Career Triads for Criminology Majors

Criminology Major—Anthropology Minor—Forensic Sciences Certificate: This triad allows our criminology majors that are also interested in policing and investigation to graduate with a broad skills package. Their criminology major prepares them for understanding the criminal justice system and social forces operating within and around it. The anthropology minor has three aspects it provides: (1) a cultural and global diversity component; (2) an awareness of archaeology or other kinds of crime scene artifacts; and (3) the physical anthropology portion, which educates students on biology, the investigation of death, forensics, and other similar aspects related to physical bodies.

Criminology Major—[Psychology Minor or the Social Work Minor]—Behavioral Health & Society Certificate: This triad provides additional training for our criminology students interested in aspects related to mental health, addiction and crime, and advocacy for individuals suffering from mental health and addiction.

Criminology Major—Environmental Studies Minor—GIS Geographic Information System Certificate: This triad is for criminology majors interested in working in a state or national park as a ranger or similar role. Criminology Major—Professional Spanish Minor—Advocacy & Lobbying Certificate: This program is designed for students interested in policing and/or as a legal aid, or similar career that involves advocating for Wisconsin's (or others') fast-growing Spanish speaking population. It also is preparation for an advanced degree in law, or similar.

Criminology Major—Legal Studies Minor—Paralegal Certificate: This program is designed for students interested in policing and/or as a legal aid, or advance degree in law.

Career Triads for Sociology Majors

Sociology Major—Human Resources Management—Corporate Social Responsibility Certificate: This triad provides our sociology majors interested in entering into Human Resources careers that includes an understanding of organizational structure's impacts on employees, as well as checks and balances on organizations' corporate social responsibilities (such as in relation to governance, employee rights, environmental impact, and so on).

Sociology Major—Nonprofit Management Minor—Applied Research Certificate: This triad provides our sociology majors interested in either nonprofit work and which provides direct experience in applied research projects. They enter the job market with knowledge of their field plus the experience on how to complete a needs assessment on the community or similar research project for the organization.

Sociology Major—Marketing Minor—Applied Research Certificate: This triad provides our sociology majors interested in working in marketing and which provides direct experience in applied research projects. They enter the job market with knowledge of their field plus the experience on how to complete a marketing research project, or similar.

Sociology Major—Environmental Studies Minor—Corporate Social Responsibility: This triad provides our sociology majors with interest in working in a career that tends to environmental issues, as well as broadening awareness of corporate operations to be consistent with social justice and environmental sustainability.

Sociology Major—Public Health Minor—Behavioral Health & Society Certificate: This triad prepares students who want to enter the administrative side of healthcare, or continue in public health policy work, including through graduate work in social work, counseling or law.

Sociology Major—Family Health & Disability Studies Minor—Disability Studies Certificate: This triad prepares students who wish to enter into jobs in the healthcare sector, do advocacy work for families, or for people with disabilities, or any combination of this.

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