

# JUSTICE & PUBLIC POLICY MAJOR (M)

A Bachelor of Science in Justice and Public Policy (JPP) from CUW will help you understand how courses like criminology, criminal psychology, corrections, law enforcement, and probation/parole will prepare you to understand sociological, psychological, and free-will theories, while learning how to apply theory to practice within the American civil and criminal court systems, correctional system, and justice system. Legal-related courses like criminal justice liability law, along with procedural, and substantive criminal law, apply to effecting arrest search and seizure, evidence collection, and courtroom procedures. You'll learn best practices pertaining to field and custodial interviews, criminal investigations, and juvenile procedures.

What does all that add up to? It creates a foundation for a career in a wide variety of justice and public service-related fields by giving you quality instruction. One hundred percent of all faculty have extensive experience in their respective field. This lends itself to practical and experiential guidance in blending your personal and professional ethical values within a system of justice, public policy, and service.

## Program Learning Outcomes

- Students will professionally and effectively communicate through writing and oral presentations using appropriate criminal justice terminology.
- Students will demonstrate knowledge of theories of the causes of criminal activity and public policies that aid in crime prevention.
- Students will accurately describe the role and function of law enforcement, corrections, juvenile procedures, and the courts in society.
- Students will evaluate the effectiveness of criminal justice and security professional in crime prevention and in criminal justice prosecutions.
- Students will be able to gather, analyze and evaluate relevant information to create ethical legal decisions based upon Christian principles.
- Students will demonstrate the practical application of criminal justice research theory and numeracy needed to propose criminal justice research that adds to current research knowledge, restructures or changes current research knowledge, or adds new knowledge to the criminal justice research process.

## Curriculum

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Core Requirements</b> ( <a href="https://catalog.cuw.edu/undergraduate/university/acad-prog/trad/core/">https://catalog.cuw.edu/undergraduate/university/acad-prog/trad/core/</a> ) <sup>1</sup>		<b>45</b>
<b>Major Requirements</b>		<b>42</b>
<b>Electives</b>		<b>33</b>
Minor: Optional		
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>120</b>

<sup>1</sup> For transfer students, please see the Advanced Transfer Core (<https://catalog.cuw.edu/undergraduate/university/acad-prog/trad/transfer-core/>).

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
JPP 1010	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
JPP 1020	Criminology	3
JPP 1030	Introduction to Courts	3
JPP 1040	Juvenile Justice Theory	3
JPP 1050	Introduction to Probation and Parole	3
JPP 2010	Corrections in America	3
JPP 2020	Substantive Criminal Law	3
JPP 2030	Criminal Investigation	3
JPP 2060	Stress Management	3
JPP 3010	Procedural Criminal Law	3
JPP 3030	Criminal Psychology	3
JPP 3070	Criminal Justice Liability Law	3
JPP 3999	Career & Internship in Justice and Service	3
JPP 4010	Ethics in Justice and Public Service	3
<b>Recommended Electives</b>		
LEGL 2300	Environmental Law & Politics	
JPP 2040	Criminal Justice Research Methods	
JPP 2050	Terrorism	
JPP 3040	Forensic Investigation	
JPP 3050	Organized Crime	
JPP 3090	Special Topics in Criminal Justice	
JPP 4020	White Collar Crime	

**Total Hours** **42**

## Plan

Course	Title	Hours
<b>Semester 1</b>		
JPP 1010	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
JPP 1020	Criminology	3
ENG 1040	Introduction to Writing	3
COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE		3
HUMAN CREATIVITY & EXPRESSION		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Semester 2</b>		
JPP 1030	Introduction to Courts	3
JPP 1040	Juvenile Justice Theory	3
CCE 1010	Christian Citizen	3
NATURAL WORLD- MATH		3
SOCIETY & CULTURE		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Semester 3</b>		
JPP 1050	Introduction to Probation and Parole	3
JPP 2010	Corrections in America	3
NATURAL WORLD - SCIENCE		4
HHP 1100	Stewardship of the Body	1
HHP ACTIVITY		1
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Semester 4</b>		
JPP 2030	Criminal Investigation	3
CCE 1020	Western Culture & Worldview	3
HUMAN BEINGS & BEING HUMAN		3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

**Semester 5**

JPP 2020	Substantive Criminal Law	3
JPP 2060	Stress Management	3
REL 1000	The Bible	3
CCE 1030	Western Thought & Worldview	3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

**Semester 6**

JPP 3010	Procedural Criminal Law	3
CCE 1040	Science & Humanity	3
REL 1100	Christian Faith	3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

**Semester 7**

JPP 3030	Criminal Psychology	3
JPP 3999	Career & Internship in Justice and Service	3
JPP 4010	Ethics in Justice and Public Service	3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

**Semester 8**

JPP 3070	Criminal Justice Liability Law	3
FAITH & LIFE		3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
ELECTIVE/MINOR		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>120</b>