

DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY (2021-22)

Código: C103	Fecha de aprobación: 22/03/2012	Precio: 14,21 1st-registration credits
Créditos: 240	Título: Undergraduate 3-5 years (ECTS)	

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Social and Legal Sciences

PLAN

DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY

TIPO DE ENSEÑANZA

Combined Face-to-face and On line

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Faculty of Law

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FECHAS DE EXAMEN

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PLAN DE ESTUDIOS OFERTADO EN EL CURSO 2021-22

Nodo inicial:

Leyenda: No ofertada Sin docencia

FIRST YEAR

CORE SUBJECTS				60 créditos
Curso	Título	Créditos	Subject	
1	CORE	6	18500 - THE LAW, ETHICS AND HUMAN RIGHTS	
1	CORE	6	18501 - INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINOLOGY	
1	CORE	6	18502 - INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY	
1	CORE	6	18503 - INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY	
1	CORE	6	18504 - INTRODUCTION TO ADMINISTRATIVE LAW	
1	CORE	6	18505 - THE CONSTITUTION: A SYSTEM OF RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS	
1	CORE	6	18506 - INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGY	
1	CORE	6	18507 - INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL SCIENCE	
1	CORE	6	18508 - INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	
1	CORE	6	18509 - RESEARCH METHODS IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES	

FIRST YEAR ONLINE GROUP

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SECOND YEAR

COMPULSORY SUBJECTS				60 créditos
Curso	Título	Créditos	Subject	
2	COMPULSORY	7,50	18510 - CRIMINAL PSYCHOLOGY	
2	COMPULSORY	6	18511 - SOCIOLOGY OF LAW	
2	COMPULSORY	9	18512 - QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE RESEARCH TECHNIQUES	
2	COMPULSORY	7,50	18513 - CRIMINOLOGICAL THEORIES	
2	COMPULSORY	7,50	18514 - APPLIED CRIMINOLOGY	
2	COMPULSORY	7,50	18515 - FUNDAMENTALS OF CRIMINAL LAW	
2	COMPULSORY	6	18516 - INTRODUCTION TO PROCEDURE LAW	
2	COMPULSORY	9	18517 - LEGAL MEDICINE AND FORENSIC SCIENCE	

THIRD YEAR

COMPULSORY SUBJECTS				60 créditos
Curso	Título	Créditos	Subject	
3	COMPULSORY	6	18518 - PSYCHOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY IN THE MINOR	
3	COMPULSORY	6	18519 - THE PENAL PROCESS	
3	COMPULSORY	6	18520 - PENOLOGY	
3	COMPULSORY	6	18521 - PSYCHOPATHOLOGY OF CRIMINAL BEHAVIOUR	
3	COMPULSORY	6	18522 - SOCIOLOGY OF DEVIANCE	
3	COMPULSORY	9	18523 - CRIMINAL LAW, SPECIFIC SECTION	
3	COMPULSORY	7,50	18524 - CRIMINAL POLICY	
3	COMPULSORY	6	18525 - PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF DELINQUENCY	
3	COMPULSORY	7,50	18526 - VICTIMOLOGY	

FOURTH YEAR

COMPULSORY SUBJECTS				18 créditos
Curso	Título	Créditos	Subject	
4	COMPULSORY	6	18527 - PRISON LAW	

4	COMPULSORY	6	18528 - MEDIATION AND ALTERNATIVE CONFLICT RESOLUTION
4	COMPULSORY	6	18529 - THE LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY OF MINORS

OPTIONAL SUBJECTS

36 créditos

Curso	Título	Créditos	Subject
4	OPTIONAL	6	18530 - PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERVENTION IN CRISES, CATASTROPHES AND EMERGENCIES
4	OPTIONAL	6	18531 - ADMINISTRATIVE POLICE
4	OPTIONAL	6	18532 - JUDICIAL POLICE
4	OPTIONAL	6	18533 - GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE
4	OPTIONAL	6	18534 - CIVIL LAW
4	OPTIONAL	6	18535 - LABOUR LAW
4	OPTIONAL	6	18536 - COMMERCIAL LAW
4	OPTIONAL	6	18537 - TECHNOLOGICAL RESOURCES IN PRIVATE INVESTIGATION
4	OPTIONAL	6	18538 - FORENSIC ENTOMOLOGY
4	OPTIONAL	6	18539 - POLICE SCIENTISTS AND THE FORENSIC LABORATORY
4	OPTIONAL	6	18540 - WITNESS PSYCHOLOGY
4	OPTIONAL	6	18541 - USE AND ABUSE OF MEDICINES AND DRUGS
4	OPTIONAL	6	18542 - PROFESSIONAL CODE OF CONDUCT
4	OPTIONAL	6	18543 - PROFILING: PSYCHOLOGICAL PROFILING OF DELINQUENTS
4	OPTIONAL	6	18544 - FORENSIC PSYCHIATRY
4	OPTIONAL	6	18545 - PSYCHOPATHS AND SERIAL KILLERS
4	OPTIONAL	6	18546 - TRAINEESHIP (Criminology)

