



**HILLSBOROUGH COMMUNITY  
COLLEGE**



**Department of  
Criminology & Criminal  
Justice Studies**

**H  
C  
C**

**Degrees and Programs**



- Criminology
- Law Enforcement
- Pre-Law
- Corrections
- Probation
- Juvenile Justice
- Homeland Security
- And More

**H  
C  
C**

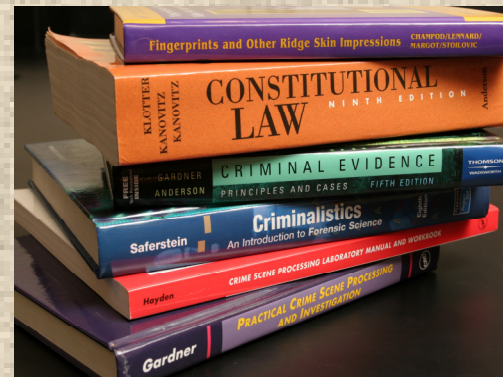
**[WWW.HCCFL.EDU/CJT](http://WWW.HCCFL.EDU/CJT)**

### **OUR MISSION**

The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice Studies offers students a broad background in history, philosophy, organization, management and operation of the criminal justice system. Upon completion, this degree opens up entry-level, non-sworn positions in local, state, and federal agencies, such as Juvenile Justice, Private Security, Private Investigation, Loss Prevention, Law Enforcement, Corrections, Probation and Parole, Detention Centers, Community-based Intervention Programs, and Crime Scene Technician. This program is also beneficial to professionals within these fields who are seeking incentive benefits or career enhancement. In addition, this program can be useful as a first step toward a career in sworn law enforcement, corrections, and probation as well as public service or law.

### **For More Information Our Web Site**

<http://hccfl.edu/cjt>



**Want to socialize with students who  
share your interests. We have an  
active Criminal Justice Student  
Association**



Ybor City Campus Public Services Technology Building  
Home to the Department of Criminology and  
Criminal Justice Studies



**WWW.HCCFL.EDU/CJT**

### **CAREER TRACKS**

Our students can choose to emphasize a degree learning track based on their educational and employment goals. The Track they select offers them guidance on what electives they should choose. Students who are not sure which Track they wish may select the No-Track Option. (General Criminal Justice).



### **CAREER TRACKS**

- Criminology
- Pre-Law
- Law Enforcement
- Crime Scene
- Corrections
- Probation
- Juvenile Justice
- Homeland Security
- Private Security
- Social Services

### **OUR DEGREES & PROGRAMS**

A.S. Criminal Justice Technology  
A.A.S. Criminal Justice Technology  
A.A. Liberal Arts (Criminal Justice Emphasis)  
College Credit Certificate in Crime Scene

#### **Our Program offers Career Specialties in:**

Homeland Security  
Private Security and Investigations  
Fingerprinting  
Crime Analysis  
Victim Advocacy

*Police and Correctional academy graduates may be eligible to receive college credits toward their academy training.*

The **A.S. in Criminal Justice Technology** will transfer into similar upper division programs in Florida Universities and Colleges allowing graduates to enter these Universities and Colleges as a junior and seek a Bachelors Degree.

**On-Line  
Degrees  
And  
Courses  
Offered**



## CRIMINOLOGY TRACK

### OUR PROGRAM

As one of the few dedicated criminology programs on the Community College level, the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice Studies offer our students the opportunity to examine crime through detailed courses on criminal behavior, criminal psychology and profiling, criminal justice research, and the analysis of criminal conduct.



**Criminal Justice and  
Law Enforcement  
Internships  
are available to our  
students**

### Our Criminology Courses:

- Introduction to Criminology
- Introduction to Criminal Justice
- Ethics in Criminal Justice
- Seminar on Criminal Justice Issues
- Introduction to Victimology
- Human Behavior in Criminal Justice
- Criminal Deviant Behavior in Society
- Introduction to Criminal Typologies
- Forensic Psychology
- Serial Killers
- Race, Gender, and Ethnicity in Criminal Justice
- Introduction to Theories of Criminal Behavior
- Introduction to Criminal Justice Research Methods
- Domestic and Sexual Violence
- Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice

### PREPARE FOR THE UNIVERSITY

Most Universities emphasize Criminological theories, concepts, and research, especially during their junior and senior years. Our Criminology courses are not only designed to prepare our students for careers in Criminology, but also to prepare our students for success in their later university level courses.

**PRE-LAW  
TRACK**



**OUR PROGRAM**

Our Pre-Law Track is designed for students who wish to pursue a career as an attorney.

