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## ONLINE

### Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice

Homeland Security Cognate

#### 2017-2018 Degree Completion Plan

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2017 through summer 2018. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

**GENERAL EDUCATION/**

**CORE COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS (39-42 hours)**

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
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**Communication (6 hours)<sup>1</sup>**

ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____	_____

**Math, Science & Technology (6-9 hours)<sup>1</sup>**

MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____	_____
_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____	_____
UNIV 104	Instructional Tech. for Online Learning	0-3	_____	_____

**Information Literacy (6 hours)<sup>1</sup>**

_____	Composition Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____	_____

**Critical Thinking (9 hours)<sup>1</sup>**

_____	Literature OR Philosophy Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____	_____

**Christian Life & Thought (12 hours)<sup>1,2</sup>**

BIBL 104	Survey of Old & New Testament	4	_____	_____
RLGN 104	Christian Life & Biblical Worldview	4	_____	_____
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey	4	_____	_____

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**Major Foundational Courses (3-6 hours)<sup>3</sup>**

GOVT 200	Constitutional Govt. & Free Enterprise	3	_____	_____
GOVT 220	American Government	3	_____	_____

**MAJOR**

	Core (36 hours)			
CJUS 200	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	_____	_____
CJUS 230	Criminal Justice Research & Writing	3	_____	_____
CJUS 300	Administration of Justice Organizations	3	_____	_____
CJUS 310	Juvenile Justice	3	_____	_____
CJUS 320	Corrections	3	_____	_____
CJUS 330	Judicial Process	3	_____	_____
CJUS 340	Criminology	3	_____	_____
CJUS 350	Criminal Justice Ethics	3	_____	_____
CJUS 400	Criminal Law	3	_____	_____
CJUS 410	Constitutional Criminal Procedure	3	_____	_____
CJUS 420	Criminal Investigations I	3	_____	_____
GOVT 480	Terrorism	3	_____	_____

**Cognate (12 hours)**

CJUS 380	Introduction to Homeland Security	3	_____	_____
CJUS 381	Incident Command System/Emgcy. Plan.	3	_____	_____
CJUS 382	Critical Infrastructure Protection	3	_____	_____
CJUS 383	Behavioral Dimensions of Disaster	3	_____	_____

**FREE ELECTIVES (24-30 hours)**

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_____	_____	-	_____	_____
_____	_____	-	_____	_____
_____	_____	-	_____	_____
_____	_____	-	_____	_____
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_____	_____	-	_____	_____
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**Graduation Requirements**  
**120** Total Hours  
**2.0** Overall grade point average  
**30** Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)  
**Grade of 'C'** Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major  
**50%** Of major and cognate taken through Liberty University  
**30** Hours must be completed through Liberty University  
**Grad App** Submission of Graduation Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

**Notes**  
*All applicable prerequisites must be met*  
<sup>1</sup>Refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened) before enrolling in core competency requirements  
<sup>2</sup>Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirement of RLGN 104 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirement of THEO 104 waived  
<sup>3</sup>Major Foundational Courses can also fulfill General Education/Core Competency requirements as applicable  
*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

### FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 104	4	THEO 104	4
ENGL 101	3	Composition Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
RLGN 104	4	Cultural Studies Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
UNIV 104	0-3	Math Elective <sup>1</sup>	<u>3</u>
Communications Elective <sup>1</sup>	<u>3</u>	Total	13
Total 14-17			

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

Information Literacy Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	Natural Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup> [GOVT 200]	3	GOVT 220	3
CJUS 200	3	CJUS 230	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total 15		Total	15

### JUNIOR YEAR

Literature <u>or</u> Philosophy Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	CJUS 320	3
CJUS 300	3	CJUS 330	3
CJUS 310	3	CJUS 340	3
CJUS 380	3	CJUS 381	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	3
Total 15		Elective	<u>3</u>
		Total	18

### SENIOR YEAR

CJUS 350	3	CJUS 363	3
CJUS 382	3	CJUS 383	3
CJUS 400	3	GOVT 480	3
CJUS 410	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total 15		Total	15

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