

## Master Syllabus

### CJS 1125 - Policing

**Division:** Business and Public Services

**Department:** Criminal Justice Science

**Credit Hour Total:** 3.0

**Lecture Hrs:** 3.0

**Prerequisite(s):** DEV 0035

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### Course Description:

Management and leadership of law enforcement agencies, including investigations, patrol, internal affairs, traffic enforcement and an overview of community based and problem-oriented policing theory and practice. Emphasis on crime analysis and prevention, community partnerships to reduce crime and community education. Principles of organization, staffing, budgeting, controlling, training and planning.

### General Education Outcomes:

- Oral Communication Competency
- Written Communication Competency
- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving Competency
- Values/Citizenship/Community Competency
- Computer Literacy Competency
- Information Literacy Competency

### Course Outcomes:

#### Assessment and Accountability

Apply strategies for determining the effectiveness of community based approaches to crime prevention.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of 70% on department developed exam.

**Assessment Method:** Simulations

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of two points on a four point department developed rubric.

#### Community Policing

Explain the theory and typical practices of a community policing model.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of 70% on department developed exam.

**Assessment Method:** Simulations

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of two points on a four point department developed rubric.

#### Community Partnership

Design strategies for establishing successful collaborations between law enforcement and community groups.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of 70% on department developed exam.

**Assessment Method:** Simulations

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of two points on a four point department developed rubric.

#### Leadership and Management

Practice key aspects of successful leadership and management of law enforcement agencies.

**Assessment Method:** Behavioral observations

**Performance Criteria:**

Students will score a minimum of two points on a four point department developed rubric

**Assessment Method:** Simulations

**Performance Criteria:**

Students will score a minimum of two points on a four point departmental developed rubric

#### Police Organization

Analyze alternatives for organizing the work of police agencies and the advantages and disadvantages of each approach

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of 70% on department developed exam.

**Assessment Method:** Simulations

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of two points on a four point department developed rubric.

**Personnel Management**

Identify frequent personnel problems in police organizations and management responses.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of 70% on department developed exam.

**Assessment Method:** Simulations

**Performance Criteria:**

Student will score a minimum of two points on a four point department developed rubric.

**Outline:**

Culture of Law Enforcement  
Community Policing  
Problem Identification and Problem Solving Strategies  
Crime Patterns, Analysis and Reporting  
Community Partnerships and Public Relations  
Theories and Approaches to Leadership and Management of Law Enforcement Agencies  
Personnel Recruitment, Training and Management