

DEFINITIVE COURSE RECORD

Course Title	BSc (Hons) Criminology (with Professional Placement) BSc (Hons) Criminology (with Professional Placement and Study Abroad) BSc (Hons) Criminology (with Study Abroad)
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This definitive record sets out the essential features and

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3. Outline a conceptual understanding that enables you:
 - a. To devise and sustain arguments, and/or to solve problems, using ideas and techniques, some of which are at the forefront of Criminology
 - b. To describe and comment upon aspects of current research, or equivalent advanced scholarship, in Criminology
4. Manage your own learning, and to make use of scholarly reviews and primary sources for example, refereed research articles and/or original materials appropriate to Criminology
5. Apply the relevant methods and techniques to review, consolidate, extend and apply knowledge and understanding, and to initiate and carry out projects
6. Critically evaluate arguments, assumptions, abstract concepts and data (that may be incomplete), to make judgements, and to frame appropriate questions to achieve a solution - or identify a range of solutions - to a problem
7. Communicate information, ideas, problems and solutions to both specialist and non-specialist audiences.
8. Demonstrate the qualities and transferable skills necessary for employment requiring:
 - a. The exercise of initiative and personal responsibility
 - b. Decision-making in complex and unpredictable contexts
 - c. The learning ability needed to undertake appropriate further training of a professional or equivalent nature.

For the Sandwich Year

9. Work effectively in a relevant organisation and demonstrate use of context relevant initiative, reflection, communication and decision-making skills

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Course Design

The design of this course has been guided by the following QAA Benchmarks:

- Criminology (2022)

Course Structure

The BSc (Hons) Criminology comprises modules at levels 4, 5 and 6.

Module Specifications for each of these modules are included within the course handbook, available to students on-line at the beginning of each academic year.

	Module	Credits	Module Type ⁷
Level 4			
	Social Science Skills	20	R
	Introduction to Criminology	20	R
	Principles of Psychology for Criminology Policy & Politics	20	R

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Level 5 sandwich year with study abroad only			
	Study Abroad modules at host institution	80	M
	Study Abroad Reflective Account (sandwich year)	40	M
Level 6			
	Independent Project	40	M
	Penology	20	O
	Rehabilitation of Offenders Victimology	20	O

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activities through our online learning environment. Students will normally be expected to undertake 28 hours of independent study in an average week at level 4, (672 hours per year), 31 hours of independent study at level 5, (744 hours per year) and 32 hours of independent study at level 6, (768 hours per year), but should be prepared for this to vary based on assignment deadlines and class exercises.

Course Assessment

A variety of assessments will be used on the course to enable students to experience and adapt to different assessment styles. The assessment methods used will be appropriate to assess each module's intended learning outcomes. Assessment on the course overall will be mostly coursework (including essays, reports, presentations, group work, reflective learning journals and research projects) and some examinations.

Course Team

The academic staff delivering this course are drawn from a team that includes teaching specialists and current practitioners. All staff are qualified in their subjects with their own specialist knowledge to contribute.

Course Costs

Students undertaking BSc (Hons) Criminology with sandwich year will be charged tuition fees as detailed below:

Student Group	Tuition Fees
Full-time UK	£9,250 per year (excluding sandwich year, for which the fee will be £1,850 for the year)
Part-time UK	Not applicable
Full-time EU/International	£14,610 per year (excluding sandwich year, for which the fee will be £2,875 for the year)
Part-time EU/International	Not applicable

Payment of tuition fees is due at the time of enrolment and is managed in accordance with the Tuition Fee Policy.

Students are likely to incur other costs for essential reading materials amounting to approximately £240 per year.

Academic Framework and Regulations

This course is delivered according to the Framework and Regulations for Undergraduate Awards and other academic policies and procedures of the University and published on the [website](#).