



St. Peter's College
Iligan City

COLLEGE OF CRIMINOLOGY

COURSE CATALOG
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PROFESSIONAL COURSES

A. CRIMINAL SOCIOLOGY, ETHICS AND HUMAN RELATIONS

CrimSoc 1 - Introduction to Criminology 3 units

This course presents an overview of the different schools of thought in criminology; theories that explain criminal behavior; techniques for measuring the characteristics of criminals, crime and victims; the interrelatedness of theory, policy, and practice in the criminal justice system; and current issues and studies in criminology.

CrimSoc 2 - Theories of Crime 3 units

This course describes the role of theory in crime scholarship. It surveys the major schools of thought related to crime causation (biological, psychological, and sociological) and particular theories in crime and delinquency.

CrimSoc 3 - Human Behavior and Victimology 3 units

The course covers the study on human behavior with emphasis on the concept of human development and abnormal behavior. It includes strategies and approaches for handling different kinds of abnormal behavior in relation to law enforcement and criminal proceedings. It also includes the study of victimization, the role of community and techniques in assisting offender's reintegration and victim's recovery.

CrimSoc 4 - Professional Conduct and Ethical Standards 3 units

This course deals with the professional conduct and ethical standards expected among criminologist in view of the conduct of criminological research, law enforcement work, public safety, forensic science, criminalistics, and crime investigation. It also includes in the professional conduct and ethical standards for court witnesses and correctional officers in dealing with offenders in view of their welfare, development and reintegration.

CrimSoc 5 - Juvenile Delinquency and Crime Prevention 3 units

This course deals with the etiology of delinquent and criminal behavior and the factors that bring about juvenile delinquency; prevention and control of teenage crime and manner of combating it; influence of community institutions on delinquency; organization of civic and government councils for the prevention of juvenile delinquency; establishment of recreation and character building agencies; counseling and guidance clinics for juveniles and police juvenile control bureaus; study of juvenile courts; probation service and correctional institutions; study of social welfare agencies and the law applicable.

CrimSoc 6- Dispute Resolution and Crisis/ incidents Management

3 units

This course deals with the study of the process of dealing and resolving conflicts/disputes resolution and crises management. It includes the art of intervention through mediation and reconciliation of disagreements between stakeholder's agencies. Likewise, the course includes handling of crises that the criminal justice personnel are commonly encountered. Moreover, the study significantly provides mechanisms on how to adopt strategies in dealing with potential and actual crises which are being addressed by concerned agencies and authorities from law enforcement, corrections and communities.

CRIM – 6 Criminological Research and Statistics

3 units

This subject deals on the areas of Criminological Theories, the administration of criminal justice, and the field of Criminalistics and conduct research regarding existing problems and cope up with the basic statistical interpretation of the data gathered. It includes the different styles of criminological research (e.g. case study, policy-related, action-based), different types of research designs.

CrimSoc 7 – Criminological Research 1 (Research Methods with Applied Statistics)

3 Units

This is the capstone course for the Bachelor of Criminology. The aim of Criminological Research is to apply students' knowledge and understanding of research - how and why it is done and to expose students to different theoretical perspectives and methodologies employed by researchers in conducting research in criminology. It delves into Applied Statistical Methods for Criminal Justice Studies, providing students with foundational knowledge in research design, data collection, and statistical analysis specific to criminology contexts.

CrimSoc 8- Criminological Research 2 (Thesis writing and Presentation)

3 Units

Criminological Research2 emphasizes thesis composition and effective presentation techniques, equipping students with the skills to articulate their findings and contribute to the broader discourse in the field of criminology. Students will undertake an independent research project from design (formulate a research question, the methods used to obtain data, fieldwork, the interpretation of data collected and the writing up of research findings). Students will also be taught about ethical considerations in social research and how the research findings inform social change.

B. LAW ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION (LEA)

LEA-1 -Police Organization and Administration (Inter-agency Approach)

4units

The course deals with the study of principles underlying the police organization and management of the police with particular focus on the Constitutional mandate, Republic Act 6975 and Republic Act 8551, together with previous laws and issuances relating thereto. It includes the organizational structure and administration of the Philippine National Police, both national and local levels. Emphasis is given on direction, supervision, coordination and control of all local police forces as a homogenous body under a single command. It includes the basic management functions insofar as these are applied to the police organization. It also includes the study of police personnel management functions from recruitment to retirement; application of NAPOLCOM and PNP rules and regulations; police records management; and preparation of police personnel reports.

