School of Arts & Science Criminal Justice

Crim 252 (01) Correctional Services Winter 2005

COURSE OUTLINE

The Approved Course Description is available on the web @_____

 $\Omega\,$ Please note: This outline will not be kept indefinitely. It is recommended students keep this outline for your records.

1. Instructor Information

(a) Instructor Dr. Bruce Monkhouse

(b) Office hours **Thursday 2:00 – 3:00 and by appointment**

- (c) Location Young 210 _____
- (d) Phone 370 3334 _____ Alternative 389 8216_____
- (e) E-mail bwmonk@shaw.ca_____
- (f) Website _____

2. Intended Learning Outcomes

(If any changes are made to this part, then the Approved Course Description must also be changed and sent through the approval process.)

The primary objective of the course is to engage students in a critical examination of the services that exist at the federal, provincial and community and private levels with respect to the criminal justice system. This includes a review of the range of services that combine to provide for the care and control of persons sentenced from the Courts in Canada. The role of prisons, parole, probation and community-based instructions will be analyzed.

The student will develop the ability to:

- 1. Identify, describe and demonstrate an understanding of the various agencies that comprise corrections.
- 2. Identify and describe the various legislative mandates of the Correctional Services provided in Canada
- 3. Identify, describe and discuss the major strategies utilized in Canadian corrections
- 4. Analyze and discuss various critical issues challenging the correctional system
- 5. Understand the problems associated with fulfilling the correctional mandate

3. Required Materials

(a) Texts

Griffiths, C. (2004) Canadian Corrections. (Second Edition) Scarborough, Ontario: Nelson Canada

Anderson, E. (1993) Hard Place to do Time. New Westminister, B.C.: Willpointe Publishing.

Writing Reference Manual for the Criminal Justice Program

(b) Other

4. Course Content and Schedule

(Can include: Class hours, Lab hours, Out of Class Requirements and/or Dates for quizzes, exams, lecture, labs, seminars, practicums, etc.)

Class hours - 12:30 – 1:50 Tuesday and Thursday

Basis of Student Assessment (Weighting)

(Should be linked directly to learning outcomes.)

- (a) Assignments
- Outline, Bibliography of Research Paper 10%
- Research Paper 20%
- Fact Hunt Hard place to do time 10%

(b)	Exams		
	First examination	February 8, 2005	20%
	Second Examination	March 3, 2005	20%
	Third Examination	Final Exam week	20%

(c) Other (e.g. Project, Attendance, Group Work)

6. Grading System

(If any changes are made to this part, then the Approved Course description must also be changed and sent through the approval process.) (Insert appropriate approved grading system – see last page of this template.)

The following percentage conversion to letter grade will be used:

A+ = 95 - 100%	B = 75 - 79%	D = 50 - 59%
A = 90 - 94%	B- = 70 - 74%	F = 0.0 - 49%
A- = 85 - 89%	C+ = 65 - 69%	
B+ = 80 - 84%	C = 60 - 64%	

7. Recommended Materials or Services to Assist Students to Succeed Throughout the Course

LEARNING SUPPORT AND SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

There are a variety of services available for students to assist them throughout their learning. This information is available in the College

ACADEMIC CONDUCT POLICY

There is an Academic Conduct Policy. It is the student's responsibility to become familiar with the content of this policy. The policy is available in each School Administration Office, Registration, and on the College web site in the Policy Section.

www.camosun.bc.ca/divisions/pres/policy/2-education/2-5.html