Minors

Crime, Law, and Deviance - Minor
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The Crime, Law, and Deviance minor examines matters of sociological interest related to the study and understanding of deviant, delinquent, and criminal behavior, the relationship between law and society, and victimology. The minor facilitates an understanding of crime and deviance from a sociological perspective and prepares students for careers and graduate school in related fields.

Minor Admission Requirements
- The minor is not open to Sociology majors.
- Courses used to satisfy the Restricted Electives of this minor cannot be used to satisfy other Sociology minors.

Minor Requirements
- Students must earn a minimum GPA of at least 2.0 in all courses used to satisfy the minor.
- Grades below "C" (2.0) in lower level courses are not accepted.
- At least 15 hours used in the minor must be earned at UCF within the department of Sociology.

Prerequisite Courses
- Students must satisfy each course’s prerequisites before enrolling in the class.

Required Courses (6 hrs)
- SYP 3520  Criminology  3 hrs
- Required: Complete one of the following: 3 hrs
  - SYG 2000  Introduction to Sociology
  - SYG 2010  Social Problems

Restricted Electives (12 hrs)
- Select from the following:
  - SYP 3510  Sociology of Deviant Behavior  3 hrs
  - SYP 3511  Sociology of Murder  3 hrs
  - SYP 3530  Juvenile Delinquency  3 hrs
  - SYP 3540  Sociology of Law  3 hrs
  - SYP 3562  Patterns of Domestic Violence in Society  3 hrs
  - SYP 4514  Patterns of Violence in Society  3 hrs
  - SYP 4521  Crime Victims in Society  3 hrs
  - SYP 4536  Gangs and Society  3 hrs

Foreign Language Requirements
- None

Total Semester Hours Required
- 18

Other Requirements
- No credit by exam (TSD, Military credit) may be used.
- Internship, Co-op or Independent Study credit cannot be used toward the minor.