

# CRIMINOLOGY MINOR

The Millersville University criminology program provides students with an opportunity to study criminal behavior and the operation of the criminal justice system within a broad sociological context. The combination of a criminology focus with the development of sociological research skills provides excellent preparation for a wide range of criminal justice careers as well as for graduate and professional school. The minor courses cover theories of criminal behavior, policing, the courts, corrections, and other crime related topics. Students who minor in Criminology may also complete an internship in a criminal justice setting as part of their course work for the minor.

## ***Regulations Governing Minor Course Work***

1. There shall be a minimum of 18.0 credit hours with a minimum Millersville QPA of 2.0.
2. Only one course which counts toward your major may be counted toward your minor.
3. Courses that count toward a minor are also eligible to be used to satisfy the current University-wide General Education requirements subject to normal distribution requirements.
4. At least two courses should be at the upper-division level (300-400). Exceptions may be requested upon evidence of program depth.
5. No course needed for the minor may be taken Pass-Fail.
6. One-half or more of the work required for the minor must be completed at Millersville University.
7. No student may minor in his or her major.

## **Minor in Criminology**

Code	Title	Hours
SOCY 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOCY 230	Criminology	3
SOCY 331	Sociology of Policing & Courts	3
SOCY 332	Modern Corrections	3
Electives - Choose 6 hours from:		6
Any 33-level SOCY course(s)		
SOCY 300	Co-Op Ed Experience in Soc	
SOCY 400	Co-Op Ed Experience in Soc	
SOCY 500	Co-Op Ed Experience in Soc	
Choose 6 credits from Sociology courses numbered 330-339 and/or Sociology Co-op 300/400/500. A maximum of 3 credits in Co-op can be applied toward the minor.		
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>18</b>