

Delivery of undergraduate programs via distance education technology

B. 2. Introduction: The availability of criminology classes through an on-line delivery system has exceeded 50%. The availability of criminology classes on-line has not changed the criminology undergraduate program with the exception of offering a wider range of courses to criminology students over the summer and winter sessions, which would not have been available otherwise. Currently, the department has no long range goals to offer the criminology major completely on-line. With few exceptions, the on-line courses are offered only during the summer and winter sessions to IUP criminology majors and minors, to pre-law students, or to students outside the department as a social science (CRIM 101 only). The only on-line criminology class offerings at the undergraduate level during Fall and Spring semesters are CRIM 101 as a social science, which has been restricted to non-criminology majors only and CRIM 344 restricted to CRIM majors and CRIM minors.

B.3. Method of Delivery: The current method of delivery is via Moodle or D2L.

(a) Faculty: Faculty who developed the on-line course will be assigned to deliver the course; thus, the course as well as the faculty member's credentials for teaching on-line will have been reviewed and approved by the University Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (UWUCC). Additionally, since the Criminology Department has an on-line Master's Degree Program, the majority of the faculties' on-line delivery qualifications will have been approved by the University Graduate Curriculum Committee (UGCC). Finally, the Department's Chair will monitor faculty course requests to ensure the faculty member desiring to offer the course has received prior approval through one of these two bodies (UWUCC/UGCC) prior to authorizing the course. Since the courses primarily are offered only during the summer and winter sessions, sufficient faculty are available to volunteer to deliver the material (CBA, Article 42, C1, p. 114). Evaluation of courses is in compliance with CBA Article 42, E1 & E2(p. 115) should the course be offered on-line during the fall or spring sessions, and in compliance with CBA Article 42, E2 (p. 115) should the course be offered in the summer or winter sessions.

(b) Course Schedule: See attached matrix. Although a two year course delivery plan is attached for the Fall and Spring semesters, only select sections of CRIM 101, along with CRIM 344 are offered on-line. Summer and Winter on-line offerings are voluntary, but it is anticipated that the following will be offered based on previous semesters:

Class	Summer	Winter
CRIM 101 Crime and Justice Systems	2 sections	1 section
CRIM 225 Survey of Corrections	2 sections	1 section
CRIM 235 Survey of Juvenile Justice and Juvenile Law	1 section	1 section
CRIM 384 Violence and Victimology	1 section	1 section
CRIM 401 Contemporary Issues in Criminology	1 section	1 section
CRIM 403 Dilemmas in Criminology and Criminal Justice	1 section	1 section

All undergraduate courses with the exception of CRIM 344 and select sections of CRIM 101 are offered in the classroom during the Fall and Spring semesters (see attached 2 year plan). On-line classes primarily are offered only during the Summer and Winter sessions on a voluntary basis and as approved by the Department Chair and College Dean. Courses in **bold** currently are approved for on-line delivery, but also are offered in the Fall and Spring in the classroom, except CRIM 344. CRIM 403 and possibly CRIM 235 are being developed for on-line Summer/Winter delivery, but both will continue to be offered in the classroom also.

Major: 42

Required Courses:

CRIM 101 Crime and Justice Systems 3cr
 CRIM 102 Survey of Criminology 3cr
 CRIM 306 Criminological Research Methods 3cr
CRIM 400 Theoretical Criminology 3cr
CRIM 401 Contemporary Issues in Criminology 3cr
 CRIM 403 Dilemmas in Criminology and Criminal Justice 3cr

Controlled Electives:

Two CRIM electives 6cr (1)

Select two courses from each group:

Group A: The Criminal Justice System 6cr

CRIM 205 Policing and the Community
 CRIM 215 Survey of Courts and the Criminal Justice System
CRIM 225 Survey of Corrections
 CRIM 235 Survey of Juvenile Justice and Juvenile Law
 CRIM 255 Law, Social Control, and Society

Group B: Critical Issues in Criminology 6cr

CRIM 344 Terrorism
 CRIM 354 White Collar Crime
 CRIM 374 Environmental Crime and Justice
CRIM 384 Violence and Victimology
 CRIM 394 Crime and Delinquency Prevention

Group C: Diversity Issues in Criminology 6cr

CRIM 410 Race, Ethnicity, Social Structure, and Crime
 CRIM 450 Women and Crime
 CRIM 470 Comparative Study of Justice

CRIM Elective **CRIM 210 (Not offered online since 2003)**
 (still offered in classroom)

