

CRIMINOLOGY – 2013

Issues of crime and criminal justice are of central importance for contemporary social and political life. The Plan in Criminology provides a comprehensive exploration of the area from the sociological perspective. This means that crime and responses to crime, such as policing and the law, are understood to be shaped by social values, institutions and processes. In undertaking the Plan students will develop an understanding of the patterns and causes of criminality and the operations of the criminal justice system in dealing with this activity. They will also be equipped with the theoretical and methodological skills needed to collect, interpret and evaluate information about crime and criminal justice. The Plan is suitable for all students looking to gain insight into contemporary society. It will particularly appeal to students interested in careers in policing, private security and corrective services and in social policy areas related to criminal justice. Students undertaking combined Arts/Law degrees have also found the program particularly useful.

Criminology can be studied as:

- a single plan or extended plan in the Bachelor of Arts
- a sequence of elective courses in the Bachelor of Social Science
- an elective as part of other degrees offered by UQ

Bachelor of Arts

Single Major

#16 consisting of:

#4 for –

CRIM1000	2	Introduction to Criminology
CRIM1019	2	Introduction to Criminal Justice

plus #4 for –

SOCY2049	2	Introducing Qualitative Research
SOCY2339	2	Introducing Quantitative Research

and #4 from the following advanced level courses –

CRIM2000	2	Youth and Deviance in Australia
CRIM2011	2	Crime, Victims & Justice
CRIM2080	2	Drugs and Crime
CRIM2099	2	Crime, Race and Gender
CRIM2100	2	Punishment and Society
CRIM2200	2	Police and Society
CRIM3070	2	Crime and Public Policy

plus #2 for –

CRIM3039	2	Advances in Criminological Theory
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plus #2 for-

SOCY3039	2	Applied Quantitative Research
SOCY3329	2	Advanced Issues in Qualitative Inquiry

Extended Major

#24 consisting of:

#4 for –

CRIM1000	2	Introduction to Criminology
CRIM1019	2	Introduction to Criminal Justice

plus #4 for –

SOCY2049	2	Introducing Qualitative Research
SOCY2339	2	Introducing Quantitative Research

and #10 - #12 from the following advanced level courses –

ARCS2003	2	Forensics: The Archaeology of Death & Crime Scenes
CRIM2000	2	Youth and Deviance in Australia
CRIM2011	2	Crime, Victims and Justice
CRIM2080	2	Drugs and Crime
CRIM2099	2	Crime, Race and Gender
CRIM2100	2	Punishment and Society
CRIM2200	2	Police and Society
CRIM3050	2	Independent Study in Criminology
CRIM3070	2	Crime and Public Policy

plus #2 for –

CRIM3039	2	Advances in Criminological Theory
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and at least #2 from –

SOCY3039	2	Applied Quantitative Research
SOCY3329	2	Advanced Issues in Qualitative Inquiry

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Requirements for Majors

You should note that each course can only count towards **ONE** plan. There will also be courses that you need to take as prerequisite courses for those required in the plan but if these are not listed in the plan then they cannot be counted towards it. They will, however, count towards the 48 units required for the degree. Please ensure that your plan is recorded with Faculty of Arts by your third year.

Bachelor of Social Science

A major within the Bachelor of Social Science offers you a sound academic basis for careers relating to people or postgraduate study.

The following majors are available in the Bachelor of Social Science

- Criminal Justice
- Development
- Health and Society
- Social and Public Policy

The following minors are available in the Bachelor of Social Science

- Cultural Heritage
- Environment and Society
- Communities and Social Change
- Past Civilizations
 - Globalisation and International Political Economy

CRIM Course Offerings 2013

Semester 1

CRIM1000	Introduction to Criminology
CRIM2011	Crime, Victims and Justice
CRIM2100	Punishment and Society
CRIM2200	Police and Society
CRIM3050	Independent Study in Criminology

Honours

For more information on the BA (Hons), please contact:

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Semester 2

CRIM1000	Introduction to Criminology
CRIM1019	Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRIM2080	Drugs and Crime
CRIM2099	Crime, Race and Gender
CRIM3039	Advanced Crime Theory
CRIM3050	Independent Study in Criminology
CRIM3070	Crime and Public Policy