



DEGREE

Associate of Science in Criminal Justice with Forensic Computer Examiner Concentration

Total Credit Hours: 70-71

About Associate of Science in Criminal Justice with Forensic Computer Examiner Concentration

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1. Administration of Criminal Justice
2. Law Enforcement Administration
3. Forensic Lab Technician
4. Forensic Computer Examiner

Some courses in this program must be sequenced because of prerequisite requirements. Other courses, including mathematics and English, require placement testing before enrollment is granted (see a Criminal Justice advisor before enrolling in this program or choosing electives).

[REQUIREMENTS FOR DEGREE](#)

Forensic Computer Examiner Track

General Education Requirements

Course	Course Name	Credits
English (Choose 1)		
EN110	Freshman Composition	3

MA110A	Finite Mathematics	3
SI110 or SI103	Natural & Physical Sciences Requirement	4
PS140	American Government	3
CS151	Windows Applications	3
HU120	Pacific Cultures	3
SI140	Applied Physics	4
Major Requirements		
Course	Course Name	Credits
SO130	Introduction to Sociology	3
PY125	Interpersonal Relations	3
CJ100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CJ122	Introduction to Forensic Science	4
CJ150	Criminal Procedure	3
CJ200	Criminal Law	3
CJ205	Report Writing for Law Enforcement	3
CJ206	Social Values & the Criminal Justice Process	3
CJ225	Criminal Investigation	3
CJ292	Criminal Justice Practicum	3
EE211	IT Essentials I	4
CS101	Introduction to Computer Systems & Information Technology	3
Approved Related Technical Electives		
Course	Course Name	Credits
CS____	Computer Science Course 1	3
CS____	Computer Science Course 2	3
CS____	Computer Science Course 3	3
Program Total		70

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GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREE

Recognizing the necessity for students to succeed in the complex and rapidly changing workplace, Guam Community College offers a general education curriculum that introduces students to major areas of knowledge and methods of inquiry. All degree programs require an interdisciplinary general education component that promotes the development of intellectual skills that enable students to become effective learners and informed citizens. Critical thinking, the use of language and computation, appropriate social skills, global awareness and respect for diverse opinions are among the learning outcomes provided in the general education requirements of each program.

Guam Community College believes that general education provides the academic foundation necessary for students to achieve their life goals. General education is intended to offer students a breadth of quality student learning experiences, encourage their respect for cultural heritage, promote their ethical and responsible social behavior and facilitate their life-long learning.

The General Education program strives to foster student learning and skill development in civic engagement, critical thinking, understanding of the relationship between the individual and society, information literacy, oral communication, quantitative reasoning, and written communication.

Guam Community College believes that high quality general education opportunities for all citizens are necessary for democratic principles and practices to exist and for a sound economy to flourish. The College continually scrutinizes the general education curriculum in order to assure that all degrees and certificates granted by the College support this vision of general education and that it serves as a means to inspire hope, opportunity and responsibility in all its constituencies.

Requirements for General Education follow the options described below. Students declared prior to fall 2010 will follow the requirements indicated in the applicable catalog in which they first declared their major program at the College.

Notes on General Education requirements

Students are advised to check the requirements for their specific programs before taking General Education courses.

Courses chosen to meet the general education requirements may not be used to meet the Major Requirements of a student's specific degree program.

The list contains courses with pre-requisites, so students should make their choices carefully and thoughtfully. Students may consult a counselor or an academic advisor for guidance in choosing any of the course options listed.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Some programs require different levels of coursework to meet General Education requirements, please review the individual programs for more information.

GENERAL EDUCATION**Scope 1: Skills for and Application of Lifelong Learning****Freshman Composition (Choose one course from the following to meet the required 3-4 credits)**

Course #	Course Name	Credits
EN 110	Freshman Composition	3
EN110A	Freshman Composition with Instructional Lab	4
EN 111	Writing for Research	3

Mathematics (Choose one course from the following to meet the required 3-4 credits)*

Course #	Course Name	Credits
MA 110A	Finite Mathematics	3
MA 115	Fundamentals of College Algebra	3
MA 161A	College Algebra & Trigonometry I	3

*Any college level math will be considered for the completion of this category

Literacy for Life Skills (Choose one course from the following to meet the required 3 credits)

Course #	Course Name	Credits
CO 110	Critical Thinking for Civic Engagement	3
CS 151	Windows Applications	
CS 152	Macintosh Applications	

Scope 2: Broad Comprehension of the Development of Knowledge, Practice and Interpretation**Humanities & Fine Arts (Choose one course from the following to meet the required 3-4 credits)***

Course #	Course Name	Credits
ASL 100	American Sign Language I	4
CH 110	Chamorro I	4
ED 265	Culture & Education in Guam	3
CO 125	Introduction to Human Communication and Speech	3
EN 210	Introduction to Literature	3
HI 121	World Civilization (Pre-historic Time to 1500)	3
HI 122	World Civilization (1500 to Present Time)	3
HI 176	Guam History	3
HM 110	Introduction to Community Services	3
HM 201	Social Welfare & Development: Global Challenges	3
HU 120	Pacific Cultures	3
HU 220	Guam Cultures & Legends	3
JA 110	Japanese I	4

