



What Can I Do With A Major In...

Administration of Justice

What is Administration of Justice/Criminal Justice? Students study the roles and activities of people with regard to maintaining law and order, providing services, protecting life and property, and conducting administration, planning, and research. A Bachelor's degree with a major in criminal justice is necessary for many entry-level professional positions in law enforcement. Administration of justice typically covers criminology, ethics and crime control and law topics. An administration of justice degree is normally designed to give students the tools for a career in law enforcement or corrections. Other options for a graduate with an administration of justice degree include careers in forensics or law, but these normally require further education at the master's or doctoral level.

Potential Employers

- ❖ Federal Bureau of Investigation
- ❖ Drug Enforcement Agency
- ❖ U.S. Marshals
- ❖ Forensic Science
- ❖ Immigration and Naturalization Services
- ❖ Correctional Agencies
- ❖ Law Enforcement
- ❖ Bureau of Firearms/Explosives
- ❖ U.S. Customs
- ❖ Security Agencies/Management
- ❖ Juvenile Detention Centers
- ❖ County Jails
- ❖ Domestic Violence Agencies

Possible Job Titles

- ❖ Sheriff's Deputy
- ❖ State Patrol
- ❖ US Marshal Deputy
- ❖ Detention Officer
- ❖ Correctional Officer
- ❖ Immigration Enforcement Officer
- ❖ Homicide Detective
- ❖ Border Patrol Agent

- ❖ Police Officer
- ❖ Detective
- ❖ Criminal Investigator
- ❖ Probation/Parole Officer
- ❖ Forensic Science Technician
- ❖ Security Guard
- ❖ Private Detective
- ❖ State Trooper
- ❖ Sheriff

- ❖ Fraud Investigator
- ❖ FBI Agent
- ❖ CIA Agent
- ❖ DEA Agent
- ❖ Juvenile Justice Counselor
- ❖ Employment Counselor
- ❖ Computer Forensic Agent
- ❖ Social Worker
- ❖ Customs Agent

How This Major Helps You Move Forward:

Skills Learned in This Major:

- ❖ Problem Solving
- ❖ Able to Observe, Analyze, & Interpret Information
- ❖ Interviewing Techniques
- ❖ Engage in Ethical Practice
- ❖ Knowledge of Human Behavior
- ❖ Written/Oral Communication
- ❖ Time Management
- ❖ Critical and Inferential

Additional Information can be found at:

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www.salary.com
www.uncw.edu/career/WhatCanIDoWithaMajorIn.html
www.cacareerzone.org
www.lamission.edu/careercenter

CSU/UC Related Transfer Majors:

- ❖ **CSULA:** Criminal Justice, B.S.
- ❖ **CSUN:** Criminology & Justice Studies, B.A.
- ❖ **UCI:** Criminology, Law and Society, B.A.
- ❖ **CSU Fullerton:** Criminal Justice B.A.

Go to www.assist.org to see more universities that offer these majors

Graduate Degree Options:

- ❖ **CSU Long Beach:** Criminology or Criminal Justice MS
- ❖ **CSU LA:** Forensic Science MS
- ❖ **UC Irvine:** Criminology, Law and Society MAS/PhD

This is **general information**. For specific information on majors and careers please see a counselor in the Career Center – Claudia Ramirez (818) 833-3403; careercenter@lamission.edu