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{ your career }

The Master of Criminal Justice program is ideal for those interested in upper-level careers in law enforcement, security, corrections and human services. It also prepares those wishing to teach criminal justice or serve as personnel and training specialists in justice-related organizations.

At St. Ambrose University, you'll have the opportunity to learn from experienced instructors who have worked in the criminal justice field. Their on-the-job insights help add context to a curriculum that has been designed with today's criminal justice careers in mind.

- > **Classes offered online and in Davenport**
- > **Personal attention**
- > **Cutting-edge research with knowledgeable faculty**
- > **Multi-disciplinary courses**



{ hands-on }
training

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

- > Complete the graduate application
- > Send your official transcripts to Graduate Admissions
- > Provide two recommendation letters

For more information

Graduate Admissions
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The Master of Criminal Justice program is designed to prepare skilled leaders in criminal justice, law enforcement, security, corrections, human services and related professions. Complete the MCJ degree in one to two years, depending on the number of classes taken each semester. Competitive graduate assistant positions and fellowships are available for partial stipend.

CURRICULUM

Foundation Courses (12 credit hours)

- MCJ 500 Criminological Theory
- MCJ 550 Applications of Criminal Justice Writing
- MCJ 530 Advanced Criminal Justice Statistics
- MCJ 531 Advanced Criminal Justice Research Methods

Core Courses (9 credit hours)

- MCJ 510 Crime Policy Analysis
- MCJ 620 Administration of Justice
- MCJ 640 Justice Planning and Leadership

Professional Practice Courses (9 credit hours)

Choose one seminar class from the following list:

- MCJ 670 Seminar in Juvenile Justice
- MCJ 671 Seminar in Law Enforcement
- MCJ 672 Seminar in Corrections

plus both

- MCJ 507 Seminar in Criminal Justice
- MCJ 702 Final project

The material presented here is for informational purposes and does not substitute for the catalog. Consult the official university catalog for complete program requirements.