WELCOME TO CRIMINOLOGY
Criminology at Keele

Innovation and tradition

- First UK undergraduate degree in Criminology
- Choice of programmes and routes
  - Single Honours
  - Dual Honours
  - Major/Minor
- Choice of elective modules
- If we say ‘criminology’ we mean criminology
Criminology

What is Criminology? Crime, Criminals, Punishment and Justice, Crime Control

What is Criminology for? Academy/Policy/Practice

How should Criminology be done? The practice and politics of research methods

What are the key issues in Criminology today?
Studying Criminology at Keele

Single Honours

- At least 255 credits or 17 modules
  - BA Criminology

Major/Minor

- At least 225 credits or 15 modules/90 credits or 6 modules
  - Example BA Criminology with Sociology

Dual Honours Principal

- At least 120 credits or 8 modules
  - BA Example Criminology and Psychology
# Entry requirements

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A week in the life of a typical first year Criminology student......
• **Monday**
  - 12-1 Group meeting for Murder Case Study Presentation
  - 2.00 pm Lecture
    - Murder

• **Tuesday**
  - 9.00 am Lecture
    - Understanding Crime
  - 10.00 am Tutorial
    - Understanding Crime

• **Wednesday**
  - 11.00 am Tutorial
    - Murder

• **Thursday**
  - 10.00 am Lecture
    - Psychology and Crime
  - 12.00pm Lecture
    - Modernity and its darkside
  - 1.00 pm Tutorial
    - Psychology and Crime

• **Friday**
  - 10.30 am Personal tutor meeting
  - 12.00 pm Tutorial
    - Modernity and its darkside
  - 1.00 pm Lecture
    - Understanding Crime
Learning and teaching

Lectures (may be over 100 in a class)
- Traditional and interactive
- Electronic voting
- Guest practitioners

Tutorials (not more than 15 in a class)
- Discussions and debates
- Small group work

Seminars (up to 30 in a class)
- Student presentations
- Videos

Keele Learning Environment
- Online resources
- Discussions, quizzes, blogs and wikis

Assessment for learning
- Feed-forward, feedback, advice and support

Independent study
- Reading and research
- Preparing for assessments
Working together

Directed independent study

Email support
Subject tutor office hours
Personal tutor meetings
Dissertation supervision

Lectures
Tutorials
Seminars
Online discussions
Global opportunities

• Student exchange
  – Ball State University

• Study abroad
  – Partner universities
    • Europe
    • USA/Canada
    • Australia
    • South Africa

• Santander fellowship
Into work

Working for Justice

- Skills
  - Personal skills analysis
  - Career decision-making
  - Writing CVs and applications

- Careers
  - Policing
  - Community safety
  - Probation
  - Victim support

Criminology Work Placement

- Integrated offender management
- Drugs, alcohol and tobacco
Coming to Keele

• Got an offer?
  – **You** become part of our Keele Criminology community
  – **We** keep in touch to provide encouragement, support and advice when you need it
Before you arrive

- Keeping in touch
  - University
    - [http://www.keele.ac.uk/newstudents](http://www.keele.ac.uk/newstudents)
  - Criminology
    - [http://www.keele.ac.uk/criminology/](http://www.keele.ac.uk/criminology/)
  - Sociology and Criminology at Keele blogspot
    - [http://socandcrimatkeele.blogspot.com/](http://socandcrimatkeele.blogspot.com/)
After you arrive

• Becoming an independent learner
  • Compulsory core module
  • Understanding Crime
    • Introduction to criminology
    • Developing study skills
  • Regular personal tutor meetings
  • Subject tutor open office hours
  • Monitored tutorial attendance
Contacts

Welcome to Keele

http://www.keele.ac.uk/newstudents/

Blog

http://socandcrimatkeele.blogspot.com/

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