Our A.S. in Criminal Justice is a great first step for those planning on going on to law school and becoming an attorney. We offer students a wide range of law classes to help prepare them to become a legal professional.

**Why not join the exciting and  
lucrative field of law**

**Our Legal Courses:**

- Constitutional Law
- Legal Rights of Prisoners
- Criminal Law
- Introduction to the Court System
- Civil Rights and Liability in Criminal Justice
- Criminal Evidence/Procedures
- Courtroom Presentation of Scientific Evidence
- Criminal Court Litigation
- Legal Research in Criminal Justice



**Criminal Justice  
Legal Careers Include**

[Prosecutor](#)  
[Defense Attorney](#)  
[FBI Agent](#)  
[Judge](#)  
[Legal Advisor](#)  
[Agency Counsel](#)

## LAW ENFORCEMENT TRACK

Do you want a Career brimming with excitement and prestige? Do you want a Career helping your community? Do you love those TV police shows and picture yourself out there?



### THEN THIS IS THE DEGREE YOU WANT!

Develop the skills and knowledge needed to join the fight against crime.

Most Law Enforcement agencies require at least an Associates Degree to be considered for hiring and this degree can be your first step.



### OUR PROGRAM

One of our Career Tracks is our Law Enforcement Track. The Law Enforcement Track is designed for students pursuing a career in police work, security, or criminal investigations. Our Program offers students a wide range of police related classes.

### Our Police Courses

- Introduction to Law Enforcement
- Introduction to Criminalistics
- Introduction to Computer Crimes
- Comparative Police and Criminal Justice Systems
- Drug Abuse and Crime
- Police Administration
- Police Community Relations
- Criminal Investigations
- Investigative Cycle from Crime Scene to Court
- Organized Crime

### CAREERS INCLUDE:

**Police Officer**  
**Deputy Sheriff**  
**Trooper**  
**Detective**  
**Criminal Investigator**



## CRIME SCENE TRACK



### WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

You will learn selected laboratory techniques and procedures such as the comparison and identification of tool markings, blood, hair, fibers, drugs, chemicals, photographs, firearms, ballistics and documents.

By the time you have completed the course, you'll know how to collect, preserve and examine blood spatter and gun shot residue as well as evidence from traffic accidents and arsons.



And you will be an expert in the detection, recovery and enhancement of fingerprints.

Advances in science and technology have led to unprecedented growth in Crime Scene investigations and Forensics, having gained national notoriety thanks to a recent spate of television shows like the CSI series.

### Our CSI Courses

- Introduction to Criminalistics
- Introduction to Crime Scene Technology
- Advanced Crime Scene Technology
- Latent Fingerprint Development
- Fingerprint Classification
- Forensic Photography
- Courtroom Presentation of Crime Scene Evidence
- Investigative Cycle from Crime Scene to Court

### CAREERS

Crime Scene investigators work for local, state and federal law enforcement agencies, state attorneys, public defenders, medical examiners, and private firms and are usually not sworn officers.

### YOUR ROLE

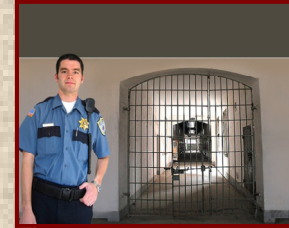
As a crime scene technician, you will play a major role in the apprehending of criminals by locating, identifying, photographing, processing, and preserving evidence at crime scenes and testifying in court as to your findings.



## CORRECTIONS AND PROBATION TRACK

### OUR PROGRAM

Our Corrections and Probation Track is designed for students pursuing a career in the county jail or state or federal prison system; or the parole, probation, or community control system.



### CAREERS INCLUDE:

**Corrections Officer**    **Probation Officer**  
**Deputy Sheriff**        **Parole Officer**  
**Detention Officer**     **Classification Officer**



### Our Corrections, Probation & Juvenile Justice Courses

- Introduction to Corrections
- Parole and Probation
- Rights of Prisoners
- Juvenile Delinquency
- Advanced Juvenile Delinquency

## JUVENILE JUSTICE

### OUR PROGRAM

Our Juvenile Justice Sub-Track is designed for students pursuing a career in the field of Juvenile Crime Prevention and Control and in the Juvenile Justice System. Students prepare for careers in Juvenile Detention, Juvenile Residential Care, Juvenile Probation, and Juvenile Diversion.

**HOMELAND  
SECURITY  
TRACK**



**OUR PROGRAM**

Our Homeland Security Track is designed to prepare students for work in various Homeland Security fields. It is specifically designed for students who are pursuing a career in counter-terrorism, counter-intelligence, national security, or governmental security.



