

CRIMINAL JUSTICE LEADERSHIP AND INNOVATION (M.A.)

This program will begin in the Spring 2026 semester.

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Required Core		
JUST 515	Critical Analysis of Justice Administration	3
JUST 530	Ethics and Leadership in Justice Organizations	3
JUST 531	Crime Data and Analysis	3
JUST 532	Community Based Solutions	3
WRIT 510	Special Topics in Grant Writing	3
Electives		
Complete 12 credits from the list below.		12
Culminating Experience		
JUST 533	Innovative Practice and Application	3
Total Credits		30

Electives

Code	Title	Credits
CHAD 501	Introduction to Applied Child Advocacy	3
CHAD 502	Child Abuse and Neglect	3
CHAD 503	Current Social Issues in Child Advocacy	3
CHAD 504	Children and Justice	3
CHAD 602	Child Advocacy Policy and Practice	3
EAES 510	Geographic Information Systems	3
ENTR 561	Business Innovation and Entrepreneurial Thinking	1.5
JUST 520	Current Issues in Homeland Security	3
JUST 525	Policing and Society	3
JUST 541	International Crime, Law and Organization	3
JUST 550	Race and Justice	3
JUST 551	Violence in America	3
JUST 562	Applied Community Solutions	3
MGMT 562	Foundations of Teamwork and Leadership	1.5
MGMT 565	Project Management	1.5
MGMT 566	Negotiation in the Workplace	1.5
MGMT 569	Business Communications	1.5
MGMT 571	Leadership	1.5
SOCI 510	Applied Quantitative Methods	3
SOCI 566	Urban Social Problems and Policy	3
SOCI 577	Poverty and Social Welfare Policy in the United States	3

Recommended Roadmap to Degree Completion

This plan is provided as an outline for students to complete their program requirements within one year. This plan is a recommendation only and

students should meet with their Graduate Advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree.

First Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits	Summer	Credits
Fall 1: 7-week session		Spring 1: 7-week session		Summer: 7-week session	
JUST 515	3	WRIT 510	3	JUST 533	3
JUST 530	3	Elective 2	3	Elective 4	3
Fall 2: 7-week session		Spring 2: 7-week session			
JUST 531	3	JUST 532	3		
Elective 1	3	Elective 3	3		
	12		12		6

Total Credits 30