

Clackamas Community College

Online Course/Outline Submission System

Section #1 General Course Information

Department: Education, Human Services & Criminal Justice

Submitter

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Course Prefix and Number: CJA - 290

Credits: 3

Contact hours

Lecture (# of hours): 33

Lec/lab (# of hours):

Lab (# of hours):

Total course hours: 33

For each credit, the student will be expected to spend, on average, 3 hours per week in combination of in-class and out-of-class activity.

Course Title: Issues in Criminal Justice

Course Description:

This course gives students an opportunity to gain knowledge in a specific area relevant to the field of criminal justice. This topic will be pulled from a comprehensive list of areas identified by criminal justice and corrections professionals as having importance for students pursuing work in the field. Credits may vary from 1-3. May be repeated for up to 6 credits.

Type of Course: Lower Division Collegiate

Reason for the new course:

One of the reasons we hired another full time faculty was to allow us to offer more relevant, timely elective offerings to our students. This allows us to respond to the quickly-changing needs for knowledge in specific areas of law enforcement and corrections.

Is this class challengeable?

Yes

Can this course be repeated for credit in a degree?

Yes

Up to how many credits can this course be repeated to satisfy a degree requirement? 6

Is general education certification being sought at this time?

No

Does this course map to any general education outcome(s)?

No

Is this course part of an AAS or related certificate of completion?

No

Are there prerequisites to this course?

No

Are there corequisites to this course?

No

Are there any requirements or recommendations for students taken this course?

No

Are there similar courses existing in other programs or disciplines at CCC?

No

Will this class use library resources?

Yes

Have you talked with a librarian regarding that impact?

No

Is there any other potential impact on another department?

No

Does this course belong on the Related Instruction list?

No

GRADING METHOD:

A-F or Pass/No Pass

Audit: No

When do you plan to offer this course?

✓ Not every term

Is this course equivalent to another?

If yes, they must have the same description and outcomes.

No

Will this course appear in the college catalog?

Yes

Will this course appear in the schedule?

Yes**Student Learning Outcomes:**

Upon successful completion of this course, students should be able to:

1. identify and articulate current information regarding a specific contemporary issue in criminal justice per course content,
2. recognize circumstances related to a specific contemporary issue in criminal justice and identify skills and knowledge needed in those circumstances,
3. apply information learned in class through observation, case studies, or other methods.

This course does not include assessable General Education outcomes.

Major Topic Outline:

1. Specific contemporary issue/topic in criminal justice
2. Impact on individuals
3. Impact on systems
4. Skills and information needed for criminal justice practitioners

Does the content of this class relate to job skills in any of the following areas:

- | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Increased energy efficiency | No |
| 2. Produce renewable energy | No |

- 3. Prevent environmental degradation **No**
- 4. Clean up natural environment **No**
- 5. Supports green services **No**

Percent of course: 0%

Section #2 Course Transferability

Concern over students taking many courses that do not have a high transfer value has led to increasing attention to the transferability of LDC courses. The state currently requires us to certify that at least one OUS school will accept a new LDC course in transfer. Faculty should communicate with colleagues at one or more OUS schools to ascertain how the course will transfer by answering these questions.

1. Is there an equivalent lower division course at the University?
2. Will a department accept the course for its major or minor requirements?
3. Will the course be accepted as part of the University's distribution requirements?

If a course transfers as an elective only, it may still be accepted or approved as an LDC course, depending on the nature of the course, though it will likely not be eligible for Gen Ed status.

Which OUS schools will the course transfer to? (Check all that apply)

- PSU (Portland State University)**
- SOU (Southern Oregon University)**

- WOU (Western Oregon University)**

Identify comparable course(s) at OUS school(s)

Lower division electives

How does it transfer? (Check all that apply)

- required or support for major**

- general elective**

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First term to be offered:

Specify term: Spring 2016
