

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN & FINDINGS  
2017-2018 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**2017 – 2018 CURRICULUM MAP**

	<b>PLO 1</b>	<b>PLO 2</b>	<b>PLO 3</b>	<b>PLO 4</b>	<b>PLO 5</b>	<b>PLO 6</b>	<b>PLO 7</b>
	Analyze the major systems of criminal justice and how the functions of police, prosecution, courts, and corrections are interrelated.	Evaluate the issues and management of personnel administration in criminal justice.	Analyze the judicial processes of the U.S. Constitution.	Explain ethical issues within the criminal justice system.	Evaluate research in the areas of criminal justice and public policy as it pertains to the effect on society, victims, and rehabilitation.	Apply forensic methods and crime scene investigation to real-world situations.	Assess research and methods used to investigate a key empirical or theoretical issue relating to criminal justice.
<i>CRJ 510: Criminal Justice Policy &amp; Theory</i>	<b>I</b>		<b>I</b>			<b>I</b>	
<i>CRJ 512: Criminological Theory</i>					<b>I</b>		<b>I</b>
<i>CRJ 514: Constitutional &amp; Judicial Processes</i>	<b>R</b>		<b>R</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	
<i>CRJ 520: Research Methods in Criminal Justice</i>				<b>I</b>	<b>R</b>		<b>R</b>
<i>CRJ 522: Psychological Factors in the Criminal Justice System</i>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>		<b>I</b>	<b>R</b>		
<i>CRJ 524: Ethics in Criminal Justice</i>				<b>R</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>M</b>	
<i>CRJ 613: Comparative Criminal Justice Systems</i>	<b>R</b>			<b>R</b>	<b>M</b>		
<i>CRJ 615: Victimology</i>	<b>M</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>M</b>		<b>R</b>
<i>CRJ 697: Evaluation &amp; Program Analysis in Criminal Justice</i>		<b>M</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>M</b>			<b>M</b>

I (Introduced), R (Reinforced), or M (Mastered).

<b>ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN FINDINGS</b>					
<b>PLO 1 - Analyze the major systems of criminal justice and how the functions of police, prosecution, courts, and corrections are interrelated.</b>					
<b>MEASURE</b>	<b>ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA</b>
Direct Measure 1: CRJ 522 Final Research Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation	769	1120	68.66%	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

	on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.				
Direct Measure 2: CRJ 615 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	1351	1787	75.60%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Indirect Measure 1: Alumni Survey - 21 Months After graduation	70% or more of graduates who complete and return the Alumni Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Indirect Measure 2: End of Course Survey - CRJ 615	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.58	5	N/A	2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Indirect Measure 3: End of Course Survey - CRJ 522	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.4	5	N/A	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

PLO 2 - Evaluate the issues and management of personnel administration in criminal justice.					
MEASURE	ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED	ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET	ASSESSMENT RESULTS: 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Direct Measure 1: CRJ 522 Final Research Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	769	1120	68.66%	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

Direct Measure 2: CRJ 615 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	1351	1787	75.60%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Direct Measure 3: CRJ 697 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	1603	2102	76.26%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Indirect Measure 1: Alumni Survey - 21 Months After graduation	70% or more of graduates who complete and return the Alumni Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Indirect Measure 2: End of Course Survey - CRJ 522	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.42	5	N/A	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
		3.58	5	N/A	2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

Indirect Measure 3: End of Course Survey - CRJ 615	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.				
Indirect Measure 4: End of Course Survey - CRJ 697	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.38	5	N/A	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
<b>PLO 3 - Demonstrate an understanding of, and the ability to analyze, the judicial processes of the US Constitution.</b>					
<b>MEASURE</b>	<b>ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>

					4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Direct Measure 1: CRJ 514 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	1171	1585	73.88%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Direct Measure 2: CRJ 615 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Indirect Measure 1: Alumni Survey - 21 Months After graduation	70% or more of graduates who complete and return the Alumni Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.67	5	N/A	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

