### BSOS Expectations of Students
As a University of Maryland student, you are an informed and active participant in your education. Therefore, the College of Behavioral and Social Sciences expects that you:

- Know your benchmark/gateway and degree requirements
- Develop a graduation plan which leads to a timely graduation
- Complete an academic audit during your junior year
- Take appropriate actions to remove registration blocks and register on time
- Adhere to University and College policies and deadlines
- Be responsible for your academic actions and decisions

### Student Expectations of BSOS
Academic advisors are committed to assist you in meeting your educational goals. Therefore, the College is committed to the following:

- Introducing you to major and University requirements upon your entrance to a BSOS major
- Providing assistance during academic difficulty
- Referring you to helpful campus resources when needed
- Providing opportunities throughout your academic career

### Advising Resources

#### BSOS Advising

*General questions, registration, exceptions to University policy, academic probation, limited enrollment questions, graduation concerns*

2148 Tydings Hall  
(301) 405-1697  
bsosadvising@umd.edu

#### Department Advising

*Major requirements and courses, registration, internships, career questions, department permission for courses*

**Walk-In hours from 9am-4pm Monday-Friday**

Department permission required for courses beyond CCJS 100 & 105

2201 LeFrak Hall  
(301) 405-4729  
ccjsadvising@umd.edu

### Limited Enrollment Program Admission Requirements:
Since Criminology and Criminal Justice has been designated as a Limited Enrollment Program (LEP), the major requires higher standards than the satisfactory progress benchmarks required in non-LEP majors. Students must meet certain minimum criteria in order to remain in the major or gain access to the major.

**LEP Enrollment Policies:**

- Only one gateway/entrance course may be repeated and may only be repeated once.
- When more than one course can satisfy a gateway requirement, taking a second course from the list will count as a repeat.
- A grade of a W (Withdrawn) in a course is counted as an attempt.
- Students may apply only once to an LEP. Students who choose to leave the major or are directly admitted and fail to meet the review criteria will be dismissed from the major and may not reapply.
- Students in the major must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00. Failure to do so will result in dismissal from the major.

#### First semester freshmen entering the University as an CCJS major:
Students must complete the following requirements within 45 credits (not including AP/IB credits) to remain in the major. *(AP/IB OK for requirements)*

- MATH107* or STAT100+ with C– or higher. MATH120**, 130, 140 with a grade of C– or higher may be substituted.
- CCJS100 with C– or higher
- CCJS105 with C– or higher

*Formerly MATH111 **Formerly MATH220 +STAT100 preferred

#### Students who wish to be CCJS after their first semester:
Students may submit an application to declare the CCJS major after completing the LEP admission requirements listed below. *(AP/IB OK for requirements)*

- MATH107* or STAT100+ with C– or higher. MATH120**, 130, 140 with a grade of C– or higher may be substituted.
- CCJS 100 with C– or higher
- CCJS 105 with C– or higher
- Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 in all previous college-level coursework

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** More than 3 CCJS courses per semester may not be permitted**
**General Education Requirements (Fall 2012 and later)**

### Fundamental Studies

**Requirements:** 15 credits  

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### Distributive Studies

**Requirements:** 25 credits  

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**I- Series (overlap permitted with Distributive Studies/Diversity)**

**Requirements:** 6 credits  

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**Diversity (overlap permitted with Distributive Studies and/or I-Series)**

**Requirements:** 4—6 credits  

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**TOTAL General Education Credits**

General Education requirements must total at least 40 credits

### CCJS Major Requirements

**Requirements [Courses in brackets are prerequisite courses]**  

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| Gateways:  
| MATH107* or STAT100’ (C– or higher). MATH120**, 130, 140 may be substituted. (C– or higher) | — |
| CCJS100 (C– or higher) | —/3 |
| CCJS105 (C– or higher) | —/3 |

**CCJS Required Courses [Grade of C– or higher]**

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<td>CCJS230 [CCJS100]</td>
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**Advanced Statistics: Choose one of the following**

- CCJS200 [CCJS100 & Gateway math], SOCY201 [SOCY100 & Gateway math], PSYC200 [PSYC100 & Gateway math], BMGT230 [MATH113 or 115], or ECON321 [ECON200, 201, & MATH120 or 140]

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**CCJS Criminal Justice: Select two courses from the following list: CCJS340, 345, 342 [Grade of C– or higher]**

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**CCJS Criminal Justice/Theory: Select one course from the following list: CCJS450, 451, 454 [Grade of C– or higher]**

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**CCJS Course of Choice [Grade of C– or higher]**

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Prerequisites are strictly enforced in the CCJS major and should be considered when planning future CCJS required courses.

The following is the sequence of prerequisites:

CCJS100 and/or CCJS105 & Math (Math107 or STAT100) ⇒ Advanced Statistics ⇒ CCJS300 ⇒ CCJS Criminal Justice/Theory course

*Formerly MATH111 **Formerly MATH220 ‘STAT100 preferred*

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**Requirements for Graduation:**

- Earn a D– or higher in each course used to complete CORE/GenEd
- Earn a C– or higher in each course required for the major
- Students starting UMD Fall 2012 or later must earn a 2.0 average in all courses used to satisfy major requirements.
- 15 of the final 30 credits must be earned at the 300-400 level
- 12 upper level major credits must be earned at UMD
- At least 30 credits must be earned at UMD
- Earn a cumulative 2.0 GPA in all UMD coursework
- Earn a minimum of 120 credits
# CRIMINOLOGY & CRIMINAL JUSTICE-FOUR YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

## Year 1
### Fall
- **ENGL101 (AW: Academic Writing)** 3
- **MA (Math) Based on Math Placement/Gateways** 3
- **CCJS100 (HS: History/ Social Sciences)** 3
- **HU (Humanities)** 3
- **UNIV100** 1
- **Elective** 3

### Spring
- **OC (Oral Communications)** 3
- **CCJS200 (AR: Analytic Reasoning)** 3
- **CCJS105 (HS: History/ Social Sciences)** 3
- **Elective** 3

**Total 16**

## Year 2
### Fall
- **NL (Natural Sciences Lab)** 4
- **HU (Humanities)** 3
- **CCJS230** 3
- **Elective** 3

### Spring
- **NS (Natural Sciences)** 3
- **CCJS300 (SP: Scholarship in Practice)** 3
- **Elective** 3

**Total 16**

## Year 3
### Fall
- **PW (Professional Writing)** 3
- **UP (Understanding Plural Societies)** 3
- **Criminal Justice Course 1** 3
- **CCJS Course of Choice 1** 3
- **Elective** 3

### Spring
- **UP/CC (Understanding Plural Societies/Cultural Competency)** 3
- **SP (Scholarship in Practice—non major)** 3
- **CCJS Course of Choice 2** 3
- **Elective** 3

**Total 15**

## Year 4
### Fall
- **Criminal Justice Course 2** 3
- **Criminology Course** 3
- **Elective** 3
- **Elective** 3
- **Elective** 3

### Spring
- **CCJS Course of Choice 3 (400 level)** 3
- **CCJS Course of Choice 4 (400 level)** 3
- **Elective** 3
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- **Elective** 1

**Total 15**

* **Important Planning Notes:**
  - All students must take two Distributive Studies courses that will also count for the I-Series requirement. (I-Series are not listed separately in this plan)
  - Understanding Plural Societies courses may also fulfill a Distributive Studies category.

**Cumulative Credits + Planned Credits = Total Credits 120**

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