

CRIM2M

2016 - 2017

Master [120] in Criminology

At Louvain-la-Neuve - 120 credits - 2 years - Customized schedule - In frenchDissertation/Graduation Project : **YES** - Internship : **YES**Activities in English: **NO** - Activities in other languages : **NO**Activities on other sites : **NO**Main study domain : **Criminologie**Organized by: **Faculté de droit et de criminologie (DRT)**Programme code: **crim2m** - Francophone Certification Framework: 7**Table of contents**

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CRIM2M - Introduction

Introduction

Introduction

The School of Criminology provides specialized multidisciplinary training which allows to understand crime in all its complexity. The training focuses on several disciplinary areas: criminal law and criminal practices; psychological processes involved in the transition to the crime; social factors acting out and social mechanisms of creation of criminal law and the conditions of its application; study of human behavior in its interaction with biological, social and psychological dimensions.

Your profile

- Are you interested in issues of deviance;
- you plan to perform duties in the field of prevention and repression of crime;
- you place the individual at the center of your concerns and you want to be socially useful;
- you are looking for a training that prepares you for the response on the ground.

Your future job

Fields of action of the criminologist are:

- the Courts (federal and local) and prisons;
- the youth welfare: social service courts, facilities for children in care teams in the community, etc.;
- the prevention services created under security contracts and society;
- the Mental Health and Addiction;
- the social assistance to individuals (remand prisoners, detainees, victims, etc..) in the homes of justice in victim services, etc.;
- the research.

Your programme

The master offers:

- an interdisciplinary approach to deviance from the norm (sociology, law, psychology and biology);
- a specialized training in legal matters in connection with the crime and the penalty;
- an applied learning intervention: Maintenance behaviors, conflict management and crisis situations, etc.;
- extensive methodological tools;
- an internship in the field;
- the possibility of a part of your master abroad.

Specializations

The Master in Criminology offers a Professional focus "criminology of the intervention" and a Research focus.

CRIM2M - Teaching profile

Learning outcomes

The goal of the master is to offer the students the theoretical and methodological resources to understand criminality and penalty and, more generally, deviance and social control.

The professional focus master aims to help students specialise in intervention in order to be able to teach in sectors aiding and protecting young people, the police, executing penalties and criminal measures, legal aid and dealing with delinquency.

The research focus master aims to train students in careers in research and analysis in the fields of psychological or sociological criminology and criminal policy.

Skills developed :

- Deeper understanding and critical analysis of criminality and penalty, deviance and social control, and the scientific work devoted to these phenomena;
- Conducting interviews ; intervening in situations of conflict and crisis, reflecting on intervention practices
- Wording of research questions; building up research tools; carrying out empirical research; thinking about research practices.

Knowledge to acquire :

- Major theories in psychological and sociological criminology from the crime to the administration of criminal justice;
- Intervention and research methodology ;
- Legal matters in relation to criminality and penalty.

On successful completion of this programme, each student is able to :

- **Maîtriser de manière intégrée un corpus de connaissances relatives aux disciplines principales (droit, psychologie, psychiatrie, sociologie, sciences médico-légales) autour desquelles s'articule la criminologie, corpus sur lequel le diplômé s'appuie pour comprendre et réfléchir une « situation-problème » intéressant la criminologie.**

- Maîtriser le corpus de lois et de règles qui d'une part érigent certaines situations en infractions et d'autre part définissent et organisent les façons dont les autorités publiques les appréhendent et les résolvent.
- Maîtriser les théories psychologiques, psychiatriques, sociologiques et médico-légales mobilisées par la criminologie pour expliquer ou problématiser ces situations, phénomènes définis comme criminels ou perçus comme déviants.
- Étudier les processus de création des lois et des règles, leur application, ainsi que les usages et effets de la pénalisation des situations.
- Analyser de manière approfondie les éléments politiques, économiques, sociaux et psychiques en jeu dans la réaction sociale formelle et informelle.
- Analyser de manière approfondie les processus psychiques et sociaux en jeu dans les passages à l'acte et dans les carrières déviantes.
- Analyser de manière critique ce que la problématisation criminologique des situations pénalisées ajoute ou enlève à leur intelligibilité.

