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**2.Proposed Change**

The course Social Behavior (SOC 3293) is to be moved from being required to being an elective course in the BA in Criminology. (A title change for the course is being requested on a separate proposal.)

**3.Effective Date**

Fall 2016

**4.Justification –** *Please provide details as to why this change is necessary.*

While understanding social behavior is important, it is not essential for criminology students to master the topic. Thus, it more rightly fits in as an elective. The department will offer Social Justice, a more germane course, as a required course in its place.

**Bulletin Changes**

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**Major in Criminology**

**Bachelor of Arts**

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| **University Requirements:** | |
| See University General Requirements for Baccalaureate degrees (p. 41) | |
| **First Year Making Connections Course:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| SOC 1013, Making Connections Sociology | **3** |
| **General Education Requirements:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| See General Education Curriculum for Baccalaureate degrees (p. 83)  **Students with this major must take the following:**  *PHIL 1103, Introduction to Philosophy*  *Twelve hours in Social Sciences (Required Departmental Gen. Ed. Option), including one of the following:*  *GEOG 2613, Introduction to Geography*  *POSC 2103, Introduction to U. S. Government*  *PSY 2013, Introduction to Psychology*  *SOC 2213, Introduction to Sociology* | **35** |
| **Language Requirement:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| Foreign Language  *Refer to Foreign Language Requirement in College of Humanities and Social Sciences.* | **0-12** |
| **Major Requirements:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| CRIM 1023, Introduction to Criminal Justice | 3 |
| CRIM 2263, Criminal Evidence and Procedure **OR**  POSC 3183, Criminal Law and the Constitution | 3 |
| CRIM 3183, Institutional Corrections **OR**  CRIM 3193, Community Corrections | 3 |
| CRIM 3223, Police and Society | 3 |
| CRIM 3263, Criminology | 3 |
| CRIM 4103, Criminal Justice Systems | 3 |
| ~~SOC 3293, Social Behavior~~ | ~~3~~ |
| SOC 3383 **AND** 3381, Social Statistics and Laboratory | 4 |
| SOC 4293, Methods of Social Research | 3 |

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| **Electives (select 21 hours from the following):**  CRIM 2043, Community Relations  CRIM 2253, Criminal Investigation  CRIM 2263, Criminal Evidence and Procedure  *If not used for major core course requirement.*  CRIM 3323, Juvenile Delinquency  CRIM 3423, Serial Homicide  CRIM 4243, Social Justice  CRIM 460V, Special Problems  CRIM 470V, Internship  GEOG 3603, World Regional Geography  GEOG 3643, Introduction to Cultural Geography  GEOG 3703, Political Geography  GEOG 3813 Introduction to Geographic Information Systems  GEOG 4623, Environmental Management  GEOG 4643, Geography of Arkansas  HIST 3583, History of Law Enforcement  POSC 3113, American Municipal Government  POSC 3143, State and Local Government  POSC 3183, Criminal Law and the Constitution  *If not used for major core course requirement.*  POSC 4533, Environmental Law and Administration  PSY 3413, Adolescent Psychology  PSY 4533, Abnormal Psychology  SOC 2223, Social Problems  SOC 3273, Social Stratification **OR**  GEOG 3683 Economic Geography  *SOC 3293, Social Behavior [to be changed to: Self and Society]*  SOC 3353, Minority Groups  SOC 3463, Collective Behavior  SOC 4003, Perspectives on Death and Dying  SOC 4063, Sociology of Disasters  SOC 4073, Sociology of Family Violence **OR**  SW 4213, Introduction to Domestic Violence  SOC 4203, Social Deviance  SOC 4223, Urban Sociology **OR**  GEOG 4223 Urban Geography  SOC 4233, Social Organization  SOC 4243, Social Theory  SOC 4253, Rural Sociology  SOC 4263, Terrorism as a Social Movement  SOC 4273, Population and Demography  SOC 4323, Applied Research  SOC 4343 Geographic Information Systems for the Social Sciences  SOC 4363, Environmental Sociology  SW 3323, Substance Abuse: Intervention and Treatment  SW 3343, Child Abuse and Neglect | 21 |
| **Sub-total** | **49** |
| **Electives:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| Electives | **21-33** |
| **Total Required Hours:** | **120** |