**THE CAREER**

Homeland Security is a growing new field within Criminal Justice brought about by the growth of terrorist threats against the United States and abroad. The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice Studies now offers courses in Homeland Security. These courses can also be used toward an Associates Degree

**Our Homeland  
Security Courses**

- Introduction to Terrorism
- Introduction to Homeland Security
- Weapons of Mass Destructions
- Introduction to Private Security

## PRIVATE SECURITY AND INVESTIGATIONS TRACK

### THE CAREERS

Private Security and Private Investigations is a growing new field within Criminal Justice brought about by the growth of privatization of security.

### OUR PROGRAM

These courses are designed to prepare graduates for work in various Private Security fields. They are specifically designed for students who are pursuing a career in security, private investigations, loss prevention, as well as governmental security.

### OUR COURSES

Introduction to Private Security  
Introduction to Private Investigations



### NOTE:

*These are college courses meant to be taken by a degree seeking student or meant to be taken by a non-degree seeking student as individual courses for career development*

*These courses are not licensing courses and will not entitle the student to become licensed by the State of Florida as a Security Officer.*

## SOCIAL SERVICES TRACK

### THE CAREERS

For students pursuing a career in criminal justice related social services including victim advocacy, domestic violence, and drug abuse, and mental health commitments.

### OUR COURSES

Introduction to Victimology  
Human Behavior in Criminal Justice  
Drug Abuse and Crime  
Domestic and Sexual Violence

[WWW.HCCFL.EDU/CJT](http://WWW.HCCFL.EDU/CJT)



**SPECIALIST  
CAREERS**

**FINGERPRINT  
TECHNICIAN**

**THE CAREER**

Fingerprint Identification is a growing field within Criminal Justice brought about by the growth of technological investigative tools. We offer courses in Fingerprinting designed to prepare students for work in fingerprint classification and identification and in crime scene.

**OUR COURSES**

Latent Fingerprint Development  
Fingerprint Classification



**CRIME ANALYST**

**THE CAREER**

This is a specialty career within criminal justice agencies that work with crime statistics and crime mapping. Crime Analysts compile detailed evaluations of crime trends that are used to determine police special operations and personnel distribution. This is a growing field in police work.

**OUR COURSES**

Introduction to Crime Analysis and Intelligence  
Advanced Crime and Intelligence Analysis

**VICTIM ADVOCATE**

**THE CAREER**

This is a specialty career within criminal justice agencies that assists the victims of crimes instead of targeting the offender. Victim Advocates work with the victims of crimes assisting them during the investigative and prosecution stage of a criminal proceeding.

**OUR COURSES**

Introduction to Victimology

## Become a Criminal Justice Major



The Criminology and Criminal Justice Studies Program is an undergraduate college program at Hillsborough Community College in which students can earn an Associate in Science Degree, an Associate in Applied Science Degree, a College Credit Certificate, as well as an Associate in Arts Degree in various Criminal Justice fields.

### APPLY

Submit your Application On-Line and go from there:

For details, see:  
<http://www.hccfl.edu/Future-Students.aspx>

### SELECT DEGREE

Criminal Justice Majors have a number of degree options. The AS.CJT is our primary recommended degree.

<http://www.hccfl.edu/yc/cjt/degrees.aspx>

The A.S. in Criminal Justice Technology will transfer into similar upper division programs in Florida Universities and Colleges allowing graduates to enter these Universities and Colleges as a junior and seek a Bachelors Degree.

### REGISTER

Once you have become an HCC student, you can register for classes On-Line.

<http://www.hccfl.edu/hawknet.aspx>

### ADVISING

Criminal Justice Majors can utilize our web site for most advising needs and you can contact College Advising.

<http://hccfl.edu/cjt>  
<http://hccfl.edu/yc/student-services/advising-and->

#### HCC REGISTRATION GUIDE

[http://www.hccfl.edu/inside-files/fb\\_reg\\_guide\\_11-12/](http://www.hccfl.edu/inside-files/fb_reg_guide_11-12/)

**Program Core Courses-Group A**

**Students must take all the following courses**

CCJ 1010 Introduction to Criminology  
CCJ 1020 Introduction to Criminal Justice  
CCJ 2910 Directed Research  
CJE 2004 Career Choices in Criminal Justice  
CJJ 1002 Juvenile Delinquency  
CJL 1062 Constitutional Law  
CJL 1100 Criminal Law  
CJL 2130 Criminal Evidence & Procedure

**Group B (3 hr)**

**Students must select ONE of the following: \***

CJC 1000 Introduction to Corrections **OR**  
CJE 1000 Introduction to Law Enforcement **OR**  
CJE 1640 Introduction to Criminalistics **OR**  
CJL 1500 Introduction to the Court System

