SOCI2450A  
SUMMER 2019  
CRIMINOLOGY

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Office Hours: By Appointment

Online office hours using CULearn or Big Blue Button may be held throughout the course.

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Course meets: Tuesday & Thursday – 6:05-8:55 PM, Paterson Hall 201

Pre-requisites & Precluded Courses: SOCI 1001 and SOCI 1002, or SOCI 1003 [1.0], or ANTH 1001 or ANTH 1002. Precludes additional credit for SOCI 2701.

Course Description and Objectives:

This course is an introductory survey course on Criminology. As such, we will start with defining the field of criminology (especially within the sociological tradition). Then we will proceed to look at crime as a social phenomenon from examining what crime is and how we measure it, to explanations of crime and criminal behaviour, to looking at specific broad types of crime. Learning objectives will be provided at the start of each class and these objectives will form the basis of all quizzes and the final exam. General objectives for the course include:

A) Defining crime and criminology including examining how laws are made and what is considered a crime is determined, reactions to crime, and how crime is measured

B) Examining Historical and Theoretical Explanations for crime and criminal behaviour

C) Looking at broad categories of crime and societal reactions to such crimes.
CULearn and e-mail communication

PLEASE NOTE: This course will be supported by the CULearn course management system. All correspondence with the professor must be carried out through either the email link in CULearn or using an official Carleton e-mail. AS PER OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY POLICY, UNIVERSITY CORRESPONDENCE MUST BE CARRIED OUT THROUGH OFFICIAL CARLETON E-MAIL ACCOUNTS. THUS, E-MAILS SENT USING NON-CARLETON E-MAIL ACCOUNTS MAY NOT BE ANSWERED,

The professor will attempt to answer all e-mails within 24 hours of posting. Responses may take longer on weekends.

Students will be fully responsible for reading and responding appropriately to all information distributed to students through the CULearn course page. Information provided on the course page will be considered to have been provided to all registered students within 24 hours of posting.

Reading (s)/Textbook(s):

Course Text available at the Carleton Bookstore is mandatory. NO copy will be put on reserve.

CRIM (W/MindTap CourseMode 12M Access) by Brown, Hoffman & Siegel
Edition: 3rd
ISBN: 9780176883461

If you just want the electronic text and MindTap, the bookstore will carry MindTap cards for that.

Please refer to CULearn regularly as readings and topics may change. We will exclusively be using the 3rd edition. All assigned readings, exams etc. will be based on the 3rd edition. The use of earlier editions of the text is done at the student's peril.

Additional mandatory or optional readings may be added and will be posted on CULearn.
Course Requirements & Methods of Evaluation:

**ALL QUIZZES AND THE FINAL EXAM MUST BE COMPLETED TO RECEIVE A PASSING GRADE FOR THIS COURSE.**

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<td>Online Quizzes (4 at 15% each – see dates below)</td>
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<td>Final Exam (Registrar Scheduled)</td>
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The **Online Quizzes** may contain multiple choice questions, fill-in-the-blank, and short answer questions that will cover the course readings and lectures (including guest speakers and broad themes covered in-class showings of documentaries etc.). Each quiz will be live on CULearn on Sunday evening after 9PM to the next Sunday evening at 8PM. See course schedule (below) or CULearn page for dates. Each set of lecture slides will start with a description of what will be on the quiz for the next week.

One of the questions in each quiz will ask you to do an exercise similar to one of those in MindTap (i.e. Think about crime and criminology; Decide; Justify; Analyze a concept: What would you do?). Examples of Multiple-Choice questions can also be found in MindTap. Please note that the actual quizzes on CULearn and the final exam will not ask you to recall individual’s names or specific dates or statistic.

Please note that all quizzes must be completed within the time frame specified. No quizzes will be dropped from the student’s mark.

The final exam will consist of multiple-choice questions, true and false questions and short answer questions. The short answer questions will be like those in MindTap (i.e. Think about crime and criminology; Decide; Justify; Analyze a concept: What would you do?).

