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Description
The course of study leading to the B.S.C.J. degree offers students the opportunity to study law enforcement, corrections, or homeland security/emergency management and the administration of justice.

Minimum Total Credit Hours: 120

Goals/Mission Statement
Our mission is to educate students in a learning environment conducive to excellence in meeting the complex challenges present in justice-related services. Our faculty's goal is to expand the knowledge base and to integrate cutting-edge information into the learning experiences of students. In addition, the Department of Legal Studies' mission is to extend service to our constituents to enhance learning, program development, and justice-related service in Mississippi, the region, and the nation.

General Education Requirements
See the General Education Core Curriculum for the School of Applied Sciences.

Other Academic Requirements
For majors in this field, a minimum grade of 2.5 must be maintained on all criminal justice course work. All CJ majors must complete a minor or second major selected by the student and approved by the student's academic adviser.

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Course Requirements
In addition to the 21-hour CJ core, students who select the Law Enforcement emphasis must complete the following 27 hours of CJ course work:

- CJ 110
- CJ 230
- CJ 310
- CJ 410
- 15 hours of CJ electives

Degree Requirements
The academic regulations for this degree program, as entered in the University of Mississippi Catalog, are in effect for the current or selected academic year and semester. The University of Mississippi reserves the right to 1) change or withdraw courses; 2) change rules for registration, instruction, and graduation; and 3) change other regulations affecting the student body at any time.
### REQUIREMENT | HOURS | DESCRIPTION
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3 hrs history | 3 | Complete 3 hours of History coursework with a passing grade.
3 hrs Math 121 or higher | 3 | Successfully complete Math 121 or a higher level math with a passing grade.
3 hrs humanities or fine arts | 3 | Successfully complete 3 credit hours in humanities chosen from the following areas: African American Studies, classical civilization, gender studies, philosophy, modern or ancient languages, religion, or southern studies. Or, successfully complete 3 credit hours in the area of fine arts chosen from the following areas: art history, music, dance, and theatre arts. Studio and workshop courses cannot be used to satisfy this requirement.

**Major Requirements**

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9 hrs criminal justice elective

Successfully complete 9 credit hours of criminal justice (CJ) electives. Courses may be not chosen from any criminal justice course that is being used for the Law Enforcement emphasis or part of the 5 required CJ courses (100, 210, 300, 490, and 499).