Indirect Measure 2: End of Course Survey - CRJ 514					
Indirect Measure 3: End of Course Survey - CRJ 615	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.58	5	N/A	2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
<b>PLO 4 - Define and apply the concepts of ethics within the criminal justice system.</b>					
<b>MEASURE</b>	<b>ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>  <b>2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>  <b>3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>  <b>4. INSUFFICIENT DATA</b>



Direct Measure 1: CRJ 524 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	1214	1441	84.25%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Direct Measure 2: CRJ 697 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	1603	2102	76.26%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Indirect Measure 1: Alumni Survey - 21 Months After graduation	70% or more of graduates who complete and return the Alumni Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Indirect Measure 2: End of Course Survey - CRJ 524	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.67	5	N/A	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

Indirect Measure 3: End of Course Survey - CRJ 697	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.38	5	N/A	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
<b>PLO 5 - Evaluate research in the areas of criminal justice and public policy as it pertains to the effect on society, victims, and rehabilitation.</b>					
MEASURE	ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED	ASSESSMENT RESULTS:  PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET	ASSESSMENT RESULTS:  1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation	1732	2120	81.70%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

Direct Measure 1: CRJ 520 Final Paper	on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.				
Direct Measure 2: CRJ 697 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	1603	2102	76.26%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Indirect Measure 1: Alumni Survey - 21 Months After graduation	70% or more of graduates who complete and return the Alumni Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Indirect Measure 2: End of Course Survey - CRJ 520	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.47	5	N/A	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
	70% or more of students who complete and return the End-of-Course Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	3.38	5	N/A	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

Indirect Measure 3: End of Course Survey - CRJ 697					
<b>PLO 6 - Apply knowledge of forensic theory and methods and crime scene investigation to real world situations.</b>					
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Direct Measure 1: CRJ 514 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA

Direct Measure 2: CRJ 524 Final Paper	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Indirect Measure 1: Alumni Survey - 21 Months After graduation	70% or more of graduates who complete and return the Alumni Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Indirect Measure 2: End of Course Survey - CRJ 514	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.67	5	N/A	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Indirect Measure 3: End of Course Survey - CRJ 524	70% or more of students who complete and return the End-of-Course Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	3.67	5	N/A	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

<b>PLO 7 - Summarize and evaluate research and methods used to investigate a key empirical or theoretical issue relating to criminal justice.</b>					
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Direct Measure 1: CRJ 520 Final Project	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	2629	3180	82.67%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
	70% of records evaluated must indicate a basic, proficient, or distinguished evaluation	1603	2102	76.26%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

Direct Measure 2: CRJ 697 Final Paper	on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.				
Indirect Measure 1: Alumni Survey - 21 Months After graduation	70% or more of graduates who complete and return the Alumni Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	N/A	N/A	N/A	4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Indirect Measure 2: End of Course Survey – CRJ 697	The acceptable target on the End-of-Course survey will be 3.5 out of 5 or higher.	3.58	5	N/A	2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Indirect Measure 3: End of Course Survey - CRJ 615	70% or more of students who complete and return the End-of-Course Survey will express satisfaction on selected survey items.	3.38	5	N/A	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

**OVERALL RECOMMENDATIONS**

**Overall, it is recommended that the Program Chair for the Master of Science in Criminal Justice review the assessment plans (including measures used, alignment mapping, and targets set) and Curriculum Map in preparation for the 2018-2019 assessment cycle. This will determine the appropriateness of**

*the assignments and mapping for each PLO. In addition, the Program Chair should consider reviewing CRJ 522 as the acceptable targets for PLOs 1 and 2 were not met.*

<b>ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN ACTION ITEM STATUS REPORT</b>				
<b>OUTCOME</b>	<b>MEASURE</b>	<b>KEY/RESPONSIBLE PERSONNEL</b>	<b>STATUS</b>	<b>ANTICIPATED DATE OF COMPLETION</b>
<b>1</b>	<b><i>CRJ 522 Final Research Paper</i></b>	<b><i>Program Chair</i></b>	<b><i>Compete</i></b>	<b><i>Q4 2018</i></b>
<b><i>Action Details</i></b>	<b><i>Review the CLO and PLO data for CRJ 522 to identify discrepancies in student achievement.</i></b>			