

PATHWAYS TO SUCCESS

The Criminal Justice Program at UCC offers several options to help you reach your goals.

Career Pathway Certificates

- Can be earned by taking just a few classes
- Quickly provide you with the skills employers are looking for
- Can help you find a job while completing your two-year degree
- Can be built on to help you complete a longer term program
- **Can earn these credits while you are still in High School**

One Year Certificates

Take the next step on your career path. All of the classes that you take to complete your Pathfinder Certificate count towards your One-Year Certificate.

AAS Degree Options

After completing the One Year Certificate it can take as little as one more year to complete the two-year degree (AAS).

For more information, explore the links on this Roadmap.

GETTING STARTED

Everything you need to get started at UCC

High School students! You can work toward this certification before you graduate. **Find out which classes are available at your High School.**

WHERE DO YOU WANT TO GO?

Select the **Career Opportunities** below for information on:

- Current job openings
- Wages
- Employment outlook

SHORT TERM CERTIFICATE

Police Reserve Academy
25 Credits

ONE-YEAR CERTIFICATE

Juvenile Corrections
48 Credits

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE

Criminal Justice
90 Credits

RELATED BACHELOR AND GRADUATE DEGREE OPTIONS

The following programs provide opportunities for educational advancement. **Some credits may transfer.**

Specific transfers:

- Bachelor of Arts in [Psychology](#): Northwest Christian University (NCU)
- Bachelor of Arts/Science in [Criminology & Criminal Justice](#): Portland State University (PSU)
- Bachelor of [Science in Criminology & Criminal Justice - emphasis in forensics](#): SOU
- Bachelor of Arts/Science in [Criminal Justice](#): Western Oregon University (WOU)
- Bachelors in [Public Policy & Administration](#): WOU
- Master of Science in [Criminology & Criminal Justice](#): PSU
- Masters in [Mental Health Counseling](#): SOU
- Master of Arts in [Criminal Justice](#): WOU

Also consider: Forensic Psychology, Police Administration, Public Administration, or attend Law School to obtain a Juris Doctorate (JD).

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Police Reserve/Officer*
Juvenile Corrections Worker*

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Patrol Officer*
Corrections Officer*

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Juvenile Counselors*
Supervisors/Managers of Patrol and Corrections Officers*

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Forensic Science Technicians*
Correctional Facility Management*
Police Captain*

ARTICULATED BACHELOR DEGREE TRANSFER OPTIONS

Articulation agreements between UCC and the following institution are currently available:

- Bachelors in [Criminology & Criminal Justice \[PDF\]](#): Southern Oregon University (SOU)

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EMPLOYMENT SERVICES



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