

AJ100 - Criminal Justice and Society

General Information

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Proposal Start:	Spring 2020 Credit/Noncredit
Distance Education Approved:	No
TOP Code:	2105.00
TOP Code Name:	Administration of Justice
CIP Code:	43.0107
CIP Code Name:	Criminal Justice/Police Science
SAM Code:	C = Clearly Occupational
Course Control Number:	CCC000608242
Curriculum Committee Approval Date :	January 15, 2019
Board of Trustees Approval Date :	January 15, 2019
External Review Approval Date:	January 15, 2019
Course Description:	(No prerequisite.) This course provides students the opportunity to begin the study of the legal, judicial, law enforcement, and corrections systems of the United States. (CSU)
Submission Rationale:	

Faculty Minimum Qualification Requirements

Master Discipline Preferred:	Administration of Justice (Police science, corrections, law enforcement)
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Alternate Master Discipline Preferred :	Administration of Justice (Police science, corrections, law enforcement)	Law
Bachelors or Associates Discipline Preferred :	Administration of Justice (Police science, corrections, law enforcement)	
Additional Bachelors or Associates Discipline :	Administration of Justice (Police science, corrections, law enforcement)	

Course Development Options

Course Basic Skill Status	Allowed Number of Retakes	Grade Options
Course is not a basic skills course.	0	Pass/No Pass

Allow Students to Gain Credit by Exam/Challenge

No

Rationale For Credit By Exam/Challenge	Retake Policy Description	Allow Students To Audit Course
No value	No value	No

Course Prior to College Level

Not applicable.

Associated Programs

Associated Program	Award Type
No value	No value

Transferability & Gen. Ed. Options

Request for Transferability	Transferability Status
Transferable to CSU only	Approved

Units and Hours

Summary	
Minimum Credit Units	1.5
Maximum Credit Units	1.5
Total Course In-Class (Contact) Hours	26

Total Course Out-of-Class Hours	60
Total Student Learning Hours	86
Faculty Load	1.5

Detail

Weekly Student Hours

	In Class	Out of Class
Lecture Hours	12	24
Laboratory Hours	0	0
Activity Hours	0	0

Course Student Hours

Course Duration (Weeks)	2
Hours per unit divisor	54

Course In-Class (Contact) Hours

Lecture Hours	26
Laboratory Hours	0
Activity Hours	0
Total	26

Course Out-of-Class Hours

Lecture Hours	60
Laboratory Hours	0
Activity Hours	0
Total	60

Units and Hours - Weekly Specialty Hours

Activity Name	Type	In Class	Out of Class
No value	No value	No value	No value

Requisites

No value

Entrance Skills

Skill	Rationale
No value	No value

Limitations on Enrollment

Limitation	Provide Rationale
No value	No value

Specifications

Methods of Instruction
Lecture/Activity **Methods of Instruction Rationale**
Standard lecture with large and small group discussion.

Assignments After group activities, students will submit a guided written reflection essay and one student in each group will report findings to the rest of the class.

Methods of Evaluation
Quizzes **Methods of Evaluation Rationale**
Multiple choice quizzes at the end of each unit.

Equipment No value

Textbooks

Author	Title	Publisher	Date	ISBN
Various authors	Street Law: A Course in Practical Law	McGraw-Hill Education	2009 (8th eds)	978-0078799839

Learning Outcomes and Objectives

Course Objectives

CSLOs

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| 1. Demonstrate knowledge of the American Criminal Justice system. | Expected SLO Performance:
70 |
| 2. Demonstrate knowledge of how laws are developed and enforced. | Expected SLO Performance:
70 |
| 3. Demonstrate knowledge of how the law impacts individuals, families and the community. | Expected SLO Performance:
70 |

Course Outline

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1. Development of law in society.
2. Criminal law.

3. Criminal trial process.
- 4: Tort (civil) law
- 5: Juveniles and the Law
- 6: Civil Rights
- 7: Family law