JUSTICE (JUST)

JUST F110X  Introduction to Justice  (s)
3 Credits
Survey of the structure and process of the agencies of criminal justice. Includes introduction to criminology, criminal law, police, courts and corrections.
Attributes: UAF GER Social Sciences Req
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F125X  Introduction to Addictive Processes  (s)
3 Credits
Focus on gaining knowledge of the psycho-social aspects of addiction. Historic and behavioral approaches, disease concept and current trends relating to addiction presented. Twelve step and self-help approaches explored.
Cross-listed with HUMS F125X.
Attributes: UAF GER Social Sciences Req
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F222  Research Methods  (s)
3 Credits
Offered Fall
Application of social science research methods to solving scientific and nonscientific questions arising in justice or political science. Basic methods include statistical analysis, survey research, and Internet applications.
Prerequisites: JUST F110X.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F251X  Criminology  (s)
3 Credits
Offered Spring
The study of the major areas of deviant behavior and its relationship to society, law and law enforcement, including the theories of crime causation.
Attributes: UAF GER Social Sciences Req
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F300X  Ethics and Justice  (h)
3 Credits
An examination of ethical and moral concepts, and their relationship to criminal justice issues. Applies ethics theories to the criminal justice institutions of police, courts and corrections. Examines ethical and moral dilemmas which confront crime control policy makers.
Prerequisites: JUST F110X.
Attributes: UAF GER Ethics Req
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F310  Principles of Corrections  (s)
3 Credits
Offered Fall
An introduction to adult institutions, community-based programs, and theories of incarceration. Correctional programs are examined.
Prerequisites: JUST F110X; junior standing.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F315  Correctional Counseling and Rehabilitation  (s)
3 Credits
Offered Spring
A study of various treatment and rehabilitative/restorative methods utilized in correctional settings. Topics include the roles of correctional personnel, the assessment and treatment of juveniles and adults, casework in correctional settings, crisis intervention, and the assessment and treatment of special populations in the correctional setting.
Prerequisites: JUST F310; WRTG F211X or WRTG F213X; or permission of the instructor.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F335  Gender and Crime  (W)
3 Credits
Offered Spring
An exploration of gender and crime including the extent of female crime, victimization, masculinity and violence, and women professionals in the justice system.
Prerequisites: JUST F110X; WRTG F111X; WRTG F211X or WRTG F213X; junior standing; or permission of instructor.
Cross-listed with WGS F335.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F340  Rural Justice in Alaska  (s, a)
3 Credits
Offered Fall and Spring
Application of the western justice system to remote northern Native villages including issues arising from cultural conflicts, difficulties associated with a centralized justice system serving distant roadless communities, the federal/Indian relationship, and a description of crime occurring in the villages.
Prerequisites: JUST F110X; junior standing.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F345  Police Problems  (W)
3 Credits
Offered Fall
Analysis of the nature of coercive power and the special problems faced by people who assume the responsibility of coercing others; how coercive power affects personality and how personality affects the way different types of people respond to the challenge and responsibilities of using coercive means; conditions that discourage excessive use of coercive means and encourage police officers to develop in morally and politically mature ways.
Prerequisites: WRTG F111X; WRTG F211X or WRTG F213X; JUST F110X; junior standing; or permission of instructor.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F352  Criminal Law
3 Credits
A study of elements, purposes and functions of the substantive criminal law with emphasis upon historical and philosophical concepts.
Prerequisites: JUST F110X; junior standing.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F354  Procedural Law
3 Credits
Offered Fall
The legal limitations of the police and the right of the people to be secure from the government under the protections of the Constitution and the Rules of Evidence.
Prerequisites: WRTG F111X; JUST F110X; junior standing.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0
JUST F358  Juvenile Delinquency  (s)  
3 Credits  
Offered Fall  
Theories of delinquency, the extent of delinquency, the historical development of juvenile justice, the juvenile system, and how it impacts on youth in relation to police, courts, institutions and community programs. Includes youth violence, gangs, gender, race and class.  
Prerequisites: JUST F110X; JUST F251; or permission of instructor.  
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0  

JUST F453  Comparative Criminology  (O, s)  
3 Credits  
Offered Fall  
The Justice program focuses on the American justice system with an emphasis in restorative processes, alternative dispute resolution, and Alaskan justice. This course examines the development of philosophy and law; and the historical and modern practice of justice throughout the world.  
Prerequisites: COJO F131X or COJO F141X; JUST F110X; JUST F251; or permission of instructor.  
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0  

JUST F454  Advanced Problems in Procedural Law  (W)  
3 Credits  
Offered Spring  
Advanced study of the elements of criminal procedural law. Emphasis on the legal limitations of the police and the right of people to be secure from the government under protections of the U.S. Constitution and "rules of evidence."  
Prerequisites: WRTG F111X; WRTG F211X or WRTG F213X; JUST F110X; JUST F354; junior standing; or permission of instructor.  
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0  

JUST F460  American Crime Control  (O, s)  
3 Credits  
Offered Fall  
Major concepts of the structure and process of criminal justice revisited with emphasis on current issues.  
Prerequisites: COJO F131X or COJO F141X; JUST F110X; JUST F222; JUST F251; senior standing; justice major.  
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0  

JUST F475  Internship  
3-9 Credits  
Supervised work experience in criminal justice agencies. Note: Department approval required for 9 credits.  
Prerequisites: Permission of director of intern program.  
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3-9 + 0 + 0  

JUST F490  Capstone: Seminar in Critical Issues in Criminal Justice  
3 Credits  
Offered Spring  
This seminar is one of three ways to satisfy the major capstone experience. The seminar will last for one week and the student will be required to attend sessions 8 hours a day. Topics of current interest. Candidates in standing for BA degree in Justice will make presentations. Attendance is required on the UAF campus. Prerequisites: Senior standing.  
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0  

JUST F492  Seminar  
1-6 Credits  
Various topics of current interest and importance to the justice major will be presented. Topics will be announced prior to each offering.  
Prerequisites: JUST F110X; junior standing; permission of instructor.  
Lecture + Lab + Other: 1-6 + 0 + 0
JUST F625  Legal Aspect of Criminal Justice Management
3 Credits
Offered Spring
A basic understanding of legal issues faced by criminal justice managers and administrators. Included is a study of the legal considerations surrounding recruitment and hiring practices, sexual harassment, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act and the Fair Labor Standards Act. The course will be offered via the Internet.
Prerequisites: Admissions to the M.A. in Justice program.
Recommended: B.A. or B.S. in relevant area.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 6

JUST F630  Media Relations and Public Relations
3 Credits
Offered As Demand Warrants
Understanding the role of the media in modern society and how to effectively represent an organization to the media. Includes First Amendment and Freedom of Information Act case law and administrative decisions involving the broadcast media. The primary focus is upon preparing justice administrators to effectively meet their legal obligations with regard to dissemination of information to the media and the public.
Note: Offered via the Internet.
Prerequisites: Admission to M.A. in Justice program.
Recommended: B.A. or B.S. in relevant area.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 6

JUST F640  Community/Restorative Justice
3 Credits
Offered Fall
Using community resources to address public safety concerns. Includes recent developments and an emerging awareness that public safety solutions can be achieved efficiently by cooperative efforts between justice agencies and community resources.
Note: Offered via the Internet.
Prerequisites: Admission to M.A. in Justice program.
Recommended: B.A. or B.S. in relevant area.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 6

JUST F650  Analysis Techniques for the Criminal Justice Administrator
3 Credits
Offered As Demand Warrants
Common techniques used to analyze numerical data commonly found occurring in small to large agencies. Emphasis on issues of data quality such as reliability and validity, methods of graphical presentation, inferential techniques, forecasting models, sampling techniques and computer analysis programs such as Statistical Programs for the Social Sciences (SPSS). Note: Web-based course with contact over discussion board and e-mail.
Prerequisites: JUST F605; and admission to M.A. in Justice program.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 0

JUST F670  Seminar in the Administration of Juvenile Justice
3 Credits
Offered Spring
Legal and administrative aspects of the juvenile justice system. Emphasis will be placed on developing an applied knowledge regarding the administration of juvenile justice within the legal framework. Includes hypothetical situations in an effort to enhance the ability to apply theoretical concepts to real life situations. Note: Offered via the Internet.
Prerequisites: JUST F605; admission to M.A. in Justice program.
Lecture + Lab + Other: 3 + 0 + 6