

MINOR FIELD: CRIMINOLOGY

DEPARTMENT: Sociology

TOTAL NUMBER OF CREDITS: 18

RATIONALE:

A minor in Criminology provides the student with an understanding of basic Sociological concepts and processes and an opportunity to explore the professional field of criminal justice. The Criminology minor offers the opportunity for students to select courses that focus on the fundamentals of working within the criminal justice system.

Numerous governmental service jobs at various levels are open to the Sociology trained individual including police service, juvenile and adult probation/parole and corrections as well as service to the courts.

REQUIREMENTS:

SOC 202	Principles of Sociology
SOC 307	Criminology
SOC 312	Sociology of Deviance
SOC 314	Juvenile Delinquency
SOC 317	Introduction to Criminal Justice

One course from the following group:

SOC 247	Hi-Technology Crime
SOC 345	Social Problems: A World at Risk
SOC 348	Police and Society
SWK 250	Working with Adolescents
SWK 275	Sociology of Mental Illness