In accordance with the Carleton University Undergraduate Calendar Regulations, the letter grades assigned in this course will have the following percentage equivalents:

- A+ = 90-100
- A  = 85-89
- A - = 80-84
- B+ = 77-79
- B  = 73-76
- B - = 70-72
- C+ = 67-69
- C  = 63-66
- C - = 60-62
- D+ = 57-59
- D  = 53-5
- D - = 50-52
- F   = Below 50
- WDN = Withdrawn from the course
- DEF = Deferred (See above)

**Academic Regulations, Accommodations, Plagiarism, Etc.**

University rules regarding registration, withdrawal, appealing marks, and most anything else you might need to know can be found on the university’s website, here: [www.calendar.carleton.ca/undergrad/regulations/academicregulationsoftheuniversity/](http://www.calendar.carleton.ca/undergrad/regulations/academicregulationsoftheuniversity/)

You may need special arrangements to meet your academic obligations during the term. For an accommodation request, the processes are as follows:

**Academic Accommodations for Students with Disabilities**
The Paul Menton Centre for Students with Disabilities (PMC) provides services to students with Learning Disabilities (LD), psychiatric/mental health disabilities, Attention...
Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD), chronic medical conditions, and impairments in mobility, hearing, and vision. If you have a disability requiring academic accommodations in this course, please contact PMC at 613-520-6608 or pmc@carleton.ca for a formal evaluation. If you are already registered with the PMC, contact your PMC coordinator to send your Letter of Accommodation at the beginning of the term, and no later than two weeks before the first in-class scheduled test or exam requiring accommodation (if applicable).

*The deadline for contacting the Paul Menton Centre regarding accommodation for final exams for Early Summer 2019 exam period is May 31 and for Full/Late Summer 2019 exam period is July 26.

For Religious Obligations:
Please contact your instructor with any requests for academic accommodation during the first two weeks of class, or as soon as possible after the need for accommodation is known to exist. For more details, visit the Equity Services website:

For Pregnancy:
Please contact your instructor with any requests for academic accommodation during the first two weeks of class, or as soon as possible after the need for accommodation is known to exist. For more details, visit the Equity Services website:

For Survivors of Sexual Violence
As a community, Carleton University is committed to maintaining a positive learning, working and living environment where sexual violence will not be tolerated, and where survivors are supported through academic accommodations as per Carleton's Sexual Violence Policy. For more information about the services available at the university and to obtain information about sexual violence and/or support, visit:
www.carleton.ca/sexual-violence-support

Accommodation for Student Activities
Carleton University recognizes the substantial benefits, both to the individual student and for the university, that result from a student participating in activities beyond the classroom experience. Reasonable accommodation must be provided to students who compete or perform at the national or international level. Please contact your instructor with any requests for academic accommodation during the first two weeks of class, or as soon as possible after the need for accommodation is known to exist.

Plagiarism
Plagiarism is the passing off of someone else's work as your own and is a serious academic offence. For the details of what constitutes plagiarism, the potential penalties and the procedures refer to the section on Instructional Offences in the Undergraduate Calendar. Students are expected to familiarize themselves with and follow the Carleton
University Student Academic Integrity Policy (See https://carleton.ca/registrar/academic-integrity/). The Policy is strictly enforced and is binding on all students. Academic dishonesty in any form will not be tolerated. Students who infringe the Policy may be subject to one of several penalties.

**What are the Penalties for Plagiarism?**
A student found to have plagiarized an assignment may be subject to one of several penalties including but not limited to: a grade of zero, a failure or a reduced grade for the piece of academic work; completion of a remediation process; reduction of final grade in the course; resubmission of academic work; withdrawal from course(s); suspension from a program of study; a letter of reprimand.

**What are the Procedures?**
All allegations of plagiarism are reported to the faculty of Dean of FASS and Management. Documentation is prepared by instructors and departmental chairs. The Dean writes to the student and the University Ombudsperson about the alleged plagiarism. The Dean reviews the allegation. If it is not resolved at this level then it is referred to a tribunal appointed by the Senate.

**Assistance for Students:**
Academic and Career Development Services: [http://carleton.ca/sacds/](http://carleton.ca/sacds/)
Writing Services: [http://www.carleton.ca/csas/writing-services/](http://www.carleton.ca/csas/writing-services/)
Peer Assisted Study Sessions (PASS): [https://carleton.ca/csas/group-support/pass/](https://carleton.ca/csas/group-support/pass/)

