

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

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\_\_\_\_\_ Associate degree or 60 applicable transfer credits

**PREREQUISITES:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ CRMJ 150 Intro to Criminal Justice
- \_\_\_\_\_ CRMJ 250 Criminal Law and Procedure
- \_\_\_\_\_ Completion of Act 120 training (12 credits) **OR**

Selected Elective Credits (200+ level) (for those whose Act 120 training is contained within the Associate degree)

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**DEPARTMENT GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

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_____	CRMJ	220	Professional Comm in CJ	3
_____	CRMJ	230	Professional Responsibility	3
_____	PSYC	325	Psychological Issues	3
_____	LAW	340	Police and the Constitution	3

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN LAW ENFORCEMENT

2011-2012

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Entrance Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**DEPARTMENT MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

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_____	CRMJ	261	Court Organization and Ops	3
_____	CRMJ	315	Quant Meth for Law Prof	3
_____	CRMJ	351	Research Meth & Comp Tech	3
_____	CRMJ	361	Criminal Evidence	3
_____	CRMJ	370	Criminalistics I	3
_____	CRMJ	395	Special Topics in CJ <b>OR</b>	
_____	LAW	395	Special Topics in Law Enf	3
_____	LAW	332	Conflict Resolution	3
_____	LAW	335	Commun & Multicul Rel	3
_____	LAW	415	Manage in Law Enforcement	3
_____	LAW	437	Adv Interv & Interrogation	3
_____	LAW	439	Adv Invest Tech	3
_____	LAW	440	Senior Sem in Law Enf	3

# Program Objectives

## B.S. Law Enforcement

### Upon successful completion of this program, a student will be able to:

#### 1. Speak and write effectively

- Differentiate between the types of questions and responses needed when conducting an interview or interrogation.
- Compile and summarize the results of an interview/interrogation when providing testimony.
- Generate written reports including affidavits, search warrants, police reports and other professional documentation.

#### 2. Think critically, collect, analyze and interpret data.

- Incorporate the use of Statistical Product and Service Solutions (SPSS) software to collect, modify, analyze, and interpret data.
- Demonstrate the application of quantitative analyses in the field of criminal justice, including the analysis of the rules of evidence governed by constitutional guidelines.
- Conduct a critical review of the literature in order to analyze published research studies in the field of criminal justice.
- Select a researchable topic, develop a research question, and determine the appropriate research design.
- Understand the statistical tests and procedures used to analyze, summarize and interpret data.
- Apply the fundamentals of criminal investigations including crime scene search, and the recording, collection and preservation of evidence.

#### 3. Apply the theories and concepts of supervision and leadership when managing and evaluating financial, human, and technological resources.

- Explain the reasons, causes and sources of conflict and to apply multiple modalities when resolving conflict that may occur in law enforcement situations within the community and within the profession of criminal justice.
- Analyze the basic organizational concepts of a police department including collective bargaining, recruitment and allocation of personnel, and the preparation of budgets.
- Create and present a model police department policy.

#### 4. Understand the sociological, psychological, historical and economic variables impacting the community and law enforcement at the local, state and federal levels.

- Compare and contrast the theories of contemporary abnormal psychology and the psychological disorders including anxiety, depression, schizophrenia, and post-traumatic stress disorders, as related to offender behavior.
- Identify the factors that have influenced the evolution of the court system (state and federal) in the United States.
- Assess the impact of major legal and U.S. Supreme Court decisions that affect police conduct in the enforcement of the criminal code of the United States

#### 5. To prepare law enforcement professionals to embrace and develop a commitment to ethical behavior through an understanding of professional principles.

- Compare and contrast distinctions between morality and ethics as applied to the various constituents of the criminal justice system.
- Develop and apply strategies when examining and dealing with the challenges of diversity impacting law enforcement agencies.
- Critique one's personal beliefs and values when functioning as a professional dealing with issues of prejudice and discrimination.