Your Future

Students graduating with a degree in Criminal Justice find careers in law, law enforcement, corrections, court staff and other positions in the criminal justice system. The mission of the Criminal Justice program at LU seeks to promote professionally and academically relevant curricula and programs and effective cooperative relationship with regional services agencies in order to prepare criminal justice practitioners at the graduate and undergraduate level.

The Bachelor of Science Degree in Criminal Justice is available as a residential or online program and designed to merge academic knowledge with applied experience. The program offers courses encompassing a variety of components that prepare you for career entry, promotion, federal employment and/or graduate study.

Career Opportunities

- Law Enforcement
- Homeland Security
- Parole Management
- Counterterrorism
- Law
- Emergency Services
- Corrections
- Federal Investigator
- Social Services
- Juvenile Counseling
- Adult Probation Management
- Special Agent

LU SCHOLARSHIPS

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*Based on availability and for full-time students who have earned more than 30, but less than 90 transfer credits and enrolled in on-campus programs

TO APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

- Complete your admissions application
- Visit lamar.edu/myscholarships
- Complete the General Application

PRIORIT Y DEADLINES

Fall – July 1
Spring – December 1
I’m ready to apply. What’s next?  
You’ve made a great choice!  
Follow the steps below to becoming a Cardinal.

REQUIRED STEPS

1. Finish your degree at Galveston College
2. Complete your application and transfer to Lamar University through ApplyTexas.org
3. Finish your Criminal Justice degree online or on campus

A.S. CRIMINAL JUSTICE

FALL SEMESTER
ENGL 1301 - Composition I  
HIST 1301 - US History I  
Creative Arts Core Elective  
Life & Phys Core Elective  
CRIJ 1301 - Introduction to Criminal Justice

SPRING SEMESTER
ENGL 1302 - Composition II  
HIST 1302 - US History II  
MATH 1314  
CRIJ 1306 - Court Systems & Practices  
CRIJ 2313 - Prison Systems & Practices

B.S. CRIMINAL JUSTICE

FALL SEMESTER
PEGA 1100 - Physical Activity  
COSC 1371 - Microcomputers  
CRIJ 3300 - Criminal Law  
Elective  
MATH 1342/PSYC 2317 - Statistics  
Elective

SPRING SEMESTER
CRIJ 3311 - Crime and Criminals  
3000 Level Elective  
CRIJ 3000 Upper Level CJ  
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3000 Level Elective

FALL SEMESTER
CRIJ 3000 - Upper Level CJ  
CRIJ 4300 - Special Topics  
CRIJ 4380 - Criminal Justice Research  
CRIJ 4340 - Criminal Justice Applications  
Upper Level Soc Sci Elective

SPRING SEMESTER
CRIJ 4321 - Responses to Crime  
CRIJ 4311 - Ethical Issues  
Upper Level Soc Sci Elective  
Upper Level Soc Sci Elective  
3000 Level Elective

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