

## Criminology and Criminal Justice BA (Honours) 20 Credits

### Major Requirements

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*Note: Courses in italics located within brackets indicate prerequisites (CRSE XXXX). Numbers located within the square brackets indicate the course value in credits whether it is a half credit [0.5] or full credit [1.0].*

#### First year

Criminology: **CRCJ 1000** [0.5] Introduction to Criminology and Criminal Justice

Psychology: **PSYC 1001** [0.5] & **PSYC 1002** [0.5] Introduction to Psychology I & II

Law: **LAWS 1000** [1.0] Introduction to Legal Studies

Sociology: **SOCI 1001** [0.5] & **SOCI 1002** [0.5] Introduction to Sociology I & II

**(3.5 Credits)**

#### Second year

Psychology: **PSYC 2400** [0.5] Forensic Psychology (*PSYC 1001 & PSYC 1002*)

Law: **LAWS 2301** [0.5] Criminal Justice System & **LAWS 2302** [0.5] Criminal Law (*LAWS 1000*)

Sociology: **SOCI 2445** [0.5] Sociology of Deviance & **SOCI 2450** [0.5] Criminology (*SOCI 1001 & SOCI 1002 and 2<sup>nd</sup> year standing*)

**(2.5 Credits)**

#### Third year

Criminology: **CRCJ 3901** [1.0] Practicum (Field Placement) in Criminology I (*3<sup>rd</sup> year standing in CCJ and permission of the Institute*) **OR** 1.0 credit in **Approved CCJ Electives** at the 3000-level or above  
\*Refer to concentration requirements for specific criminology methods courses.

Psychology: **PSYC 3402** [0.5] Criminal Behaviour (*PSYC 2100, PSYC 2400 or PSYC 2600*)

Law: **LAWS 3305** [0.5] Crime & State in History (*3<sup>rd</sup> year standing*) **OR**  
**LAWS 3306** [0.5] Crime, Law, Process & Politics (*LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302*) **OR**  
**LAWS 3308** [0.5] Punishment and the Law (*LAWS 2301*)

Sociology: **SOCI 3400** [0.5] Studies in Criminal Justice Policy **OR**  
**SOCI 3410** [0.5] Studies in Criminal Justice (*both require SOCI 2445, SOCI 2450 & 3<sup>rd</sup> year standing*)

**(2.5 Credits)**

#### Fourth year

Criminology: **CRCJ 4908** [1.0] Honours Research Project in CCJ (*Completion of either PSYC 3000, LAWS 2908/3908 or SOCI 2003 and 4<sup>th</sup> year standing in Honours CCJ with a C.G.P.A. of 10.0 or higher in the Major and permission of the Institute*) **OR** 1.0 credit in **Approved CCJ Electives** at the 4000-level  
**(1.0 Credit)**

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## Concentration Requirements

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**IMPORTANT:** STUDENTS MUST **DECLARE A CONCENTRATION** IN PSYCHOLOGY, LAW, OR SOCIOLOGY THROUGH CARLETON CENTRAL (STUDENT SERVICES/ONLINE FORMS/CHANGE PROGRAM ELEMENTS) **PRIOR TO REGISTRATION IN SECOND YEAR**. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY RESULT IN REGISTRATION DIFFICULTIES.

A Concentration in **Psychology** requires these courses in addition to the Major Requirements (See Page 1):

- **PSYC 2001** [0.5] Introduction to Research Methods in Psychology (*PSYC 1001 and PSYC 1002*)
- **PSYC 2002** [0.5] Introduction to Statistics in Psychology (*PSYC 1001, PSYC 1002 and PSYC 2001*)
- **PSYC 3000** [1.0] Design and Analysis in Psychological Research (*PSYC 2001, PSYC 2002*)
- **CRCJ 3002** [0.5] Qualitative Methods & **CRCJ 3003** [0.5] Legal Research Methods
- 1.0 further credit in Psychology at the 2000-level or higher
- 0.5 further credit in Psychology at the 3000-level or higher **(3.5 Credits)**

