

La Roche College  
**CRIMINAL JUSTICE (ACCELERATED) PROGRAM GUIDE**  
 DEGREE: Bachelor of Arts    Department: Justice, Law & Security

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Year Student                      Transfer  
 I.D. Number \_\_\_\_\_ Change of Major                      Readmit

*Unofficial Eval Completed by/date:* \_\_\_\_\_

This is the **unofficial evaluation** of your credits to date including transfer credits (if applicable) in your chosen major. **This evaluation is official when all official transcripts for all previous college work are received; and reviewed and approved for transferability by the Registrar's Office.** Beginning with your first semester of enrollment, your Degree Audit Report in My.LaRoche will automatically track your progress toward your degree, and guide you in planning future class schedules. Review your updated Degree Audit Report with your advisor prior to registering each semester.

**PURPOSE:** A major in Criminal Justice is meant to prepare students for career opportunities and advancement in the criminal justice field, which includes law enforcement, courts and corrections, and private security, or, for further study at the graduate level in Criminal Justice, Criminology, or Law.

**REQUIREMENTS:** To successfully complete the Accelerated Criminal Justice major, Law Enforcement Officers must have ~~5~~<sup>3</sup> years of work experience to be awarded 48 advanced standing credit (15 credits based on ACT 120 certification and 33 credits of work experience) After the 48 credits are granted, the following coursework is required:

- 30 credits as listed under "Major Component/Requirements"
- 12 credits of Major Electives
- 12 credits Skills Component
- 36 CORE credits
- 30 General Elective Credits
- A minimum number of 120 credits are required for degree, the last 30 of which, and 50% of the major must be earned at La Roche College. (Developmental course work does not count toward the minimum number of required credits for graduation.)

	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Transfer Course #/Comments</u>
<b>MAJOR COMPONENT/REQUIREMENTS: 30 CREDITS</b>		
<b>*A=Act 120 Training Credit; *W=Work Experience Credit</b>		
*A _____ CRIM1001 Intro to Criminal Justice	3	_____
_____ CRIM3005 Constitutional Law	3	_____
*A _____ CRIM/NSCS2011 Intelligence Analysis	3	Prerequisites: CRIM1001 and ENGL1012 _____
*W _____ CRIM2016 Police and Society	3	cross-listed as SOCL2016 _____
*A _____ CRIM2108 Professional Responsibility	3	Prereq: SLRS, CRIM1001 _____
_____ CRIM3010 Criminal Law	3	_____
_____ PSYC3011 Research Methods	3	Prerequisite: MATH1040 or CRIM2012 _____
* PSYC3011, Research Methods, may normally be taken through the Psychology		
_____ CRIM3030 Theories of Criminal Deviance <b>OR</b>	3	Cross-listed with SOCL3030 _____
_____ CRIM3042 Applied Criminology	3	_____
*A _____ CRIM3045 Criminal Investigations	3	_____
_____ CRIM4055 Senior Capstone	3	Prerequisite: PSYC3011 _____

<b>MAJOR ELECTIVES: 12 CREDITS</b>		
_____ CRIM2010 Introduction to Corrections	3	_____
_____ CRIM2030 Juvenile Delinquency	3	Cross-listed with SOCL2030 _____
_____ CRIM3000 Correctional Counseling	3	_____
_____ CRIM3020 Special Topics	3	_____
_____ CRIM3034 Enterprise/Transitional Crime	3	_____
_____ CRIM3036 Terrorism and Mass Murder	3	_____
_____ CRIM3040 Crime Scene and Forensics	3	_____

_____	CRIM3041	Criminalistics	4	<u>Restricted to students pursuing a Criminalistics Certificate</u>
_____	CRIM3043	Computer Crime	3	_____
_____	CRIM3046	Security Management	3	_____
_____	CRIM3052	Admin Criminal Justice Organizations	3	<u>Prerequisites: CRIM2012</u>
*A	CRIM3054	Law Enforcement Com	3	_____
_____	CRIM3063	Criminal Behavior: Law and Psychology**	3	<u>** Cross-listed with PSYC. Required course in Forensic Psychology Certificate Program</u>
*W	CRIM4051	Internship	3	_____
_____	CRIM4057	Independent Study	3-6	_____

**SKILLS COMPONENT: 12 CREDITS**

_____	ENGL2030	Technical Writing	3	_____
_____	ISTC2008	Intro to Cyber Space	3	_____
_____	PHIL1020	Logic	3	_____
_____	CRIM2012	Analysis Criminal Justice Data <b>OR</b>	3	_____
_____	MATH1040	Probability & Statistics		<u>Prerequisite: MATH1010/1010A</u>

**ACADEMIC CORE CURRICULUM: 36 CREDITS**

**Fundamentals: 12 Credits**

		<u>Credits</u>	<u>Transfer Course #/Comments</u>
_____	ENGL1011	College Writing I	3
_____	ENGL1012	College Writing II	3
_____	ISTC1005	Practical Computer Applications	3
_____	MATH1010	College Algebra	3

**Community/Global: 6 credits (or 6 credits in same Foreign Language)**

_____	COMM	Community	3	<u>"The Rule of Law" recommended</u>
_____	GLBL	Global	3	<u>"Crime and Terror" recommended</u>

**Select Courses: 18 credits**

18 credits are required with study within each of the following domains. Students can fulfill six domains with four courses (earning a total of 12 credits) by completing "dual-domain" SELECT courses SLDD. Student earns 3 credits only for each dual-domain course. The "lost" 3-6 credits can be fulfilled through a major or general elective. **PLEASE NOTE: Some "Select Courses" may be filled by meeting Major Requirements and if so, will be annotated as such.**

*W	SELECT	Aesthetics (SLAE)	3	_____
*W	SELECT	History (SLHS)	3	_____
*W	SELECT	Literature (SLLT)	3	_____
*W	SELECT	Religion/Philosophy (SLRS)	3	_____
_____	SELECT	Science (SLSC)	3	_____
_____	SELECT	Social and Cultural Systems (SLSO)	3	<u>"International Justice Systems" Required</u>

**GENERAL ELECTIVES: 30 credits (Electives may be fulfilled through a second major, minor, or certificate program.**

**Recommended programs are: Criminalistics, Accounting, Management, Information Systems, History, Psychology, Pre-Law, Sociology, Modern Languages (Spanish or Arabic)**

15 credits are Work Experience

<u>Transfer Course #</u>	<u>Credits</u>						
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

<b>FOR REGISTRAR USE ONLY:</b>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Completed</u>	<u>Need</u>	<u>COMMENTS:</u>
Major Component	30	_____	_____	_____
Major Electives	12	_____	_____	_____
Skills Component	12	_____	_____	_____
CORE	36	_____	_____	_____
General Electives	30	_____	_____	_____
Work Experience/Cert				
Accepted in Transfer	_____	_____	_____	_____
La Roche College Credit	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total	120	_____	_____	

**Certificate Program in Criminalistics:** The Criminalistics Certificate Program requires coursework in Biology and Chemistry. Refer to the Curriculum Guide for that program, available from your advisor or the Registrar's Office, for more information on the certificate.

**Accelerated Courses:** Criminal Justice courses in the Accelerated Program are 8 weeks in length and are offered in a classroom, on-line and blended format. CRIM/POLI2005, *Constitutional Law*, and CRIM2012, *Analysis of Criminal Justice Data* are only offered in 15 week format.

**Registrar Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Advisor Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_  
*(When signed by Advisor, all required coursework/credits have been completed for graduation.)*