- **Maîtriser et mobiliser la rigueur de la méthodologie indispensable à toute intervention et à toute réflexion sur des questions intéressant la criminologie.**

- Faire preuve de la rigueur, de la précision et de l'esprit critiques indispensables à toute démarche scientifique.
- Réfléchir de manière scientifique les phénomènes qui intéressent la criminologie en fonction des facteurs psychologiques, psychiatriques, médico-légaux, sociologiques, économiques, politiques, historiques et culturels.
- Maîtriser et mobiliser les outils d'analyse tant statistiques que qualitatifs pertinents pour l'étude de problématiques données.

- **Analyser de manière critique, selon une approche transdisciplinaire et réflexive, des « situations-problèmes » intéressant la criminologie et contribuer à l'élaboration de réponses et d'actions concrètes et contextualisées.**

- Approcher les réactions sociales formelles et informelles et les « situations-problèmes » auxquelles elles s'appliquent en articulant les différents angles d'analyse disciplinaires et en tenant compte des limites de chaque discipline et de leurs interrelations.
- Appliquer une méthodologie rigoureuse qui, tout en composant avec les incomplétudes, permette tout à la fois de problématiser la « solution » pénale et de résoudre les « situations-problèmes », au moyen de débats constructifs entre les diverses disciplines mobilisées par les criminologues.
- Dans ce dialogue transdisciplinaire, faire preuve de réflexivité et de recul critique, vis-à-vis d'autrui et de soi-même.

- Analyser, évaluer, restituer clairement et établir des liens entre des informations et des points de vue différents, en interaction avec les acteurs et institutions impliqués dans les «situations-problèmes».
- Élaborer des stratégies et des actions concrètes en faisant preuve d'ouverture et de créativité
- Confronter théorie et pratique, notamment à travers une expérience de stage, afin d'apprendre à porter un regard critique sur le fonctionnement d'une institution et sur un ou plusieurs type(s) de situations problématiques.

• Analyser les pratiques d'intervention et leurs logiques pour apprendre à se positionner dans divers champs d'intervention avec pertinence et réflexivité.

- Connaître, comprendre, analyser et porter un regard critique sur différentes institutions (par exemple : les organisations policières, les tribunaux, les prisons, l'aide à la jeunesse, l'aide aux justiciables, la santé mentale ...) qui font l'objet des études de criminologie.
- Comprendre, analyser et critiquer de manière argumentée et selon une approche transdisciplinaire les fondements théoriques, la pertinence et les limites des principaux modes, techniques et pratiques d'intervention des criminologues.
- Différencier la pluralité d'intervention et leurs types de finalités et penser l'articulation entre, d'une part, la prévention/protection et le traitement et, d'autre part, la répression, la sanction, la probation, la guidance, la médiation, la réparation...
- Maîtriser et appliquer les outils méthodologiques liés à l'élaboration, la mise en Œuvre et l'évaluation des pratiques d'intervention dans les divers champs qui intéressent le criminologue.

• Concevoir et réaliser un travail de recherche de nature transdisciplinaire (mémoire), mettant en Œuvre une démarche scientifique et méthodologique rigoureuse, pour approfondir une question de recherche inédite relative aux usages du pénal et aux situations-problèmes qui intéressent la criminologie.

- Formuler une question de recherche complexe.
- Rendre compte de l'état des connaissances sur cette question.
- Construire et mettre en Œuvre un dispositif méthodologique rigoureux et pertinent en vue d'y répondre.
- Concevoir et réaliser, le cas échéant, une recherche empirique quantitative et/ou qualitative, en mobilisant les outils d'analyse adéquats.
- Analyser et interpréter les résultats.
- Développer un esprit de synthèse et formuler des conclusions.
- Faire preuve, de manière générale, d'un recul critique tant sur son propre travail que sur les connaissances qui y sont mobilisées.

