



Pittsburg State University
College of Arts and Sciences Program Guide

Department: History, Philosophy, and Social Sciences

Minors

As of Fall 2016

Minor in Fraud Examination

The Justice Studies program, in conjunction with the Department of Accounting, offers a Minor in fraud examination. Administered in the Department of Accounting and Computer Information Systems, the curriculum is patterned after the requirements found in the nationally recognized Certificate in Fraud Examination, providing coverage of the Certificate areas of: Criminology and Ethics; Legal Elements of Fraud; Financial Transactions; and Fraud Investigation. The demand for persons in this field is expected to increase and the minor represents a significant opportunity for justice studies majors who are interested in fraud and other instances of white collar crime. [Note: Prerequisites for the specified accounting classes have been waived for justice studies students taking this minor.]

Core Classes (15 hours)

ACCTG 201: Financial Accounting	3
ACCTG 422: Internal Auditing	3
ACCTG 625: Fraud Examination	3
JUST 223: Basic Interviewing and Counseling Skills	3
JUST 522: Crime Scenes and the Law of Evidence	3

Select one (3 hours)

JUST 528: White Collar Crime	3
SOC 547: Criminology	3

Select one (3 hours)

JUST 500: Criminal Law and Society	3
JUST 501: Criminal Procedure	3
POLS 609: Administrative Law	3

NOTE: Currently, the Internal Revenue Service allows persons who have had a total of 15 hours of accounting and nine hours of other business related classes to apply for "Special Agent" positions. Justice Studies classes add to the qualifications of persons who are interested in such a career.

Notes

NOTE: The information contained herein is intended to be used for the planning of a student's academic program and does not constitute a contract. While this guide was prepared with the latest information, courses, graduation requirements, and curricula are subject to change.

When a student attains 85 semester hours of credit (including current enrollment) the student must apply for a degree check in the Office of the Registrar (Degree Checking Section), Room 102 Russ Hall.

MINIMUM GENERAL REQUIREMENTS: The minimum requirements for graduation include 124 semester hours of which 60 hours must be from a four year university. In addition, 45 semester hours must be upper division and 30 hours in residence at PSU (including 24 of the last 30). Minimum GPA for non-education degree is 2.0 overall [2.0 in major], secondary education degree is 2.5 overall [2.75 in major], and early/late childhood/unified degree is 2.80 overall [3.0 in major]. A minimum GPA of 2.0 in any minor and in residence coursework is required. General Education and all degree requirements are provided in the online catalog. Refer to individual departments for specific requirements.