A Concentration in **Law** requires these courses in addition to the Major Requirements (See Page 1):

- **LAWS 2908** [0.5] Legal Studies Methods and Theory I (*LAWS 1000 and Honours standing*)
- **LAWS 3908** [0.5] Legal Studies Methods and Theory II (*LAWS 2908 and 3<sup>rd</sup> year Honours standing*)
- **CRCJ 3001** [0.5] Quantitative Methods & **CRCJ 3002** [0.5] Qualitative Methods
- 1.0 further credit in Law at the 2000-level or higher
- 1.5 further credits in Law at the 3000-level or higher **(3.5 Credits)**

A Concentration in **Sociology** requires these courses in addition to the Major Requirements (See Page 1):

- **SOCI 2001** [0.5] Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods & **SOCI 2002** [0.5] Introduction to Quantitative Research Methods (*SOCI 1001 & SOCI 1002 & 2<sup>nd</sup> year standing*)
- **CRCJ 3001** [0.5] Quantitative Methods & **CRCJ 3003** [0.5] Legal Research Methods
- 1.0 further credit in Sociology at the 2000-level or higher
- 1.0 further credit in Sociology at the 3000-level or higher **(3.0 Credits)**

The remainder of the 20 credits will be outside the Major as “free electives” or for a Minor. Criminology cannot be combined with another Major. Criminology is not available as a Minor.

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**Note 1** Also refer to information in the Calendar for B.A. requirements. The B.A. requirement for Breadth is waived for students in this Major.

**Note 2** Applications for the Field Placement will be available online at [www.carleton.ca/criminology/placementform.html](http://www.carleton.ca/criminology/placementform.html) and should be submitted by April 1<sup>st</sup>.



## Criminology and Criminal Justice BA

### Approved CCJ Electives

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**Note:** The total number of Criminology and Criminal Justice credits in the BA and BA (Honours) program may **NOT** exceed 11.5 (BA) and 15 (BA Honours). This is the sum of credits used in the Major and Concentration PLUS free electives chosen from this list of Approved CCJ Electives. **Courses in excess of this limit will not count towards your degree** and may prevent you from graduating. If necessary, consult the Institute for clarification.

### THIRD YEAR ELECTIVES

#### CRIMINOLOGY

- **CRCJ 3902** Practicum (Field Placement) in Criminology II [1.0] (Concurrently with *CRCJ 3901*, 3<sup>rd</sup> year standing in CCJ, and permission of the Institute) \*See Note 3

#### PSYCHOLOGY

- **PSYC 3102** Cognitive Processes in Social Psychology [0.5] (*PSYC 2100*)
- **PSYC 3403** Addiction [0.5] (*PSYC 1001 & PSYC 1002 and one of PSYC 2200, PSYC 2301, PSYC 2400*)
- **PSYC 3405** Psychology of Motivation and Emotion [0.5] (*PSYC 1001 & PSYC 1002*)
- **PSYC 3507** Social Development [0.5] (*PSYC 2500*)
- **PSYC 3604** Abnormal Psychology [0.5] (*PSYC 2500 or PSYC 2600*)

#### LAW

- **LAWS 3006** Mediation [0.5] (*See Undergraduate Calendar*)
- **LAWS 3209** Canadian Correctional Policies in Historical Perspective [0.5] (*LAWS 2301, 2302*)
- **LAWS 3305** Crime & State in History [0.5] (3<sup>rd</sup> year standing) \*See Note 4
- **LAWS 3306** Crime, Law, Process & Politics [0.5] (*LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302*) \*See Note 4
- **LAWS 3307** Youth and Criminal Law [0.5] (*LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302*)
- **LAWS 3308** Punishment and the Law [0.5] (*LAWS 2301*) \*See Note 4
- **LAWS 3903** Selected Legal Topics [0.5] (3<sup>rd</sup> year standing) **\*\*Topic must be Criminology-related\*\***
- **LAWS 3904** Selected Legal Topics [0.5] (3<sup>rd</sup> year standing) **\*\*Topic must be Criminology-related\*\***