	Average Enrollment		
	Fall/Spring	Summer	Winter
CRIM 101 Crime and Justice Systems 3cr	48	35	20
CRIM 102 Survey of Criminology 3cr			
CRIM 306 Criminological Research Methods 3cr			
CRIM 400 Theoretical Criminology 3cr		20	
CRIM 401 Contemporary Issues in Criminology 3cr		30	
CRIM 403 Dilemmas in Criminology and Criminal Justice 3cr			
<i>Group A: The Criminal Justice System 6cr</i>			
CRIM 205 Policing and the Community			
CRIM 215 Survey of Courts and the Criminal Justice System			
CRIM 225 Survey of Corrections		23	16
CRIM 235 Survey of Juvenile Justice and Juvenile Law			
CRIM 255 Law, Social Control, and Society			
<i>Group B: Critical Issues in Criminology 6cr</i>			
CRIM 344 Terrorism	25	25	
CRIM 354 White Collar Crime			
CRIM 374 Environmental Crime and Justice			
CRIM 384 Violence and Victimology		25	6
CRIM 394 Crime and Delinquency Prevention			
<i>Group C: Diversity Issues in Criminology 6cr</i>			
CRIM 410 Race, Ethnicity, Social Structure, and Crime			
CRIM 450 Women and Crime			
CRIM 470 Comparative Study of Justice			
CRIM Elective CRIM 210 (Not offered online since 2003) (still offered in classroom)		18	

FALL 2009: 55 sections total

Sections

4 CRIM 101 180 seats available = 4 seats over
 3 sections 55 seats (165 seats) = 2 seats open
 1 CRIM 210 35 seats available = 0 seats open
 2 CRIM 225 70 seats available = 0 seats open
 2 CRIM 255 70 seats available = 5 seats open
 2 CRIM 321 60 seats available = 0 seats open
 2 CRIM 354 60 seats available = 5 seats open
 2 CRIM 394 60 seats available = 2 seats over
 4 CRIM 401 125 seats available = 1 seat open
 3 CRIM 410 75 seats available = 5 seats over
 2 CRIM 470 25 seats available = 1 seat over
 Electives: 1 CRIM 210 35 seats = 0 seats open
28 sections

Fall 2010: 55 sections total

Sections

4 CRIM 101 180 seats available = 12 seats over
 (1 section 54, **two sections 125** = 0 seats open
 2 CRIM 205 70 seats available = 2 seats over
 2 CRIM 225 70 seats available = 0 seats open
 2 CRIM 255 70 seats available = 1 seat over
 2 CRIM 321 60 seats available = 0 seats open
 3 CRIM 354 90 seats available = 0 seats open
 3 CRIM 394 90 seats available = 5 seats over
 4 CRIM 401 100 seats available = 3 seats over
 3 CRIM 410 75 seats available = 7 seats over
 1 CRIM 470 25 seats available = 2 seats over
 0 Electives CRIM 210 0 seats = 0 seats open
29 sections

Fall 2009	Available	Filled
CRIM 101	345 seats	347 seats
GRP A (200 series)	350 seats	295 seats
GRP B (300 series)	205 seats	198 seats
GRP C (400 series)	175 seats	182 seats
306, 400, 401, 403	425 seats	385 seats

Sections

3 CRIM 102 135 seats available = 22 seats open
 1 CRIM 205 35 seats available = 5 seats open
 2 CRIM 215 70 seats available = 0 seats open
 3 CRIM 235 105 seats available = 45 seats open
 3 CRIM 306 75 seats available = 10 seats open
1 CRIM 344 25 seats available = 0 seats open
 2 CRIM 384 60 seats available = 0 seats open
 4 CRIM 400 125 seats available = 32 seats open
 4 CRIM 403 100 seats available = 3 seats over
 3 CRIM 450 75 seats available = 1 seat over

 1 CRIM 391 30 seats available = 0 seats open
27 sections

Sections

2 CRIM 102 90 seats available = 2 seats over

 3 CRIM 215 105 seats available = 0 seats open
 3 CRIM 235 105 seats available = 0 seats open
 3 CRIM 306 75 seats available = 2 seats over
2 CRIM 344 60 seats available = 0 seats open
 3 CRIM 384 90 seats available = 1 seat over
 3 CRIM 400 75 seats available = 2 seats over
 4 CRIM 403 100 seats available = 8 seats over
 3 CRIM 450 75 seats available = 5 seats over

 0 CRIM 391 00 seats available = 0 seats open
26 sections

Fall 2010	Available	Filled
CRIM 102	484 seats	496 seats
CRIM 215	420 seats	423 seats
CRIM 235	330 seats	336 seats
CRIM 306	175 seats	189 seats
CRIM 344	350 seats	365 seats

CRIM 101 and CRIM 344 (bold) are on-line, the remainder are classroom.