• Communiquer, dialoguer, collaborer et tenir la fonction d'interface avec les différents acteurs impliqués dans une situation donnée.

- Communiquer, à l'oral et à l'écrit sur des sujets complexes (des informations, des idées, des conclusions, des pistes d'actions concrètes, ainsi que les connaissances et principes sous-jacents) de façon claire, structurée, argumentée selon les standards de communication spécifiques au contexte et en adaptant sa présentation au public visé et aux intentions poursuivies.
- Dialoguer de manière respectueuse et constructive avec des interlocuteurs variés (tant d'un point de vue socio-culturel, qu'au départ de leur fonction, de leurs champs d'action et de leur domaine disciplinaire d'expertise) en faisant preuve de capacité d'écoute, d'ouverture d'esprit, d'empathie, de distanciation et d'assertivité.
- Reconnaître et prendre en considération la diversité des points de vue et des modes de pensée, remplir la fonction d'interface ou de médiateur entre des points de vue contrastés et gérer de manière constructive les conflits dans un souci éthique.
- Interagir et collaborer efficacement au sein d'une équipe pluridisciplinaire et avec différents acteurs en réseaux impliqués dans une situation donnée.
- En langues étrangères* (néerlandais ou anglais) communiquer à l'oral et à l'écrit de façon claire, cohérente, argumentée et avec aisance sur des sujets d'ordre général ou relatifs au domaine d'études ; Percevoir les différences et similitudes entre la culture cible (relative à la langue concernée) et la culture d'origine ainsi qu'utiliser des stratégies appropriées pour établir le contact avec des locuteurs de la culture cible.

* Niveau B2 du cadre européen commun de référence.

• Agir de manière professionnelle, en acteur critique et responsable, animé par une éthique, et soucieux d'un apprentissage continu.

- S'engager, décider et agir de manière responsable dans le respect du cadre et du contexte de travail, de la déontologie et des valeurs éthiques.
- Agir de manière autonome dans le respect d'autrui en faisant preuve du sens des responsabilités et en étant capable de prendre et d'assumer des décisions.
- Identifier et intégrer, de manière autonome, les nouvelles connaissances et compétences nécessaires pour pouvoir appréhender rapidement de nouveaux contextes et situations.

- Intégrer une logique d'évaluation et d'apprentissage continu nécessaire pour évoluer dans son environnement social et professionnel.
- Faire preuve de tolérance, d'ouverture d'esprit et assumer ses doutes.

Programme structure

The programme of the Master in Criminology is built around core courses mainly taught in the first year, on the basis of which students are invited to take the research or professional focus in the second year, as described above, for a total of 120 credits.

The **program of the first year** of the master consists of:

- courses and practical exercises of core (compulsory) (distributed throughout the year);
- a course in English or Dutch;
- the accompanying seminar (2nd semester).

The **program of the second year** of the master consists of:

- a course in English or Dutch;
- a **choice of focus**, accounting for 30 credits (5 courses of 6 credits, spread over 2 semesters):
 - specialized in criminology purpose of the intervention,
 - the research focus,
- **professional internship** of 300 h and its accompanying seminar (1st semester);
- the **dissertation** (spread over the whole year).

For a programme-type, and regardless of the focus, options/or elective courses selected, this master will carry a minimum of 120 credits divided over two annual units, corresponding to 60 credits each.

