

**Departmental Honors Requirements**

**CRIME AND JUSTICE STUDIES PROGRAM (CJS)**

The Departmental Honors Scholar degree designation is awarded through the University Honors Program at Wright State University.

<b>Eligibility Requirements</b>	GPA: 3.0 cumulative GPA: 3.5 major courses Junior year status
<b>Proposal and Approval Process</b>	Submit the application to the CJS Program Director. Complete a project approved by the faculty Honors advisor and register for a three semester hour course in the advisor's home discipline (PLS, SOC, URS).
<b>Academic Requirements</b>	Project Requirement: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Complete 3 credit course with a grade of A or B (PLS 4910, SOC 4080, URS 4990).</li> <li>○ Present Honors Project to the CJS Honors Committee.</li> </ul>
<b>Evaluation</b>	The <b>CJS Honors Committee</b> consists of the program director, the student's faculty Honors advisor, and one additional program faculty appointed by the program director. The student must present the project to the committee for final defense and approval. A majority of supporting votes by the members of the CJS Honors Committee will constitute successful completion of the Honors Project.
<b>Project Oversight</b>	A <b>faculty Honors advisor</b> is a Crime and Justice Studies Program faculty member of professorial rank from one of the three participating departments ( <i>Political Science, Sociology and Anthropology and Urban Affairs &amp; Geography</i> ). This faculty member will actively guide the student's progress during the course of the development of the project proposal and the execution of the project.
<b>Timeline</b>	During Junior year, application should be submitted to CJS Program Director. Once accepted, student meets with faculty Honors advisor.
<b>Forms</b>	Students complete CJS Honors application during Junior year and submit to CJS Program Director.



# APPLICATION FORM

## Crime and Justice Studies – Honors

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1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ UID \_\_\_\_\_

2. Address \_\_\_\_\_

3. City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

4. Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

5. Email address \_\_\_\_\_

6. Expected date of graduation \_\_\_\_\_

7. Cumulative grade point average for all courses \_\_\_\_\_

8. Cumulative grade point average for CJS courses \_\_\_\_\_

9. Tentative title of honors project \_\_\_\_\_  
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10. Name of faculty Honor advisor for project \_\_\_\_\_

11. Anticipated project completion date \_\_\_\_\_

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Student's signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Approved/Date:

\_\_\_\_\_ CJS Honors project advisor

\_\_\_\_\_ Director, Crime and Justice Studies Program