



B.S. Criminology, Law and Society

DEGREE PLANNING SHEET (2016-2017)

Student: _____

G#: _____

Advisor: _____

Date: _____

MASON CORE (APPROX. 34 CREDITS)

Lists of approved courses for Mason Core categories can be found here: <http://chss.gmu.edu/general-education/all-requirements>

Categories	Credits		Course	Completed	Needed
Written Communication	(3 cr)		ENGH 100 or 101		
Written Communication	(3 cr)	* <i>Social Sciences recom'd</i>	ENGH 302*		
Oral Communication	(3 cr)		COMM 100 or COMM 101		
Information Technology	(3 cr)	* <i>Must complete Tech & Ethics</i>			
Quantitative Reasoning	(3 cr)				
Literature	(3 cr)				
Arts	(3 cr)				
Natural Science w/Lab	(4 cr)				
Natural Science lab or non-lab	(3-4 cr)				
Western Civilization/World History	(3 cr)	* <i>Other options for transfers.</i>	HIST100 or HIST 125*		
Social & Behavioral Sciences	(3 cr)	* <i>Fulfilled by major reqs.</i>	CRIM 100*	---	*
Global Understanding	(3 cr)				
Synthesis	---	* <i>Fulfilled by major reqs.</i>	CRIM 495*	---	*
			General Education Total:		

Note: GAA transfer students with an approved lower-level Mason Core waiver are only required to complete ENGH 302 and Synthesis at Mason.

GENERAL ELECTIVES (AS NEEDED)

Elective credits will vary depending on courses/programs selected and/or transfer credits applied to the degree.

Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Completed	Needed
General Electives Total:									

DEGREE PROGRESS SUMMARY*

*May include transfer credits and coursework in-progress/registered in current and future semesters.

CREDITS REQUIRED TO GRADUATE:	120 minimum	CREDITS REMAINING:	Needed
UPPER-LEVEL (300-499) REQUIRED:	45 minimum	Mason Core:	
GPA REQUIRED TO GRADUATE:	2.0 or higher	CLS Major - Core & Electives:	
		w/ Internship or Minor (circle)	
		General Electives:	
Total credits completed*:	_____	TOTAL:	
Total upper-level (300-499) completed*:	_____	Upper-level (300-499):	

IMPORTANT ACADEMIC POLICIES TO REMEMBER:

1. Written Communications requirements (ENGH 101 and ENGH 302) must be passed with a grade of "C/2.0" or better.
2. The 60 credits in the major must be completed with a minimum GPA of 2.00.
3. A minimum of 30 credit hours MUST be completed at GMU, which MUST include 12 credits within the major.
4. A minimum of 45 credit hours of Upper Level (300 to 499) course work must be completed.
5. **PHED, PRLS, and RECR activity courses cannot be used for credit in the College of Humanities and Social Sciences.**
6. **MLSC courses at the 400-level can be used toward a CHSS degree; credit for other MLSC courses may not be used.**
7. A minimum of 120 credits is required for graduation, including 45 upper-level hours and a minimum GPA of 2.0

All official requirements can be found in 2016-2017 University Catalog

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CLS MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (54-65 CREDITS)

Section I: CRIM Core (15 credits)

Students must complete ALL of the following:
CRIM 100 (3 cr.) - Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRIM 306 (3 cr.) - Criminal Justice Ethics
CRIM 315 (3 cr.) - Research Methods and Analysis
CRIM 424 (3 cr.) - Constitutional Law: Process/Right
CRIM 495 (3 cr.) - Capstone in CLS

	Course	Completed	Needed
1	CRIM 100	_____	_____
2	CRIM 306	_____	_____
3	CRIM 315	_____	_____
4	CRIM 424	_____	_____
5	CRIM 495	_____	_____
CRIM Core Total:		_____	_____

Section II: CRIM Electives (30 credits)

Students must complete 30 credits from one or more of the following concentration*** areas:			
Criminal Justice (CJUS)			
CRIM 210	CRIM 400	CRIM 409	CRIM 490*
CRIM 302	CRIM 401	CRIM 410	CRIM 491*
CRIM 304**	CRIM 402	CRIM 425	CRIM 492*
CRIM 305	CRIM 403	CRIM 462	CRIM 498*
CRIM 307	CRIM 404	CRIM 471	CRIM 499*
CRIM 320	CRIM 408		
Law and Society (LAWS)			
CRIM 220	CRIM 406	CRIM 423**	CRIM 492*
CRIM 301**	CRIM 407	CRIM 460	CRIM 498*
CRIM 308	CRIM 408	CRIM 490*	CRIM 499*
CRIM 405	CRIM 422	CRIM 491*	
Homeland Security and Justice (HSJ)			
CRIM 230	CRIM 405	CRIM 490*	CRIM 498*
CRIM 310	CRIM 460	CRIM 491*	CRIM 499*
CRIM 312	CRIM 462	CRIM 492*	
CRIM 350	CRIM 475		

	Course	Completed	Needed
1	CRIM	_____	_____
2	CRIM	_____	_____
3	CRIM	_____	_____
4	CRIM	_____	_____
5	CRIM	_____	_____
6	CRIM	_____	_____
7	CRIM	_____	_____
8	CRIM	_____	_____
9	CRIM	_____	_____
10	CRIM	_____	_____
CRIM Electives Total:		_____	_____

See CLS website for course titles & descriptions!

NOTES:

- *CRIM 490, 491, 492, 498, and 499 can be used for different concentrations when the topic is relevant.
- **Crosslisted/Equivalent Courses: CRIM301/GOVT301; CRIM304/IT357; CRIM423/GOVT423
- ***A concentration in the major is OPTIONAL. If you wish to declare a concentration, please notify your advisor.

Section III: Internship or Minor (15-20 credits)

Students must complete ONE of the following options:	
Option 1: Internship Program (15 credits)	
CRIM 479 - Internship Preparation (3 credits)	
CRIM 480 - Internship (12 credits)	
Option 2: Minor in Related Field (15-20 credits)	
Computer Science (19-20 credits)	
Data Analysis (15 credits)	
Forensic Science (20 credits)	
Forensic Psychology (18 credits)	
Geographic Information Systems (18-20 credits)	
Information Technology (18 credits)	
Intelligence Analysis (18 credits)	
Statistics (15 credits)	

	Completed	Needed
Internship Program:		
1 CRIM 479 (3cr; preparation)	_____	_____
2 CRIM 480 (12cr; internship)	_____	_____
Internship Program Total:	_____	_____

*** OR ***		
Minor in a Related Field:		
	Completed	Needed
1	_____	_____
2	_____	_____
3	_____	_____
4	_____	_____
5	_____	_____
6	_____	_____
Related Minor Total:		_____

See University Catalog to explore these minors!

	Completed	Needed
54-65 Total Credits for Major:	_____	_____