

**CARLETON UNIVERSITY  
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY**

**SOCI2450A  
LATE SUMMER 2022  
CRIME & SOCIETY  
(AN EXPLORATION THROUGH THE LENS OF THE CANADIAN CRIMINAL JUSTICE  
SYSTEM)**

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**Office Hours:** By appointment only – online Sunday from 7 PM to 8PM – please make an appointment and I will send you a link

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**Course meets:** Tuesday and Thursday 6:05PM to 8:55PM – this may change depending on whether we decide as a class to take a break or end earlier- poll will be setup on the course Brightspace page

**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

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In this course, you are expected to learn from your texts, your teacher and from one another. This requires striving towards understanding each other but it does not imply striving towards finding agreement. Our class will be racially, religiously, politically, culturally, generationally, and economically diverse. We will be of different gender identifications and sexual orientations and our lived experiences and reactions to the course material will reflect this diversity. Sharing our perspectives and interpretations on the course material will enhance everyone's learning experience and you are encouraged to openly express any disagreements with the authors you will read, with your fellow classmates, or with the Professor in the different participation fora that are available for this course. However, you are expected to conduct yourself in such a way that shows the utmost respect to others who may – or may not – share your views. Derogatory comments and hateful behavior towards others (and their views) will not be tolerated.

Carleton University acknowledges the location of its campus on the traditional, unceded territories of the Algonquin nation. In doing so, Carleton acknowledges it has a responsibility to the Algonquin people and a responsibility to adhere to Algonquin cultural protocols.

**Course Description and Objectives:** This course will explore how crime and society interconnect by examining different aspects of the Canadian Criminal Justice System (CCJS). We will examine the CCJS from its ideological conceptions through law making, policing, courts, corrections, and reintegration. We will do this examination using the lens of the sociology. Throughout the course we will try to examine issues and ideas while considering diversity, power, and representation. This course will be pragmatic in

nature. This means that we will explore the past, current, and future possibilities of the CCJS within the spectrum of realistic – recognizing that we live in a society that has limited resources, diverse viewpoints, and often competing objectives and values.

Learning objectives will be provided at the start of each section of the course.

### **Reading (s)/Textbook (s):**

#### **Revel Introduction to Criminal Justice, 1e Canada Version by Kelly Gorkoff**

We will be using the Revel edition where additional instructor notes will be provided. This is the electronic version of the text. Use this link to access the course website: <https://console.pearson.com/enrollment/mv7hld>.

If you need help, check out these Revel student resources:  
<https://www.pearsonhighered.com/revel/students/support/>

### **Course Requirements & Methods of Evaluation:**

(FOR MORE DETAILS ON DATES SEE CLASS SCHEDULE AT END OF THIS SYLLABUS)

1. Quizzes based on the Readings (online and time and date limited):  
Best of 4 out of 5 – Details provided in first class **4x5%=20%**
2. Written conceptual thoughts, content analysis, and case analysis (online and Date Limited)  
Best 4 out of 5 - Details Provided in First class **4x10% = 40%**
3. In class activities (content will vary) – Best 10 of 12 **10x1%=10%**
4. Take Home Exam – Submitted on Brightspace **30%**

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	B+ = 77-79	C+ = 67-69	D+ = 57-59
A = 85-89	B = 73-76	C = 63-66	D = 53-56
A - = 80-84	B - = 70-72	C - = 60-62	D - = 50-52
F = Below 50	WDN = Withdrawn from the course	DEF = Deferred	

### **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: <https://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](mailto: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 June examinations (Early Summer) is May 27 and for August (Late Summer) is July 29.

### **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:

[www.carleton.ca/equity/wp-content/uploads/Student-Guide-to-Academic-Accommodation.pdf](http://www.carleton.ca/equity/wp-content/uploads/Student-Guide-to-Academic-Accommodation.pdf)

### **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:

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### **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](http://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, which 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.