SPRING 2010 (200950): 55 sections total

Sections

4 CRIM 101 215 seats available = 0 seats open
(3 sections 55, plus one online section of 50)
2 CRIM 205 70 seats available = 4 seats open
2 CRIM 225 70 seats available = 0 seats open
2 CRIM 255 70 seats available = 10 seats open
2 CRIM 323 60 seats available = 1 seat open
2 CRIM 354 60 seats available = 14 seats open
3 CRIM 394 90 seats available = 2 seats over
4 CRIM 401 100 seats available = 0 seats open
3 CRIM 410 75 seats available = 3 seats over
2 CRIM 470 50 seats available = 3 seats over
2 Electives CRIM 210 70 seats = 0 seats open
28 sections

SPRING 2011 (201050): 55 sections total

Sections

4 CRIM 101 200 seats available = minus 15 seats
(2 section 45, 2 section 55 online)
2 CRIM 205 70 seats available = same
2 CRIM 225 70 seats available = same
2 CRIM 255 70 seats available = same
2 CRIM 323 60 seats available = same
2 CRIM 354 60 seats available = same
3 CRIM 394 90 seats available = same
4 CRIM 401 100 seats available = same
3 CRIM 410 75 seats available = same
2 CRIM 470 50 seats available = same
0 Electives CRIM 210 0 seats = 0 seats open
26 sections

Sections

5 CRIM 102 235 seats available = 0 seats open
(4 sections of 45 and one section of 55)
2 CRIM 215 70 seats available = 1 seat open
2 CRIM 235 70 seats available = 1 seat open
3 CRIM 306 90 seats available = 20 seats open
1 CRIM 344 30 seats available = 0 seats open
2 CRIM 384 60 seats available = 0 seats open
4 CRIM 400 100 seats available = 12 seats open
4 CRIM 403 100 seats available = 12 seats over
3 CRIM 450 75 seats available = 6 seats over

1 CRIM 391 30 seats available = 0 seats open
27 sections

Sections

6 CRIM 102 277 seats available = plus 42 seats
(6 sections of 45)
2 CRIM 215 70 seats available = same
2 CRIM 235 70 seats available = same
3 CRIM 306 90 seats available = same

3 CRIM 384 90 seats available = same
4 CRIM 400 100 seats available = same
5 CRIM 403 100 seats available = plus 25
4 CRIM 450 100 seats available = plus 25

0 CRIM 391 00 seats available = 0 seats open
29 sections

CRIM 101 online restricted to social science.

CRIM 344 not offered in Spring 2011 (201050).

CRIM Numbers for Fall 2010				
Term	COUNT	Program	Class	
201040	290	CRIM-HH	Freshman	
201040	37	CRIM-HH-PLAW	Freshman	
201040	1	CRIM-PLAW	Freshman	328
201040	192	CRIM-HH	Sophomore	
201040	27	CRIM-HH-PLAW	Sophomore	219
201040	1	CRIM	Junior	
201040	193	CRIM-HH	Junior	
201040	40	CRIM-HH-PLAW	Junior	234
201040	122	CRIM-HH	Senior	
201040	28	CRIM-HH-PLAW	Senior	150
	931			931

Pre-Law Numbers for Fall 2010				
Term	Count	Program	Class	
201040	1	CRIM-PLAW	Freshman	
201040	3	ECON-PLAW	Freshman	
201040	4	ENGL-PLAW	Freshman	
201040	11	HIST-PLAW	Freshman	
201040	7	PHIL-PLAW	Freshman	
201040	25	PLSC-PLAW	Freshman	51
201040	2	ECON-PLAW	Sophomore	
201040	8	ENGL-PLAW	Sophomore	
201040	6	HIST-PLAW	Sophomore	
201040	3	PHIL-PLAW	Sophomore	
201040	12	PLSC-PLAW	Sophomore	31
201040	3	ECON-PLAW	Junior	
201040	6	ENGL-PLAW	Junior	
201040	6	HIST-PLAW	Junior	
201040	2	PHIL-PLAW	Junior	
201040	13	PLSC-PLAW	Junior	30
201040	1	ECON-PLAW	Senior	
201040	3	ENGL-PLAW	Senior	
201040	3	HIST-PLAW	Senior	
201040	2	PHIL-PLAW	Senior	
201040	13	PLSC-PLAW	Senior	22
		Pre-Law minus Criminology		134

Pre Law Non-CRIM: Students can take 210, 215, or 255. (134 seats/6 semesters - 22 seats a semester on average). Similar to the other charts, Pre-Law enrollment numbers also have been steadily increasing.

CRIM Minors: 101 and 102 in sophomore year, GRP B, GRP C, 401 and 403 over junior/senior years. Average is 10 seats per each of these six classes per semester.

Pre-Law/Minor seats per semester average: GRP A 22, GRP B - 10, GRP C -10, CRIM 401 - 10, CRIM 403 - 10 (62 seats total).

