOC 2840, SOC 3620, SOC 3630, CRM 3650, Criminology major GPA of 2.00, and Senior standing except with permission of the instructor.

LAW REQUIREMENT: 3 HRS

<i>Course</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Semester</i>
PHI 3070 Philosophy of Law	3		
PLS 3523 Criminal Law *	3		
PLS 3543 Civil Liberties in America *	3		

* Prerequisite: PLS 1153G

CRIMINOLOGY ELECTIVES: 15-18 HRS **

<i>Course</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Semester</i>

** Up to 3 credit hours from the interdisciplinary elective list may be counted toward the Criminology electives requirement.

9 Criminology elective hours must be upper division (numbered 3000 level or above).

CRIMINOLOGY ELECTIVES:

SOC/CRM 2780: The Sociology of Deviant Behavior ***
CRM 3760: Crime & Media: A Criminological Analysis
SOC/CRM 3770: Sociological Analysis of Crime and Crim Justice System
SOC/CRM 3780: Policing Society: A Sociological Analysis
SOC/CRM 3871: Gender & Crime: A Feminist Analysis of Criminal Behavior
CRM 3960: Special Topics in Criminology & Criminal Justice
SOC/CRM 4065: The Correctional Process: A Sociological Analysis
SOC/CRM 4074: Sociological Analysis of Juvenile Delinquency

*** Major elective course in Criminology and Criminal Justice with no prerequisites.

INTERDISCIPLINARY ELECTIVE (up to 3 hours):

ANT 3258: The Anthropology of Violence & Warfare
CMN 3660: Communication and Conflict Management
ECN 3520: Economics of Crime
ECN 4850: Economic Analysis of Law
GEO 3810: Introduction to Geographic Information Systems
PLS 3233: International Terrorism
PLS 3253: Human Rights and International Law
PLS 3513: Politics and the Legal Process
PLS 3903: Women and Politics
PLS 4793: Civic and Nonprofit Leadership
PLS 4853: The Supreme Court
PLS 4873: Human Res Mgmt in Public and Nonprofit Orgs
PLS 4893: Budgeting in Govt and Nonprofit Orgs
PSY 3780: Abnormal Psychology
PSY 4260: Crisis Intervention
PUBH 4800: Drugs and Society
SOC 2721: Social Stratification
SOC 2750G: Social Problems in Contemporary Society
SOC 3650: Social Psychology
SOC 4131: Sociology of Poverty and Social Welfare
SOC 4240: Sociology of Disasters
WGS 2903: Women and Gendered Violence

To achieve a baccalaureate degree, the student must: successfully complete at least 40 semester hours in upper-division courses (3000-4000 numbered courses), and successfully complete at least 120 hours with a CGPA of 2.0 in all courses attempted.

Effective Catalog Year (Fall 2023 and beyond)



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BE PREPARED: UPDATE THIS FORM BEFORE MEETING WITH YOUR ADVISOR.