<https://carleton.ca/senate/wp-content/uploads/Accommodation-for-Student-Activities-1.pdf>

## **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; reduction of final grade in the course; completion of a remediation process; 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: <https://carleton.ca/career/>

Writing Services: <http://www.carleton.ca/csas/writing-services/>

Peer Assisted Study Sessions (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 My Carleton.
  - 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/>.
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### Important Dates and Deadlines: Spring and Summer 2022

April 28, 2022	Deadline for course outlines to be made available to students registered in early and full summer courses.
May 5, 2022	Early summer and full summer classes begin.
May 12, 2022	Last day for registration and course changes (including auditing) for early summer courses.
May 19, 2022	Last day for registration and course changes (including auditing) for full summer courses.
May 20, 2022	Last day to withdraw from early summer and full summer courses with a full fee adjustment. Withdrawals after this date will result in a permanent notation of WDN on the official transcript.
May 20-June 1, 2022	Fall/winter and winter term deferred final examinations will be held.
May 23, 2022	Statutory holiday. University closed.
May 27, 2022	Last day to request Formal Examination Accommodation Forms for June examinations to the Paul Menton Centre for Students with Disabilities. Note that it may not be possible to fulfil accommodation requests received after the specified deadlines.
June 10, 2022	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/General Regulations of the Graduate Calendar).
June 17, 2022	Last day of early summer classes. (NOTE: full summer classes resume July 4.) Last day for take home examinations to be assigned, with the exception of those conforming to the Examination regulations in the Academic Regulations of the University section of the Undergraduate Calendar/General Regulations of the Graduate Calendar. Classes will follow a Monday schedule. Last day for academic withdrawal from early summer courses.
June 18-19, 2022	Last day for handing in term assignments, subject to any earlier course deadline.
June 20-26, 2022	No classes or examinations take place. Final examinations in early summer courses and mid-term examinations in full summer courses may be held. Examinations are normally held all seven days of the week.
June 26, 2022	All take home examinations are due on this day, with the exception of those conforming to the Examination regulations in the Academic Regulations University

	section of the Undergraduate Calendar/General Regulations of the Graduate Calendar.
June 27, 2022	Deadline for course outlines to be made available to students registered in late-summer courses.
July 1, 2022	Statutory holiday. University closed.
July 4, 2022	Late summer classes begin. Full summer classes resume.
July 11, 2022	Last day for registration and course changes (including auditing) for late summer courses.
July 22, 2022	Last day to withdraw from late summer courses with a full fee adjustment.
July 22-24, 2022	Early summer term deferred final examinations to be held.
July 29, 2022	Last day to request Formal Examination Accommodation Forms for August examinations to the Paul Menton Centre for Students with Disabilities. Note that it may not be possible to fulfil accommodation requests received after the specified deadlines.
August 1, 2022	Statutory holiday. University closed.
August 9, 2022	Last day for summative tests or examinations, or formative tests or examinations totaling more than 15% of the final grade, before the official examination period (see Examination Regulations in the Academic Regulations of the University Section of the Undergraduate Calendar/General Regulations of the Graduate Calendar).
August 16, 2022	Last day of late summer and full summer classes. Last day for take home examinations to be assigned, with the exception of those conforming to the Examination Regulations in the Academic Regulations of the University section of the Undergraduate Calendar/General Regulations of the Graduate Calendar. 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.
August 17-18, 2022	No classes or examinations take place.
August 19-25, 2022	Final examinations in late summer and full summer courses may be held. Examinations are normally held all seven days of the week.
August 25, 2022	All take home examinations are due on this day, with the exception of those conforming to the Examination regulations in the Academic Regulations of the University section of the Undergraduate Calendar/General Regulations of the Graduate Calendar.
September 23-25, 2022	Full and late summer term deferred final examinations to be held

Class Schedule – Readings are subject to change, and this will be noted on Brightspace.

**Please note that there will be a class activity in most classes.** These will not be preannounced and will vary in format. They may occur at any time during the class.

All quizzes and written assignments will be posted and conducted on Brightspace or Revel.

Quizzes open every Monday and **close every Sunday at Midnight.**

Writing Assignments – assignment posted Monday, **submission by Sunday at Midnight.** Please allow at least a week for your writing assignment to be marked.

Section	Dates	Readings	Assignments, Quizzes Dates
Introduction to the CCJS and the course	July 5 & 7	Chapters 1&2 Gorkoff	Quiz Writing Assignment
Policing	July 12&14	Chapters 3&4 Gorkoff	Quiz Writing Assignment
Law and Courts	July 19&21	Chapters 5&6 Gorkoff	Quiz Writing Assignment
Punishment and Sentencing	July 26&28	Chapters 7&8 Gorkoff	Quiz Writing Assignment
Incarceration and Community Corrections	August 2&4	Chapters 9&10 Gorkoff	Writing Assignment
Youth and the CCJs; Moving Forward in CCJs	August 9&11	Chapters 11&12 Gorkoff	Quiz
Conclusion and discussion of take-home exam	August 16		The take-home Exam must be submitted by <b>Midnight on August 25</b> on <u>Brightspace</u> . <i>Only the Registrar can provide an extension to this deadline.</i>