2022-2023 Degree Completion Plan



THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

CORE COURSES (12 hours)			<u>Sem</u>	Grade					
CJUS 700	Theories of Crime	3							
CJUS 701	Comparative Criminal Justice Systems	3 3							
CJUS 702	Advanced Juvenile Justice Policy	3							
CJUS 703	Advanced Corrections Policy	3							
RESEARCH & EVALUATION CORE COURSES (12 hours)									
<b>CJUS 740</b>	Advanced Research Design	3							
CJUS 745	Quantitative Methods of Research	3							
<b>CJUS 750</b>	Qualitative Methods of Research	3							
CJUS 801	Criminal Justice Program Evaluation	3							
ADVANCED	FOCUS COURSES (9 hours)								
<b>CJUS 810</b>	Transnational Organized Crime Advanced	3							
<b>CJUS 820</b>	Advanced Topics in Terrorism & Intelligence								
<u>or</u> CJUS 840	Stress Management in Criminal Justice	3							
CJUS 830	Criminal Justice Organizational Conflict	3							
LEADERSHIP COGNATE (9 hours)									
<b>CJUS 730</b>	Advanced Criminal Justice Leadership	3							
<b>CJUS 732</b>	Strategic Planning in Criminal Justice	3							
CJUS 736	Advanced Human Resources Development in Criminal Justice	3							
DISSERTAT	TON COURSES (18 hours) <sup>1</sup>								
CJUS 885	Research Concept	3							
<b>CJUS 987</b>	Dissertation I	5							
CJUS 988	Dissertation II	5 5							
CJUS 989	Dissertation III <sup>2</sup>			-					
CJUS 990	Dissertation IV <sup>2</sup>	0							

### **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 Research Concept

Successful defense of Dissertation

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

<sup>1</sup>Once the student enters the Dissertation phase, he/she must maintain continuous enrollment (Fall, Spring and Summer semesters) until all degree requirements are completed

**TOTAL HOURS 60** 

<sup>2</sup>Any student who is not ready for enrollment in CJUS 990 after completing CJUS 989 may be required, as determined by the student's dissertation chair, to repeat CJUS 989 until deemed ready for enrollment in CJUS 990

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

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# SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester			Second Semester		
CJUS 700		3	CJUS 703		3
CJUS 701		3	CJUS 740		3
CJUS 702		<u>3</u>	CJUS 745		<u>3</u>
	Total	9		Total	9
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Third Semester			Fourth Semester		
CJUS 730		3	CJUS 732		3
CJUS 750		3	CJUS 736		3
CJUS 801		<u>3</u>	CJUS 810		<u>3</u>
	Total	9		Total	9
Fifth Semester			Sixth Semester		
CJUS 820 <u>OR</u> CJUS 840		3	CJUS 987		5
CJUS 830		3		Total	5
CJUS 885		<u>3</u>			
	Total	9			
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Seventh Semester			Eighth Semester		
CJUS 988		5	CJUS 989 <sup>1</sup>		5
	Total	5		Total	5
<b>Eighth Semester</b>					
CJUS 990 <sup>1</sup>		0			
	Total	0			
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