LANGUAGE

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6 créditos

Curso	Título	Créditos	Subject
4	END OF DEGREE WORK	6	18547 - FINAL PROJECT
4	END OF DEGREE WORK	6	18548 - FINAL PROJECT. PRIVATE INVESTIGATION

Superado este bloque se obtiene
DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY

ROUTE 1. PUBLIC SECURITY

OPTIONAL SUBJECTS

24 créditos

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ROUTE 1: PUBLIC SECURITY

ROUTE 2. PRIVATE INVESTIGATION

OPTIONAL SUBJECTS

30 créditos

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4	OPTIONAL	6	18535 - LABOUR LAW
4	OPTIONAL	6	18536 - COMMERCIAL LAW
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ROUTE 2: PRIVATE INVESTIGATION

ROUTE 3. JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION

OPTIONAL SUBJECTS

24 créditos

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4	OPTIONAL	6	18539 - POLICE SCIENTISTS AND THE FORENSIC LABORATORY
4	OPTIONAL	6	18540 - WITNESS PSYCHOLOGY
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SECOND YEAR ONLINE GROUP

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AIMS

The basic aim of the Degree Course in Criminology is to produce professionals capable of meeting the needs of society with regard to security and the prevention and control of criminal behaviour. Students will develop a thorough knowledge of all areas concerning criminal activity and deviant behaviour, enabling them to work within the criminal justice system and in public and private security, developing criminological, psycho-social, legal and scientific skills and expertise, and the ability to adapt rapidly to an environment in constant evolution. The ultimate aim is to produce graduates capable of working with other professionals in identifying, preventing and intervening in problems concerning crime, criminals, deviant behaviour and victimisation. Criminology graduates can work with the Police, the Legal authorities, the Penitentiary authorities, in community and prevention programmes, in intervention against marginalisation, victim support centres, etc. The course will also prepare future graduates for specialisation in post-graduate study, where they may acquire more specialised learning for specific professional profiles.

On the basis of the foregoing and taking into account the skills required for the University of Alicante Degree Course, we would like to emphasise the following general aims, which coincide with the aims defined in both the White Book of Degree Courses and in Royal Decree 1393/2007:

- To give graduates the necessary knowledge, skills, expertise and capabilities to work in professions having to do with criminal analysis, victimisation and responses to criminal and deviant behaviour.
- To develop students' capacity to apply their criminological knowledge in solving practical problems.
- To stimulate students' capacity to write up professional (criminological) reports, design criminal investigations, etc.
- To encourage the acquisition of the skills required for independent learning.

Within the framework of the following general principles:

- Respect for basic rights and equality between men and women.
- Respect for and promotion of Human Rights and the principles of free access and design for all, in accordance with the terms of Final Provision Ten of Act 51/2003 of 2 December, on equal opportunities, non-discrimination and universal access for persons with disabilities.
- The values of a peaceful and democratic society.

- [Credit structure of the degree course](#)
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CREDIT STRUCTURE OF THE DEGREE COURSE

The University of Alicante Degree in Criminology course programme consists of 240 ECTS credits, distributed over 4 years, each worth 60 ECTS credits and, in turn, divided into two 30 ECTS semesters. The programme covers all theoretical and practical aspects to be acquired by students.

The following table summarises the subjects and the distribution of credits.

DISTRIBUTION OF CREDITS PER SUBJECT TYPE

Subject type	Credits
Core	60
Compulsory	138
Optional	36
Final Project	6
Total credits	240

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE PROGRAMME

Core subjects are taught in the first year. These are followed by 138 compulsory ECTS credits, aimed at ensuring that students acquire the professional skills covered by the Degree, and 6 ECTS credits corresponding to the Final Project, which is undertaken in the final semester. The final 36 ECTS credits correspond to optional subjects aimed at specialisation and, as the case may be, work experience. These are taken in the final year of the course programme and enable students to choose their own area of specialisation. The routes are Public Security, Private Investigation and Judicial Administration.