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Focuses

[> Professional focus:Criminological Intervention](#) [en-prog-2016-crim2m-lcrim210s]

[> Research focus](#) [en-prog-2016-crim2m-lcrim230a]

CRIM2M Detailed programme

Programme by subject

CORE COURSES [90.0]

○ Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2016-2017

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2016-2017

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2016-2017

■ Activity with requisites

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

Year

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o Languages Tools

Two courses on the same language

⊗ LNEER2423	Dutch communication skills for students in criminology - Intermediate level	Marie-Paule.Vanelderen (coord.)	30h	4 Credits	1q	x	
⊗ LNEER2623	Entry to professional life in Dutch for criminologists - Upper-intermediate level ■	Marie-Paule.Vanelderen (coord.)	30h	3 Credits	1q		x

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⌘ LANGL2423	English Communication Skills for Students in Criminology	Claudine.Grommersch Nathalie.Heiderscheidt (coord.)	30h	4 Credits	1 ou 2q	x		
⌘ LANGL2623	Entry to Professional life in English for Criminologists 🟡	Claudine.Grommersch (coord.) Nathalie.Heiderscheidt	30h	3 Credits	1 + 2q		x	

o Methodological Tools

○ LCRIM2101	Methodology of criminology	Dan.Kaminski	30h+15h	6 Credits	2q	x	
○ LCRIM2111	Statistiques et méthodes informatiques en criminologie	Frederic.Vesentini	30h+15h	6 Credits	2q	x	
○ LCRIM2301	Psychological and sociological Interviewing	Anne-Christine.Frankard	15h+15h	4 Credits	2q	x	

o Psychological Tools

○ LCRIM2103	Criminal Psychology	Christophe.Adam	45h+15h	6 Credits	1q	x	
○ LCRIM2108	Criminology and Psychiatry	Antoine.Masson	45h	6 Credits	2q	x	

o Sociological Tools

○ LCRIM2104	Criminal Sociology	Fabienne.Brion	30h+15h	6 Credits	1q	x	
○ LCRIM2105	Sociological Aspects of the Administration of Criminal Justice	Dan.Kaminski	30h	4 Credits	1q	x	
○ LCRIM2106	Penology	Fabienne.Brion Xavier.Rousseaux (compensates Fabienne Brion)	30h	4 Credits	2q	x	

o Legal Tools

○ LCRIM2107	Protection of Youth : Institution and Practices	Thierry.Moreau	30h	4 Credits	2q	x	
○ LCRIM2109	Criminal Sanction's Execution Law	Marie-Aude.Beernaert Thierry.Moreau	30h	4 Credits	1q	x	
○ LCRIM2110	Police Law and Practice	Christian- Paul.Devalkeneer	30h	4 Credits	2q	x	

o Apprenticeship in criminology

○ LCRIM2221	Stage et séminaire de supervision du stage 🟡	Thierry.Moreau	300h+30h	12 Credits	1q		x
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o End of Study Thesis in Criminology

○ LCRIM2222	Seminar and thesis supervision	Christophe.Adam Fabienne.Brion Marialuisa.Cesoni Christian- Paul.Devalkeneer Marie-Sophie.Devresse Vincent.Francis Christophe.Janssen Christophe.Janssen (compensates Thierry Moreau) Alice.Jaspart Dan.Kaminski Antoine.Masson Isabelle.Ravier Bertrand.Renard	15h	2 Credits	2q	x	
○ LCRIM2200	End of study Thesis 🟡			15 Credits	1 ou 2q		x

LIST OF FOCUSES

- > Professional focus: **Criminological Intervention** [en-prog-2016-crim2m-lcrim210s]
 > Research focus [en-prog-2016-crim2m-lcrim230a]

PROFESSIONAL FOCUS: CRIMINOLOGICAL INTERVENTION [30.0]

The professional focus is considering the actual and current issues in criminological intervention, with the assistance of field professionals involved in the formation of criminologists and mobilizing their skills in a practical setting.

