

## BS Criminology Program Learning Goals and Outcomes

PROGRAM LEARNING GOAL	PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOME
<p><b>Learning Goal 1</b> Mastery of the broad theories that help explain causes and consequences of deviant behavior from both a macro and micro view. Using a biopsychosocial approach, students will build skill in complex thinking. This requires that student understand and effectively apply the theories of criminology, human behavior and interaction to real life circumstances.</p>	<p><b>Learning Outcome 1.1</b> Students will master the major theoretical schools in criminology</p>
	<p><b>Learning Outcome 1.2</b> Students will be able to utilize biopsychosocial analysis</p>
	<p><b>Learning Outcome 1.3</b> Students will demonstrate an understanding of sociological analysis</p>
<p><b>Learning Goal 2</b> Mastery of social science research methods to train students to be able to identify and define a research questions, determine appropriate strategies, implement these strategies, and evaluate research results</p>	<p><b>Learning Outcome 2.1</b> Students will master quantitative research methods</p>
	<p><b>Learning Outcome 2.2</b> Students will be able to use SPSS data analysis software</p>

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<b>Learning Goal 3</b> Mastery of a basic understanding of the framework of the judicial system	<b>Learning Outcome 3.1</b> Students will be able to understand the parameters and consequences of both the juvenile justice courts and the adult court systems
	<b>Learning Outcome 3.2</b> Students will be able to identify and understand the various agencies of the justice systems