2023-2024

# BA.CRJS.MACJ - Bachelor & Master of Arts in Criminal Justice (4+1 Accelerated BA/MA Program)

# Sample 5 Year Educational Plan

### Year 1

	Fall	Winter	Spring	Steps for Success
Course 1	Modern Language 1150 (5)	Modern Language 1250* (5)	Modern Language 1350* (5)	☐ Meet with your Academic Advisor
Course 2	UCOR Module I (5)	UCOR Module I (5)	UCOR Module I (5)	and Faculty Advisor  ☐ Learn more about this dual-degree option from Faculty Advisor
Course 3	UCOR Module I (5)	UCOR Module I (5)	UCOR Module I (5)	

#### Year 2

	Fall	Winter	Spring	Steps for Success
Course 1	CRJS 1100 Intro to CRJS (5)	CRJS 2090* Criminology (5)	HIST 1200, 1210 or 2310 (5)	☐ Meet with your Faculty Advisor
Course 2	CRJS Police Area I Requirement (5)	CRJS Courts Area II Requirement (5)	CRJS Corrections Area III Requirement (5)	☐ Attend MACJ Open House
Course 3	UCOR Module II (5)	UCOR Module II (5)	UCOR Module II (5)	☐ Meet with Career Engagement Office

### Year 3

	Fall	Winter	Spring	Steps for Success
Course 1	CRJS 3010* Research Methods (5)	General Elective (5)	CRJS 4300* CJ Organizations (5)	☐ Find Internship or Research
Course 2	CRJS 3120* Criminal Law (5)	UCOR Module III (5)	CRJS 3020* CJ Statistics (5)	Opportunities  ☐ Meet with Faculty Advisor
Course 3	CRJS 4050 Gender, Race & Crime (5) [**]	UCOR Module III (5)	UCOR Module III (5)	☐ Apply to MACJ by December

### Year 4

	Fall	Winter	Spring
Course 1	CRJS Specialization Elective (5)	CRJS Specialization Elective (5)	CRJS 4870 Senior Synthesis (3 or 5)
Course 2	CRJS Specialization Elective (5)	CRJS 5030 Law & Social Control (3)	General Elective (5 or 3)
Course 3	CRJS 5010 Criminal Justice Theory (3)	CRJS 5040 Org Theory & Analysis in CJ (3)	CRJS 5100 Theory & Research in Police, Courts, Corrections (3)
Course 4	CRJS 5020 Advanced Crim Theory (3)	CRJS 5060 Research Methods (3)	CRJS 5070 & 5080 Stat Analysis & Lab (4)

## **Steps for Success**

- ☐ Meet with Faculty Advisor
- ☐ Meet with MACJ advisor
- ☐ Apply for College Graduation

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#### Year 5

	Summer	Fall	Winter	Spring
Course 1	CRJS 5050 CJ Ethics & Decision-Making (3)	CRJS Elective (3)	CRJS Elective (3)	CRJS Elective (3)
Course 2	CRJS 5900 CJ Capstone (3)	CRJS Elective (3)	CRJS Elective (3)	CRJS Elective (3)
Course 3	CRJS Elective (3)	CRJS Elective (3); OR CRJS Elective (2) and Thesis (1)	CRJS Elective (3); OR CRJS Elective (2) and Thesis (1)	CRJS Elective (3); OR CRJS Elective (2) and Thesis (1)

Steps for Success
□ Apply for Graduate Graduation on MySeattleU for MA Degree
□ Meet with MACJ Advisor
□ Continue Post Grad Planning

## **University Core Requirements**

UCOR classes are listed in the sample plan as Module I, II, and III. See below for UCOR course titles listed by Module. See <a href="mailto:my.seattleu.edu">my.seattleu.edu</a> for prerequisites and <a href="mailto:mww.seattleu.edu/core">mwww.seattleu.edu/core</a> for course descriptions. Honors and Matteo Ricci students have different Core requirements.

### Module I

**UCOR 1100** Academic Writing Seminar

UCOR 1200 Quantitative Thinking

UCOR 1300 Creative Expression & Interpretation

**UCOR 1400** Inquiry Seminar in the Humanities

UCOR 1600 Inquiry Seminar in the Social Sciences

UCOR 1800 Inquiry Seminar in the Natural Sciences

#### **Module II**

**UCOR 2100** Theological Explorations

UCOR 2500 Philosophy of the Human Person

UCOR 2900 Ethical Reasoning

### **Module III**

UCOR 3100 Religion in a Global Context

**UCOR 3400** Humanities and Global Challenges

**UCOR 3600** Social Sciences and Global Challenges

UCOR 3800 Natural Sciences and Global Challenges

### **Degree Requirements**

• Total Credits Required for Degree: 216 (undergraduate & graduate)

Credits in Core: 60Credits in College: 20

o HIST 1200, 1210 or 2310

o Modern Language 1150, 1250, 1350 or demonstrated proficiency

• Credits in Major: 68 undergraduate + 36 graduate

• GPA cumulative minimum: 3.5

• GPA major minimum: 3.5

### **Resources for Success**

• Map out your own plan through My.SeattleU.edu

Meet with a Career Advisor from the <u>Career Engagement Office</u>

• Sign up for academic support with <u>Learning Assistance Programs</u>

• Explore career options at the "What Can I Do With This Major" page

• Learn more about academic advising on the Advising Services page

### **Curriculum Notes**

- Please refer to the Course Catalog (<a href="https://catalog.seattleu.edu/">https://catalog.seattleu.edu/</a>) for a full list of approved courses that fulfill Areas I, II & III and all CRJS specialization electives.
- A maximum of 30 community college credits may apply to this program.
- Students need to reach 180 total undergraduate credits, but the Master's CRJS courses that will be taken during senior year will count towards those 180 credits. Then after the 4 years of college, students will have 36 graduate credits to complete to get their master's degree. CRJS-4870 Senior Synthesis may be taken for 3 or 5 credits. If taken for 3 credits, more credits in general elective might be needed to reach the undergraduate number of credits needed.
- Students admitted to this program must have a cumulative and a major/program grade point average of 3.50 in order to be admitted for MA

- studies and take graduate courses during their Senior year; otherwise, they will terminate with the BA degree only. Students with Junior standing may be admitted to the dual degree program if they have a minimum cumulative and a major/program grade point average of 3.50.
- Keep in mind that credits in undergraduate classes (classes that start with a 1, 2, 3, or 4 ex: CRJS-2090) are different than credits in master's-level classes (classes that start with a 5 ex: CRJS-5060). When master's-level classes are listed for 3 credits, that's an amount of work that can feel equivalent to 5 undergraduate credits.
- This accelerated option only saves time for students who don't have more than 45 credits of transfer credits when they come to SU. Otherwise, it would make more sense for those with many transfer credits to complete an undergraduate degree in CRJS and then complete the 2-year Master's in CRJS.
- [\*\*] CRJS-4050 is a required class for students who began attending SU in 22FQ and onwards. Those students only have 15 credits of specialization electives to complete. For students who started attending SU before 22FQ, CRJS-4050 is not a required class, and they have 20 credits of specialization electives to complete.



Use MySeattleU Student Planning to plan your courses and work closely with your academic advisor on your educational plan. You are responsible for knowing information and tracking changes.

Contact your Advising Center for support.

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