

Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice
The Criminal Justice Major – Effective Spring 2022

I. Core Courses (18 credits): Courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher.

- _____ CCJ 2020 Introduction to Criminal Justice (can be fulfilled with transfer credit)
- _____ CCJ 4014 Criminological Theory
- _____ CCJ 4700 Research Methods and Analysis
- _____ CJE 3001 Professional Development in Criminal Justice*
- _____ CJL 4064 Criminal Justice and the Constitution
- _____ CCJ 4497 Senior Capstone in Criminal Justice (Prerequisites senior standing, CCJ 2020, CCJ 4014, CCJ 4700, CJL 4064)

* Students employed fulltime in a criminal justice related position for a minimum of three years may petition to replace CJE 3001 with CCJ 4054 Ethics in Criminal justice

II. Criminal Justice Electives (18 credits):

Students may select any 3000 or 4000 level courses within the criminal justice discipline that begin with prefixes CCJ, CJC, CJE, CJJ, CJL, and DSC. Students are strongly encouraged to complete an internship to gain practical experience in the field (CCJ 4940). Only 6 credits of CCJ 4940 (Internship) will count in this academic area. Except for internships, all courses must be met with **a minimum grade of C**. Internships are pass or fail. For information on internships, see <https://ccj.fiu.edu/internships>

- _____ CJ major elective course 3000/4000 level
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III. General Electives:

The number of general electives may vary, and may be used to complete a minor, second major, or certificate. Please see an advisor for the total number of credits that may be used for general electives.

IV. Foreign Language requirement

Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA) students must show mastery at or complete a second semester sequence foreign language course (at the college level) or one advanced foreign language course with a minimum grade of C. Credits earned through AP, IB, CLEP, and other testing methods of accelerated credit satisfy this requirement. Discuss options for satisfying this requirement with your academic advisor.