



Calendar of Courses

Master of Science degree Area 1: Theoretical Criminal Justice & Criminology Area 2: Criminal Justice Administration and Leadership

Questions regarding courses or what to take? Contact your academic advisor or Dr.Awa (awa@ucmo.edu)

AREA 1: Theoretical Criminal Justice & Criminology

Course # and Name	Fall 2022	SP 2023	SU 2023	Fall 2023	SP 2024	SU 2024	Fall 2024	SP 2025	SU 2025	Fall 2025	SP 2026	SU 2026	Fall 2026
CJ 5002 Philosophy & Policy ➤ =	ITV	OL		ITV	OL		ITV	OL		ITV	OL		ITV
CJ 5003 Advanced Criminology		ITV			OL		ITV			OL			ITV
CJ 5301 Legal Aspects of the CJ System	OL				OL			OL			OL	OL	
CJ 5610 Statistics for CJ		OL			ITV			OL			ITV		
CJ 5620 Methods of CJ Research	ITV			ITV			OL			ITV			
CJ 5600 Competencies in CJ	OL	OL		OL	OL		OL	OL		OL	OL		OL
CJ 6000 Advanced Research	OL/IND	OL/IND		OL/IND	OL/IND		OL/IND	OL/IND		OL/IND	OL/IND		OL/IND
CJ 6600 Thesis	OL/IND	OL/IND		OL/IND	OL/IND		OL/IND	OL/IND		OL/IND	OL/IND		OL/IND
Approved Graduate Electives: 9 or 12 depending upon research track chosen (see rotation below)													

Thesis Track: CJ 6000 is an Independent Study course and arranged with an individual faculty member; available every semester.

CJ 6600 is also an Independent Study course and arranged with an individual faculty member; available every semester.

Non-Thesis Track: CJ 5600 is available every Fall and Spring OL. Contact the Graduate Coordinator to review your audit, ensure you are eligible to take the class, and get you enrolled.

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ALL CJC Electives for AREA 1:													
CJ 5001 Special Projects in CJ [^]			OL			OL		OL	OL			OL	
CJ 5006 Comparative & Intl CJ Systems ➤	OL												OL
CJ 5090 Miscarriages of Justice*													
CJ 5100 Graduate Study in CJ Issues [^]													
CJ 5101 Criminal Justice Planning =	OL			OL			OL			OL			OL
CJ 5102 Ethical Leadership in CJ =		OL			OL			OL			OL		

CJ 5105 Custody, Care, & Treatment in Institutions				OL									
CJ 5403 Sexual Assault and the CJ System*		F2F									F2F		
CJ 5420 Organized Crime*	OL												
CJ 5444 Terrorism*➤	F2F			OL			F2F			OL			F2F
CJ 5488 Homeland Security*➤		OL			F2F			OL			F2F		
CJ 5625 Crime Analysis ⇐			OL			OL			OL				OL
CJ 5700 The Juvenile Justice System										OL			
CJ 5920 Women and Crime*											OL		
CJ 5930 Race, Class, and Crime			OL						OL				

^This is a special topics course offered at faculty discretion and will vary from semester to semester

*This course is cross listed with the undergraduate catalog and includes both graduate and undergraduate students

➤Required for the Terrorism and Homeland Security Certificate

⇐ Required for the Policy and Planning Certificate

AREA 2: Criminal Justice Administration & Leadership

Course # and Name	Fall 2023	SP 2024	SU 2024	Fall 2024	SP 2025	SU 2025	Fall 2025	SP 2026	SU 2026	Fall 2026	SP 2027	SU 2027	Fall 2027
ACCT 5200 Budgeting for Govt Entities			OL			OL			OL			OL	
CJ 5002 CJ Philosophy and Policy ⇐	OL			ITV			OL			OL			
CJ 5101 CJ Planning ⇐	OL			OL			OL			OL			OL
CJ 5102 Ethical Leadership in CJ ⇐		OL			OL			OL			OL		
POLS 5571 Municipal Administration		OL						OL					
POLS 5573 Administrative Law				OL						OL			
CJ 5601 Grant writing for CJ (capstone)					OL			OL			OL		
Elective			OL		OL	OL		OL	OL		OL	OL	

Students beginning the program in Fall 2024 should enroll in CJ 5002 and POLS 5573

Course # and Name	Fall 2023	SP 2024	SU 2024	Fall 2024	SP 2025	SU 2025	Fall 2025	SP 2026	SU 2026	Fall 2026	SP 2027	SU 2027	Fall 2027
Electives for Area 2													
CJ 5301 Legal Aspects		OL			OL			OL			OL		
CJ 5620 Methods of CJ Research				OL			OL			OL			OL
CJ 5625 Crime Analysis ⇐			OL			OL			OL				
POLS 5511 Public Policy					OL						OL		
POLS 5572 Federalism & Intergov Relations							OL						OL

⇐ Required for the Policy and Planning Graduate Certificate

OL = online course

F2F = face to face at the Warrensburg campus and/or UCM Lee's Summit

HYB = hybrid (both face to face and online content)

FLEX = in class and virtual components

ITV = in class, via Zoom, and 100% online options all in one class

Graduate Students must take courses at the 5000 or 6000 level.