

SAMPLE FOUR-YEAR PLAN FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Updated: October 2010

Note: * Students are required to have at least 12 credits of CRJ 490 – Field Instruction AND CJ Electives. Students are required to intern 50 hours in the field for each credit hour registered. For example, if a student is doing a 6-credit field instruction, he/she would be required to intern for 300 hours in the field. The Criminal Justice Department and/or Loras College reserve the right to change program requirements. Please check the current issue of The Loras College Undergraduate Bulletin.

JANUARY TERM				
Students admitted Fall 2007 or later are required to complete a minimum of two January terms.	CR			
Transfer students who transfer in 40 credits or more are required to complete at least one January term.				
January term course in First Year or Sophomore year	3			
January term course in Junior year	3			

FIRST YEAR FALL SEMESTER		FIRST YEAR SPRING SEMESTER	
Title	CR	Title	CR
LIB 100 Modes of Inquiry	3	Catholic traditions (LIB 130 or 135)	3
Writing requirement (LIB 105 or ENG 111) or speaking requirement (LIB 110)	3	Writing requirement (LIB 105 or ENG 111) or speaking requirement (LIB 110)	3
CRJ 120 Intro to Criminal Justice	3	CRJ 252 Criminology	3
Second major or minor courses	6	Second major or minor courses	6

SOPHOMORE YEAR FALL SEMESTER		SOPHOMORE YEAR SPRING SEMESTER	<u> </u>
Title	CR	Title	CR
LIB 220 Democracy & Global Diversity or Catholic traditions (LIB 130 or 135)	3	LIB 220 Democracy & Global Diversity or elective	3
CRJ 253 Intro to Corrections	3	*Criminal Justice elective	3
Second major or minor credits	9	CRJ 224 Criminal Law & Procedure	3
		Second major or minor credits	6

JUNIOR YEAR FALL SEMESTER		JUNIOR YEAR SPRING SEMESTER	
Title	CR	Title	CR
MAT 115 Statistics FM (fulfills foundational math requirement & statistics requirement for CJ major)	4	CRJ 323 Research Methods in Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 320 Juvenile Delinquency & Justice	3	Lib 305 Portfolio	1
Two Advanced General Education course from any area other than -AH	6-7	Advanced General Education cluster	6-7
Second major or minor credits	3	Second major or minor credits	6

SENIOR YEAR FALL SEMESTER		SENIOR YEAR SPRING SEMESTER	
Title	CR	Title	CR
CRJ 480 – Senior Seminar	3	*Criminal Justice elective	3
*CJ elective	3	*CRJ 490 Field Instruction (Spring or Summer) or elective	3-9
*CRJ 490 – Field Instruction (Fall, Spring, or Summer) or	3-9	Elective credit	6
elective			
Advanced General Education course	3-4	Second major or minor credits	3
Second major or minor credits	3		

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