

 **CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

Looking for a career where you could make a real difference? Criminal Justice professionals certainly do and they work in a variety of settings involving investigations, security, law enforcement, forensic science, and technology.

If this sounds like the career you're looking for, consider ECPI University's Criminal Justice program. Through our year-round schedule, you could earn a Bachelor of Science Degree in Criminal Justice in as little as 2.5 years.

## Outcomes

**Upon successful completion of the program, graduates are able to:**

- ▶ Execute ethical standards across professional and personal settings.
- ▶ Critically evaluate the quality and sufficiency of evidence to support a criminal justice argument (case or proposal).
- ▶ Integrate scientific inquiry into the analysis of criminal justice issues.
- ▶ Analyze human behavior and the impact on crime.
- ▶ Execute policies and protocols when emergency and criminal situations occur.
- ▶ Apply evidentiary law to real and hypothetical fact situations.
- ▶ Apply best practices in crime scene management and digital forensic investigation.
- ▶ Perform security surveys.
- ▶ Apply law enforcement policies and procedures to real world scenarios.
- ▶ Evaluate evidence based rehabilitative and treatment practices utilized in adult and juvenile justice.

## Possible Career Track

- ▶ Police Officer
- ▶ State Trooper
- ▶ Corrections
- ▶ Parole
- ▶ Social Services
- ▶ Community Corrections
- ▶ Border Patrol
- ▶ U.S. Custom
- ▶ Private Security
- ▶ Juvenile Justice
- ▶ Clerk of Court or Law Firms
- ▶ Park Ranger
- ▶ Insurance Investigation
- ▶ Probation
- ▶ Federal Officer / Investigative Positions, including those related to FBI, CIA, DEA, and TSA



# CRIMINAL JUSTICE CONCENTRATION

To receive the Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice, the student must earn 121 semester credit hours. The program requires a minimum of 8 semesters, 30 months or 120 weeks of instruction.

## Program Requirements are as follows:

### CORE CURRICULUM 48 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS

	CREDITS
Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
Criminal Law I	3
CJ Special Populations	3
Law Enforcement Operations	3
Criminal Procedure	3
Ethics in Criminal Justice	3
Corrections	3
Investigations	3
Crime Scene Management	3
Cybercrime Investigation	3
Introduction to Terrorism	3
Criminology	3
Organized Crime	3
Criminal Justice Documentation	3
Private Security I	3
Conflict Management	3

### ARTS AND SCIENCES\* 31 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS

Arts and Sciences Capstone	3
Principles of Communication	3
College Composition	3
Advanced Composition	3
Culture and Diversity	3
College Algebra	3
Statistics	3
Physics	3
Physics LAB	1
Introduction to Psychology	3
Positive Psychology	3

\*For allowable substitutions of arts and sciences courses, see the Arts and Sciences Department page

### SELF INTEGRATION 6 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS

	CREDITS
Career Orientation Seminar	0
Essentials for Success	3
Computer Applications	3

### CRIMINAL JUSTICE 18 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS

Drugs and Crime	3
Juvenile Justice	3
Rules of Evidence	3
Emergency Planning	3
Media Relations for Law Enforcement	3
Probation and Parole	3

### ELECTIVES SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS

18

### SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS

121

\*These are the courses making up the degree plan at the time of student enrollment. The University at its sole discretion may modify the program track as deemed necessary.

**START DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

**ORIENTATION** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tuition Includes**

- ▶ Tutoring
- ▶ Parking fees
- ▶ Graduate employment services
- ▶ Externships (if applicable)
- ▶ Subsidized certification vouchers
- ▶ Full- and part-time job assistance while attending school

**Application Fee** \$15 non-refundable, one-time charge

**Registration Fee** \$100

**Monthly Payment** Monthly payments are determined after all federal grants and loans, scholarships, and alternative loans are applied.

**What You Need**

- ▶ Complete FAFSA online at [fafsa.gov](https://fafsa.gov) (for help go to: [ecpi.edu/fa](https://ecpi.edu/fa))
- ▶ 3 references

**Program Cost**

- ▶ Bachelor's = 8 semesters x \$7,848 = \$62,784 (estimate)
- ▶ ECPI semester = 15 weeks consisting of three 5-week terms
- ▶ Technology fee = \$480.00 per semester
- ▶ ECPI University reserves the right to make changes in tuition and fees without further notice.



**CRIMINAL JUSTICE PROGRAM DEGREES**

**BACHELOR'S DEGREE CONCENTRATIONS IN:**

- ▶ Criminal Justice
- ▶ Crime and Intelligence Analysis
- ▶ Digital Forensics
- ▶ Homeland Security

\*Programs offered vary by campus location.

