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# **BA in Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours)**

### **First Year**

- CRCJ 1000 [0.5] Introduction to Criminology and Criminal Justice
- PSYC 1001 [0.5] & PSYC 1002 [0.5] Introduction to Psychology I & II
- LAWS 1000 [1.0] Introduction to Legal Studies
- SOCI 1001 [0.5] & SOCI 1002 [0.5] Introduction to Sociology I & II
- 1.5 credits in FREE electives of your choice

### **Second Year**

- PSYC 2400 [0.5] Forensic Psychology
- LAWS 2301 [0.5] Criminal Justice System & LAWS 2302 [0.5] Criminal Law
- SOCI 2445 [0.5] Sociology of Deviance & SOCI 2450 [0.5] Criminology

## **Third Year**

- CRCJ 3901 [1.0] Field Placement Practicum OR 1.0 credit in Approved CCJ Electives\* at the 3000-level or above
- PSYC 3402 [0.5] Criminal Behaviour
- One of LAWS 3305 [0.5] Crime & State in History OR LAWS 3306 [0.5]
   Crime, Law, Process & Politics OR LAWS 3308 [0.5] Punishment and the Law
- SOCI 3410 [0.5] Studies in Criminal Justice

### Fourth Year

 CRCJ 4908 [1.0] Honours Research Project OR 1.0 credit in Approved CCJ Electives\* at the 4000-level [1.0]

# **Concentration Requirements**

- *Psychology*: PSYC 2001 & 2002, CRCJ 3002, plus an additional 1.5 credits in Psychology.
- Law: LAWS 2908. CRCJ 3001 & 3002, plus an additional 2.5 credits in Law.
- *Sociology*: SOCI 2000 & 2001, CRCJ 3001, plus an additional 2.0 credits in Sociology.

## **Grading System**

Letter	%	CGPA pts	Letter	%	CGPA pts
A+	90 – 100	12 pts	С	63 – 66	5 pts
Α	85 – 89	11 pts	C-	60 – 62	4 pts
A-	80 – 84	10 pts	D+	57 – 59	3 pts
B+	77 – 79	9 pts	D	53 – 56	2 pts
В	73 – 76	8 pts	D-	50 – 52	1 pts
B-	70 – 72	7 pts	F	0 – 49	0 pts
C+	67 – 69	6 pts		_	_

See Section 2.3 of Academic Regulations of the University.

http://calendar.carleton.ca/undergrad/regulations/

## **Minimum CGPA Requirements**

Credits	Honours – 20 credits	General – 15.0 credits	
0.0 - 5.0	Overall 4.0	Overall 3.0	
5.5 – 10.0	Overall 4.50 / Major 5.50	Overall 3.50 / Major 3.50	
10.5 – 15.0	Overall 5.00 / Major 6.00	Overall 4.00 / Major 4.00	
15.5 +	Overall 5.00 / Major 6.50	-	
Graduation	Overall 5.00 / Major 6.50	Overall 4.00 / Major 4.00	

See Section 7.4 of Academic Regulations of the University.

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### **Notes**

- Course value: half credit [0.5] or full credit [1.0]
- Breadth is waived for students in this Major
- Students must verify that they have all prerequisites before registering for a course
- CGPA Calculation: Total points ÷ total credits = CGPA
- \*CCJ Approved List: <a href="https://carleton.ca/criminology/current-students/criminology-electives/">https://carleton.ca/criminology/current-students/criminology-electives/</a>

Important Note: This is a only a guide. It is the responsibility of the student to ensure they meet all requirements in the Undergraduate Calendar as listed on their Academic Audit. Please consult with an Academic Advisor if you have questions. Last Updated: August 2017

# Welcome New Criminology Students! Here are some Important Things to Know:

## **Registration**

- Generally, full-time students enroll in 2.5 credits per term (5.0 credits per year). See an advisor to make a completion plan if you choose to do a lighter course load.
- CRCJ 1000[0.5] is taken in only ONE term, either the fall OR winter.
- Register for BOTH fall and winter courses when your time ticket opens. DO NOT WAIT to do your winter schedule, as courses will fill.
- Registration Assistance: 300 Tory Building, 3rd floor | 613-520-3500
   registrar@carleton.ca | http://carleton.ca/registrar/registration/

### **Field Placement**

Acceptance in the placement practicum course is very competitive. To qualify in your upper years, you must do well in your 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year mandatory courses. The cut off average varies year to year, but is generally in the B-/B range. <a href="http://carleton.ca/criminology/current-students/field-placement-information/">http://carleton.ca/criminology/current-students/field-placement-information/</a>

## **Declaring your Concentration**

Selecting one of Sociology, Psychology or Law is mandatory after completion of 1st year. Request a "Change of Program Elements" through Carleton Central. Do this by May 15<sup>th</sup> to ensure it is processed before registration begins for the following academic year. <a href="https://carleton.ca/criminology/current-students/picking-concentration/">https://carleton.ca/criminology/current-students/picking-concentration/</a>

### **Student Success**

- ✓ Check your **Carleton email** regularly! Use it to contact the department and ALWAYS include your student number!
- ✓ Check the **Criminology website** for course outlines, office hours, important news, and special events. http://carleton.ca/criminology
- ✓ Make an academic **advising appointment** once a year to ensure you are taking the proper courses to complete your degree.
- ✓ Know how to read your academic audit! It lists the courses you have done and which courses you still need to complete.

  <a href="http://carleton.ca/academicadvising/your-academic-audit/how-to-read-your-audit/">http://carleton.ca/academicadvising/your-academic-audit/how-to-read-your-audit/</a>
- √ The Centre for Student Academic Support (CSAS) provides assistance
  with learning strategies, study skills, academic writing, and more.
  http://carleton.ca/csas/
- ✓ Build your **Co-Curricular record**, official documentation of student leadership development, extracurricular activities, and community service opportunities. https://carleton.ca/seo/ccr/
- ✓ Start your career planning early! Networking, volunteering, and building your resume will be key to a successful transition from school to work. <a href="https://carleton.ca/criminology/current-students/career-opportunities/">https://carleton.ca/criminology/current-students/career-opportunities/</a>
- ✓ Join the Criminology and Criminal Justice Society (CUCCJS), a student based group offering academic, networking, and career oriented events. <a href="https://www.facebook.com/cuccjs/">https://www.facebook.com/cuccjs/</a>

### **ADDITIONAL SUPPORTS:**

Personal Health, Counselling, & Well-Being	Paul Menton Centre for Students with Disabilities	
http://carleton.ca/health/	https://carleton.ca/pmc/	
Admission & Internal Degree Transfers	International Exchange	
https://admissions.carleton.ca/	https://carleton.ca/isso/	
Tuition & Fees	Centre for Aboriginal Culture & Education	
https://carleton.ca/studentaccounts/	https://carleton.ca/indigenous/	
OSAP, Scholarships, Bursaries, & Work Study	Safety & Security: EMERGENCIES 613-520-4444	
http://carleton.ca/awards/	(ext. 4444 from any campus phone) <a href="https://carleton.ca/safety/">https://carleton.ca/safety/</a>	
Cmail, MyCarleton Portal, cuLearn	Sexual Assault Support Services	
https://carleton.ca/its/get-started/new-students-2/	http://carleton.ca/equity/sexual-assault-support-services/	