- Mandatory
 △ Courses not taught during 2016-2017
 ⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2016-2017
 ⊗ Optional
 ⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2016-2017
 ■ Activity with requisites

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Year

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o Criminology of Intervention

Three courses from the following

⊗ LCRIM2302	Clinical Approachs of Conflicts' and crisis' situations ■	Christophe.Janssen	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2303	Forensic Medicine and Criminalistic	Frederic.Bonbled	30h	6 Credits	1q	x
⊗ LCRIM2304	Deontological and Ethical Issues in Criminology ■	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Dan.Kaminski Dan.Kaminski (compensates Marie-Sophie Devresse)	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2307	Victims and Victimology ■	Bertrand.Renard Jacques.Roisin	30h	6 Credits	2q	x

o Interdisciplinary approaches in criminology

One course from the following :

⊗ LCRIM2305	Interdisciplinary Approach of Criminological Practices ■	Dan.Kaminski Isabelle.Ravier	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2306	Interdisciplinary Approach of Delinquency : Prevention and Treatment ■	Christophe.Adam Antoine.Masson	30h	6 Credits	1q	x
⊗ LCRIM2308	Interdisciplinary Approach of Security ■	Christian-Paul.Devalkeneer Vincent.Francis	30h	6 Credits	2q	x

o Theoretical Perspectives in criminology

One course from the following :

⊗ LCRIM2501	In-Depth psycho-analytical Perspectives in criminology ■	Antoine.Masson	30h	6 Credits	1q	x
⊗ LCRIM2502	Critical Perspectives in clinical Criminology ■	Christophe.Adam	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2503	Foucauldian Perspectives in Criminology ■	Fabienne.Brion	30h	6 Credits	1q	x
⊗ LCRIM2504	Marxist Perspectives in Criminology ■	Fabienne.Brion Fabienne.Brion (compensates Marie-Sophie Devresse) Marie-Sophie.Devresse	30h	6 Credits	1q	x

RESEARCH FOCUS [30.0]

○ Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2016-2017

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2016-2017

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2016-2017

■ Activity with requisites

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Year

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○ Trois cours parmi les cours de "Perspectives"

⊗ LCRIM2501	In-Depth psycho-analytical Perspectives in criminology ■	Antoine.Masson	30h	6 Credits	1q	x
⊗ LCRIM2502	Critical Perspectives in clinical Criminology ■	Christophe.Adam	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2503	Foucauldian Perspectives in Criminology ■	Fabienne.Brion	30h	6 Credits	1q	x
⊗ LCRIM2504	Marxist Perspectives in Criminology ■	Fabienne.Brion Fabienne.Brion (compensates Marie- Sophie Devresse) Marie-Sophie.Devresse	30h	6 Credits	1q	x

○ Un ou deux cours de recherche

De 6 à 12 crédits parmi

○ LCRIM2505	Researchs in Criminal Politics ■	Marialuisa.Cesoni	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
○ LCRIM2506	Researchs in Criminal Psychopathology : Methodes, Practices, Stakes ■	Christophe.Janssen Antoine.Masson	30h	6 Credits	2q	x

○ Si un seul cours a été choisi parmi les cours de "Recherche", un cours parmi les cours suivants :

⊗ LCRIM2302	Clinical Approachs of Conflicts' and crisis' situations ■	Christophe.Janssen	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2303	Forensic Medicine and Criminalistic	Frederic.Bonbled	30h	6 Credits	1q	x
⊗ LCRIM2304	Deontological and Ethical Issues in Criminology ■	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Dan.Kaminski Dan.Kaminski (compensates Marie- Sophie Devresse)	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2305	Interdisciplinary Approach of Criminological Practices ■	Dan.Kaminski Isabelle.Ravier	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2306	Interdisciplinary Approach of Delinquency : Prevention and Treatment ■	Christophe.Adam Antoine.Masson	30h	6 Credits	1q	x
⊗ LCRIM2307	Victims and Victimology ■	Bertrand.Renard Jacques.Roisin	30h	6 Credits	2q	x
⊗ LCRIM2308	Interdisciplinary Approach of Security ■	Christian- Paul.Devalkeneer Vincent.Francis	30h	6 Credits	2q	x

Course prerequisites

A document entitled [en-prerequis-2016-crim2m.pdf](#) specifies the activities (course units - CU) with one or more pre-requisite(s) within the study programme, that is the CU whose learning outcomes must have been certified and for which the credits must have been granted by the jury before the student is authorised to sign up for that activity.

