



UNIVERSITY of WASHINGTON

Michael K. Young
President

October 31, 2014

Interim Vice Chancellor Bill Kunz
University of Washington, Tacoma
Box 358430

Dear Bill:

Based upon the recommendations of the Faculty Council on Academic Policy, the Faculty Assembly has recommended approval of the revised program requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Criminal Justice. A copy of the change is attached.

I am writing to inform you that the Office of Academic Affairs is authorized to specify these requirements beginning spring quarter 2015.

The new requirements should be incorporated in printed statements and in individual department websites as soon as possible. The *General Catalog* website will be updated accordingly by the Registrar's Office.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael K. Young".

Michael K. Young
President

Enclosure

cc: Ms. Terri Simonsen (with enclosure)
Mr. Robert Corbett (with enclosure)
Ms. Virjean Edwards (with enclosure)



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**CREATING AND CHANGING UNDERGRADUATE
 ACADEMIC PROGRAMS**

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After college/school/campus review, send a signed original and 1 copy to the Curriculum Office/FCAS, Box 355850.
 For information about when and how to use this form: <http://depts.washington.edu/uwcr/1503instructions.pdf>

College/Campus UW Tacoma	Department/Unit Social Work Program	Date 6/23/14
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New Programs

- Leading to a Bachelor of ____ in ____ degree.
- Leading to a Bachelor of ____ degree with a major in ____.
- Leading to a ____ Option within the existing major in ____.
- Leading to a minor in ____.

Changes to Existing Programs

- New Admission Requirements for the Major in ____ within the Bachelor of ____.
- Revised Admission Requirements for the Major in ____ within the Bachelor of ____.
- Revised Program Requirements for the Major in Criminal Justice within the Bachelor of Arts.
- Revised Requirements for the Option in ____ within the major in ____.
- Revised Requirements for the Minor in ____.

Other Changes

- Change name of program from ____ to ____.
- Change delivery method or location of program.
- New or Revised Continuation Policy for ____.
- New Honors Requirements for ____.
- Eliminate program in ____.

Proposed Effective Date: **Quarter:** Autumn Winter Spring Summer **Year: 2015**

Contact Person: Terri Simonsen	Phone: 2-5822	Email: hermant@uw.edu	Box: 358425
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EXPLANATION OF AND RATIONALE FOR PROPOSED CHANGE

For new program, please include any relevant supporting documentation such as student learning outcomes, projected enrollments, letters of support and departmental handouts. *(Use additional pages if necessary).*

The faculty of the Social Work Program have voted to change a core major requirement within the criminal justice major. Currently, T CRIM 440 Fundamentals of Criminal Law (5cr) is required and they wish to replace it with a new course undergoing new course approval through the University system, T CRIM 395 American Criminal Courts (5cr). The change will impact both the on campus and the online criminal justice majors as the major requirements for each are identical. The faculty believe this content in the court system to be a better component for criminal justice majors than criminal law and essential for any student completing the major. The change is also supported by our Program Curriculum Committee.

The faculty, however wish to keep T CRIM 440 Fundamentals of Criminal Law as an approved core elective for criminal justice majors who want this content.

The vote occurred on June 5, 2014 with 11 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain and 2 absent. A total of 13 faculty were eligible to vote.

OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED

List all departments/units/ or co-accredited programs affected by your new program or changes to your existing program and acquire the signature of the chair/director of each department/unit listed. Attach additional page(s) if necessary. *See online instructions.

Department/Unit:	Chair/Program Director:	Date:
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CATALOG COPY

Catalog Copy as currently written. Include only sections/paragraphs that would be changed if your request is approved. Please cross out or otherwise highlight any deletions.

Criminal Justice Major Core Courses (45 credits)

T CRIM 225 Diversity and Social Justice in Criminology
 T CRIM 361 Addictions and Mental Illness in Criminal Justice
 T CRIM 362 Criminological Theory
 T CRIM 370 Police and Society
 T CRIM 371 Helping Skills in Criminal Justice
 T CRIM 372 Adult Corrections
 TSOCWF 390 Introduction to Social Welfare Research
~~T CRIM 440 Fundamentals of Criminal Law~~
 T CRIM 441 Senior Seminar: Professionalism and Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice

Graduation Requirements

Complete 65 credits required for the Criminal Justice major (45 credits of core courses and 20 credits of core electives) to include 45 credits at the upper-division level:

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PROPOSED CATALOG COPY

Reflecting requested changes (include exact wording as you wish it to be shown in the printed catalog. Please underline or otherwise highlight any additions. If needed, attach a separate, expanded version of the changes that might appear in department publications).
Please note: all copy will be edited to reflect uniform style in the General Catalog.

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■ Complete 20 credits from approved list of Criminal Justice core electives

APPROVALS

Diane A. Young

Chair/Program Director:

Date: 6/23/14

College/School/Campus Curriculum Committee: <i>P. O. M. K. S.</i>	Date: 10/1/14
Dean/Vice Chancellor: <i>William M. K.</i>	Date: 10/1/14
Faculty Council on Academic Standards/ General Faculty Organization/Faculty Assembly Chair:	Date:
POST TRI-CAMPUS APPROVAL (when needed)	
Faculty Council on Academic Standards/ General Faculty Organization/Faculty Assembly Chair:	Date: