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**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 101**: Introduction to Public Administration

**PAD 121**: Information in Public Management

**PAD 314**: Leadership, Supervision, and Performance

**PAD 318**: Decisions in Crisis

American Government and Politics (**POL 101**) is the foundation course for this major.

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— 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, perform research, organize information, and solve problems.

WHAT MINOR MIGHT BE A GOOD COMPLEMENT TO THIS MAJOR?

- Security Management
- Police Studies
- Corrections
- Public Administration

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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.

"The virtue of justice consists in moderation, as regulated by wisdom."
— Aristotle

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