

Academic Council Minutes

June 20, 2018

Midwestern State University

The Academic Council did not meet on Wednesday, June 20, 2018. An electronic vote was requested from the voting members of the council and all agenda items were adopted. (closed)

New Business

Robert D. and Carol Gunn College of Health Sciences and Human Services – Dr. Killion

Criminal Justice

New Course Additions, effective fall 2019

CRJU 3173. Victimology

Prerequisites: CRJU 1113, 2943

Description: An examination of criminal victimization in the United States and globally via an overview of current theory, research, and trends within the context of specific victimization types. This course will assess specific crimes types, the impact of crime on victims and society, the role of victims within the criminal justice system, specific remedies, and victim rights and services.

Lecture 3(3-0)

CRJU 3183. Cybercrime

Prerequisites: CRJU 1113, 2943

Description: This course explores computer related crime in cyber space now and in the past. Theoretical and practical issues in personal and work related scenarios are studied. Methods of investigation by computer forensic professionals are considered and techniques for security and safety analyzed.

Lecture 3(3-0)

CRJU 3193. Correctional Classification and Case Management

Description: An introductory course on assessment instruments and interview techniques used in the correctional environment to determine offenders security levels and their programming needs. The balance between security requirements and program needs is given specific attention, as well as the likely impact on offender recidivism upon release.

Lecture 3(3-0)

CRJU 3233. Specialized Offender Typologies

Description: This course provides a basic overview of offender categories that require specialized correctional services and/or considerations. Both enhanced security and treatment programming are explored with a variety of specialized offender typologies. These specialized groups include but are not limited to mentally ill offenders, sex offenders, domestic batterers, elderly offenders, offenders with

communicable and/or sexually transmitted diseases, as well as members of security threat groups.

Lecture 3(3-0)

CRJU 3243. Forensic Psychology

Prerequisites: CRJU 1113, 2943

Description: An examination of the roles and responsibilities of mental health professionals within the justice system. This will include credential preparation and voir dire, state licensing board regulations, negotiating potential ethical challenges, as well as limits of privilege and confidentiality. Students will also survey major topics in regard to experimental forensic psychology, such as police psychology and interrogation; jury selection and decision making; and eyewitness testimony and false memories.

Lecture 3(3-0)

CRJU 3263. Multicultural Issues in Criminal Justice

Prerequisites: CRJU 1113, 2943

Description: An overview of the impact that diversity, multiculturalism, and globalization have on the criminal justice system of the United States. Social and psychological aspects related to human diversity are explored in a pragmatic sense with relevance to the criminal justice practitioner as well as the academic.

Lecture 3(3-0)

CRJU 4243. Substance Abuse Treatment

Description: An overview of the physiological and psychological effects of commonly abused substances. A basic overview of treatment approaches such as cognitive-behavioral interventions, Gestalt interventions, and family systems interventions will be provided. Students will learn to conduct motivational interviewing and relapse prevention programming. Students will learn basic aspects of peer support 12-step programming, including both AA and Al-Anon. A brief introduction to the 12 core functions in substance abuse treatment is provided.

Lecture 3(3-0)

Change of Course Number, effective fall 2019

CRJU ~~2123~~ **3253**. Police-Community Relations

Change of Course Title, effective fall 2019

CRJU 3323. ~~Emergency Administration~~ **Threat Assessment**

Respectfully submitted,

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