

La Roche University  
**CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND CRIMINOLOGY (ACCELERATED) PROGRAM GUIDE**  
DEGREE: Bachelor of Arts    Department: Justice, Law & Security

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_  
I.D. Number \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ First Year Student  
\_\_\_\_ Change of Major

\_\_\_\_ Transfer  
\_\_\_\_ Readmit

Unofficial Eval Completed by/date: \_\_\_\_\_

This is the **unofficial evaluation** of your credits to date including transfer credits (if applicable) in your chosen major. **This evaluation is official when all official transcripts for all previous college work are received, reviewed and approved for transferability by the Registrar's Office.** Beginning with your first semester of enrollment, your Degree Audit Report in My.LaRoche will automatically track your progress toward your degree, and guide you in planning future class schedules. Review your updated Degree Audit Report with your advisor prior to registering each semester.

**PURPOSE:** A major in Criminal Justice is meant to prepare students for career opportunities and advancement in the criminal justice field, which includes law enforcement, courts and corrections, and private security, or for further study at the graduate level in Criminal Justice, Criminology, or Law.

**REQUIREMENTS:** To successfully complete the Accelerated Criminal Justice major, Law Enforcement Officers must have 3 years of work experience to be awarded 48 advanced standing credit (15 credits based on ACT 120 certification (A) and 33 credits of work experience (W) as indicated below.

- 33 credits as listed under "Major Component/Requirements"
- 12 credits of Major Electives
- 12 credits Skills Component
- 33 CORE credits
- 30 General Elective Credits
- A minimum number of 120 credits are required for degree, the last 30 of which, and 50% of the major, must be earned at La Roche University. (Developmental course work does not count toward the minimum number of required credits for graduation.)

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Transfer Course #/Comments</u>
<b>MAJOR COMPONENT/REQUIREMENTS: 33 CREDITS</b>		
<b>*A=Act 120 Training Credit; *W=Work Experience Credit</b>		
*A CRIM1001 Intro to Criminal Justice	3	
*W CRIM1003 Understanding the U.S. Constitution	3	Prerequisite for CRIM3005
CRIM3005 Constitutional Law	3	
*A CRIM/NSCS2011 Intelligence Analysis	3	Prerequisites: CRIM1001 and ENGL1012
*W CRIM2016 Police and Society	3	cross-listed as SOCL2016
*A CRIM2018 Professional Responsibility	3	Prereq: SLRS, CRIM1001
CRIM3010 Criminal Law	3	
CRIM3011 Research Methods for Justice, Law & Security**	3	Prerequisite: MATH1040 or CRIM2012
** PSYC3011, Research Methods, may be taken through the Psychology Department.		
CRIM3030 Theories of Criminal Deviance	3	Cross-listed with SOCL3030
OR CRIM3042 Applied Criminology		
*A CRIM3045 Criminal Investigations	3	
CRIM4055 Senior Capstone	3	Prerequisite: PSYC3011

<b>MAJOR ELECTIVES: 12 CREDITS</b>		
CRIM2010 Introduction to Corrections	3	
CRIM2030 Juvenile Delinquency	3	Cross-listed with SOCL2030
CRIM3000 Correctional Counseling	3	
CRIM3012 Environmental Crime: Law, Policy, and Investigation	3	

_____	CRIM3020	Special Topics	3	_____
_____	CRIM3034	Enterprise/Transitional Crime	3	_____
_____	CRIM3036	Terrorism	3	_____
_____	CRIM3040	Crime Scene Investigation and Forensics	3	_____
_____	CRIM3041	CSI II - Criminalistics	4	_____
_____	CRIM3043	Computer Crime	3	_____
_____	CRIM3046	Security Management & Loss Prevention	3	_____
_____	CRIM3052	Admin of Criminal Justice Organizations	3	Prerequisites: CRIM2012
*A	CRIM3054	Law Enforcement Communications	3	_____
_____	CRIM3063	Criminal Behavior: Law and Psychology**	3	** Cross-listed with PSYC. Required course in Forensic Psychology Certificate Program
_____	CRIM3065	Network Analysis & Crime Mapping	3	_____
_____	CRIM4012	Emergency Preparedness & Crisis Management	3	_____
*W	CRIM4051	Internship	3	_____
_____	CRIM4057	Independent Study	3-6	_____
_____	FILM2035	Drones for Photo and Film	3	_____

#### **SKILLS COMPONENT: 12 CREDITS**

_____	ENGL2030	Technical Writing	3	_____
_____	ISTC2008	Intro to Cyber Space	3	_____
_____	PHIL1020	Logic	3	_____
_____	CRIM2012	Analysis Criminal Justice Data <b>OR</b>	3	_____
_____	<b>OR</b> MATH1040	Probability & Statistics		Prerequisite: MATH1010

#### **ACADEMIC CORE CURRICULUM – 33 Credits**

		<b><u>Credits</u></b>	<b><u>Transfer Course # / Comments</u></b>
<b><u>Foundations of Knowledge: 15 credits</u></b>			
_____	ENGL1011	Academic Reading and Writing	3
_____	ENGL1012	Academic Writing and Research	3
*W	ISTC1010	Digital Literacy	3
_____	MATH1010	College Algebra	3
*W	SPCH1010	Oral Communication	3

#### **Breadth of Knowledge: 12 credits**

Courses in a variety of disciplines can fulfill these requirements. Students should use the course search in the My.LaRoche schedule of classes to find courses that fulfill each area. Students must complete **PLEASE NOTE: Students are exempt from one area, based on their major.**

_____	Natural and Physical World	3	_____
*W	Human Expression	3	_____
_____	Values and Ethics		Fulfilled in Major
*W	Social Sciences	3	_____
*W	Global Perspectives	3	_____

#### **Depth of Knowledge: 3 credits**

_____	INQU Interdisciplinary Inquiry	3	_____
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#### **Core Electives: 3 credits**

_____	Any Breath of Knowledge Area Course –OR– One additional Interdisciplinary Inquiry	3	_____
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**GENERAL ELECTIVES: 30 credits** (Electives may be fulfilled through a second major, minor, or certificate program.  
Recommended programs are: Criminalistics, Accounting, Management, Information Systems, History, Psychology, Pre-Law, Sociology, Modern Languages (Spanish or Arabic)

**\*9 credits are Work Experience**

**Transfer Course #   Credits**

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**FOR REGISTRAR USE ONLY:**

	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Completed</u>	<u>Need</u>	<u>COMMENTS:</u>
Major Component	33	_____	_____	_____
Major Electives	12	_____	_____	_____
Skills Component	12	_____	_____	_____
CORE	36	_____	_____	_____
General Electives	27	_____	_____	_____
Work Experience/Cert				
Accepted in Transfer	_____	_____	_____	_____
La Roche University Credit	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total	120	_____	_____	

**Minor in Criminalistics:** The Criminalistics minor requires coursework in Biology and Chemistry. Refer to the Curriculum Guide for that program, available from your advisor or the Registrar's Office, for more information on the certificate.

**Accelerated Courses:** Criminal Justice courses in the Accelerated Program are 8 weeks in length and are offered in a classroom, online and blended format. CRIM/POLI2005, *Constitutional Law*, and CRIM2012, *Analysis of Criminal Justice Data* are only offered in 15 week format.

**Registrar Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_