

# Criminal Justice, School of

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WSU's School of Criminal Justice brings together the departments of criminal justice, homeland security and forensic sciences to form a unique and diverse curriculum to better serve the needs of students who will work in an ever-changing urban and global community. The School of Criminal Justice is also the academic home for the Reserve Officers' Training Corps program (ROTC). Additionally, the Midwest Criminal Justice Institute (MCJI) and the Regional Community Policing Training Institute (RCPTI) provide opportunities to blend teaching, research and service. As a result, the School of Criminal Justice not only serves as a quality educational unit for students, but also functions as a research and service unit that assists with a broader range of needs identified in the community.

## Criminal Justice

The criminal justice program offers the Bachelor of Science (BS) and Master of Arts (MA) in criminal justice degrees. Both degrees can be completed in the classroom or online. These degree programs are designed to provide preservice and inservice students with a broad educational background in all aspects of the criminal justice field. The Bachelor of Science degree programs are described in the following pages.

## Forensic Sciences

The forensic sciences program offers the Bachelor of Science (BS) in forensic sciences degree. This degree program is designed to prepare students for entry-level work in a forensic sciences laboratory that operates within the context of the criminal investigation and crime detection processes.

## Homeland Security

The Bachelor of Science in homeland security is designed to provide preservice and inservice students with a broad educational background in all aspects of the homeland security field. The BS in homeland security is a four-year course of study grounded in the liberal arts and sciences, along with a core homeland security curriculum. This degree can be completed entirely online.

## Majors in the School of Criminal Justice

- BS in Criminal Justice (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/fairmount-liberal-arts-sciences/criminal-justice-school/bs-criminal-justice/>)
- BS in Forensic Sciences (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/fairmount-liberal-arts-sciences/criminal-justice-school/bs-forensic-sciences/>)
- BS in Homeland Security (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/fairmount-liberal-arts-sciences/criminal-justice-school/bs-homeland-security/>)

## Minors in the School of Criminal Justice

- Minor in Criminal Justice (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/fairmount-liberal-arts-sciences/criminal-justice-school/minor-criminal-justice/>)
- Minor in Homeland Security (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/fairmount-liberal-arts-sciences/criminal-justice-school/minor-homeland-security/>)
- Minor in Multi-Organizational Leadership (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/fairmount-liberal-arts-sciences/criminal-justice-school/minor-multi-organizational-leadership/>)

## Courses in the School of Criminal Justice

- Criminal Justice (CJ) (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/courses/cj/>)

- First-Year Seminar CJ (FYCJ) (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/courses/fycj-first-year-seminar-cj/>)
- Forensic Sciences (FS) (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/courses/fs/>)
- Homeland Security (HLS) (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/courses/hls/>)
- Military Science (MILS) (<http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/courses/mils/>)