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The optional subjects, taught in the fourth year, are grouped into three specialities, corresponding to three well-defined professional profiles: public security, private investigation and Judicial Administration.

The aim of the optional subjects is to provide students with the opportunity to undertake a more in-depth study of those subjects of most interest to them, within the more general nature of the degree course as a whole (198 ECTS credits correspond to either core or compulsory subjects, while optional subjects account for just 24 credits, except for that of Private investigation, which is worth 30 credits), whilst at the same time beginning the professional specialisation which will continue in their post-graduate courses. The route chosen is mentioned in the supplement to the degree only if the corresponding subjects are passed. In order to make up their quota of optional subjects (36 credits), students may then choose freely from among the other subjects on offer. Students are also offered the possibility of carrying out work experience (6 credits) or a range of cultural, sporting, student representation, charity and cooperation activities established by the University, for which they may obtain up to a maximum of 6 optional credits.

OPTIONAL SUBJECTS AND ROUTES

ROUTES		
PUBLIC SECURITY	PRIVATE INVESTIGATION	JUSTICE ADMINISTRATION
Specific subjects: 24 ECTS	Specific subjects: 30 ECTS	Specific subjects: 24 ECTS
Administrative police: 6 ECTS	Labour law: 6 ECTS *	Witness psychology: 6 ECTS
Judicial Police: 6 ECTS	Civil Law: 6 ECTS*	Scientific police and the forensic laboratory: 6 ECTS

Intervention in crises, catastrophes and emergencies: 6 ECTS	Business Law: 6 ECTS*	Pharmacology: 6 ECTS
Gender-based violence: 6 ECTS	Technological media in private investigation: 6 ECTS*	Forensic entomology 6 ECTS
Common subjects 6 ECTS to be chosen from:	Professional code of conduct 6 ECTS*	Common subjects 6 ECTS to be chosen from:
Profiling: psycho-criminological profiling of delinquents: 6 ECTS	*These subjects must be taken in order to qualify as a private detective .	Profiling: psycho-criminological profiling of delinquents: 6 ECTS
Professional code of conduct: 6 ECTS		Professional code of conduct: 6 ECTS
Forensic psychiatry: 6 ECTS		Forensic psychiatry: 6 ECTS

Optional subjects:

Route 1: Public security

- Administrative police
- Judicial Police
- Intervention in crises, catastrophes and emergencies
- Gender-based violence

Route 2: Private investigation

- Labour law
- Civil Law
- Business Law
- Technological media in private investigation

Route 3: Justice Administration

- Witness psychology
- Scientific police and the forensic laboratory
- Pharmacology
- Forensic entomology

Common optional subjects. One subject may be chosen from the following group of common subjects:

- *Profiling:* psycho-criminological profiling of delinquents
- Professional code of conduct (this subject must be taken to qualify as a Private Detective)
- Forensic psychiatry

Optional non-route credits may be taken by means of:

- Work Experience
- Optional subject "Psychopaths and serial killers"
- Or any optional subject from either of the two routes not chosen.

The offer of optional subjects in the **distance learning** group may be limited due to the nature of the subjects themselves, in which student presence may be essential to ensure the acquisition of the skills and the learning outcomes expected for each subject.

In the final year, as a bridge between academic and professional life, students may opt for the **Work Experience** programme, worth 6 ECTS, which enables students to work in institutions or professional offices, in order to prepare for their entry into the labour market. The work experience programme has been established as an optional part of the syllabus in order not to handicap students already engaged in labour or professional activities.

If they choose one of the offered routes, students can opt freely either for the work experience or for any of the subjects from the remaining optional programme, also those belonging to the other two routes.

Moreover, it is compulsory to bring forth and defend a **Final Project**, worth 6 ECTS, which contributes to complete the acquisition of the abilities required for the attainment of this degree and will be conducted during the second semester of the last year. Students that follow the Private Investigation route will have to enrol in a specific Final Project (code 18548) for this route. The rest of the students will complete the general Final Project (code 18547)

Prior to evaluation for the final grade, the student must accredit **competence in a foreign language**. Among others, one way of accreditation at the University of Alicante is to possess at least level B1 of the Common European Framework for Modern Languages. This requirement might be raised in a future.

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT (IN A FOREIGN LANGUAGE)

Students who study an **undergraduate degree** at the University of Alicante must **confirm** a minimum **level of B1 in a foreign language** (a B2 is recommended) in order to **obtain the diploma**.

