

ORIGINAL COURSE IMPLEMENTATION DATE:

REVISED COURSE IMPLEMENTATION DATE:

September 2018 COURSE TO BE REVIEWED: (six years after UEC approval)

Course outline form version: 09/15/14

February 2024

September 2018

OFFICIAL UNDERGRADUATE COURSE OUTLINE FORM

Note: The University reserves the right to amend course outlines as needed without notice.

| Course Code and Number: CRIM 418 | | | Number of Credits: 3 Course credit policy (105) | | | | |
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| Course Full Title: Techniques of Crime Pre | vention | | | | | | |
| Course Short Title (if title exceeds 30 charac | ters): | | | | | | |
| Faculty: Faculty of Social Sciences | | Depai | rtmen | t (or prog | ram if no department): | CRIM | |
| Calendar Description: | | | | | | | |
| Critically examines the contemporary field of to crime prevention and the evaluative resea | | | | | | ations of various approaches | |
| Prerequisites (or NONE): 45 university-level credits incompared or 200-level CRIM. | | | | including CRIM 100, CRIM 103, and 3 additional credits of 100- | | | |
| Corequisites (if applicable, or NONE): | NONE | | | | | | |
| Pre/corequisites (if applicable, or NONE): NONE | | | | | | | |
| Equivalent Courses (cannot be taken for add | ditional cred | it) | | Transfer Credit | | | |
| Former course code/number: | | | | Transfer credit already exists: ⊠ Yes □ No | | | |
| Cross-listed with: | | | | Transfer gradit requested (OPeg to submit to PCCAT): | | | |
| Equivalent course(s): | | | | Transfer credit requested (OReg to submit to BCCAT): ☐ Yes ☐ No (if yes, fill in transfer credit form) | | | |
| Note: Equivalent course(s) should be included in the calendar description by way of a note that students with credit for the equivalent course(s) cannot take this course for further credit. | | | | Resubmit revised outline for articulation: Yes No To find out how this course transfers, see bctransferguide.ca. | | | |
| Total Hours: 45 | | | | Special | Tonics | | |
| Typical structure of instructional hours: | | | | Special Topics Will the course be offered with different topics? | | | |
| Lecture hours 30 | | | 1 | ☐ Yes ☒ No | | | |
| Seminars/tutorials/workshops 15 | | | | | | | |
| Laboratory hours | | | | If yes, different lettered courses may be taken for credit: | | | |
| Field experience hours | | | | ∏ No [| ☐ Yes, no limit | | |
| Experiential (practicum, internship, etc.) | | | Note: The specific topic will be recorded when offered. | | | | |
| Online learning activities | | | | | | | |
| Other contact hours: | | | | waximu | m enrolment (for inforn | nation only): 27 | |
| | Total | 45 |] | Expected frequency of course offerings (every semester, annually, every other year, etc.): Annually | | | |
| Department / Program Head or Director: A | Amanda Mc | Cormick | | <u> </u> | Date approved: | August 1, 2017 | |
| Faculty Council approval | | | | Date approved: | November 8, 2017 | | |
| Campus-Wide Consultation (CWC) | | | | Date of posting: | February 9, 2018 | | |
| Dean/Associate VP: Jacqueline Nolte | | | | | Date approved: | November 8, 2017 | |
| Undergraduate Education Committee (UEC) approval | | | | Date of meeting: | February 23, 2018 | | |
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Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Articulate the complex meaning of the term 'crime prevention'.
- Explain how crime prevention policies and practices are linked to political ideologies and beliefs about crime, whether or not such beliefs are accurate.
- Critique major crime prevention approaches that have been tried in Canada and other countries in terms of their underlying theory, assumptions, and potential for or actual success based on the available empirical research evidence.

| Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR) | | | | | | |
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| | Yes No, PLAR cannot be awarded for this course because | | | | | |
| Typical Instructional Methods (guest lecturers, presentations, online instruction, field trips, etc.; may vary at department's discretion) | | | | | | |
| Lectures, guest speakers | | | | | | |
| Grading sys | stem: Letter Grades: 🛛 | Credit/No Credit: ☐ | Labs to be scheduled independent of lecture hours: Yes No | | | |

NOTE: The following sections may vary by instructor. Please see course syllabus available from the instructor.

| Typical Text(s) and Resource Materials (if more space is required, download Supplemental Texts and Resource Materials form) | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|------|--|--|
| | Author (surname, initials) | Title (article, book, journal, etc.) | Current ed. | Publisher | Year | | |
| 1. | Schneider, S. P | Crime Prevention: Theory and Practice | \boxtimes | CRC Press Taylor and Francis Group | 2015 | | |
| 2. | | | | | | | |
| 3. | | | | | | | |
| 4. | | | | | | | |
| 5. | | | | | _ | | |

Required Additional Supplies and Materials (software, hardware, tools, specialized clothing, etc.)

Typical Evaluation Methods and Weighting

| Final exam: | 25% | Assignments: | 65% | Midterm exam: | % | Practicum: | % |
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| Quizzes/tests: | % | Lab work: | % | Field experience: | % | Shop work: | % |
| Participation: | 10% | Other: | % | Other: | % | Total: | 100% |

Details (if necessary):

Typical Course Content and Topics

- Week 1 Course introduction
- Week 2 Theories and practices. What is crime prevention? Components and challenges of crime prevention within the Criminal Justice System.
- Week 3 Situational Crime Prevention (SCP): Discussion will focus on applied definitions, theories, assumptions, programs and critiques of SCP.
- Week 4 Crime Prevention through Environmental Design (CPTED) Applying theory of SCP through CPTED Assignment #1 instructions
- Week 5 Crime Prevention through Social Development (CPSD). Underlying theories, risk factors, application
- Week 6 Restorative Action as Crime Prevention Guest speaker
- Week 7 Assignment #1 Due/Assignment #1 Presentations
- Week 8 Assignment Presentations 1st half of class

Community and Problem Oriented Policing.

Theories, distinguishing characteristics and application

Week 9 Community & Problem Oriented Policing con't ...

Planning, implementing and assessing a project/(Class exercise - Practical application to a local problem)/Assignment 2 Instructions (CAPRA)/Assignment #3 (Major Paper)

- Week 10 Terrorism Prevention: Is it Effective? Guest speaker/Assignment #2 Due
- Week 11 Crime reduction Model Guest speaker
- Week 12 Community Crime Prevention (CPP): A Look at Theories, Practices and Programs Associated to the Importance of CPP
- Week 13 Assignment #3 Due/Role of Government and Police in Crime Prevention