

Lakehead UniversityOrillia

REQUEST REPORT

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Request Contents

Туре		Title
1.	New Course	Criminological Research Methods

Request History

Workflow Step	Workflow Action	User	Change Made	Comments	Date
Initiator	Approved	Carolyn Rimkey	No	Submitted to workflow	12/19/2013
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Course Details

CRIM 2090 - Criminological Research Methods

Start Term: F-W 2014-15

End Term: No Specified End Date

Course Details

Code

CRIM 2090

Title

Criminological Research Methods

Description

Examines the different ways that qualitative and quantitative data are collected and analyzed for research on crime, deviance, victimization, and the Criminal Justice System

End Term

No Specified End Date

Institution

Lakehead University

Faculty

Orillia

CreditWeight

.5

Rationale

1. The current structure of the Criminology program has several overlapping methods courses, without students learning about many aspects of research pertinent to Criminology, e.g. legal database searches, understanding and working with police statistics, freedom of information requests, unique ethical issues, etc. A new course is necessary to cover this important content. 2. By adding Criminology 2090, the previously borrowed methods courses from Psychology and Sociology (Psychology 2101 and Sociology 2911 and 3310) will no longer be required and can be removed from the calendar entry.

Requiredor Elective

Required

Cross List

Offering

3-0 or 3-0

Prerequisites

CRIM 1010 or CRIM 1030 or permission of instructor

Corequisites

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Notes
Open only to Criminology majors.
SpecialTopicDropdown
GradeSchemePF
EffectonEnrolmentINIT
EffectonEnrolmentOTHER
AdditionalTeachingSpace
yes.
EffectonTeachingLoads
Yes. Enrolment in Criminology has grown to such an extent that extent sections of required methods courses for Criminology students are needed anyway. By replacing 1.5 FCEs of Psychology and Sociology methods courses with .5 CE of Criminology methods (and .5 FCE of Criminology theory), the program will have increased flexibility and place less strain on other disciplines.
EffectonServices
yes. This new course will be offered in Criminology with high enrolments. This will lead to additional library use of students and some additional technical support for the classes to be delivered (assuming course sites will be used).
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