About the Program

This Master of Science degree in Criminal Justice is an interdisciplinary program that prepares the criminal justice professional who aspires for leadership positions at federal, state and city agencies. A graduate degree in Criminal Justice provides the opportunity for doors to open for advancement in the field.

The Monroe College Master of Science in Criminal Justice prepares the Criminal Justice professional for the challenges of the twenty-first century. The Criminal Justice system and the professionals within the field and those that aspire to join the ranks must be prepared for the changing nature of the field of Criminal Justice and how to be a leader in this field. A Masters in Criminal Justice prepares you to enter the professional world of the legal and justice system and to be able to handle the new threats and challenges facing the society and the world at large.

Academic Calendar & Application Deadlines

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International applicants are encouraged to apply three months before the start date.

Tuition & Fees

- Application Fee: $50
- Full-Time Tuition (9 credits): $6,687/semester; $743/credit
- Administrative Fee: $450

Pre-requisite Criteria

Non-credit Foundation Workshops are required only for MSCJ students who do not have sufficient pre-requisite knowledge in the subject areas listed below. These workshops are offered on weekends before and during the semester. All workshops can be taken fully online.

**FOUNDATION WORKSHOPS**

- KG 594 – Foundations of Statistics
- KG 595 – Foundations of Graduate Writing and Research

Contact Information

**U.S. Citizens/Permanent Residents**

All admissions related correspondence should be sent to the campus of your choice.

- **Bronx Campus**
  - King Graduate School
  - Monroe College
  - 2501 Jerome Avenue
  - Bronx, NY 10468

- **New Rochelle Campus**
  - King Graduate School
  - Monroe College
  - 434 Main Street
  - New Rochelle, NY 10801

**Queens Extension Site**

- King Graduate School
- Monroe College
- 135-16 Roosevelt Avenue, 4th Floor
- Flushing, NY 11354

**International Students**

All international admissions related correspondence should be sent to:

- King Graduate School
- Monroe College
- Office of International Programs
- 434 Main Street
- New Rochelle, NY 10801

For more information about the M.S. Degree in Criminal Justice, please contact the King Graduate School or visit our website:

Phone: 1-800-556-6676; Email: king@monroecollege.edu; Website: www.monroecollege.edu/king

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See reverse side for course requirements
The innovative curriculum in the Master of Science in Criminal Justice will deepen the student's understanding of the changing national and international environment. Graduates will develop competences in research methods, causes of crime, analyses of police, courts and the correctional system and crime reduction strategies. The Concentrations in Human Services, Urban Crime Policy and Community Development will enrich the student’s intellectual experience and allow students to follow to focus on specific areas of interest within the Master’s Degree in Criminal Justice.

**CORE COURSES** (8 at 3 credits each)
- CJ 615 – Criminological Theory
- CJ 620 – Research Methods and Data Analysis
- CJ 630 – The Supreme Court, U.S. Constitution and Criminal Law
- CJ 640 – Perspectives on Drugs, Alcohol and the Criminal Justice System
- CJ 730 – Comparative Criminal Justice Systems
- CJ 740 – Leadership, Ethics, and Management in Criminal Justice
- CJ 755 – Terrorism And Counter-Terrorism
- CJ 780 – Public Policy Issues in Criminal Justice (Capstone Course)

**GENERAL TRACK ELECTIVE OPTIONS** (Any 4 classes)
- CJ 618 – Crime Scene Investigation
- CJ 650 – The Sociology of Juvenile Delinquency
- CJ 655 – Race, Class and Crime in America
- CJ 718 – The Psychology of Criminal Behavior
- CJ 750 – Crisis Management and Disaster Preparedness
- CJ 760 – Community Violence: Causes, Effects, and Solutions
- CJ 725 – Organized and Transnational Crime
- CJ 735 – International Perspectives on the Death Penalty
- CJ 765 – Child Development, Trauma and the Criminal Justice System
- CJ 770 – Urban Poverty and the Family
- CJ 775 – Counseling Psychology and Human Services
- CJ 776 – New York City and the Great Crime Decline
- CJ 777 – Cybercrime, Intelligence Systems and National Security

**CONCENTRATION IN URBAN CRIME POLICY**
- CJ 655 – Race, Class and Crime in America
- CJ 725 – Organized and Transnational Crime
- CJ 735 – International Perspectives on the Death Penalty
- CJ 745 – The Use of Deadly Force in Contemporary America
- CJ 776 – New York City and the Great Crime Decline
- CJ 777 – Cybercrime, Intelligence Systems and National Security

**CONCENTRATION IN HUMAN SERVICES**
- CJ 618 – Crime Scene Investigation
- CJ 650 – The Sociology of Juvenile Delinquency
- CJ 718 – The Psychology of Criminal Behavior
- CJ 750 – Crisis Management and Disaster Preparedness
- CJ 760 – Community Violence: Causes, Effects, and Solutions
- CJ 765 – Child Development, Trauma and the Criminal Justice System
- CJ 770 – Urban Poverty and the Family
- CJ 775 – Counseling Psychology and Human Services

**MASTER’S THESIS (OPTIONAL) (6 credits)**
- CJ 791 & CJ 792 – Master’s Thesis

**INTERNSHIP**
- CJ 690 – Internship