

## **Criminology, Law and Society Minor (2012-2013)**

*Student worksheet for Minor in Criminology, Law and Society – 15 credits (required for catalog year 2008 and onwards).*

Through the minor in criminology, law and society, students develop knowledge of the principles, institutions, and practices of the systems for administering justice. It provides a solid foundation for students seeking to supplement their major area of study, to develop knowledge and skills needed for justice-related occupations, or to lay the foundation for possible law school or graduate study in the justice field. Students obtain an overview of the justice system and develop advanced knowledge of selected features of the justice system.

Students should plan their course of study with a criminology, law and society faculty advisor assigned by the program. The minor must be approved by the director before graduation.

Students pursuing this minor must complete 15 credits in criminology, law and society with a minimum GPA of 2.00.

### **STUDENT INFORMATION:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**G#:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

### **One required course (3 credits):**

- CRIM 100 (3 cr.) \_\_\_\_\_

### **Four courses (12 credits) in upper-level (300-499) CRIM courses:**

*See the back of this form for courses and titles. CRIM 479 and CRIM 480 may not be used to fulfill this requirement.*

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### **POLICIES THAT APPLY TO ALL MINORS AT MASON:**

Students may elect minor programs of study in addition to major fields by submitting a completed Minor Declaration (Undergraduate) form to the Office of the University Registrar. Minors usually require between 15 and 21 credits of study, at least 8 of which must be applied only to that minor and may not be used to fulfill requirements of the student's major, concentration, an undergraduate certificate, or another minor. Students must complete at least 6 credits in their minor at Mason and achieve a minimum 2.00 GPA in courses applied to the minor.

## **CRIM TITLE (Application to Concentration)**

### **REQUIRED:**

100 Introduction to Criminal Justice

### **UPPER-LEVEL CRIM COURSES:**

301 Public Law and Judicial Process (LS)  
302 Delinquency (CJ)  
304 Computer Crime, Forensics, and Auditing (CJ)  
305 Crime and Crime Policy (CJ)  
306 Criminal Justice Ethics  
307 Social Inequality, Crime, Justice (CJ)  
308 Human Rights and Justice (LS)  
310 Introduction to Intelligence Analysis (HS)  
315 Research Methods and Analysis  
400 Applied Criminal Psychology (CJ)  
401 Policing in America (CJ)  
402 Punishment and Corrections (CJ)  
403 Community Corrections (CJ)  
404 Crime Victims and Victimization (CJ)  
405 Law and Justice Around the World (LS, HS)  
406 Family Law and the Justice System (LS)  
407 Advanced Topics in Law & Society (LS)  
408 Criminal Courts (CJ, LS)  
409 Community Policing (CJ)  
422 Controversial Legal Issues (LS)  
423 Constitutional Law: Civil Rights and Liberties (LS)  
424 Constitutional Law: Criminal Process and Rights  
425 Criminal Justice Management (CJ)  
460 Surveillance and Privacy in Contemporary Society (LS, HS)  
462 Law Enforcement and Homeland Security (HS)  
471 Prevention and Deterrence of Crime (CJ)  
475 Theory and Politics of Terrorism (HS)  
490 Special Topics (content varies) (applies to various concentrations)  
491 Honors Seminar I (content varies) (applies to various concentrations)  
492 Honors Seminar II (content varies) (applies to various concentrations)  
495 Capstone in Criminology, Law and Society