Criminal Justice: Corrections & Parole Standard Certificate

The Criminal Justice Program is designed to accommodate the needs of officers currently employed in the various criminal justice professions as well as novice students who are planning to enter the criminal justice field. The corrections and parole curriculum option contains a core of academic and criminal justice courses essential to the well-rounded corrections and parole officer. Following successful completion of 9 SH of credit toward the standard certificate (CER) graduates of the Alabama Corrections Academy are eligible for 9 semester hours of transfer credit for CRJ 110, CRJ 150, and a 3 semester hour PED elective. (*Application to offer the Standard Certificate (CER) Corrections and Parole Option pending approval by the Alabama Department of Postsecondary Education and the Alabama Commission on Higher Education. Anticipated available date: 2012 spring semester)*

Program: Criminal Justice

Type: Standard Certificate

Area I: Written Composition

Item #	Title	Credits
ENG 101	English Composition I	3

Area II: Humanities and Fine Arts

Item #	Title	Credits
	SPH 106 or SPH 107	3

Area III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Item #	Title	Credits
CIS 146	Microcomputer Applications	3
	MTH 116 or higher	3

Area V: Additional General Education Courses, Major Courses and Electives

Item #	Title	Credits
CRJ 100	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRJ 110	Introduction to Law Enforcement	3
CRJ 140	Criminal Law and Procedure	3
CRJ 150	Introduction to Corrections	3
CRJ 156	Correctional Institutions	3
CRJ 157	Community-Based Corrections	3
CRJ 178	Narcotics/Dangerous Drugs	3
CRJ 209	Juvenile Delinquency	3
CRJ 212	Correctional Counseling Techniques	3
CRJ 256	Correctional Rehabilitation	3
CRJ 259	Issues in Corrections	3
	PED Elective	3
	Total credits:	48