**GROUP C (3 hr)**

**Students must select ONE of the following**

CCJ 2940 Criminal Justice Internship **OR**  
CCJ 2949 Criminal Justice Field Studies

**Program Electives**

**Choose 6 of the following courses**

CCJ 1488 Ethics in Criminal Justice	CJE 2170 Comparative Police/Crim Justice Systems
CCJ 2013 Introduction to Victimology	CJE 2233 Drug Abuse and Crime
CCJ 2111 Intro to Theories of Criminal Behavior	CJE 2300 Police Administration and Organization
CCJ 2191 Human Behavior in Criminal Justice	CJE 2400 Community Relations
CCJ 2600 Criminal Deviant Behavior in Society	CJE 2600 Criminal Investigation
CCJ 2610 Introduction to Criminal Typologies	CJE 2611 Investigative Cycle from Crime Scene to Court
CCJ 2618 Forensic Psychology	CJE 2614 Serial Killers
CCJ 2648 Organized Crime	CJJ 2004 Advanced Juvenile Delinquency
CCJ 2671 Race, Gender & Ethnicity in Crim Justice	CJL 1070 Legal Rights of Prisoners
CCJ 2685 Domestic and Sexual Violence	CJL 2072 Civil Rights and Liability in Criminal Justice
CCJ 2720 Intro Criminal Justice Research Methods	CJL 2400 Criminal Court Litigation
CCJ 2934 Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	CJL 2610 Courtroom Presentation of Scientific Evidence
CCJ 2935 Seminar on Criminal Justice Issues	CJL 2720 Legal Research in Criminal Justice
CJC 2162 Probation and Parole	DSC1002 Introduction to Terrorism
CJE 1642c Introduction to Crime Scene Technology	DSC1003 Introduction to Homeland Security
CJE 1643c Advanced Crime Scene Technology	DSC2033 Weapons of Mass Destruction
CJE 1653 Crime Analysis and Intelligence	SCC1000 Introduction to Private Security
CJE 1680 Introduction to Computer Crimes	SCC1011 Introduction to Private Investigations

**COURSE  
REQUIREMENTS  
A.S.DEGREE  
CRIMINAL JUSTICE  
TECHNOLOGY**

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

ENC 1101 English Composition I  
Any Humanities Gen Ed Course  
Any Math Gen Ed Course  
PSY 2012 General Psychology  
SYG 2000 Intro to Sociology  
POS 2041 American Government



## HILLSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE

**Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice Studies  
Ybor City Campus  
Public Services Technology Building  
2002 North 17th Street  
Tampa, Florida 33605**

### **FOR INFORMATION**

**Public Services Technology Building Information: 813-253-7676**

**Our Web Site ; <http://hccfl.edu/cjt>**

**Dr. Michael T. Reichard  
Professor and Program Manager  
Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice Studies  
[mreichard@hccfl.edu](mailto:mreichard@hccfl.edu)**

### **NOTICE**

*The Criminal Justice Institute of Hillsborough Community College is our Police and Corrections Academy and is a separate department from the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice Studies .*

*A Criminal Justice Associates degree is a great first step to enter the Careers described herein. However, many of the Careers described herein require additional education such as a Bachelors, Masters, or Doctorate degree and some of these Careers require academy training.*

### **NOTICE**

*Hillsborough Community College is an equal access/equal opportunity employer that makes employment and education-related decisions without regard to race, color, gender, religion, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, marital status or any other bias that is or may be prohibited by laws. In addition, the college does not discriminate in employment practices or in the admission and treatment of students. HCC is committed to equitable treatment for all students and employees and to a learning and working environment free of discrimination and harassment for current as well as future students and employees. The college provides equal educational opportunities for qualified individuals with disabilities and complies with, as well as, supports the Americans with Disabilities Act.*

*Hillsborough Community College es una igualdad de acceso/igualdad de oportunidades empleador que toma las decisiones de empleo y relacionados con la educación sin distinción de raza, color, sexo, religión, origen nacional, edad, discapacidad, orientación sexual, estado civil o cualquier otro sesgo que es o puede prohibido por las leyes. Además, la universidad no discrimina en las prácticas de empleo o en la admisión y el tratamiento de los estudiantes. HCC tiene el compromiso de un trato equitativo para todos los estudiantes y empleados y un ambiente de aprendizaje y de trabajo libre de discriminación y el acoso de los estudiantes actuales y futuros y los empleados. La universidad ofrece igualdad de oportunidades educativas para individuos calificados con discapacidades y cumple con, así como, apoya la Ley de Estadounidenses con Discapacidades.*