

HOSTOS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

MAJORS

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Hostos Community College offers an Associate in Arts (A.A) degree in Criminal Justice as a jointly registered, dual admission program with the existing Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice (B.A.) at John Jay College of Criminal Justice. The program will provide HCC students with the first two years of the program required at John Jay. Upon successful completion of the lower division at HCC, students will have a seamless transition to the upper division of the baccalaureate program at John Jay. The dual/ joint program will offer increased educational opportunities for Hostos students.

Students entering the program will be granted dual admission to HCC and John Jay. John Jay guarantees admission and 60 credits in transfer to HCC students who complete the A.A. degree in Criminal Justice.

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Program of Study Leading to the A.A Degree in Criminal Justice

General Education Requirements	Credits
ENG 110 Expository Writing	3.0
ENG 111 Literature and Composition	3.0
ENG 200, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 223, 225, 226 English Literature	6.0
MAT 120 Intro to Probability & Statistics	3.0
HIS 4660 World History to 1500 OR	
HIS 4661 Modern World History	3.0
POL 4701 American Government	3.0
VPA 192 Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3.0
Subtotal24
Distribution Requirements	Credits
A. Cultural Studies	
Foreign Languages† 6-8	
Ethnic Studies - Select ONE of the following courses:	
LAC 101 The Latino Experience in the United States	3.0
BLS 114 The African-American Experience	3.0
SOC 140 Race & Ethnicity**	3.0
Fine Arts - Select ONE of the following courses:	
VPA 111 Arts and Civilization I	3.0
VPA 112 Arts and Civilization II	3.0
VPA 113 Introduction to Art	3.0
VPA 114 Modern Art in the City	3.0
VPA 141 Music Appreciation	3.0
VPA 153 Music Theory	3.0
B. Social Sciences	
SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology**	3.0
C. Natural Sciences	
Select ONE of the following courses:	
BIO 110 Concepts in Biology	4.0
CHE 110 Introduction to Chemistry	4.0

ENV 110 Environmental Science I	4.0
Total	43-45

Major Requirements	Credits
CJ 101 Intro to Criminal Justice	**3.0
CJ 150 Role of Police in the Community	**3.0
CJ 202 Corrections and Sentencing	*3.0
LAW 150 Criminal Law	*3.0
SOC 150 Criminology	*3.0
Subtotal	15.0
Free Electives	0-2
Total Degree Credits	60.0

- * New Course
- ** Routine Changes
- † French, Italian or Spanish

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Third Year - Fall	Credits
LAW 203 Constitutional Law	3.0
LAW 206 The American Judiciary	3.0
PHIL 231 Knowledge, Being & Doing	3.0
Liberal Arts electives	6.0
Subtotal	15.0
Third Year - Spring	Credits
Skills course: Statistics 250 OR	
Social Science Research 325	3.0
Concentration of choice: First choice*	3.0
Liberal Arts Electives	*9.0
Subtotal	15.0
Fourth Year - Fall	Credits
Concentration of choice: Second course	**3.0
A "Part Five" - Humanistics Perspectives course	3.0
Liberal Arts Electives	9.0
Subtotal	15.0
Fourth Year - Spring	Credits
Concentration of choice: Third course	3.0
Liberal Arts Electives	12.0
Subtotal	15.0
Total John Jay Credits	60.0
Total Degree Credits	120.0

* Students select one concentration and complete three courses in it. They are required to take a 300 - level course in any concentration as part of the major. While this course can

be one outside their chosen concentration, students should be aware that the choice of a 300-level course outside their concentration implies the need to take a fourth course in the major (to satisfy the requirement that three courses be taken in the concentration.)

** One of the three courses students must select in their chosen concentration must be a 400-level course. It is recommended that they do this in the fall or spring semester of their senior year.