#### SOCIOLOGY

- **SOCI 3055** Studies in Addictions [0.5] (*SOCI 1001 & SOCI 1002, or SOCI 1003, & 3<sup>rd</sup> year standing*)
- **SOCI 3420** Studies in Gender and Criminal Justice [0.5] (*SOCI 1001 & 1002 or SOCI 1003, SOCI 2450 & 3<sup>rd</sup> year standing*)
- **SOCI 3450** Studies in Law Enforcement [0.5] (*SOCI 2450 & 3<sup>rd</sup> year standing*)

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**Note 3** CRCJ 3901/3902 may not be repeated.

## **FOURTH YEAR ELECTIVES**

### **PSYCHOLOGY**

- **PSYC 4001** Selected Topics in Psychology [0.5] (*Check with Institute for appropriate topics and check with Psychology Dept. for pre-requisites*) **\*\*Topic must be Criminology-related\*\***
- **PSYC 4402** Police Psychology [0.5] (*PSYC 2400 or permission of the Dept.*)
- **PSYC 4403** Female Offenders [0.5] (*PSYC 3402 & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing or permission of the Dept.*)
- **PSYC 4404** Sex Offenders [0.5] (*PSYC 2400, PSYC 3402, & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing or permission of the Dept.*)

### **LAW**

- **LAWS 4302** Regulation of Corporate Crime [0.5] (*LAWS 2302 & one of LAWS 3005, 3201 or 3800*)
- **LAWS 4303** Drugs, The User and The State [0.5] (*one of LAWS 2301 or LAWS 2302 & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4304** Policing and Social Surveillance [0.5] (*one of LAWS 2301 or LAWS 2302 & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4305** Criminal Justice Reform [0.5] (*LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302, & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4306** Criminal Law Issues [0.5] (*LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302, & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4307** Medical Criminal Law Issues [0.5] (*LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302, & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4308** Sentencing [0.5] (*LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302, & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4309** State Security and Dissent [0.5] (*One of LAWS 3305, 3503, 3509 or HIST 3305 & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4311** Human Rights in Canadian Prisons [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4504** Aboriginal Criminal Justice [0.5] (*1 credit from LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302 & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4701** Special Topic in Criminal Justice and Social Policy [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*) \*Summer term only
- **LAWS 4702** Special Topic in Criminal Justice and Social Policy [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*) \*Summer term only
- **LAWS 4703** Special Topic in Criminal Justice and Social Policy [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*) \*Summer term only
- **LAWS 4802** Criminal Jury Trials [0.5] (*LAWS 2301, LAWS 2302, & 4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **LAWS 4903** Selected Legal Topics [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*) **\*\*Topic must be Criminology-related\*\***
- **LAWS 4904** Selected Legal Topics [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*) **\*\*Topic must be Criminology-related\*\***

### **SOCIOLOGY:**

- **SOCI 4410** Advanced Studies in Criminology [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **SOCI 4420** Advanced Studies in Gender and Criminal Justice [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **SOCI 4430** Advanced Studies in Youth Culture and Juvenile Justice [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*)
- **SOCI 4701** Special Topic in Criminal Justice and Social Policy [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*) \*Summer term only
- **SOCI 4702** Special Topic in Criminal Justice and Social Policy [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*) \*Summer term only
- **SOCI 4703** Special Topic in Criminal Justice and Social Policy [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year standing*) \*Summer term only

### **CRIMINOLOGY**

- **CRCJ 4001** Special Topics in Criminology [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year Honours standing in CCJ. Sections offered may have additional prerequisites*)
- **CRCJ 4002** Special Topics in Criminology [0.5] (*4<sup>th</sup> year Honours standing in CCJ. Sections offered may have additional prerequisites*)

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**Note 4** LAWS 3305, LAWS 3306, LAWS 3308, SOCI 3400, or SOCI 3410 may be used as an elective if it has not been used to satisfy a Major requirement and student does not exceed maximum number of courses allowed in the Major and Concentration.

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