

Welcome to the Western Oregon University Criminal Justice Sciences Division

On behalf of the criminal justice faculty and staff, I'd like to thank you for your interest in our programs! Our friendly and knowledgeable professors are always ready to work with you to achieve your academic goals and to ensure that your time at WOU is not only interesting, but also fun. We love that students come to us with a wide range of career aspirations in mind, and we are happy to support those goals all the way to graduation day and beyond!

You may be wondering what kinds of topics you would be studying as a criminal justice major or minor. Well, there are a lot! Our classes incorporate fields such as corrections, crime prevention, law enforcement, youth crime, forensic investigation, homeland security, anthropology, the court system and many others. I am confident in saying that criminal justice is one of the most versatile programs that WOU has to offer; in fact, it's one of the top five programs at the university for that exact reason.

By the time you've completed your degree in criminal justice at WOU, you'll be prepared for success in a variety of workforce options, both within and outside of the criminal justice system. Our past students have gone on to careers ranging from corrections and social services to law enforcement and grad school. Your degree will be great for many different careers because you will have learned such a varied skill set from our expert faculty.

If you have any questions about the criminal justice program or potential careers in that field, my door is always open. I invite you to visit our website at wou.edu/criminal-justice or email us at criminaljustice@wou.edu.



Vivian

Vivian Djokotoe
Professor and Division Chair



MAJORS

Criminal Justice

**Cybercrime
Investigation and
Enforcement**

MINORS

**Forensic
Anthropology**

**Homeland
Security**

Juvenile Justice

MASTERS PROGRAM

Criminal Justice

CERTIFICATE

**Homeland
Security and
Community
Preparedness**



Western Oregon
UNIVERSITY

Together we **SUCCEED**