It's not only covers the structural and operational aspects of police departments but also delves deeply into the Inter-agency Approach, emphasizing the importance of collaboration and coordination among various law enforcement and related agencies for more effective policing.

LEA-2 - Comparative Models in Policing

3 units

It is a specialized course designed to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of diverse policing models from around the continent. This course delves into the historical, sociopolitical, and cultural contexts in which different policing models have emerged and evolved.

It focuses on a comparative study of military and police intelligence functions and operations, types of police intelligence, phases of intelligence cycle; modus operandi (MO) and order of battle regulations (OBR) system for the identification of criminals and other threats to national security.

Also covers the comparison of selected police models and their relation with Interpol and UN bodies in the campaign against transnational crimes and in the promotion of world peace.

LEA-3 - Introduction to Industrial Security Concepts

3 units

This subject will focus on the different aspects and concerns of industrial security which includes plant protection and security management; the different types or kinds of security whether institutional or individual; Personnel security, Document security. Physical security and security survey; Environmental safety against natural and man made hazard and emergency preparedness; Functions and responsibilities of security agencies under its governing laws.

LEA-4 Law Enforcement Operations and Planning with Crime Mapping 3 units

It deals with the knowledge and skills necessary for effective policing and operational strategies. This course aims to bridge the theoretical foundations of police work with practical applications to enhance both reactive and proactive approaches to public safety.

Police Planning is integrated into this course, and it is designed to equip the students with knowledge on the development of effective plans, particularly on strategies and tactics for effective operations. The emphasis is on the special techniques and procedures applicable to unusual needs like unusual criminal activities, civil disturbances, special community events, disaster plans, and civil defense.

It also merges the fundamental principles of law enforcement operations with the advanced technology of crime mapping, emphasizing their applicability to Philippine law enforcement agencies.

CFLM 1- Character Formation, Nationalism, and Patriotism 3 units

This course studies the various philosophical theories of nationalism and patriotism, ideal characters, contextualization of issues and challenges of the course, real life situations from the past to contemporary issues and the relationship between nationalism and patriotism. The ultimate aim of the course is the transformation of the students as the ideal law enforcers of the future.

CFLM 2- Character Formation with Leadership, Decision Making, Management and Administration 3 units

The course covers the understanding of personal values, characteristics, and goals including the normative foundations of leading which includes the wide array of Leadership and management approaches and refine their leadership and management styles. Understand the frames of judgment and skills needed to affect positive change in a wide array of settings and to transform cultures, organizations, and institutions through effective leading, management, analysis, and decision-making in a Self-awareness, manner to think and act strategically.

C. CRIME DETECTION AND INVESTIGATION (CDI)

CDI – 1 Fundamentals of Criminal Investigation and Intelligence 4 units

This studies on the concepts and principles of criminal investigation using the modern methods and approaches in interview, interrogation and the use of instruments for the location, identification of the perpetrator of the crime. The scene on crime operation and the methods of conducting search in a crime scene. The proper procedure in photographing crime scene, the

making of crime sketch. The legal methods of effecting arrest, conducting investigation, search and seizure, and taking of physical evidence on the crime scene. The taking of statements of witnesses, complaints or victims and the making of investigation report merge with traditional investigative methods with modern intelligence techniques employed in Law Enforcement Agencies in the Philippines.

CDI – 2 Specialized Crime Investigations 1 with Legal Medicine

3 units

It deals on the areas of Specialized Crime Investigations, accentuated by the critical study of legal medicine. It bridges investigative practices with the medical and forensic understanding crucial for the accurate interpretation of crime scenes, evidence, and related legal proceedings. A comprehensive exploration of the principles and practices of legal medicine as applied in the Philippine justice system.