The required language level is in accordance with the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

The language accreditation requirement can be obtained previously or at any time during university studies. However, the language requirement will be necessary in order to be able to **assess the final year project**.

The **different forms** of obtaining such language requirement can be consulted in the additional information in this section.

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LANGUAGE TEACHING COMPETENCE CERTIFICATE

Students who want to have a career in non-university **teaching** when they finish their studies are **recommended** to obtain the **teaching competence certificate** (Valencian and/or foreign languages).

This certificate can be obtained by taking specific itineraries in your university studies or by taking the **JA teaching competence course in Valencian, German, French and English**.

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FINAL YEAR PROJECT (TFG)

All the official undergraduate degrees must be completed by preparing and defending a final year project, which must be done in the final phase of the studies and be aimed at the assessment of competences associated to the degree.

The final year project must be an original, independent and personal work. The elaboration of it may be individual or coordinated. Each student will prepare this project under the supervision of a tutor, allowing students to show the received training content in an integrated way, as well as the acquired competences associated to the undergraduate degree.

In order to **register in the final year project**, students must comply with the requirements established in the "Regulations for continuation studies for students registered in undergraduate degrees at the University of Alicante". Among the requirements established to be able to register in the final year project, a minimum of 168 credits must be passed in undergraduate degrees with a total of 240 credits, and a minimum of 228 credits in undergraduate degrees with a total of 300 credits or more.

In order for **the final year project to be assessed**, a B1 level of a foreign language (B2 is recommended) must be confirmed.

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- [Number of places and pass marks](#)

ACCESS ROUTES

Admission to this degree course is open to any applicant who meets one of the following entrance requirements:

1. **SPANISH BACCALAUREATE (LOMCE) UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAM (PAU):** Although students can access university by means of any Baccalaureate specialization, the recommended one is **Humanities and Social Sciences**.

ADMISSION SCORES FOR THIS DEGREE CAN BE IMPROVED BY TAKING THE SPECIFIC MODULES OF THE UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAM (PAU) AS INDICATED IN THE TABLE BELOW WITH THEIR RESPECTIVE WEIGHTINGS.

TABLE 1

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2. **PREVIOUS BACCALAUREATES WITH OR WITHOUT A PASS IN THE UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAM (PAU):** Students who have completed their Baccalaureate under previous education systems and have passed the PAU will be able to use the mark obtained in their application.

HOWEVER, STUDENTS CAN TAKE SPECIFIC EXAM MODULES DURING THE VOLUNTARY PAU EXAM PERIOD IN ORDER TO IMPROVE THEIR ADMISSION SCORE AS SHOWN IN TABLE 1. THEY CAN ALSO SIT FOR THE OBLIGATORY PAU EXAMS, IN WHICH CASE THEY WILL HAVE TO TAKE ALL THE EXAMS SCHEDULED DURING THIS PERIOD.

3. **VOCATIONAL EDUCATION:** Vocational educational qualifications such as senior technician, senior technician of plastic arts and design, or senior technician in sports is the preferred professional area although access to this degree may be through any professional field.

ADMISSION SCORES CAN BE IMPROVED BY TAKING THE PAU EXAM IN UP TO 4 OF THE MODULES IN TABLE 1.

4. **STUDENTS FROM EDUCATION SYSTEMS IN COUNTRIES OF THE EUROPEAN UNION OR OTHER STATES WITH WHICH SPAIN HAS AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT:** Accreditation is required and issued by *Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia (UNED)*.

STUDENTS CAN SIT FOR EXAMS IN SUBJECTS INCLUDED IN THE PRUEBAS DE COMPETENCIAS ESPECÍFICAS (PCE), ORGANISED BY THE UNED, IN ORDER TO IMPROVE THEIR ADMISSION SCORE UP TO 14 POINTS AS INDICATED IN THE WEIGHTINGS IN TABLE 1.

5. **STUDENTS FROM FOREIGN EDUCATION SYSTEMS:** Prior to applying for the validation of their foreign Baccalaureate, students may sit for up to 4 exams in subjects offered by the *Pruebas de Competencias Específicas (PCE)* organised by **UNED** (at least one subject from the core subjects).

THE WEIGHTINGS INDICATED IN TABLE 1 WILL BE APPLIED TO CORE AND/OR OPTIONAL SUBJECTS.

