

CRJ 281: SPECIAL TOPICS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

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New Course Proposal

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Catalog Title:

Special Topics in Criminal Justice

Class Schedule Title:

Special Topics in CJ

Academic Group: (College)

HHS - Health & Human Services

Academic Organization: (Department)

Criminal Justice

Will this course be offered through the College of Continuing Education (CCE)?

No

Catalog Year Effective:

Fall 2021 (2021/2022 Catalog)

Subject Area: (prefix)

CRJ - Criminal Justice

Catalog Number: (course number)

281

Course ID: (For administrative use only.)

TBD

Units:

3

In what term(s) will this course typically be offered?

Fall, Spring

Does this course require a room for its final exam?

No, final exam does not require a room

Does this course replace an existing experimental course?

No

This course complies with the credit hour policy:

Yes

Justification for course proposal:

A special topics course allows the Division to offer different topics on criminal justice issues on a rotating basis. The Division graduate program will be aided by having an elective course with flexible topics rather than a single topic that may be in the expertise area of one or two faculty. This course will help us serve our graduate students by creating a graduate level elective that can draw on interests and expertise of a larger number of faculty since it allows for different topics.

Course Description: (Not to exceed 80 words and language should conform to catalog copy.)

Introduces students to a variety of pressing issues as special topics that impact Criminal Justice and provides an opportunity to explore those special topics in greater depth. Students conduct research using multiple sources on a variety of topics, participate in seminar discussions, and present findings in presentations and reports.

Are one or more field trips required with this course?

No

Fee Course?

No

Is this course designated as Service Learning?

No

Does this course require safety training?

No

Does this course require personal protective equipment (PPE)?

No

Course Note: (Note must be a single sentence; do not include field trip or fee course notations.)

May be repeated for credit with permission of the Graduate Coordinator when the special topic is different.

Does this course have prerequisites?

Yes

Prerequisite:

CRJ 200 & CRJ 255, or equivalent.

Prerequisites Enforced at Registration?

Yes

Does this course have corequisites?

No

Graded:

Letter

Approval required for enrollment?

No Approval Required

Course Component(s) and Classification(s):

Seminar

Seminar Classification

CS#05 - Seminar (K-factor=1 WTU per unit)

Seminar Units

3

Is this a paired course?

No

Is this course crosslisted?

No

Can this course be repeated for credit?

Yes

How many times can the course be taken (not including first time passed)?

2

Total credits allowed (including first time passed)

6

Can the course be taken for credit more than once during the same term?

No

Description of the Expected Learning Outcomes: Describe outcomes using the following format: 'Students will be able to: 1), 2), etc.'

1. Demonstrate critical understanding and knowledge of the special topic and/or its sub-topics.
2. Compare other topics related to the special topic for importance to the criminal justice system and related institutions.
3. Explain the historical, contemporary, and future importance and implications of the special topic.
4. Identify and explain the ethical and diversity concerns related to the special topic that impact the criminal justice system and related institutions.
5. Analyze and evaluate how the special topic has influenced or been influenced by public policy, the media, and society.

Attach a list of the required/recommended course readings and activities:

CRJ 281 Syllabus Revised Dec16 TCNF.pdf

Assessment Strategies: A description of the assessment strategies (e.g., portfolios, examinations, performances, pre-and post-tests, conferences with students, student papers) which will be used by the instructor to determine the extent to which students have achieved the learning outcomes noted above.

Papers (ELO #: 1, 3, 4, & 5)

Seminar discussion (ELO #: 1, 2, 3, 4, & 5)

Presentations (ELO #: 1, 3, & 5)

Class Participation (ELO #: 1, & 2)

For whom is this course being developed?

Other

Is this course required in a degree program (major, minor, graduate degree, certificate?)

No

Does the proposed change or addition cause a significant increase in the use of College or University resources (lab room, computer)?

No

Will there be any departments affected by this proposed course?

No

I/we as the author(s) of this course proposal agree to provide a new or updated accessibility checklist to the Dean's office prior to the semester when this course is taught utilizing the changes proposed here.

I/we agree

University Learning Goals

Graduate (Masters) Learning Goals:

Critical thinking/analysis
Communication
Information literacy
Disciplinary knowledge
Intercultural/Global perspectives
Professionalism
Research (optional)

Is this course required as part of a teaching credential program, a single subject, or multiple subject waiver program (e.g., Liberal Studies, Biology) or other school personnel preparation program (e.g., School of Nursing)?

No

Is this a Graduate Writing Intensive (GWI) course?

No

Reviewer Comments:

Heather Thompson (heather.thompson) (Tue, 20 Oct 2020 23:00:15 GMT): Rollback: Committee voted to revise & resubmit. Please refer to the discussion at the meeting. Committee members from the department will provide detailed changes to the chair/author. Once re-submitted, Academic Council will review the proposal."

Dimitri Bogazianos (dbogazia) (Wed, 02 Dec 2020 20:04:01 GMT): Rollback: Rollback per submitter request

Heather Thompson (heather.thompson) (Tue, 15 Dec 2020 23:33:21 GMT): Rollback: Committee approved the form with pending changes. Please refer to the discussion during meeting. Committee members from the department will provide the detailed changes to the chair/author. Once re-submitted, the chair may approve the proposal immediately.

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