UCL Study programme 2023 - 2024

# Minor in Criminology

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# MINCRIM - Introduction

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# MINCRIM - Teaching profile

## Learning outcomes

The minor in criminology includes 30 credits, spread over the second and third years of the Bachelor program.

- The minor in criminology invites students to examine crime, deviance, marginality and the way society monitors these issues as well as introducing them to the **basic disciplines of criminology**.
- The minor offers students of legal sciences, political and social sciences, psychological and educational sciences and medical sciences an **additional period of training** in an field close to their own.
- It could be the prompt a student needs to **change his/her study path** and, in this case, reduces the number of mandatory lessons to take in the first year of the Masters in criminology.

Students choosing the minor giving access to master in criminology aim to develop and acquire a base of knowledge and skills comprising the fundamental aspects in each of the disciplines constituting the criminology, a different discipline from that of the major, thereby meeting the requirements, if the student so wishes, for direct access to the Master in criminology.

On successful completion of this programme, each student is able to :

1. With the robustness required by the discipline, display command of the basic theories (knowledge, concepts, tools, etc.) in the principal disciplines constituting the criminology, which
are essential requirements for a (re)orientation to a Master in master in criminology.

2. Display possession and command of the scientific research approach (research methodology) specific to the criminology, essential requirements for a (re)orientation to a Master in criminology.

3. Demonstrate a capacity for a line of reasoning specific to the criminology with the rigour required by the discipline.

4. Understand, question, analyse, discuss and resolve a question-problem in criminology, with the rigour required by the discipline, calling on the pertinent disciplinary and methodological foundations.

5. Develop a critical and reflective interpretation and analysis specific to the criminology with the robustness required by the discipline.

## Programme

### *DETAILED PROGRAMME BY SUBJECT*

- Mandatory
- Optional
- Not offered in 2023-2024
- Not offered in 2023-2024 but offered the following year
- Offered in 2023-2024 but not the following year
- Not offered in 2023-2024 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- Open to incoming exchange students
- Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

*30 crédits*

| | | | | Year 2 | Year 3 |
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| ***Content:*** | | | | | |
| **Première année de la mineure** | | | | | |
| LECRI1501 | History of Criminology | Dan Kaminski | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | x | |
| LECRI1502 | Introduction to Forensic Science | Sonja Bitzer | FR [q2] [30h] [4 Credits] | x | |

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| LECRI1503 | Introduction to Criminology | Marie-Sophie Devresse | FR [q1] [30h+15h] [6 Credits] | x | |

## Deuxième année de la mineure

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| LECRI1508 | Introduction to general clinical and criminological Psychology | Christophe Janssen | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x |
| LECRI1505 | Criminological approach to marginalization and social exclusion | Chloé Branders | FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x |

### Pour les étudiants en droit

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| LCRIM2105 | Sociological Aspects of the Administration of Criminal Justice | Dan Kaminski | FR [q1] [30h] [5 Credits] | | x |

### Pour tous les autres étudiants

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| LECRI1504 | Elements of Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure | Jean-Marc Hausman<br>Christelle Macq | FR [q1] [60h] [5 Credits] | | x |

## *THE PROGRAMME'S COURSES AND LEARNING OUTCOMES*

For each UCLouvain training programme, a reference framework of learning outcomes specifies the the skills expected of every graduate on completion of the programme. Course unit descriptions specify targeted learning outcomes, as well as the unit's contribution to reference framework of learning outcomes.

# MINCRIM - Information

## Access Requirements

The course is open to a lot of 1st level UCL students, particularly :

- Law,
- History,
- Information and Communication (Louvain-la-Neuve),
- Philosophy,
- Biology,
- Biomedicine,
- Chemistry,
- Motor Sciences,
- Human and Social Sciences (Louvain-la-Neuve),
- Political Sciences (Louvain-la-Neuve),
- Theology,
- Sociology and Anthropology.