This course also deals with the application of medical science in crime investigation with emphasis on human anatomy and physiology, the medico-legal aspects of physical injuries, death and crimes, abortion, infanticide, paternity and filiations, impotency, sterility and poisoning.

CDI – 3 Special Crime Investigation 2 with Simulation on Interrogation and Interview

3 units

It deals with the nuanced complexities of specialized crime investigations. This delves into a significant emphasis on practical, hands-on experiences through simulated interrogation and interview scenarios.

CDI – 4 Traffic Management and Accident Investigation with Driving

3 units

This study covers the Fundamentals of traffic safety education, enforcement, engineering, techniques in vehicular and pedestrian direction and control, techniques in point and inter-sectional vehicle-volume determination for emergency and priority control; study of different traffic decrees, codes in national and local levels; techniques in the preparation of selective enforcement plans and policies for special and emergency traffic situations; methods and procedures in the use of the hand signals and electric signal lights; techniques in accident investigation; determination of reaction-time and break-in time, and application of scientific aids in hit-and-run cases.

This also offers the development of basic driving skills on an automobile and the application of traffic laws and regulations. Train students how to become defensive drivers.

CDI – 5 Technical English 1 (Tech. Report Writing and Presentation)

3 units

This course is designed to provide law enforcement professionals with the expertise needed to produce clear, detailed reports and deliver compelling presentations tailored to the specific demands of the field. It delves into the unique challenges of communication within law enforcement, combining

fundamental principles of technical communication. The students will explore various forms of technical documentation used in law enforcement contexts, ranging from incident reports and case summaries to legal documentation and procedural manuals. Through practical exercises and real-world scenarios, students will cultivate the ability to transform intricate details into coherent written reports and engaging presentations.

CDI – 6 Fire Protection and Arson Investigation 3 units

The entire course covers the principles of technology of fire and its behavior. It also emphasizes fire investigation and the role of firefighters during fire suppression and investigation, the study of Fire and Building Code, and law on destructive arson including arson investigation.

This course also deals on the characteristics and behavior of fire. Definition of some physical properties and chemical terms applicable to the chemistry and physics of fire. The principles of fire, heat measurement, heat transfer and heat characteristics and energy. General information of the nature of wood and its ignition and burning characteristics; Fire hazards. The use and application of different fire equipments and apparatus. The fire code of the Philippines and the Powers and Functions of the Bureau of Fire and Protection.

CDI-7 Vice and Drug Education and Control 3 units

This course studies the Drug Abuse Prevention and Education Program of the government that includes recognition, nature and extent of drug problems; causes and influence of drug abuse; origin identification and classification of commonly abused drugs, prohibited and regulated drugs and symptoms of drug abuse. This course also included preventive drug abuse education and information program in schools and communities; and treatment and rehabilitation program for drug dependents.

CDI- 8 Technical English 2 (Legal Forms) 3 units

This course includes underlying principles, and practical applications in a wide array of legal contexts. It delve into the fundamental components and terminology of legal forms, gaining insights into their purpose and significance. Through a combination of theoretical learning and hands-on exercises, students will explore different categories of legal forms, such as contracts, agreements, affidavits, and more. They will also learn to navigate the intricacies of drafting and customizing legal forms to align with specific situations, ensuring precision and compliance with legal requirements.

CDI- 9 Introduction to Cybercrime and Environmental Laws and Protection 3 units

This course cover an overview of cybercrime, including a basic understanding of computer technology, history of cybercrime, nature and types of cybercrime, incident response, collection and preservation; digital investigative plan, and applicable legal provision. This is also cover the study

of the concepts and principle of environment specifically on ecosystem and biodiversity, various threats to their existence and its impact on humankind. It includes the study of relevant environmental laws and jurisprudence, the detection, investigation, and gathering of evidence in the prosecution of cases.

D. CRIMINALISTICS

Forensic 1- Forensic Photography

3 units

The course deals with the study on the history of photography, technical photography and forensic photography. Police Photography shall also cover the study of the Advance Photo System and its application in police work.

Forensic 2- Personal Identification Techniques

3 units

The course covers the fundamental study of ancient and modern methods of personal identification with emphasis on Dactyloscopy, Orthodontology and Palmistry, which embraces the identification and comparison of fingerprint patterns and ridge characteristics; the scientific method of recognition, development and preservation of latent prints; and the recording and classifying of fingerprints that include the Henry System and the FBI Extension.

