

School of Arts & Science CRIMINAL JUSTICE DEPARTMENT CRIM 200

Professional Practice
Quarter 1/Fall 2009 (Sep-Dec)

COURSE OUTLINE

The course description is online @ http://camosun.ca/learn/calendar/current/web/crim.html

Ω Please note: the College electronically stores this outline for five (5) years only. It is strongly recommended you keep a copy of this outline with your academic records. You will need this outline for any future application/s for transfer credit/s to other colleges/universities.

1. Instructor Information

(a)	Instructor:	Eva Wilmot		
(b)	Office Hours:	Friday 11:30-12:	20	
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(f)	Website:			

2. Intended Learning Outcomes

(No changes are to be made to these Intended Learning Outcomes as approved by the Education Council of Camosun College.)

Upon completion of this course the student will be able to:

- 1. Describe the roles and behaviour of an effective criminal justice practitioner.
- 2. Describe how the interrelationships of the various criminal justice sub-systems affect client service delivery.
- 3. Explain how to be an effective leader and advocate within a variety of criminal justice settings.
- 4. Describe models of ethical practice and apply them to ethical dilemmas.
- Identify and communicate the importance of maintaining a personal and professional balance and develop a personal plan for healthy living.

3. Required Materials

- (a) Texts: course reader available in bookstore
- (b) Other: Criminal Justice Writing Guide, other handouts from instructor

4. Course Content and Schedule

(This section can include: class hours, lab hours, out of class requirements and/or dates for quizzes, exams, lectures, labs, seminars, practicums, etc.)

Criminology 200 will provide an introduction to the roles and behavior of effective criminal justice practitioners. Emphasis will be on the examination of: self as a role model; ethical practice; effective leadership and advocacy; effective working relationships with clients and system personnel; and work/life balance.

Students must complete all evaluative requirements to receive a passing grade for this course. Late assignments will be penalized at 20% per day.

5. Basis of Student Assessment (Weighting)

(This section should be directly linked to the Intended Learning Outcomes.)

- (a) Assignments log book 15%, interview a professional 35%, end of term paper 25%
- (b) Quizzes
- (c) Exams mid-term 25%

6. Grading System

(No changes are to be made to this section unless the Approved Course Description has been forwarded through the Education Council of Camosun College for approval.)

Standard Grading System (GPA)

Percentage	Grade	Description	Grade Point Equivalency
90-100	A+		9
85-89	Α		8
80-84	A-		7
77-79	B+		6
73-76	В		5
70-72	B-		4
65-69	C+		3
60-64	С		2
50-59	D	Minimum level of achievement for which credit is granted; a course with a "D" grade cannot be used as a prerequisite.	1
0-49	F	Minimum level has not been achieved.	0

Temporary Grades

Temporary grades are assigned for specific circumstances and will convert to a final grade according to the grading scheme being used in the course. See Grading Policy E-1.5 at **camosun.ca** for information on conversion to final grades, and for additional information on student record and transcript notations.

Temporary Grade	Description	
1	Incomplete: A temporary grade assigned when the requirements of a course have not yet been completed due to hardship or extenuating circumstances, such as illness or death in the family.	
IP	In progress: A temporary grade assigned for courses that, due to design may require a further enrollment in the same course. No more than two IP grades will be assigned for the same course. (For these courses a final grade will be assigned to either the 3 rd course attempt or at the point of course completion.)	
CW	Compulsory Withdrawal: A temporary grade assigned by a Dean when an instructor, after documenting the prescriptive strategies applied and consulting with peers, deems that a student is unsafe to self or others and must be removed from the lab, practicum, worksite, or field placement.	

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 calendar, at Student Services, or the College web site at camosun.ca.

STUDENT CONDUCT POLICY

There is a Student Conduct Policy **which includes plagiarism**. It is the student's responsibility to become familiar with the content of this policy. The policy is available in each School Administration Office, at Student Services, and the College web site in the Policy Section.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS AS APPROPRIATE OR AS REQUIRED