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**NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY**  
College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

T = Transfer Credit  
IP = Course is 'In Progress'

ID: \_\_\_\_\_

**Criminal Justice**

Fall 2012

General Education Requirements - 40 Credits Required					Criminal Justice Major - 61 Credits Required (Credit total includes ANTH 111, SOC 110, & STAT 330)									
Course	Number	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Course	Number	Course Title	Credits	Grade					
First Year Experience (F)					1 Sem Credit									
UNIV	189 <sup>1</sup>	Skills for Academic Success	1		<b>Pre-Professional Criteria: 9 Credits Required</b> No more than one grade of 'C' is allowed in these pre-professional courses. Only one re-take of any of these courses is allowed.									
Communication (C)										12 Sem Credits				
ENGL	110	College Composition I	3							CJ	201	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	
ENGL	120	College Composition II	3		CJ	210	Introduction to Policing	3						
COMM	110	Fund of Public Speaking	3		CJ	230	Criminology & Criminal Law	3						
ENGL	(see list on page two)		3		<b>Professional Criminal Justice Requirements - 43 Total Credits Required</b> See page two for professional program application procedure and program requirements. Only one re-take of any of these courses is allowed.									
Quantitative Reasoning (R)										3 Sem Credits				
STAT	330	Introductory Statistics	3							<b>Professional Upper Level Core Criminal Justice Courses: 22 Credits Required</b> Professional courses will require a minimum 3.0 GPA				
Science & Technology (S)					10 Sem Credits									
			3		CJ or POLS	325	Applied Research Methods	4						
			3		CJ or	330 or	Criminal Law & Procedure OR	2 or						
		Co-Req Lab Requirement	1		POLS	431	Const. Law - Criminal Justice	3						
Humanities & Fine Arts (A)					6 Sem Credits									
			3		CJ	406	Crime & Delinquency	3						
			3		CJ	407	Deviant Behavior	3						
			3		CJ	460	Criminalization	3						
Social & Behavioral Sciences (B)					6 Sem Credits									
ANTH	111	Introduction to Anthropology	3		CJ	461	Corrections	3						
SOC	110	Introduction to Sociology	3		CJ	465	Women and Minorities in Criminal Justice	3						
Wellness (W)					2 Sem Credits									
			2		<b>Additional Criminal Justice Program Requirements - 21 Credits Required</b> Psychology Courses: 12 Credits Required (PSYC 111 is the pre-requisite for these courses)									
Cultural Diversity (D)										PSYC	111	Introduction to Psychology	3	
ANTH	111	Introduction to Anthropology								PSYC	211	Introduction to Behavior Modification	3	
Global Perspectives (G)														
					PSYC	270	Abnormal Psychology	3						
<b>AH&amp;SS College Requirement - 12 Credits Required</b> A minimum of 3 credits is required in each of the FOUR following areas for a total of 12 credits. Choose only those courses with the prefixes listed for each area.					PSYC	212 or	Aspect of Drug Use/Abuse OR	3						
					<b>Area One: Humanities</b> (ARB, ENGL, FREN, GERM, HIST, HUM, PHIL, RELS, SPAN, or WGS*)					<b>Accounting/Business Course: 3 Credits Required</b>				
										ACCT	102	Fundamentals of Accounting	3	
<b>Area Two: Social Sciences</b> (ANTH, CJ, COMM, EMGT, POLS, SOC or WGS*)					POLS	230	Judicial Process	3						
					<b>Area Three: Fine Arts</b> (ART, MUSC or THEA)					<b>Criminal Justice Elective: 3 Credits Required (CJ 225 &amp; 226 OR CJ 379)</b>				
										CJ	225	Punishment and the Death Penalty	1	
<b>Area Four: Outside Student's Major</b> Three credits from Area 1, 2 or 3 that is outside the student's major area (i.e. If your major is COMM, the course to fulfill this area cannot be ANTH, CJ, EMGT, POLS, or SOC)					CJ	226	Criminal Investigation	2						
					<b>Additional Electives - Up to 18 Credits to Reach 122</b>					CJ	379	Study Tour	3	
			3		<b>Total Credits Required for Graduation:</b>									
*Each WGS class can be used in one area only; multiple WGS classes can be used in multiple areas.  All courses listed on this curriculum guide are required for the major.										See the backside of this form for specific degree and graduation requirements, including the application process and minimum requirements for the professional CJ program.				

<sup>1</sup>Students transferring in 24 or more credits do not need to take UNIV 189.

**Bachelor of Science (BS) Degree**  
Minor Required

Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

**Bachelor of Arts (BA) Degree**  
Foreign Language Required  
Proficiency at second year level:

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Language

**Graduation Requirements for All Student:**

- Minimum credits required to graduate = 122
- Cumulative Grade Point Average = 2.00
- 37 credits of 300-400 level coursework required
- Last 30 credits earned in residency at NDSU

**Transfer Student Graduation Requirements (in addition to those listed for all students):**

- Minimum of 60 credits at a 4-year institution
- Of the 60: 36 must be NDSU residency credits
- Of the 36: 15 credits must be at the 300-400 level
- 15 credits must be in the chosen major

**Upper Division English Course Options:**

ENGL 320	Business and Professional Writing	3
ENGL 321	Writing in the Technical Professions	3
ENGL 358	Writing in the Humanities & Social Sciences	3
ENGL 459	Researching & Writing Grants & Proposals	3

**Criminal Justice Professional Program Application Procedure and Minimum Program Requirements**

The application for Criminal Justice will be available online through the CJ department website ([www.ndsu.edu/cjps/](http://www.ndsu.edu/cjps/)) or in paper format at the main office - Criminal Justice & Public Policy Building, room 106.

1. **APPLICATION DEADLINE DATES: Feb. 15 (fall admission) and Sept. 15 (spring admission); applications received after midnight on these dates WILL NOT be reviewed.**
2. To apply, a student must have completed a minimum of 45 credit hours upon application.
3. To apply, a student must have achieved a minimum GPA of 2.75 in all coursework (this includes any transfer work).
4. Students are allowed only one re-take of any pre-professional or upper level CJ core course.
5. Once admitted to the professional CJ program, failure to maintain the minimum GPA of 3.00 in the core upper-level criminal justice courses will result in an academic warning issued from the department for the first violation. Students will receive notification of this warning at their NDSU email address. If the GPA falls below 3.00 for a second semester in professional-level core CJ courses, the student will be administratively removed from the program.
6. Internal and external transfer students will be handled similarly to students who commence their studies in the pre-professional program.
7. Students who entered the University and declared criminal justice as their major prior to fall 2012 will be grandfathered into the program and will not be subject to these guidelines.
8. These guidelines apply for all majors and minors of criminal justice.