These activities are identified in the study programme: their title is followed by a yellow square.

As the prerequisites are a requirement of enrolment, there are none within a year of a course.

The prerequisites are defined for the CUs for different years and therefore influence the order in which the student can enrol in the programme's CUs.

In addition, when the panel validates a student's individual programme at the beginning of the year, it ensures the consistency of the individual programme:

- It can change a prerequisite into a corequisite within a single year (to allow studies to be continued with an adequate annual load);
- It can require the student to combine enrolment in two separate CUs it considers necessary for educational purposes.

For more information, please consult [regulation of studies and exams](#).

The programme's courses and learning outcomes

For each UCL training programme, a [reference framework of learning outcomes](#) specifies the competences expected of every graduate on completion of the programme. You can see the contribution of each teaching unit to the programme's reference framework of learning outcomes in the document "In which teaching units are the competences and learning outcomes in the programme's reference framework developed and mastered by the student?"

The document is available by clicking [this link](#) after being authenticated with UCL account.

CRIM2M - Information

Admission

General and specific admission requirements for this program must be satisfied at the time of enrolling at the university..

Il faut apporter la preuve d'une maîtrise suffisante de la langue française (niveau B1 du [Cadre européen commun de référence](#)).

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University Bachelors

Diploma	Special Requirements	Access	Remarks
UCL Bachelors			
All Bachelor UCL	If he has followed the Minor in Criminology	Direct access	
All Bachelor UCL	If he hasn't followed the Minor in Criminology	Access with additional training	Additional training to be determined depending on the program followed previously: maximum 15 credits
Others Bachelors of the French speaking Community of Belgium			
All Bachelor		Access with additional training	Additional training to be determined depending on the program followed previously: maximum 15 credits
Bachelors of the Dutch speaking Community of Belgium			
Bachelor of Science in de criminologische wetenschappen		Direct access	
Other Bachelor		Access with additional training	Additional training to be determined depending on the program followed previously: maximum 15 credits
Foreign Bachelors			
All Bachelor		On the file: direct access or access with additional training	Subject to approval of application Additional training to be determined depending on the program followed previously: maximum 60 credits

Non university Bachelors

Diploma	Access	Remarks
> Find out more about links to the university		
> BA - assistant(e) en psychologie (toutes options) > BA - assistant(e) social(e) > BA - conseiller(ère) social(e)	Accès au master moyennant ajout de maximum 60 crédits d'enseignements supplémentaires obligatoires	Type court

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > BA - éducateur(trice) spécialisé(e) en accompagnement psycho-éducatif > BA en chimie (toutes finalités) > BA en chimie finalité biochimie > BA en communication > BA en droit > BA en gestion des ressources humaines > BA en sciences administratives et gestion publique > BA en soins infirmiers > BA en soins infirmiers, suivi de la Spécialisation en santé mentale et psychiatrie > BA en écologie sociale > BA-AESI en sciences humaines: histoire, géographie, sciences sociales 	au programme. Voir 'Module complémentaire'
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Holders of a 2nd cycle University degree

Diploma	Special Requirements	Access	Remarks
"Licenciés"			
Every holder of a license or an engineering degree		Access with additional training	Additional training to be determined depending on the program followed previously: maximum 15 credits
Every holder of a license or a foreign engineering degree		On the file: direct access or access with additional training	Subject to approval of application Additional training to be determined depending on the program followed previously: maximum 60 credits

Masters

Every holder of a Master UCL	If he has followed the Minor in Criminology in the Bachelor programme	Direct access	
Every holder of a Master	If he hasn't followed the Minor in Criminology in the Bachelor programme	Access with additional training	Additional training to be determined depending on the program followed previously: maximum 15 credits
Every holder of a foreign Master		On the file: direct access or access with additional training	Subject to approval of application Additional training to be determined depending on the program followed previously: maximum 60 credits

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Holders of a non-University 2nd cycle degree

Diploma	Access	Remarks
> Find out more about links to the university		
> Tout master de l'enseignement supérieur hors université	Accès direct au master moyennant ajout éventuel de 15 crédits max	Type long

Adults taking up their university training

> See the website [Valorisation des acquis de l'expérience](#)

It is possible to gain admission to all masters courses via the validation of professional experience procedure.