## Evaluation

***The evaluation methods comply with the regulations concerning studies and exams (https://uclouvain.be/fr/decouvrir/rgee.html). More detailed explanation of the modalities specific to each learning unit are available on their description sheets under the heading "Learning outcomes evaluation method".***

## Possible trainings at the end of the programme

A student with a bachelor's degree and a minor in criminology at UCL has a direct access without any prerequisites to the Master in Criminology.

## Contacts

### Curriculum Management

Entity

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| Structure entity | SSH/DRT/ECRI |
| Denomination | (ECRI) |
| Faculty | Faculty of Law and Criminology (DRT) |
| Sector | Human Sciences (SSH) |
| Acronym | ECRI |
| Postal address | Place Montesquieu 2 - bte L2.07.01<br>1348 Louvain-la-Neuve<br>Tel: +32 (0) 10 47 88 53 |
| Website | http://www.uclouvain.be/criminologie |

Academic supervisor: Marie-Sophie Devresse (https://uclouvain.be/repertoires/marie-sophie.devresse)

Useful Contact(s)

- Assistant Executive Director: Magali Prévot (https://uclouvain.be/repertoires/magali.prevot)

## Practical informations

Registering for the minor

1 Organizational details
Minor course take place during the day on Tuesday morning, Wednesday and Thursday all day and Friday morning.

2 Admission to the minor

See the Admission Requirements

3 Registering for the minor and checks on the registration form

BAC2

The registration via internet enables to enchaining directly with the listing option (the student must be registered in BAC2 before enrolling an option).

If this method is not used, the student has access to the registration option via its virtual office (UCL access the portal, login, click on "my office").

The student who begins again his BAC2 is automatically re-registered.

BAC3

Upon registration in the third year of baccalaureate, students are automatically enrolled in the second part of the option followed in the second year (BAC2). It is the same for students retaking their third year of the Bachelor.

Any request for an exception to this rule must be submitted to the academic advisor of the bachelor program followed.

4 Checks on registration forms for the minor

Checks are carried out by the "conseiller aux etudes (https://uclouvain.be/74805)" (course adviser) from the faculty of origin.

5 Changes to the registration for the minor

Should you wish to make any changes to the registration, please consult the "conseiller aux etudes (https://uclouvain.be/74805)" (course adviser) from the faculty of origin.

Course timetable

1 Consulting the course timetable : http://uclouvain.be/horaires-drt

2 Resolving possible timetable clashes using an equivalence table

For any changes to a standard minor program where there is a timetable clash, the student must first obtain the agreement of the "conseiller aux etudes" (course adviser) from his faculty of origin and permission from the academic responsible for the minor in criminology.

Registration form for minor activities

1 Information on requirements

This point is not applicable to this minor.

2 Registration for activities on the minor programme

To access the IT application program to register for minor program activities, use the following page https://uclouvain.be/inscription-mineure-2013.html (https://uclouvain.be/inscription-mineure-2013.html)

3 Obtaining the "visa" from the person in charge of the minor

This point is not applicable to the minor.

Available support

1 Information on the course service

Most support systems can be obtained from the DUC.

2 Consulting the table on support available for each activity

The supports availables for each activity are specified in the course descriptions (https://uclouvain.be/cours).

How exams are organized

1 Registering for exams

Students enrolled in a minor in criminology must register for exams at the Faculty of origin.

In order to register for the oral exams for the minor in criminology, the student is asked to consult the bulletin board of the Ecole de Criminologie (Hall of the Faculty of LAw and Criminology - bulletin board located near More 57) or the Ecole de Criminologie's site (https://uclouvain.be/460950).

The student must then check the final exam time. The dates when the final exam dates will be posted up are indicated on the paper valves and on the electronic valves (https://uclouvain.be/460950).

2 Checking exam times

You can check exam times at the following address: https://uclouvain.be/169161 (https://uclouvain.be/169161)