

fourth years of the program at St. Thomas University will focus on the further development of the student's theoretical and conceptual understanding of the criminal justice system in Canada into a broader context and framework. Through exposure to the humanities and social sciences at St. Thomas University, the third and fourth years of the program will further enhance the student's ability to think, write, and communicate effectively. The completion of this articulated program, with the two program components providing their respective emphasis on skilled practitioners and critical thinkers, will result in a competent, adaptable criminal justice practitioner.

Students who have completed the NBCC diploma in Criminal Justice, Police Foundations, Correctional Techniques, or Child and Youth Care OR the CCNB diploma in Techniques d'intervention en délinquance, Techniques correctionnelles, Techniques parajudiciaires, or Techniques policières and who are not admitted to the second stage of the BAA (Criminal Justice) may apply to the Bachelor of Arts Degree program. These students must complete regular graduation requirements for a Bachelor of Arts Degree.

To graduate with a Bachelor of Applied Arts in Criminal Justice, the student must successfully complete the following program of studies.

1. *First Year: New Brunswick Community College or Collège Communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick*

Students will be enrolled full time at the New Brunswick Community College or Collège Communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick. In addition to a series of required and elective courses, the program includes a three-week practicum in a criminal justice agency.

2. *Second Year: New Brunswick Community College or Collège Communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick*

Students will be enrolled full time at the New Brunswick Community College or Collège Communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick. In addition to a series of required and elective courses, the program includes a nine-week practicum in a criminal justice agency

3. *Third Year: St. Thomas University (30 credit hours)*

Please see specific requirements in Section Six: Course Descriptions (Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice).

4. *Fourth Year: St. Thomas University (30 credit hours)*

Please see specific requirements in Section Six: Course Descriptions (Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice).

C. Certificate Programs

The University offers Certificate programs in Criminology and Criminal Justice, Social Work, and Gerontology.

Certificate in Criminology and Criminal Justice

This program is designed for practitioners with at least one year of experience in the area of criminal justice. It is intended as an opportunity to engage in a coordinated study of criminology on a part-time basis.

The program consists of a minimum of 36 credit hours. Of these, 18 credit hours are from required courses; the remainder are from electives. In choosing electives, students may select

either 15 credit hours from Group A and three credit hours from Group B, or 12 credit hours from the first group and six credit hours from the second. Course descriptions are given in section four under the relevant disciplines: Criminology and Criminal Justice, Native Studies, Philosophy and Sociology. Enrolment in most courses will be limited.

1. *Required Courses*

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| SOCI 1006 | Introduction to Sociology |
| SOCI 2313 | Deviance |
| CRIM 1013 | Introduction to Criminology |
| CRIM 1023 | Introduction to Criminal Justice |
| CRIM 3143 | Charter Rights and Criminal Justice |

2. *Elective Courses*

Group A

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| CRIM 2223 | Youth Justice |
| CRIM 2233 | Police and the Canadian Community |
| CRIM 2243 | Corrections |
| CRIM 3123 | Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice |
| CRIM 3223 | Criminal Procedure |
| SOCI 3313 | Sociology of Law |
| SOCI 3323 | Women and the Law |

Group B

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| HMRT 1003 | Introduction to Human Rights |
| PHIL 3313 | Philosophy of Human Rights |
| SOCI 2416 | Inequality and Society |
| SOCI 2013 | Research Design & Method |
| NATI 3903 | Native Peoples and the Law: Theory |
| NATI 3913 | Native Peoples and the Law: Practice |

Certificate in Gerontology

This program can be taken on a full- or part-time basis. Students will be required to complete 30 credit hours of Gerontology study which includes 21 credit hours of required courses and 9 credit hours of electives.

Students will also be required to complete 50 hours of Gerontology-related activity (work/volunteer) prior to completion of the Certificate. Students who enter the program with previous experience will have this requirement waived. Previous experience will be assessed by the Gerontology Department Chair.

Enrolment in most courses will be limited. The following is an outline of the program curriculum.

1. *Introductory Requirement*

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| GERO 1013 | Introduction to Gerontology I |
| GERO 1023 | Introduction to Gerontology II |

2. *Required Core Courses*

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| GERO/PSYC-2673. | Adult Development and Aging |
| GERO 2113/SOCI-2523. | Sociology of Aging |

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| GERO-3023. | Aging and Health |
| GERO-4013. | Seminar in Gerontology |
| GERO-4023. | Advanced Seminar in Gerontology |
| GERO-3053. | Qualitative Research Methods in Gerontology |
| 3. <i>Elective Courses</i> | |
| GERO-2273. | Death and Dying in Later Life |
| GERO-3033. | Aging and Spirituality |
| GERO-3043. | Recreation, Leisure and Aging |
| GERO-3073. | Narrative Gerontology |
| GERO-3093. | Images of Aging in Film |
| GERO-3103. | Special Topics |
| GERO-3123. | Counselling Older Adults |
| GERO-3213. | Older Adults as Learners |
| GERO-3223. | Family Ties and Aging |
| GERO-3233. | Aging and Eastern Contemplative Traditions: Theory, Research, and Practice |
| GERO-3673. | Advanced Studies in Adult Development |
| GERO-3743. | Critical Approaches to Long-Term Care |
| GERO-4003. | Mental Health and Aging |
| GERO-4033. | Independent Study |
| GERO-4036. | Independent Study |
| GERO-4113. | Health Promotion for an Aging Population |

Note: Subject to the approval of the Program Director and the Registrar, other St. Thomas University or University of New Brunswick courses may be substituted for courses listed in the elective courses groups.

Certificate in Social Work

The Certificate in Social Work program is designed for practitioners and counsellors with at least one year of experience in the field of social work. This program is made available by special offering only.