

Certificates

Criminal Profiling - Certificate

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New and more sophisticated techniques and tools of criminal investigation are being developed to assist in meeting the challenges facing today's law enforcement officers. One area that is becoming formalized in law enforcement is criminal profiling. The certificate program in Criminal Profiling is a way of organizing the fundamental information and education required for profiling. It provides both the theoretical and practical information related to the types of crimes for which profiling is most useful. The program requires 15 credit hours of undergraduate work. Certificates will be awarded only at the time of degree completion.

Certificate Admission Requirements

- None

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- Students are required to take courses as specified below and to declare the Certificate.

Prerequisite Courses

- There are no certificate program prerequisites; however individual courses may have prerequisites.

Required Courses (12 hrs)

CLP 3143	Abnormal Psychology	3 hrs
CJE 4630	Serial Murder and Criminal Justice	3 hrs
CCJ 4690	Sex Offenders and the Criminal Justice System	3 hrs
CJE 4012	Criminal Profiling in Criminal Justice	3 hrs

Restricted Electives (3 hrs)

- Select one of the following:

DSC 4012	Terrorism	3 hrs
CJE 4610	Criminal Investigation	3 hrs
CCJ 4195	Interviews & Interrogations in CJ	3 hrs

Foreign Language Requirements

- None

Total Semester Hours Required

- 15

Other Requirements

- A minimum overall GPA of 2.0 is required in courses used to satisfy the certificate.
- At least 12 hours used in the certificate must be earned at UCF within the department.
- No credit by exam (TSD, Military credit) may be used.
- Internship or Independent Study credit cannot be used toward the certificate.