



LAKEHEAD UNIVERSITY
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES
INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES
CHANGE REQUEST REPORT

Change Request Tracking Number: 2022-SOC-8090

Title of Change Request: New Criminology Courses--Department of Interdisciplinary Studies

Status of Change Request: In Workflow

Change Request can be split

CHANGE REQUEST CONTENTS

#	Type	Title
1.	New Course	Investigative Interviewing
2.	New Course	Program Evaluation in Criminal Justice

CHANGE REQUEST HISTORY

Workflow Stage	Action Type	Action Taken By	Change Made	Action Rationale	Date
Initiator	Approved	Michael Stevenson	No	Submitted to workflow	09/30/2022, 02:34 PM
Submission Review (Academic & Curriculum Development Coordinator)	Approved	Submission Review	Yes	Okay to move forward in the workflow	10/03/2022, 09:28 AM

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AUDIT TRAIL

None.

CHANGE REQUEST COMMENTS

Date	User	Change Request Comment
09/30/2022, 02:33 PM	Michael Stevenson	Adding two new courses to the Academic Calendar that have been taught as special topics classes by a recent tenure-track hire.

1.	New Course	Investigative Interviewing
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COURSE DETAILS

NEW COURSE FORM – The following is information that will be displayed in the University Calendar

What is the new Course Code? (provided by Academic & Curriculum Development Coordinator): Criminology 4012

Title of New Course: Investigative Interviewing

Course Description: A critical examination of interviews and interrogations from a scientific, psychological perspective. Topics may include interviewing techniques, false confessions, detecting deception in adults and children, and implications of research findings for justice system practices and policies. The lectures, assignments, and hands-on activities are designed to allow students to apply and learn evidence-based interview techniques.

Credit Weight of this Course: 0.5

Offering (Hours of instruction): 3-0; or 3-0

List any prerequisites for this course here: Three FCEs in Criminology, or permission of the Chair of the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies.

List any special notes or restrictions for this course here: Students who have taken the Criminology 4090 special topics course with the title "Investigative Interviewing" may not take Criminology 4012 for credit.

What is the Grade Scheme?:

Is this a Special Topics course?:

Is this course cross listed with another? If so, enter the other course code here:

Course Classification(s):

- Type B: Social Sciences
- Type D: Health and Behavioral Sciences

The following is information for Committee Review

Faculty or Institution Unit: • Lakehead University

Calendar Start Term. When this change should be displayed in the Calendar: 2023-24

Information for Timetable:
When will this be first offered?: 2023 Fall

Calendar End Term. When is the last calendar year this should be displayed?: No Specified End Date

Academic Level: Undergraduate

Is this a required course, or an elective?: Elective

What is the pedagogical rationale for this request? Why are you submitting this request?: A new tenure-track hire offered this course as a Special Topics class, and the new course proposal is seeking to formally place the course in the Academic Calendar.

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REQUIRED FIELD – Course Experiential Learning Types: • Applied Research

The following is information for Senate Budget Committee Consideration

NOTE: Complete each section and provide full explanations for both "yes" and "no" answers. This will not be displayed in the calendar but will be used by the Senate Budget Committee when considering approval of this proposal. The creator of this proposal may be asked to attend a committee meeting to discuss this proposal. Contact the Chair of the Senate Budget Committee if you wish to discuss any of the questions below.

Will this request impact student enrolment in another program within the same faculty/unit?: No

Will this request impact student enrolment in another program in a different faculty/unit?: No

Will additional resources be required (space, staff, equipment, etc)?: No

How will this impact existing teaching loads within this faculty/unit?: No impact--course will be part of full-time member's load when offered

What is the impact on the demand for teaching support services (library, computers, staff, etc)? : No impact

Will this course require outside support? If yes, please outline the amount and timing of the funding: No

2.	New Course	Program Evaluation in Criminal Justice
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COURSE DETAILS

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What is the new Course Code? (provided by Academic & Curriculum Development Coordinator): Criminology 4013

Title of New Course: Program Evaluation in Criminal Justice

Course Description: An examination key concepts, methods, and approaches in the field of program evaluation research with a specific focus on the criminal justice issues. Students will be exposed to a variety of current evaluation practices that are used to evaluate the programs on crime reduction, crime prevention, criminal justice system, and the relevant areas. The range of learning activities involve designing, implementing, and assessing the utility of criminal justice programs.

Credit Weight of this Course: 0.5

Offering (Hours of instruction): 3-0; or 3-0

List any prerequisites for this course here: Three FCEs in Criminology, or permission of the Chair of the Department of Interdisciplinary Studies.

List any special notes or restrictions for this course here: Students who have taken the Criminology 4090 special topics course with the title "Program Evaluation in Criminal Justice" may not take Criminology 4013 for credit.

What is the Grade Scheme?:

Is this a Special Topics course?:

Is this course cross listed with another? If so, enter the other course code here:

Course Classification(s):

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**REQUIRED FIELD – Course
Experiential Learning
Types:**

- Simulated Workplace

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No impact

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No