

## **CRIMINAL JUSTICE TECHNOLOGY**

### **CRIM 1213 Juvenile Delinquency and Justice 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: None) This course provides an exploration of the sociological nature of juvenile delinquency and how society defines and deals with delinquency. This course explores the theoretical concepts of delinquency and looks at the acts of delinquency, the results of delinquency, the results of delinquent acts, and the victims of juvenile delinquency. Students are also introduced to juvenile justice practices.

### **CRIM 1223 Latent Fingerprint Development & Classification 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: None) This course emphasizes the techniques involved in detection, enhancement and recovery of latent fingerprints from physical evidence. Chemical and mechanical methods and surfaces will be analyzed and evaluated for proper application in both theory and practice. This course teaches the Henry Modified System of Fingerprint Classification and prepares the student for a position as an inked fingerprint examiner.

### **CRIM 1313 Introduction to Criminal Justice 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: None) This course covers the history, development, philosophy, functions, current operations, and future trends of the criminal justice system in a democratic society. Emphasis will be placed on contemporary problems in the definition of law, the enforcement of law, strategies of policing, judicial systems, sentencing strategies, and correctional practices.

### **CRIM 1323 Arkansas Juvenile Law and Procedures 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 1213 Juvenile Delinquency and Justice) This course provides a study of the procedures and problems involved in dealing with juveniles in the criminal justice system. It explores the framework of the Arkansas Juvenile Code and federal law as it pertains to juvenile detention, substance abuse, school violence, gang violence, and crimes involving and against juveniles.

### **CRIM 2112 Crime Scene Safety 2 Cr. (2 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 2373 Criminal Investigation I) This course covers potential health and safety hazards one will encounter at a crime scene. The course will also introduce the proper protective techniques to minimize risk to self and others. Emergency procedures and state and federal regulations are included.

### **CRIM 2113 Courtroom Presentation of Evidence 3 Cr. (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 2373 Criminal Investigation I) This course covers dress, grooming, speaking, listening, and stress control during courtroom proceedings. Visual aid preparation and presentations of all evidence (commonly referred to as "scientific evidence") collected at the crime scene are also included. Mock trial exercises will be used.

### **CRIM 2243 Crime Scene Photography 3 Cr. (2 Lec., 2 Lab.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 2373 Criminal Investigation I) This course includes basic crime scene photography skills including camera operation and exposure control, proficiency in relational photos, and flash control for crime scene and evidentiary documentation. This course also includes videography.

### **CRIM 2313 The Judicial Process 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: None) This course is an introduction to the judicial process, with analysis and evaluation of the main institutions and consideration affecting the administration of justice in the United States. Uses a comparative approach, but emphasizes the American state, local, and federal judicial systems.

### **CRIM 2323 Probation and Parole 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: None) Development, organization, operation and result of systems of probation and parole as substitutions for incarceration; methods of selection, prediction scales, dynamics of parolees' readjustment after incarceration, comparison of rules and supervision methods.

### **CRIM 2333 Introduction to Corrections 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: None) This course is a survey of contemporary correctional treatment techniques and procedures, the purpose and functions of correctional institutions, and the history and theory of corrections. Methods of social rehabilitation in treating correctional clients, role of the social worker in a correctional setting, career opportunities in corrections, and correctional rehabilitation.

**CRIM 2343 Constitutional Law 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 1313 Introduction to Criminal Justice) Students will study constitutional law with an emphasis on the criminal aspects of this law. The course provides a greater insight into the limitations on the responsibilities and powers of persons serving in criminal justice fields.

**CRIM 2353 Criminology 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 1313 Introduction to Criminal Justice) This course examines the nature and extent of crime in American society, theories of crime causation, and control of criminal behavior.

**CRIM 2363 Introduction to Law Enforcement 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: None) This course examines history, development, and philosophy of law enforcement in a democratic society. Introduction to agencies involved in the administration of criminal justice; theories of crime, punishment, and rehabilitation; career orientation to include ethics, education, and training of professionals.

**CRIM 2373 Criminal Investigation I 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 1313 Introduction to Criminal Justice) This is an introduction to the act of investigation. Attention to the importance of information, interrogation, and instrumentation in the solution and preparation of criminal cases for trial. Examination of the rules regarding the admissibility of evidence, specifically as they effect the law enforcement officer in the processes of arrest, force, search, seizure, preservation, custody, and testimony. Review of the Arkansas Code of Criminal Procedure and leading case law on each topic. Survey of general procedures, concepts, and practical application of the mechanics of criminal investigation. There is an emphasis on elements of crime and fact-finding.

**CRIM 2383 Criminal Law 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 1313 Introduction to Criminal Justice or permission of the instructor.) This course covers the history and philosophy of modern criminal law, including structure, definition, application of statutes, leading case law, and procedures; elements of crime, penalties, and general provisions of the criminal code.

**CRIM 2453 Issues in Criminal Justice 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: None) This course allows the student to explore current and significant issues in the field of criminal justice. Seminar style classes permit instructors to offer a variety of topics as needed. This course is offered to all interested students. It is not intended for transfer.

**CRIM 2463 Private Security and Investigation 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 1313 Introduction to Criminal Justice) This course is designed to prepare the student for state certification in the areas of private security and private investigation.

**CRIM 2473 Criminal Investigation II (Criminalistics) 3 Cr., (2 Lec., 2 Lab.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 2373 Criminal INVESTIGATION I) This is a lab structured, hands-on approach to crime scene management, evidence collection, processing, analysis, and court presentation.

**CRIM 2483 International Aspects of Law Enforcement 3 Cr., (3 Lec.)**

(Prerequisite: CRIM 1313 Introduction to Criminal Justice) This course explores the concepts of global crime, its effect on the United States, and how various agencies interact to deal with it. Of particular focus are terrorism, international criminal organizations, and cyber-crime.