Forensic 3- Forensic Chemistry and Toxicology

5 units

It includes the principles, techniques, and applications of these fields in solving criminal cases, analyzing evidence, and ensuring justice. This course is focusing on the chemical analysis of physical evidence and the detection of toxic substances in various contexts. Through a combination of theoretical knowledge, laboratory experiments, and case studies, participants will acquire the skills needed to analyze complex substances, interpret results, and present findings accurately and convincingly in legal proceedings.

Forensic 4- Questioned Documents Examination

3 units

The course covers the scientific methods of identification and examination of questionable documents, handwriting examination, detection of forgery, falsification and counterfeiting of documents which stress the procedures of restoring and deciphering erasures and obliterations; examination of documents by means of visible light, ultra-violet and ultra-red radiation and colored powders; recognition and selection of standards; and examination of questionable typewriting, computerized documents and other forms of modern printing.

Forensic 5- Lie Detection Techniques

3 units

This course deals with the study of lie detection and interrogation. It covers the methods and techniques of conducting polygraph examination and other conventional methods of detecting deception. The focus of the study is

on the uses of the polygraph instrument and the standard procedures of polygraph examination including modern deception detection techniques.

Forensic 6- Forensic Ballistics

3 units

The course involves a scientific study of firearm identification with the use of laboratory examination. The subject gives emphasis on the study of ammunitions, projectiles, gun powder, primer and explosive, including the use of the bullet comparison microscope. It also deals with the principles in the microscopic and macroscopic examination of firearm evidences and the preparation of reports for legal proceedings in the solution of cases involving firearms.

E. CRIMINAL PROCEDURE AND JURISPRUDENCE

CLJ 1- Intro to Philippine Criminal Justice System

3 units

The course covers the concept and principles of Philippine Criminal Justice System including the Juvenile Justice and Welfare Act of 2006 or the R.A 9344. This also discuss the importance and function of Five Pillars in Criminal Investigation, which are Law Enforcement; which highlights the evolution of the Law Enforcement, functions of law enforcement, related laws on law enforcement and the different agencies under law enforcement. Prosecution; discuss the duties and functions of prosecution within the CJS with emphasis on the Prosecution process. Court; which discuss how to distinguish the hierarchies, functions and jurisdictions of the court. Correction; understand the purpose and function of this pillar and Community; discuss the role as member of the community for the attainment of the objectives of justice.

CRIM 2 - Philippine Criminal Justice System

3 units

The study of the five pillars of criminal justice in the Philippines-law enforcement, the prosecution, the courts, the corrections and the community. It also covers their respective functional relationships as well as individual roles in the administration of the justice system in the solution of crimes.

CLJ 2- Human Rights Education

3 units

This course deals with the body of laws, rule, procedures, and institution designed to respect, promote and protect the human rights at the regional, national and international level. This also includes victim's welfare and rights of the accused and the standard and ethical procedures employed by the law enforcement agencies as implementers of laws. It is also focused on the protection of human rights and dignity as declared under Universal Human Rights, Human Security Act and other related laws.

CLJ 3- Criminal Law (Book 1)**4 units**

The course includes a study of the general provisions of the Revised Penal Code, Special Criminal Statutes of the Philippines, Presidential Decrees and Letter of Instructions and cases relative thereto.

CLJ 4- Criminal Law (Book 2)**4 units**

The course deals with the study of crimes and penalties. It includes the study of jurisprudence and the elements of crimes embodied in the Revised Penal Code Book-2 and the circumstances which affect criminal liabilities.

CLJ 5- Evidence**3 units**

The Criminal Procedure course focuses on the study of the Rules of Court on Criminal Procedure and cases covering the law on arrest, searches and seizures, rules of preliminary investigation, the granting of bail, and the rights of the accused.

CLJ 6- Criminal Procedure and Court Testimony 3 units

The Criminal Procedure course focuses on the study of the Rules of Court on Criminal Procedure and cases covering the law on arrest, searches and seizures, rules of preliminary investigation, the granting of bail, and the rights of the accused.

