

Criminal Justice

DIVISION
OF SOCIAL
SCIENCES

PROGRAMS OF STUDY:

B.A. in Criminal Justice
Minor in Criminal Justice

Why study Criminal Justice at Maryville College?

Are you looking for a stimulating career that provides the opportunity to serve others? Maryville College's Criminal Justice major prepares students to become professionals, researchers and educators in a wide variety of contexts. The College's proximity to the Blount County Justice Center and Courthouse, its network of alumni in law and public service, and its partnerships with several non-profits give students unique and frequent opportunities to experience various processes and see justice from multiple perspectives.

EXTERNAL RELATIONSHIPS

Blount County Justice Center
Blount County Sheriff's Office
Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)
Haven House Domestic Violence Services
Maryville Police Department
Tennessee Bureau of Investigation (TBI)
New Hope Blount County Children's Advocacy Center
United States Secret Service
Alcoa Police Department

ON CAMPUS OPPORTUNITIES

THE MC CRIME TALK student organization hosts guest speakers and plans field trips and other learning and discussion opportunities for all students who share an interest in crime, criminals and the criminal justice system.

MEET A CURRENT SCOT



Jesus Olguin De Los Santos

Hometown: Knoxville, Tennessee

Jesus's first introduction to MC was through playing at the Clayton Center for the Arts with his high school band. Struck by the beauty of the campus, Jesus later discovered that the College offered a Criminal Justice major. "I knew it was the right place for me," he said. Combining his love of music and his major, Jesus is a member of the Maryville College Tartan Band, as well as the MC Crime Talk Club.

"I enjoy learning the complexities of the criminal justice system and how it continues to adapt in a constantly shifting environment." His future plans include a career in law enforcement, eventually working for a federal agency.

MEET A RECENT GRAD



Riley Cook '23

Currently: Pursuing a JD and a Master's in Criminal Justice at Lincoln Memorial University's Duncan School of Law

Riley initially came to MC to study Biology for a career as a plastic surgeon. Midway through her sophomore year, however, Riley realized she was unhappy with her studies and changed her major to Criminal Justice, where she thrived. After she earns her master's and JD, Riley would like to join the Army Judge Advocate General's Corps (JAG Corps).

"The writing classes and my senior thesis prepared me for law school more than any other class," Riley said. "There is a lot of writing involved in law school, and Maryville College more than prepared me for it."



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