

<u>CORE COURSES (12 hours)</u>		<u>Hr</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
CJUS 700	Theories of Crime	3	_____	_____
CJUS 701	Comparative Criminal Justice Systems	3	_____	_____
CJUS 702	Advanced Juvenile Justice Policy	3	_____	_____
CJUS 703	Advanced Corrections Policy	3	_____	_____
<u>RESEARCH & EVALUATION CORE COURSES (12 hours)</u>				
CJUS 740	Advanced Research Design	3	_____	_____
CJUS 745	Quantitative Methods of Research	3	_____	_____
CJUS 750	Qualitative Methods of Research	3	_____	_____
CJUS 801	Criminal Justice Program Evaluation	3	_____	_____
<u>ADVANCED FOCUS COURSES (9 hours)</u>				
CJUS 810	Transnational Organized Crime Advanced	3	_____	_____
CJUS 820	Advanced Topics in Terrorism & Intelligence	3	_____	_____
CJUS 830	Criminal Justice Organizational Conflict			
or CJUS 840	Stress Management in Criminal Justice	3	_____	_____
<u>GENERAL COGNATE (9 hours)</u>				
_____	_____	1	3	_____
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_____	_____	1	3	_____
<u>CAPSTONE COURSES (18 hours)²</u>				
CJUS 885	Research Concept	3	_____	_____
CJUS 887	Capstone I	5	_____	_____
CJUS 888	Capstone II	5	_____	_____
CJUS 889	Capstone III ³	5	_____	_____
CJUS 890	Capstone IV ³	0	_____	_____

TOTAL HOURS 60

Graduation Requirements

Complete 60 hours
A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level
3.0 GPA
No grades lower than a B- may be applied to the degree
Liberty University course work that is more than 7 years old may not apply towards this degree. Students are required to repeat the course if it has exceeded the age limit.
Successful completion of Capstone Project
Degree must be completed within 7 years
Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Offered in Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met
¹Choose any 700-900 level course offered in the Helms School of Government, with the exception of Dissertation and Capstone courses. Other 700-900 level courses will be considered on a case-by-case basis.
²Once the student enters the Capstone phase, they must maintain continuous enrollment (Fall, Spring and Summer semesters) until all degree requirements are completed
³Any student who is not ready for enrollment in CJUS 890 after completing CJUS 889 may be required, as determined by the student's dissertation chair, to repeat CJUS 889 until deemed ready for enrollment in CJUS 890
Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester

CJUS 700	3
CJUS 701	3
CJUS 702	<u>3</u>
Total	9

Second Semester

CJUS 703	3
CJUS 740	3
CJUS 745	<u>3</u>
Total	9

Third Semester

CJUS 750	3
CJUS 801	3
Elective ¹	<u>3</u>
Total	9

Fourth Semester

CJUS 810	3
Elective ¹	3
Elective ¹	<u>3</u>
Total	9

Fifth Semester

CJUS 820	3
CJUS 830 <u>OR</u> CJUS 840	3
CJUS 885	<u>3</u>
Total	9

Sixth Semester

CJUS 887	<u>5</u>
Total	5

Seventh Semester

CJUS 888	<u>5</u>
Total	5

Eighth Semester

CJUS 889 ²	<u>5</u>
Total	5

Ninth Semester

CJUS 890 ²	<u>0</u>
Total	0

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