**Important Information:**
- Student or professor materials created for this course (including presentations and posted notes, labs, case studies, assignments and exams) remain the intellectual property of the author(s). They are intended for personal use and may not be reproduced or redistributed without prior written consent of the author(s).
- Students must always retain a hard copy of all work that is submitted.
- Standing in a course is determined by the course instructor subject to the approval of the Faculty Dean. This means that grades submitted by the instructor may be subject to revision. No grades are final until they have been approved by the Dean.
- Carleton University is committed to protecting the privacy of those who study or work here (currently and formerly). To that end, Carleton’s Privacy Office seeks to encourage the implementation of the privacy provisions of Ontario’s *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FIPPA) within the university.
- In accordance with FIPPA, please ensure all communication with staff/faculty is via your Carleton email account. To get your Carleton Email you will need to activate your MyCarletonOne account through Carleton Central. Once you have activated your MyCarletonOne account, log into the MyCarleton Portal.
- Please note that you will be able to link your MyCarletonOne account to other non-MyCarletonOne accounts and receive emails from us. However, for us to respond to your emails, we need to see your full name, CU ID, and the email must be written from your valid MyCarletonOne address. Therefore, it would be easier
to respond to your inquiries if you would send all email from your connect account. If you do not have or have yet to activate this account, you may wish to do so by visiting https://students.carleton.ca/

### Important Dates

#### Summer 2019

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<td>May 6</td>
<td>Early summer and full summer courses begin.</td>
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<td>May 17-29</td>
<td>Fall/Winter and Winter term deferred final examinations will be held.</td>
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<td>May 24</td>
<td>Last day for a full fee adjustment when withdrawing from early summer and full summer courses (financial withdrawal). Withdrawals after this date will result in a permanent notation of WDN on the official transcript.</td>
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<td>June 11</td>
<td>Last day for summative tests or examinations, or formative tests or examinations totaling more than 15% of the final grade for early summer courses before the official examination period (see Examination Regulations in the Academic Regulations of the University section of the Undergraduate Calendar).</td>
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<td>June 18</td>
<td>Last day of early summer classes (NOTE: Full summer classes resume July 2). Last day for academic withdrawal from early summer courses. Last day for handing in term assignments, subject to any earlier course deadline.</td>
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<td>June 19-20</td>
<td>No classes or examinations take place.</td>
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<td>June 21-27</td>
<td>Early summer final examinations and mid-term examinations in full summer courses may be held. Examinations are normally held all seven days of the week.</td>
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<td>July 1</td>
<td>Statutory Holiday. University closed.</td>
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<tr>
<td>July 2</td>
<td>Late summer courses begin. Full summer courses resume.</td>
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<td>July 19-21</td>
<td>Early summer term deferred final examinations to be held.</td>
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<tr>
<td>July 22</td>
<td>Last day for a full fee adjustment when withdrawing from late summer courses (financial withdrawal).</td>
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<td>August 5</td>
<td>Civic Holiday. University closed.</td>
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<td>August 7</td>
<td>Last day for summative tests or examinations, or formative tests or examinations totaling more than 15% of the final grade for late summer and full summer courses before the official examination period (see Examination Regulations in the Academic Regulations of the University section of the Undergraduate Calendar).</td>
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<td>August 14</td>
<td>Summer term financial holds preventing access to grades through Carleton Central and the release of official documents will be applied to accounts with an outstanding balance. Last day of late summer and full summer classes. Classes follow a Monday schedule. Last day for academic withdrawal from late summer and full summer courses and any other courses that end this term. Last day for handing in term assignments, subject to any earlier course deadline.</td>
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<td>August 15-16</td>
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August 23

All take home examinations are due on this day, with the exception of those conforming to the Examinations regulations in the Academic Regulations of the University section of the Undergraduate Calendar/General Regulations of the Graduate Calendar.

September 13-15

Late summer and full summer term deferred examinations will be held.

**Readings and class schedule:** Please note that this list is subject to frequent revision including the addition and deletion of both readings and topics. Please consult CULearn often for the most up-to-date version.

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<td>Introduction</td>
<td>Chapters 1,2,3</td>
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<td>July 9,11</td>
<td>Victims and Victimization, choice theory, trait theory</td>
<td>Chapter 3, 4, 5</td>
<td>Online quiz this week</td>
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<td>July 16, 18</td>
<td>Social and Integrated Theories</td>
<td>Chapters 6,7,8</td>
<td>Online quiz this week</td>
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<td>July 23, 25</td>
<td>Integrated theories and violent crime</td>
<td>Chapters 9,10</td>
<td>Online quiz this week</td>
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<td>July 30, Aug. 1</td>
<td>Property Crime and White-collar Crime</td>
<td>Chapter 11,12</td>
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<td>August 6,8</td>
<td>Public Order Crimes and Challenge of crime in the future</td>
<td>Chapter 13, 14</td>
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<td>August 13</td>
<td>Last Class; Special topic coverage</td>
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<td>Final exam</td>
<td><strong>Registrar Scheduled – August 17-23</strong></td>
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