Criminology Internships

The Criminology Department has relationships with several agencies, and the Internship Coordinator can assist students in finding positions. The internship course can be taken by undergraduates and graduates, criminology majors and minors, and traditional or online students for 3 or 6 credit hours. Non-majors and non-minors may be considered for a criminology internship on a case-by-case basis. The internship must be with a criminal justice agency or related agency that deals primarily with crime. Examples of types of agencies our students have interned with include:

- Law Enforcement (local, state, and federal)
- Probation, Parole, and Reentry
- Law Offices
- Victim Service
- Secure Correctional (prisons, jails, and juvenile facilities)
- Court Offices (e.g. juvenile, drug court, judge, prosecutor, and public defender)
- Youth Service (community and residential treatment)

Requirements Checklist

___ Junior or senior
___ 2.5 overall GPA or higher
___ Earned at least a C in CRIM 1100
___ Consulted the Internship Coordinator the semester prior to the internship semester
___ Obtained an internship position
___ Agency has returned a completed Intern Acceptance Form
___ Registered for the internship course (CRIM 4286 or CRIM 6286) with coordinator permission

Find out more about internship opportunities and requirements:

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