

Criminal Justice, Certificate

SECURITY PROFESSIONAL

School of Art, Humanities, Social Sciences and Public Service

The Criminal Justice Security Professional Certificate is designed for those students who seek entry-level positions in the field of private security.

Career Opportunities

The Criminal Justice Security Professional Certificate is designed for those students seeking employment in the field of private security or those already employed in the field who are seeking to enhance their skills and advancement opportunities. Individuals may be employed as security officers, security guards, loss prevention specialists, campus security officers, and gaming surveillance officers.

Program Learning Outcomes

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

- Recognize the basic concepts and principles of private security.
- Identify the roles and responsibilities of private security.
- Describe the procedures, processes and policies for protection of private and public facilities, infrastructure, employees and visitors.
- Prepare to monitor and answer alarms, conduct risk and vulnerability assessments and implement emergency/disaster plans and procedures.
- Classify components of integrated security systems.
- Evaluate legal issues and decisions that face security professionals.

Seq #	Course ID	Course Title	Cr.	Term Offered	Prereq(s)	Options Available
1	PDV 101	First Year Seminar	1	F, Sp, Su		
	CRJ 101	Introduction to Homeland Security	3	F		CRJ 155
2	CRJ 195	Intro to Private Security	3	Sp*		
3	CRJ 262	Crime Prevention	3	F		
4	CRJ 296	Criminalistics	3	F, Su	CRJ 155	CRJ 263
5	CRJ 287	Multiculturalism and CRJ System	3	F, Sp	CRJ 101	

Total Program Credits

16

*Offered every other spring semester