

## CERTIFICATE OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES IN FORENSIC STUDIES

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### Program Structure

A minimum of 12 semester hours (sh) is required for the completion of the CUGS in Forensic Studies. Students will be required to take at least three Forensic courses for 9-10 (sh). Beyond the required 9-10 (sh), students can choose to: take an additional **Forensic course** or take a course from the **Electives Bank** for an additional 3-4 (sh), for a total of 12-14 (sh) to fulfill the minimum requirement. Students may choose to take additional courses from the Electives Bank. Students should consult with the Forensic Studies Coordinator, Dr. Maria Rosado, in declaring the CUGS in Forensic Studies and in planning their program of study.

Students will be required to take at least three **Forensic courses** for 9-10 (sh):

Course	Gen Ed	Prerequisite/ Restrictions	Semester Hours (s.h.)	Offered
*ANTH 02315 Forensic Anthropology	No	Yes: ANTH 02221 or BIOL 10210	4	Once every other year
LAWJ05.290 Forensic Law	No	None	3	Once per semester
Foundations of Computer Forensics CS 07.252	No	None	3	Once per year (Spring semester)
CHEM 05249 Introduction to Forensic Science	Yes	None	3	Once per year

\* Forensic Anthropology is a designated Lab Science course.

Students will take one course from the following **Electives Bank** for 3-4 (sh):

<b>Course</b>	<b>Prerequisite</b>	<b>Semester Hours (s.h.)</b>
LAWJ05.335 Criminal Procedure I	None	3
LAWJ05.312 Criminal Procedure II	None	3
LAWJ 05322 Drugs And Crime In America	None	3
LAWJ 05285 Criminal Investigation	None	3
LAWJ 05175 Survey of Criminal Justice	None	3
LAWJ 05255 Criminal Law	None	3
CHEM 05350 Forensic Chemistry (Lab course)	None	4
BIOL 22335 Genetics	BIOL 22335	4
HES 00343 Kinesiology	BIOL 10210 and BIOL 10212, or HES 0024, or PHED 35241 and HES 00242, or PHED 35242, or PHED 35344	3
PSY 01305 Psychology and Law	PSY 01100 or PSY 01107	3

BMV 09361:Medical Sculpture & Forensic Reconstruction (3 s.h.) Prerequisite(s): ART 02222 and (ART 09253 or BMV 09253) can substitute for one of the above courses.  
See Dr. Rosado for details.