KE 110	Korean I	4
PI 101	Introduction to Philosophy	3
TH 101	Introduction to the Theater	3
VC 101	Introduction to Visual Communications	3

*Any foreign language, humanities, or fine arts course will be considered for the completion of this category

Natural & Physical Sciences (Choose one course and the corresponding lab from the following to meet the required 4 credits)**

Course #	Course Name	Credits
SI 101/101L	Introduction to Chemistry: Theory (3) & Introduction to Chemistry Laboratory (1)	4
SI 103/103L	Introduction to Marine Biology: Theory (3) & Introduction to Marine Biology Laboratory (1)	
SI 105/105L	Introduction to Physical Geology (3) & Introduction to Physical Geology Laboratory (1)	
SI 110/110L	Environmental Biology: Theory (3) & Environmental Biology Laboratory (1)	
SI 141	Applied Physics I	
SI 150/150L	Introduction to Microbiology: Theory (3) & Introduction to Microbiology Laboratory (1)	
SI131/131L	Human Anatomy & Physiology I: Theory (3) & Human Anatomy & Physiology I Laboratory (1)	
SI132/132L	Human Anatomy & Physiology II: Theory (3) & Human Anatomy & Physiology II Laboratory (1)	

**The exception to this would be SI141 which does not include a laboratory requirement

Scope 3: Preparation for and Acceptance of Responsible Participation in Civil Society

Social & Behavioral Sciences (Choose one course from the following to meet the required 3 credits)

Course #	Course Name	Credits
EC 110	Principles of Economics	3
PS140	American Government	3
PY 100	Personal Adjustment	3
PY 120	General Psychology	3
PY 125	Interpersonal Relations	3
SO 130	Introduction to Sociology	3
CJ 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
WG 101	Introduction to Women and Gender Studies	3

*Any social and behavioral science course will be considered for the completion of this category

Minimum General Education Requirements 19

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SUGGESTED SEQUENCE OF COURSES

This suggested sequence of courses is based on the 2023-2024 College Catalog.

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Year 1

Semester 1

Course	Course Name	Credits
CJ100	Introduction to	3

Semester 2

Course	Course Name	Credits
CJ122	Introduction to	4

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Criminal Justice			Forensic Science		
CJ205	Report Writing for Law	3	CJ150	Criminal Procedure	3
CS101	Introduction to Computer Systems & Information Technology	3	CJ200	Criminal Law	3
HU120	Pacific Cultures	3	MA110A	Finite Mathematics	3
EN110	Freshman Composition	3	PY125	Interpersonal Relations	3
Total Year 2		15	Total		16
Semester 3			Semester 4		
Course	Course Name	Credits	Course	Course Name	Credits
SI140	Applied Physics	4	CS151	Windows Applications	3
CJ225	Criminal Investigation	3		Any CS Course	3
			SI103/L OR SI110/L	Any CS Course OR Intro. to Marine Biology: Theory / Laboratory OR Environmental Biology: Theory / Laboratory	3 OR 4
			SO130	Introduction to Sociology	3
Total Semester 3		7	Total		16
Semester 5					
Course	Course Name	Credits			
CJ206	Social Values & the Criminal Justice Process	3			
CJ292	Criminal Justice Practicum	3			
EE211	Any CS Course	3			
PS140	IT Essentials	4			
	American Government	3			
Total		16			
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[Student Learning Outcomes](#)

Upon successful completion of the AS in Criminal Justice program, students will be able to:

1. Identify the legal procedures for gathering information about crimes, criminal procedure, and defendants' rights.
2. Describe the process of the criminal justice system including the duties and responsibilities of the criminal justice professional as it

pertains to one of the chosen concentration areas: Administration of Criminal Justice, Law Enforcement Administration, Forensic Lab Technician, or Forensic Computer Examiner.

3. Demonstrate the ability to understand the interrelations, ethics, and role expectations of the criminal justice professional in society.

Check out some of these amazing Associate of Science in Criminal Justice with Forensic Computer Examiner Concentration courses...

CJ225 Criminal Investigations

This course provides students with the knowledge and technical skills necessary to successfully investigate crime scenes, identify suspects, and successfully present evidence in court. Skills learned and practiced include processing crime scenes, preserving and evaluating evidence collected, interviewing witnesses and suspects, case preparation, and presenting evidence in court.

[+ More Info](#) [1]

CJ200 Criminal Law

This course is designed to introduce students to the history, philosophy, and application of U.S. Federal and Guam criminal laws. It provides students with an understanding of crime classifications, matters affecting criminal responsibility, criminal statutes including those of Guam, and the role of criminal law in contemporary society.

[+ More Info](#) [2]

CS205 Network Communications

Networking has become the foundation of the modern world. The interconnection of computers, individuals, and society as a whole has become interdependent. The students will obtain the basic knowledge on Local Area Networks (LANs), Wide Area Networks (WANs), the Internet and the Cloud. They will be able to design a simple network such as a local area network. They will also learn how to keep up with the changing hardware and software and how to maintain networks and expand them as needed.

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[Associate of Science in Criminal Justice with Forensic Lab Technician Concentration](#) [4]

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[Associate of Science in Criminal Justice with Administration Concentration](#) [6]

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