(c) Advising of Students: Although criminology students can complete a substantial portion of their major on-line; as noted above, only two on-line criminology courses are offered during the Fall and Spring, and CRIM 101 on-line is restricted to CRIM non-majors as a social science. The criminology students, who elect to take on-line classes over the summer and winter are integrated into all fall and spring on-campus activities to include advising. Additionally, students with advising questions over the summer or winter can contact the CRIM advising center (crimadvising-center@iup.edu) with any scheduling or advising questions. This email address is checked almost daily to assist students with advising and career issues. Issues involving professionalism can be addressed by the faculty either through individual on-line contact if it is related to an on-line discussion, or if more severe, in person when the student is on-campus during fall or spring classes.

(d) Outcomes Assessments: On-line courses are addressed in our outcome assessment plan in a similar manner as traditional classroom classes. The learning outcomes do not change just because the class is delivered on-line; students taking classes on-line are held to the same academic standards as those in the classroom. Learning outcomes for on-line courses are assessed in the same manner as traditional classes through writing assignments, examinations, quizzes, small and large group discussion, etc. Feedback provided by the students throughout the course is used to enhance future on-line sections. Additionally, small group teaching circles have been established in the department to develop and discuss the best practices in on-line delivery techniques as the majority of our faculty are delivering classes for the on-line Master's program. The continual sharing of on-line practices and students' comments enhances individual course delivery, the overall program, and graduation rates.

(e) Statement of Compliance: The department is in compliance with the current CBA and the University-wide Undergraduate Curriculum Handbook.

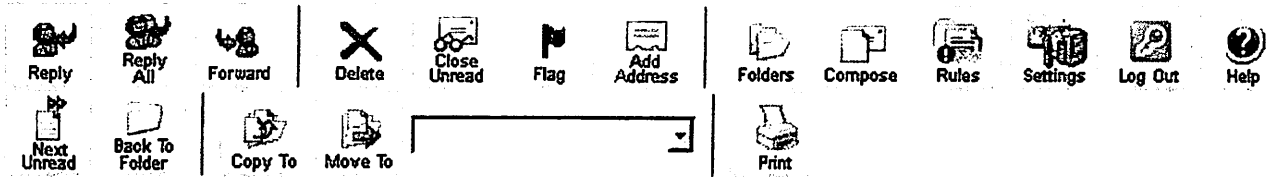
4. Impact of Program

(a) Demand: The Criminology department is **not** using undergraduate on-line delivery to reach regional, national, or international markets. The degree program is not designed to be obtained on-line. As the matrix indicates, the use of on-line courses is restricted primarily to summer and winter, available only to IUP CRIM majors, IUP CRIM minors, and IUP pre-law students who traditionally take classes on campus.

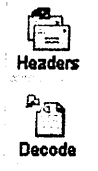
(b) Impact on existing major: The addition of summer and winter on-line courses positively impacts criminology students and the department. With the current compliment of faculty, a sufficient number of undergraduate classes cannot be offered over the fall and spring semesters to accommodate the 900+ criminology undergraduate majors, 60+ criminology minors, the social science requirement for CRIM 101 (250 this semester), and non-crim pre-law students; while maintaining the Ph.D. program and an MA program offered from four different

venues (on campus, on-line, Monroeville, and an FBI Cohort). Since the classes are primarily offered over the summer and winter, they have no impact on department resources or the college's resources. The primary means of delivery for all courses in the criminology program will remain classroom delivery. As the material provided indicates, enrollment continues to increase and all fall and spring classes are filled to or above capacity. The on-line classes offered are a means of reducing a backlog of students who need a particular class where seating was not available during the fall or spring semesters.

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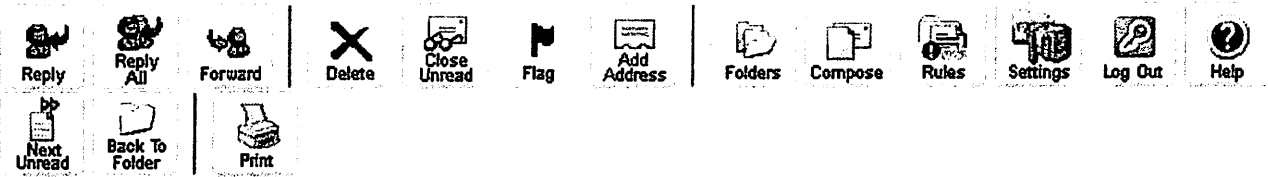
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CRIM 101 Crime and Justice
 CRIM 210 Criminal Law
 CRIM 281 Aggression and Violence
 CRIM 281 Intro to Corrections
 CRIM 281/225 Survey of Corrections
 CRIM 344 Terrorism (same as CRIM
 CRIM 384 Violence & Victimology
 CRIM 400 Theoretical Criminology
 CRIM 401 Contemporary Issues in Criminology
 CRIM 481 Terrorism

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