6. **OTHER:** University degrees and other similar qualifications. University entrance exam for students over 25 (preferential option: **Social and Legal Sciences**). Access on the basis of professional experience (applicants over 40 years of age). Access to applicants aged 45 years or more by means of an exam.

Weightings of the subjects of the specific phase of the Proof of Access to the University (PAU) in the previous years

High School Diploma Subjects	Weighting parameters	Music Analysis II	Biology	Earth and Environmental Sciences	Drawing II	Technical Drawing II	Design	Business Economics	Electronics	Physics	Geography	Greek II	History of Music and Dance	Art History	Latin II	Musical Language and Practice	World Literature	Mathematics Applied to the Social Sciences II	Mathematics II	Chemistry	Expressive techniques in the Arts and Crafts	Industrial Technology II
Academic Years 2010-11	0.1	X		X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	
2011-12	0.2		X								X							X		X		

Academic Years 2012-13 2013-14 2014-15	0.1			X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	
	0.2	X	X								X							X		X		
Academic Year 2015-16 2016-17	0.1	X		X	X	X	X	X		X			X	X		X	X		X		X	
	0.2		X								X	X			X			X		X		

PROCEDURE FOR APPLYING FOR ADMISSION: PRE-ENROLMENT AND REGISTRATION

- Anticipated number of places offered during the first pre-enrolment session: 240 (70 on-line).
- In order to apply for a place, the procedure and pre-enrolment periods established each year must be observed. [Information concerning the application procedure \(Pre-enrolment\)](#).
- Applicants admitted to a course must formally register within the timescale established annually in the enrolment calendar. [Registration Information](#).

RECOMMENDED APPLICANT PROFILE

Students who wish to take this Degree should have taken the Humanities and Social Sciences high school diploma route, or should have passed a higher vocational qualification in Socio-Cultural Services and the Community (in particular, that of Social Integration).

Furthermore, students should possess a series of characteristics and skills, or the capacity to acquire them, such as:

- an interest in aspects related to crime: origins, responses, prevention;
- an interest in politics and society;
- have an open-minded, plural approach to people and society;
- be committed to the values of social justice;
- capacity for analysis, synthesis and reasoning;
- capacity to work as part of a team;
- capacity to mediate, negotiate and take decisions.

NUMBER OF PLACES AND PASS MARKS

COURSES	NUMBER OF PLACES	PASS MARKS						
		GENERAL	OVER 25	OVER 40	OVER 45	GRADUATES	SPORTSPEOPLE	DISABLED
2010-11	240	7,960	7,390	9,000	5,300	6,720	---	5,640
2011-12	240	8,108	7,685	9,000	5,000	7,220	5,000	5,000
2011-12 ON-LINE	70	6,333	8,090	5,000	---	8,100	---	5,000
2012-13	170	8,190	7,279	5,000	5,000	7,120	5,000	---
2012-13 ON-LINE	70	7,030	7,650	7,900	---	8,930	---	5,000
2013-14	170	7,961	6,875	5,000	5,000	7,100	5,000	---
2013-14 ON-LINE	70	6,860	7,185	9,000	7,500	8,700	---	5,000
2014-15	170	7,964	6,598	5,000	5,000	6,800	5,000	---
2014-15 ON-LINE	70	7,175	6,850	5,000	---	8,360	---	5,000
2015-16	170	8,383	6,090	6,140	---	7,060	8,066	8,484
2015-16 ON-LINE	70	6,285	6,325	9,500	---	8,840	---	7,273
2016-17	170	8,263	5,348	---	---	6,630	---	5,000
2016-17 ON-LINE	70	6,875	7,710	9,400	---	7,870	5,000	---
2017-18	170	8,530	6,030	---	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
2017-18 ON-LINE	70	6,370	7,100	5,000	---	7,520	---	---

- "Pass marks" indicated correspond to the results of the first adjudication of June.
- The definitive marks can be inferior to the here collected.

PROFESSIONAL PROFILES

Criminology graduates are qualified to work within the police force, judicial or penal administration, community and prevention programmes, interventions to counter marginalisation, victim assistance, etc.

Professions for which the degree qualifies its holder.

A degree in criminology opens the doors to a wide range of professional activities, including policing and/or victimology activities in the field of public security, private security (directors and managers of private security agencies) and prison and judicial activities (participation in advisory teams and on the Treatment Boards of Prison Institutes, Parole or Juvenile Court consultancy activities, victim assistance, etc.).

By resolution of the Home Office of 21/08/2013, the Degree in Criminology with itinerary in Private Investigation is recognised to effects of the habilitation for the professional exercise like Private Detective.

