Criminal Justice Electives
Spring 2015

Investigative Photography, 3 credits, class no. 61817
Days/Times: Mondays and Wednesdays, 2:00-3:50 p.m.
This basic photography course will emphasize practical photographic applications used in recording evidence and documenting crime scenes. Introduction to photographic techniques and application of forensic photographic theories are presented through demonstration, lectures and practical assignments. Students will be presented with information on camera operation, exposure determination/control, entry-level photographic theory, basic lighting techniques and use of electronic flash equipment. Forensic topics covered will include crime scene and autopsy protocols, use of scales, photographing evidence, fingerprint and pattern impression photography and current trends in forensic technology. Presentation and use of demonstrative exhibits in court is also covered by a guest lecturer.

Criminal Justice Internship, 3 credits, class no. 65024
Integrates learned classroom theory and skills with real-life experience under the direct supervision of practitioners. Students are placed within an agency to interact, observe and participate to a limited degree with practitioners during the performance of their regular duties. Students receive intense one-on-one instruction in developing useful skills based on field experience.
Prerequisites: Instructor approval (Jack Pace), completion of two semesters (30 credits and all 1st year core program courses) in the Criminal Justice Program and a 2.5 GPA. Travel to internship site is the responsibility of the student. Students may need to pass a criminal background examination by the supervising agency.

Emergency Dispatch Communications, 3 credits, class no. 65305
Days/Times: Fridays, 9:30-12:20 p.m.
This course addresses the basics of Emergency Dispatch Communications, the situations encountered in an emergency communications environment and the basic skills necessary to collect information in both emergency and non-emergency situations.