Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice  
**Homeland Security Cognate**  
2014-2015 Degree Completion Plan

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2014 through summer 2015. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.luonline.com/generaleducation](http://www.luonline.com/generaleducation) before enrolling in core competency requirements and skills & knowledge electives.

### CORE COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS (36 hrs)

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### MAJOR (48 hrs)

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| Homeland Security Cognate (12 hours)  |     |     |       |
| CJUS 380 Introduction to Homeland Security | 3 |     |       |
| CJUS 381 Incident Command System      | 3   |     |       |
| CJUS 382 Critical Infrastructure Protection | 3 |     |       |
| CJUS 383 Behavioral Dimensions of Disaster | 3 |     |       |

### ELECTIVES (27 hrs)

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### Graduation Requirements

- 120 total hours
- 30 hours of upper level courses
- 50% (24 hours) of major taken through LU
- 30 hours must be completed through LU (Online and/or Residential)
- 2.0 grade point average
- Grades of “C” or higher for all courses in major
- Submission of Graduation Application at beginning of final semester

### Notes

1. ENGL 100 (minimum grade of C) is a prerequisite for ENGL 101
2. MATH 110 (minimum grade of C) is a prerequisite for MATH 115 or higher
3. MATH 100 (minimum grade of C) is a prerequisite for MATH 110
4. A score of 13 on the Math Assessment or CLST 103 is a prerequisite for MATH 100
### SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

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**Note**

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*Suggested course sequencing for Liberty University Online students may change depending on transfer credit. Please contact an Admissions Specialist or Academic Advisor for assistance at (800) 424-9595.*