The course involves the study of the fundamental principles of criminal evidence as embodied in the Rules of Court. The Court Testimony course includes observation, enactment and the participation of the police officers in the judicial processes.

F. CORRECTIONAL ADMINISTRATION**CA 1 - Institutional Corrections****3 units**

The course covers an examination of the history, philosophy and objectives of imprisonment and the development of prisons. A study of institutional agencies in the Philippines, to include BJMP which oversees city and municipal jails; provincial jails and the Bureau of Corrections and their institutions in terms of their structures, management, standards, programs and services. A critical analysis of the laws creating these agencies to determine areas for possible improvement.

CA 2- Non- Institutional Corrections**3 units**

The course focuses on Presidential Decree 968, otherwise known as the "Probation Law of 1976 as Amended", establishing a probation system in the Philippines, its historical background, philosophy, concepts and operation as a new correctional system, investigation, selection and condition of probation, distinction between incarceration, parole, probation and other forms of executive clemency, total involvement of probation in the administration of the Criminal Justice System.

CA 3- Therapeutic Modalities

2 units

It deals with various modalities, their physiological effects, and practical applications in the context of healthcare and rehabilitation. This delves into the diverse range of therapeutic modalities, from electrical stimulation and heat therapy to manual techniques and hydrotherapy. Through a combination of theoretical knowledge, hands-on demonstrations, and clinical case studies, participants will gain the skills necessary to select, administer, and evaluate therapeutic modalities effectively, all while adhering to ethical and evidence-based practices.

G. PRACTICUM

PRACTICUM - On-The- Job Training and Community Immersion

540 hours

6 units

This course is intended to develop an understanding and exposure into Psychology and Sociology of Crimes, Crime Detection and Investigation and Criminalistics, actual operation of a police station/ department, jail or penal institution, Fire Departments and Security Agencies, and such other agencies comprising the five (5) pillars of the Criminal Justice System and the relationship between them as a supplement and in conjunction with the academic program; off – campus or practicum program in selected police agencies; actual field work, observation and practice of police tasks, activities or operations, including patrol, traffic, crime investigation, Criminalistics, performed internships requiring observations in penal institutions, jails, reformatories in DSWD, NBI, CHR, NAPOLCOM and such other agencies related to the course/ program.

The course is also aimed at providing students with an opportunity to understand the economic, social, and cultural reality of the community. It is centered on students getting in touch with themselves as they interact and relate with individuals, groups, and families in selected nearby community. The course is divided into three phases namely: pre – immersion phase, immersion phase and the post immersion phase.

H. DEFENSE TACTICS:

PEC 1- Fundamentals of Martial Arts

2 units

The course deals with the study of judo, karate-do, and arnis as a means of self-defense for law enforcement officers. It includes the instructions on safety falls, kickback throws, fighting stances, pushing and open hand strikes, hand grips and grabbing, head lock and hammer lock, training and conditioning of the body through calisthenics, developing force and flexibility.

PEC 2-**Disarming Techniques****2 units**

The course deals with the study and practice of martial arts as a means of self-defense for law enforcement officer. The study puts emphasis on special instructions in physical conditioning, unarmed defense tactics, offensive and defensive procedures, pistol disarming, defense against knife and club attacks. It also includes the application of the different principles of karate-do, aiki-do, long stick, police baton, taekwon-do, Thai boxing and other forms of martial arts.

PEC 3- First Aid and Water Survival**2 units**

The course revolves around the basic principles of first aid in emergencies: application of artificial respiration and treatment of shock; first aid in cases involving burns, bone injuries, poisoning, strokes, fainting and convulsion, immobilizing and transferring the victim to a place of safety, and transferring the injured to the hospital. It also includes a special instruction in swimming and forms of rescue operation, resuscitation in the recovery of submerged victims, safety measures and accident prevention.

PEC 4 - Marksmanship and Combat Shooting**2 units**

The course deals with combat shooting course for police officers; practice in the use of handguns, riot guns, armalites and machineguns in defense combat; firing at moving and stationary targets; training in firearms shooting positions; practice in quick draw techniques and night firing.

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