IMPLEMENTATION

The new Degree in Criminology offered by the Law Faculty will be implemented year by year.

YEAR	ACADEMIC YEAR			
	2010/2011	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014
1st Year	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree
2nd Year		Degree	Degree	Degree
3rd Year			Degree	Degree
4th Year				Degree

TIMESCALE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NEW DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY (GRADO) AND PHASING OUT OF THE FORMER DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY (LICENCIATURA)

Academic Year	Implementation of the new Degree in Criminology (Grado)	Phasing out of the former degree in Criminology (licenciatura)
2010-2011	1st Year	
2011-2012	2nd Year	
2012-2013	3rd Year	
2013-2014	4th Year	4th Year
2014-2015		5th Year

Once a course has been phased out, the subjects corresponding to the course will no longer be taught. Students who do not wish to take the new degree course subjects are entitled to sit four examinations in the two academic years following the end of each year. Any students wishing to continue their studies after sitting and failing these tests will be required to follow the new plan, according to the adaptation system established in the new plan.

PROCEDURE FOR THE CHANGE TO THE NEW STUDY PLAN

DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY former plan		DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY new plan	
Legal medicine and forensic science	6	Legal medicine and forensic science	9
Research methods in the social sciences	4,5	Research methods in the social sciences	6
Criminal law. General overview	6	Basics of Criminal Law	7,5
Enforcement of prison sentences	4,5	Prison Law	6
Criminology I	6	Criminological theories	7,5
Criminology II	6	Applied criminology	7,5
Criminal psychology	6	Criminal psychology	7,5
Criminal policy	6	Criminal policy	7,5
Delinquency and moral responsibility in minors	4,5	Psychological development of social responsibility in minors	6
Ethics and human rights	4,5	The Law, ethics and human rights	6
Quantitative and qualitative research techniques in criminology	4,5	Quantitative and qualitative research techniques	9
Audiovisual techniques in social research	4,5		
Criminal law. Specifics	6	Criminal law. Specifics	9
Sociology of Law	6	Sociology of Law	6
Prevention and treatment of delinquency	4,5	Prevention and treatment of delinquency	6
Victimology	6	Victimology	7,5
Criminal procedural law	9	The penal process	6
Psychopathology of criminal behaviour	4,5	Psychopathology of criminal behaviour	6
Judicial Police	4,5	Judicial Police	6
Mediation in penal law and criminology	4,5	Mediation and alternative conflict resolution	6
Medical-legal and forensic entomology	4,5	Forensic entomology	6
Crisis intervention and approaches to trauma in victims and professionals	4,5	Psychological intervention in crises, catastrophes and emergencies	6
Psychopaths and serial killers	4,5	Psychopaths and serial killers	6
Violence and gender: inter-disciplinary aspects	4,5	Gender-based violence	6
TOTAL CREDITS	126		162

NON-RECOGNISED SUBJECTS

DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY former plan		DEGREE IN CRIMINOLOGY new plan	
French for criminologists	4,5	Introduction to sociology	6
German for criminologists	4,5	Introduction to criminology	6
IT data analysis	4,5	Introduction to Administrative Law	6
English	4,5	Introduction to Statistics	6
The economics of crime and criminal behaviour	4,5	Introduction to political science	6
TOTAL CREDITS	22,5	Anthropology for criminologists	6

		The Constitution: the system of rights and freedoms	6
		The sociology of deviant behaviour	6
		Penology	6
		Administrative police	6
		The legal responsibility of minors	6
		Labour law	6
		Business Law	6
		Civil Law	6
		Technological media in private investigation	6
		Professional code of conduct	6
		Forensic psychiatry	6
		<i>Profiling</i> : psycho-criminological profiling of delinquents	6
		Pharmacology	6
		Witness psychology	6
		TOTAL CREDITS	120

A total of 126 credits in the current Criminology Degree study plan (Licenciatura) can be adapted to the new Criminology Degree study plan (Grado). Of these, 99 correspond to core and compulsory subjects, and 27 to optional subjects.

Credits taken by Criminology students not listed in the above table may be validated by means of:

- Degree course optional credits, up to the maximum number of optional credits established for each degree course.
- Recognised free-elective credits validated for university, cultural or representational activities will be validated for the degree course, with a maximum of up to 6 academic credits to be validated for various activities, as set out in Art. 12.8 Royal Decree 1393/2007 (participation in cultural, sporting, student representation, charity and cooperation activities).

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