CJS 1190: Field Experience: Criminal Justice

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 4
Lecture Hours/Week: 0
Lab Hours/Week: 0
OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites:
CJS 1150 - Introduction to Criminal Justice

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Accomplishes an off-campus learning experience in an agency providing a learning environment for students interested in the sociological perspective. Emphasis will be placed on experiences that relate to the student's career interests. In most instances these placements will be with law enforcement agencies and/or corrections. Prereq: CJS 1150, permission of internship coordinator, and attendance at an orientation session during the semester prior to registering for CJS 1190.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 01/01/2007 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. 150 hours in field: 15 hours (1hr/week) in-service
2. Topics covered will relate to the five learning objectives as developed at time of placement. Each will be unique to the student's specific placement

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Develop and accomplish five learning objectives unique to the internship placement
2. Participate in self and agency evaluations of internship experience
3. Attend weekly seminars to discuss/share learning experiences
4. Complete 150 hours of on site learning
5. Develop an "employment ready" package to include resume, introduction letter, record's background, interview preparation, career application
6. Maintain a daily journal to be reviewed by coordinator
7. Respond to written questions as presented in the internship manual

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted