

| <b><u>CORE COURSES (12 hours)</u></b>                           |  | <b><u>Hr</u></b> | <b><u>Sem</u></b> | <b><u>Grade</u></b> |
|---|--|------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 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                | _____             | _____               |
| <b><u>RESEARCH &amp; EVALUATION CORE COURSES (12 hours)</u></b> |  |                  |                   |                     |
| 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                | _____             | _____               |
| <b><u>ADVANCED FOCUS COURSES (9 hours)</u></b>                  |  |                  |                   |                     |
| 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                | _____             | _____               |
| <b><u>HOMELAND SECURITY COGNATE (9 hours)</u></b>               |  |                  |                   |                     |
| HLSC 710  | Contemp. Issues in Cybersecurity & WMD (CBRNE) Threat Ana.   | 3                | _____             | _____               |
| HLSC 720  | Critical Infrastructure: Vulnerability Analysis & Protection | 3                | _____             | _____               |
| HLSC 730  | Counterterrorism & Counterintelligence Strategies            | 3                | _____             | _____               |
| <b><u>CAPSTONE COURSES (18 hours)<sup>1</sup></u></b>           |  |                  |                   |                     |
| CJUS 885  | Research Concept   | 3                | _____             | _____               |
| CJUS 887  | Capstone I   | 5                | _____             | _____               |
| CJUS 888  | Capstone II  | 5                | _____             | _____               |
| CJUS 889  | Capstone III <sup>2</sup>                                    | 5                | _____             | _____               |
| CJUS 890  | Capstone IV <sup>2</sup>                                     | 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  
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*

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

<sup>2</sup>Any 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        |
| HLSC 710 | <u>3</u> |
| Total    | 9        |

**Fourth Semester**

|          |          |
|----------|----------|
| CJUS 810 | 3        |
| HLSC 720 | 3        |
| HLSC 730 | <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 <sup>1</sup> | <u>5</u> |
| Total                 | 5        |

**Ninth Semester**

|                       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|
| CJUS 890 <sup>1</sup> | <u>0</u> |
| Total                 | 0        |

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