MINOR FIELD: CRIMINOLOGY

DEPARTMENT: Sociology/Criminology/Social Work

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

Two courses from the following group:
SOC 213 Adolescent Addiction
SOC 247 Hi-Technology Crime
SOC 248 Criminal Courts
SOC 250 Working with Adolescents
SOC 255 Organized Crime
SOC 256 Serial Killers
SOC 264 Victimology
SOC 275 Sociology of Mental Illness
SOC 345 Social Problems: A World at Risk
SOC 348 Police and Society
SOC 402/403 Crime Scene Investigation

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