

**La Roche University**  
**CYBERSECURITY & FORENSICS PROGRAM GUIDE**  
**DEGREE: Bachelor of Science   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 Cyber Security and Forensics is designed to prepare students for career opportunities in both the public and private sectors in national security, law, law enforcement and private sector computer security; or for further study at the graduate level in information security, computer security or legal studies.

**REQUIREMENTS:** To successfully complete the Cybersecurity and Forensics major, the following coursework is required:

- 40 credits as listed under "Major Component/Requirements"
- 12 credits of Major Electives
- 15 credits Skills Component
- 37 CORE credits
- 16 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: 40 CREDITS</b>		
CRIM1001 Intro to Criminal Justice	3	
CRIM/NSCS2011 Intelligence Analysis & Presentation Techniques	3	Prerequisites: CRIM1001 and ENGL1012
CRIM3005 Constitutional Law	3	
CRIM3043 Computer Crime	3	
CRIM4030 Computer Forensics Investigation	3	
PSYC3011 Research Methods	3	
CRIM4055 Senior Capstone	3	
CSCI1010 Programming I	3	Prerequisite: CSCI1002
CSCI1010L Programming I Lab	1	Co-requisite: CSCI1010
CSCI3042 Computer Security	3	
ISTC2030 Networking	3	
ISTC3005 Intellectual Property	3	
ISTC3030 LINUX <b>OR</b>	3	
CSCI3040 Operating Systems		
ISTC3031 Advanced Networking	3	
<b>MAJOR ELECTIVES: SELECT 12 CREDITS</b>		
CRIM3036 Terrorism	3	
CRIM3040 Crime Scene Investigation & Forensics	3	
CRIM3045 Criminal Investigations	3	
CRIM4051 Internship	3	See note on page 2
CSCI2010 Programming II	3	Prerequisite: CSCI1010/L
CSCI2010L Programming II Lab	1	Co-requisite: CSCI2010
FILM2035 Drones for Photo and Film	3	

<input type="checkbox"/> ISTC2045	Database Management Systems	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> CRIM3065	Network Analysis & Crime Mapping	3	

**SKILLS COMPONENT: 15 CREDITS**

<input type="checkbox"/> ADMG/ISTC3025	Case Studies Using Advanced Excel	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL2030	Technical Writing	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> ISTC2008	Intro to Cyber Space	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> ISTC1021	Problem Solving	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH1040	Probability & Statistics	3	

**ACADEMIC CORE CURRICULUM – 37 Credits**

**Credits      Transfer Course # / Comments**

**Foundations of Knowledge: 15 credits**

<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL1011	Academic Reading and Writing	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL1012	Academic Writing and Research	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> ISTC1010	Digital Literacy	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH1010	College Algebra	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> SPCH1010	Oral Communication	3	

**La Roche Experience: 4 credits**

<input type="checkbox"/> LRUX1001	LRX Foundations	1	
<input type="checkbox"/> LRUX2500	LRX Service-Learning	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.**

<input type="checkbox"/> Natural and Physical World	3		
<input type="checkbox"/> Human Expression	3		
<input type="checkbox"/> Values and Ethics			
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Sciences	3		
<input type="checkbox"/> Global Perspectives	3		

**Depth of Knowledge: 3 credits**

<input type="checkbox"/> INQU Interdisciplinary Inquiry	3		
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**Core Electives: 3 credits**

<input type="checkbox"/> Any Breath of Knowledge Area Course –OR– One additional Interdisciplinary Inquiry	3		
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**GENERAL ELECTIVES: 16 credits**

Electives may be fulfilled through a second major, minor or certificate program. Recommended programs are: Criminalistics, Accounting, Management Information Systems, Psychology, Pre-Law, Sociology

**Transfer Course #      Credits**

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**Certificate Program in Criminalistics:** The Criminalistics Certificate Program requires courses 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.

**Internship:** CRIM4051, is an elective course. You must have a GPA of at least 2.75 to be eligible for an internship. Before contacting your academic advisor concerning an internship, you must be approved by the Registrar's Office. Your academic advisor will assist you in determining possible internship locations, but you are responsible for contacting the selected organization(s), submitting all required paperwork, arranging pre-employment interviews, and completing the required number of hours within the time allotted.

**Accelerated Courses:** Criminal Justice courses in the 8-week accelerated format should only be taken by students who have earned over 60 credits and have a GPA of 3.0 or higher.

**NOTE TO TRANSFER STUDENTS:** Credits earned at technical schools will NOT be accepted for 3000 level Criminal Justice courses. All other transfer decisions will be determined by the Department Chair.

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<b>FOR REGISTRAR USE ONLY:</b>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Completed</u>	<u>Need</u>	<u>COMMENTS:</u>
Major Component	40	_____	_____	_____
Major Electives	12	_____	_____	_____
Skills Component	15	_____	_____	_____
CORE	37	_____	_____	_____
General Electives	16	_____	_____	_____
Accepted in Transfer	_____	_____	_____	_____
La Roche University Credit	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total	<b>120</b>	_____	_____	_____

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

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