Criminal Justice Major Worksheet

Objectives for the Major in Criminal Justice
The Criminal Justice Major provides students with courses which lead to a Bachelor of Science Degree and provides a foundation for employment in the Criminal Justice field and graduate work. The program is PCIPP approved.

Requirements for the Major Criminal Justice Major – FA09
The Criminal Justice Program requires every major to complete 45 credits of CJ requirements and a minimum of 120 credits for the degree. These include core CJ required courses (24 credits), additional CJ required courses (6 credits) and CJ electives (15 credits). Courses are also required in the Liberal Arts and Sciences requirements (12 credits).

### Core Requirements (24 credits)
- □ CJ 2000 Introduction to Criminal Justice
- □ CJ 2050 Principles and Practice of Law Enforcement*
- □ CJ 2650 Correctional Theory and Practice*
- □ CJ 2651 Ethics in Criminal Justice*
- □ CJ 3140 Criminal Justice Data Analysis*
- □ CJ 3750 Colloquium*
- □ CJ/POLS 2270 Introduction to Legal Process
- □ SOC 2750 Criminology

### Additional required CJ courses
- □ CJ 3130 Criminal Justice Research Methods*
- □ CJ 3242 Psychology of Crime*

And 15 credits of elective credits, chosen in consultation with their advisor, from the list of courses that follow:

#### Criminal Justice
- □ CJ 2450 Women in Criminal Justice*
- □ CJ 2500 Correctional Law*
- □ CJ 2550 Criminal Law*
- □ CJ 2600 Juvenile Justice*
- □ CJ 3000 Domestic Terrorism and Hate Crime*
- □ CJ 3053 Victimology*
- □ CJ 3100 Organized Crime and Youth Gangs*
- □ CJ 3150 Program Evaluation*
- □ CJ 3200 White Collar and Corporate Crime*
- □ CJ 3215 Community Policing*
- □ CJ 3250 Crime and Delinquency Prevention*
- □ CJ 3300 Community Based Corrections*
- □ CJ 3333 Crime in the Media*
- □ CJ/POLS 3510 International Terrorism
- □ CJ 4970 Internship in J (6 credits in CJ electives) or
- □ CJ 4980 Internship in CJ (6 credits in CJ electives/3 credits free electives) or
- □ CJ 4990 Internship in CJ (6 credits in CJ electives/6 credits free electives)

#### Human Services
- □ HMSV 2400 Crisis Intervention
- □ HMSV 3500 Abuse and Neglect within the Family

#### Political Science
- □ POLS 2550 Sex, Race, and the Constitution
- □ POLS 2700 Criminal Procedure: The Rights of the Accused
- □ POLS 3500 Constitutional Law

#### Psychology
- □ PSY 2350 Abnormal Psychology

#### Sociology
- □ SOC 2760 Juvenile Delinquency
- □ SOC 3500 Law and Society

Selected topics courses in these disciplines may be allowable with the permission of your advisor. Criminal Justice electives from other colleges may be accepted as electives if approved by the Criminal Justice Advisory Committee.

*Introduction to Criminal Justice is a pre-requisite for this course.

### LAS Requirements for the Criminal Justice Major
As part of their Liberal Arts and Sciences requirements, all students in the Criminal Justice Major must complete 12 required credits:

- □ MATH 1700 Applied Statistics
- □ POLS 1000 United States Government or
- □ POLS 1100 Introduction to Political Science
- □ PSY 1100 General Psychology
- □ SOC 1100 Introduction to Sociology

Other Liberal Arts and Sciences courses are required by the college for completion of the degree. It is the student’s responsibility to fulfill accurately and completely all Liberal Arts and Sciences and program requirements for the degree. Each student is assigned an academic advisor to assist with this process.

Note: Students interested in completing an Internship involving direct service to clients (e.g., case work, support counseling, crisis intervention) must meet the policies of the Behavioral Science Department and successfully complete the following Human Services courses in addition o the CJ requirements:

- HMSV 1100 Introduction to Human Services
- HMSV 2500 Interviewing Techniques
- HMSV 3800 Case Management