Personalized access

Reminder : all Masters (apart from Advanced Masters) are also accessible on file.

Admission and Enrolment Procedures for general registration

Specific procedures :

- Adults wishing to enhance their personal or professional experience acquired in the field of criminology are encouraged to visit the VAE website or the School of Criminology.
- Candidates of foreign nationality introduce their application to the Registration Department, Place de l'Université, 1 - B 1348 Louvain-la-Neuve, as described at: <https://uclouvain.be/inscription>

Supplementary classes

To enrol for this Masters, the student must have a good command of certain subjects. If this is not the case, they must add preparatory modules to their Master's programme.

The training added to some students depending on the program followed previously :

- **Belgian university bachelor degree** (law, psychology and other programs): maximum additional training 15 credits
- **Belgian non-university bachelor degree:**
 - Social worker assistant in law, in psychology, administrative sciences and public administration
Adding more training (15 to 30 credits)
 - Nursing, Nursing, Mental Health and Psychiatry, Educator specialized in psycho-educational support, Communication, Social Counselor, Social Ecology, Human Resource Management
Adding more training (30 to 60 credits)
- **Belgian Master degree of non-university higher education:** maximum additional training 15 credits (to be defined at the time of admission).
- **undergraduate degree from a foreign university**
access to application file. A maximum of 60 credits of additional training can be added to your program.
Subject to acceptance of the dossier.
- **You have professional experience of at least five years in criminology sector**
access to file, access via the valuation of acquired experience (VAE). A maximum of 60 credits of additional training can be added to your program.
Subject to acceptance of the dossier.

The access for students of the High Schools were revised under the Decree "Paysage". This joint proposal from the Universities of the French Community of Belgium must be validated by the Academy of Research and Higher Education (ARES).

○ Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2016-2017

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2016-2017

⊗ Optional

⊖ Periodic courses not taught during 2016-2017

■ Activity with requisites

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

max=60 credits parmi

⊗ *Bachelier universitaire en droit qui n'a pas suivi la mineure en criminologie*

○ LECRI1501	History of Criminology	Dan.Kaminski	30h	5 Credits	2q
○ LECRI1502	Introduction to biomedical Sciences in relation with Criminology	Frederic.Bonbled	30h	4 Credits	2q
○ LECRI1508	Introduction à la psychologie clinique	Christophe.Janssen	30h	5 Credits	1q

⊗ *Bachelier universitaire en psychologie qui n'a pas suivi la mineure en criminologie*

○ LECRI1501	History of Criminology	Dan.Kaminski	30h	5 Credits	2q
○ LECRI1504	Elements of Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure	Damien.Vandermeersch	60h	6 Credits	1q

○ Pour les étudiants étrangers qui n'ont pas eu de cours de sociologie

Un cours parmi les cours suivants

⊗ LDROI1221	Introduction to Sociology	Eric.Mangez Benoit.Rihoux	45h	3 Credits	1q
⊗ LPOLS1234	Theories and concepts in sociology	Hugues.Draelants (compensates Marc Zune) Gregoire.Lits (compensates Marc Zune) Marc.Zune	30h	3 Credits	1q

⊗ *Autre bachelier universitaire*

○ LECRI1501	History of Criminology	Dan.Kaminski	30h	5 Credits	2q
○ LECRI1508	Introduction à la psychologie clinique	Christophe.Janssen	30h	5 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1504	Elements of Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure	Damien.Vandermeersch	60h	5 Credits	1q

