COURSE DELIVERY PLAN 2025

Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of Psychological Studies
COURSE CODE: LBCP
Commencing 1B1 2025

CAMPUS	City Campus (CC) and Footscray Park (FP)
COLLEGE	College of Arts, Business, Law, Education and IT
STUDY MODE	Full Time or Part Time
DURATION	4 years Full Time or Part Time equivalent
FEE TYPE	For information on course fees, refer to http://vu.edu.au/fees
APPLICATION METHOD	VTAC - https://vtac.edu.au Direct Application - https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing
TIMETABLE	vu.edu.au/timetables
COURSE REQUIREMENTS	To attain a Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of Psychological Studies students will be required to complete 384 credit points in total, consisting of: • 384 credit points Core studies including 24 credit points of psychology electives
FURTHER INFORMATION	Unit and course information is available from the University course search site at http://vu.edu.au/course-search or go to https://askvu.vu.edu.au or Phone VUHQ on 03 9919 6100
COURSE CHAIR	Katherine Scanlon Romana Morda
COURSE ADVICE	AskVU https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua

Note: Students are required to enrol in all units for semester 1 and 2, and are not permitted to enrol in more than 48 credit points per semester as a full-time load.

Core/Elective Core (a unit that must be completed) & Elective (you have some choice in what you select).

Prerequisites A number of units within the degree have 'prerequisites'. These prerequisites must be met before enrolment in the unit is permitted. Generally these prerequisites require the successful completion of a unit or units taken at an earlier stage in the course. Students should pay particular attention to these prerequisite requirements as failure to meet these can seriously hinder progression through the course.

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YEAR 1

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
Semester One						
LCR1001	Introduction to Criminology	Core	1B1	12	CC	
BLB1101	Australian Legal System in Context	Core	1B2	12	CC	
APP1016	Foundations of Psychological Research	Core	1B3	12	FP	
APP1012	Psychology 1A	Core	1B4	12	FP	
Semester Two						
HHH1000	Interpersonal Skills and Communication	Core	2B1	12	FP	
LCR1003	Crime and Inequality	Core	2B2	12	CC	
LCR1002	Policing and Offending	Core	2B3	12	CC	
APP1013	Psychology 1B	Core	2B4	12	FP	APP1012

Students should be enrolling in the above sequence patterns only. Unit offerings have been created by your discipline for your specific course. If the unit quota is full, please contact AskCUA for course advice

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YEAR 2

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
APP2013	Psychology 2A	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, WB1	12	FP	APP1012, APP1013
APP2014	Psychology 2B	Core	2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FP	APP2013
ASX1003	Foundations of Social Science Research	Core	1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FP	
BLB1114	Legal Research Methods	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, WB1	12	CC	
			1B2		ORT	
HPP2001	Developmental Psychology	Core	1B1, 1B3, 1B4	12	FP	APP1013
LLW1001	Criminal Law	Core	1B1, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114
			1B3		ORT	
LLW1002	Criminal Investigation, Procedure and Sentencing	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	BLB1101, BLB1114
			2B3		ORT	
LLW1004	Legal Interpretation	Core	1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	CC	BLB1114
			1B4		ORT	

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YEAR 3

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
APP3023	Psychological Issues in the Workplace	Core	1B3, 1B4, WB1	12	FP	APP2014
APP3028	Fieldwork	Core	1B3, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FP	APP2014
APS2030	Qualitative Social Research Methods 1	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B4, 2B4	12	FP	APP1013
APS2040	Quantitative Social Research Methods 1	Core	2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FP	APP2013
LCR2001	Corporate Crime	Core	1B1, 1B2	12	CC	LCR1001
			1B1, 2B4		ORT	
LCR2002	History of Criminal Law and Trials	Core	1B2, 2B2	12	CC	
			1B2, 1B4, 2B4		ORT	
LCR2003	Criminological Theory	Core	1B1, 2B1	12	CC	BLB1114; or ASL1003; or LCR1001; or ABA1003
			1B4		ORT	
	Psychology Elective 1	Elective		12		

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YEAR 4

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
APP3034	History, Theories and Practice of Psychology	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B4	12	FP	APP2014; and HPP2001
APP3035	Research Methods in Psychology	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B4, WB1	12	FP	APP2014
APP3037	Clinical Aspects of Psychology	Core	2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	FP	APP2014, HPP2001
LCR2004	Digital Criminology	Core	1B3	12	CC	
			1B1, 2B2, 2B4		ORT	
LCR3001	Contemporary Issues in Criminology	Core	1B2, 2B1	12	CC	
			1B2, 1B4		ORT	
LCR3004	Victims, Justice and the Law	Core	1B3, 2B3	12	CC , ORT	
LCR3902	Research Project	Core	2B2, 2B4	12	CC	LCR3901
			1B2		ORT	
	Psychology Elective 2	Elective		12		

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Psychology Electives

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
APP3015	Counselling Theory and Practice	Elective	1B4, 2B3, 2B4, WB1	12	FP	APP2013
APP3016	Group Behaviour	Elective	2B3, 2B4	12	FP	APP2013
APP3018	Organisations and Work	Elective	1B4, 2B4	12	FP	APP2013
APP3019	Psychobiology	Elective	1B1, 1B3, 2B3	12	FP	APP2013
APP3020	Psychoanalysis	Elective	1B3	12	FP	APP2013
APP3026	Cognitive Psychology	Elective		12	FP	APP2013
APP3027	Relationship and Family Wellbeing	Elective	1B2, 1B3, 2B1	12	FP	APP2013

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