

# CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND SPANISH CULTURAL & LANGUAGE COMPETENCY, CERTIFICATE

The Certificate in Criminal Justice and Spanish Cultural & Language Competency prepares students to speak conversational Spanish and gain competency in Spanish cultures and literature. This certificate represents a valuable credential for those seeking to enter a criminal justice profession that often demands practical skills in understanding and working with diverse cultures.

To access Certificate Requirements, please view the Curriculum Guide tab.

## Related Links

Criminal Justice and Spanish Cultural and Language Competency, Certificate Program Page (<https://www.sru.edu/academics/certificates/criminal-justice-and-spanish-cultural-and-language-competency-certificate/>)

Professional Licensure/Certification Page (<https://www.sru.edu/students/student-consumer-information/professional-licensure/>)

## Curriculum Guide

### GPA Requirement

Certificate GPA: 2.0 or higher

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Code	Title	Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
Select fifteen credits of the following:		15
SPAN 103 or SPAN 104	Spanish Language & Culture III <sup>1</sup> Situational Spanish	
SPAN 200	Writing in Spanish for the Professions I <sup>1</sup>	
SPAN 201	Speaking in Spanish for the Professions I <sup>1</sup>	
SPAN 215	Topics in Hispanic Culture	
SPAN 220	Understanding Hispanic Cultures Through Reading <sup>1</sup>	
CRIM 343 & CRIM 360	Criminal Investigations and Police and Society	
CRIM 380 & CRIM 404	Women & the Criminal Justice System and Applied Criminal Procedures	
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

<sup>1</sup> A grade of "C" or better is required.

\* Some courses may require pre-requisites. Please see course descriptions to determine if there are any pre-requisites for that specific course.

### Important Curriculum Guide Notes

This Curriculum Guide is provided to help SRU students and prospective students better understand their intended major curriculum. Enrolled SRU students should note that the My Rock Audit may place already-

earned and/or in progress courses in different, yet valid, curriculum categories. Enrolled SRU students should use the My Rock Audit Report and materials and information provided by their faculty advisers to ensure accurate progress towards degree completion. *The information on this guide is current as of the date listed. Students are responsible for curriculum requirements at the time of enrollment at the University.*

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