CRIMINAL JUSTICE

CONNECTING MAJORS TO CAREERS
Below you will find a list of some careers linked to this major. Remember, your major does not always determine your career. Contact the departmental advisor for information about additional education requirements.

Sample Job Titles related to this degree:
Private security  Police Officer  Narcotics agent
Border Patrol  Parole Officer  Youth Advocate
Park Ranger  Probation officer  Criminal Investigator
Customs agent  Detective  Loss Prevention
Corrections Officer

Sample job titles requiring additional education:
Attorney  FBI Agent  Professor
CIA Agent  Criminologist  Manager
Research

Helpful Websites:
Occupational Outlook Handbook (http:ww.bls.gov/OCO/)
O*net (http://online.onetcenter.org/)
Criminal Justice USA (http://www.criminaljusticeusa.com/)
http://www.gradschools.com/Subject/Forensic-Science/165.html
http://www.fhsu.edu/aace/MAJORS/index.shtml

Next Steps:
☐ Take a course to explore/confirm your interest in the major(s).
☐ Ask faculty members about local resources and about what their graduates are doing.
☐ Talk to someone doing the work you are considering to find out what you would do day-to-day.
☐ Volunteer in a related role.
☐ Get involved in a related student or national professional organization.
☐ Take Career Network Experience to be matched with a mentor.
☐ Ask your parents about whom they know in your field of interest.
☐ Find out if graduate work is necessary or preferred for what you want to do.
☐ Get a part-time job, internship or co-op to explore your field of interest first hand.

WSU Resources:
(Career Assessment, Resume and Interview Reviews, Job Search Counseling, Cooperative Education and Internship Opportunities)


(Career Exploration Course and Workshops (LAS I 102, LAS I 150D) academic advising for LAS and deciding majors)

School of Community Affairs – Advisor, Kristin Brewer– 323 Law Enforcement Training Center– 978-5897, (Major Advising, Related Career Information, preparing for Graduate School) http://criminaljustice.wichita.edu