In the Criminal Justice Management major you will develop the leadership, supervision and management skills you will need for promotion to and success in command, supervisory and executive positions in criminal justice agencies. You will learn skills that develop your leadership potential, decision-making ability, financial acumen, and problem-solving capacity to analyze the complex administrative problems that beset criminal justice agencies.

In class, you will learn methods of program planning and policy analysis while conducting guided exercises and case studies directed at solving criminal justice-related policy problems. In short, you will learn much about what works and what doesn't work in the criminal justice system and acquire the tools to help you be a better criminal justice leader.

**WHAT WILL YOU LEARN ABOUT IN THIS MAJOR?**

**IN THIS MAJOR YOU WILL**

- **Read** about the best practices of successful criminal justice leaders.
- **Engage** in lively discussions about criminal justice management issues and ideas.
- **Practice** your decision-making and problem-solving skills.
- **Conduct** research, write policy analyses and other reports, and present your ideas to your peers.

**FIRST COURSES IN THE MAJOR**

- **PAD 240** Introduction to Public Administration
- **PAD 241** Information in Public Management
- **PAD 314** Leadership, Supervision, and Performance
- **PAD 318** Decisions in Crisis

See further major requirements at: [http://www.jjay.cuny.edu/academics/636.php](http://www.jjay.cuny.edu/academics/636.php)

“If we do not maintain Justice, Justice will not maintain us.” — Francis Bacon
WHAT CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS WILL YOU DEVELOP IN THIS MAJOR?

- Summarize, analyze, compare, evaluate, interpret and synthesize ideas.
- Present ideas verbally and in writing: interpret data, shape information into specific points and arguments.
- Design projects, develop hypotheses, perform research, organize information, and solve problems.

DEPENDING ON YOUR INTERESTS, WHAT MINOR MIGHT BE A GOOD COMPLEMENT TO THIS MAJOR?

- Security Management
- Police Studies
- Corrections
- Public Administration

For more information about minors, go to: http://www.jjay.cuny.edu/academics/662.php

WHAT OPPORTUNITIES WILL THIS MAJOR OFFER YOU?

- Internships
- Workshops and presentations by renowned criminal justice leaders
- In-service students in the uniformed services may apply up to 12 credits of external credit for advanced training approved by the College or by the American Council on Education (ACE).

THIS MAJOR CAN BE A GREAT FOUNDATION FOR A WIDE RANGE OF JOBS, BUT SOME POSSIBILITIES TO CONSIDER ARE:

**Law/Government/Public Sector**: supervisor or manager of police, court or corrections services, chief probation officer, policy analyst, legislative aide, emergency management professional.

**Nonprofit Sector**: program director, program developer, evaluator, legislative liaison, public relations.

**Business**: private security manager, safety officer, business manager, program evaluator.

**Education**: instructor, college support services supervisor, college security supervisor, policy analyst.

For more detailed information on these career ideas and for additional ones, contact:

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