⌘ Assistant social

○ LECRI1508	Introduction à la psychologie clinique	Christophe.Janssen	30h	5 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1507	Practical Research Seminar in Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Emmanuelle.Melan (compensates Marie-Sophie Devresse)	30h	6 Credits	1q

○ Formation en langue (5 credits)

○ Cours au choix (5 credits)

Un cours parmi les cours suivants

⌘ LANGL1823	English - Reading and listening comprehension of texts in criminology	Nathalie.Heiderscheidt (coord.)	30h	5 Credits	1 + 2q
⌘ LNEER1823	Dutch - Comprehension of texts in the field of law - Intermediate level	Hilde.Bufkens Lutgarde.Schrijvers Marie-Paule.Vanelderden (coord.)	30h	5 Credits	1 + 2q
○ LECRI1501	History of Criminology	Dan.Kaminski	30h	5 Credits	2q
○ LECRI1503	Introduction to Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Dan.Kaminski (compensates Marie-Sophie Devresse)	30h+15h	6 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1504B	Elements of procedure law	Damien.Vandermeersch	30h	3 Credits	1q

⌘ Assistant en droit

○ LECRI1508	Introduction à la psychologie clinique	Christophe.Janssen	30h	5 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1507	Practical Research Seminar in Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Emmanuelle.Melan (compensates Marie-Sophie Devresse)	30h	6 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1501	History of Criminology	Dan.Kaminski	30h	5 Credits	2q
○ LECRI1502	Introduction to biomedical Sciences in relation with Criminology	Frederic.Bonbled	30h	4 Credits	2q

○ Un cours au choix

Un cours parmi les cours suivants

⌘ LECRI1505	Criminology of Marginalized Populations	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Alice.Jaspart (compensates Marie-Sophie Devresse)	30h	4 Credits	2q
⌘ LPOLS1215	Sociology of social policies	Nathalie.Burnay	30h	4 Credits	2q
○ LECRI1503	Introduction to Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Dan.Kaminski (compensates Marie-Sophie Devresse)	30h+15h	6 Credits	1q

⌘ Assistant en psychologie

○ LECRI1507	Practical Research Seminar in Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Emmanuelle.Melan (compensates Marie-Sophie Devresse)	30h	6 Credits	1q
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○ Cours au choix

Un cours parmi les cours suivants

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⊗ LPOLS1234	Theories and concepts in sociology	Hugues.Draelants (compensates Marc Zune) Gregoire.Lits (compensates Marc Zune) Marc.Zune	30h	3 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1501	History of Criminology	Dan.Kaminski	30h	5 Credits	2q
○ LECRI1503	Introduction to Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Dan.Kaminski (compensates Marie- Sophie Devresse)	30h+15h	6 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1504	Elements of Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure	Damien.Vandermeersch	60h	6 Credits	1q

○ Un cours au choix

Un cours parmi les cours suivants

⊗ LECRI1505	Criminology of Marginalized Populations	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Alice.Jaspert (compensates Marie- Sophie Devresse)	30h	4 Credits	2q
⊗ LPOLS1215	Sociology of social policies	Nathalie.Burnay	30h	4 Credits	2q

⊗ Sciences administratives et gestion publique

○ LECRI1508	Introduction à la psychologie clinique	Christophe.Janssen	30h	5 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1507	Practical Research Seminar in Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Emmanuelle.Melan (compensates Marie- Sophie Devresse)	30h	6 Credits	1q
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○ LECRI1503	Introduction to Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Dan.Kaminski (compensates Marie- Sophie Devresse)	30h+15h	6 Credits	1q

○ Un cours au choix

Un cours parmi les cours suivants

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⊗ LPOLS1215	Sociology of social policies	Nathalie.Burnay	30h	4 Credits	2q

⊗ Autres étudiants passerelles et certains étudiants étrangers (sur base du dossier d'admission)

○ Formation de base

○ LCOPS1124	Philosophy	Nathalie.Frogneux Danielle.Lories Stephane.Mercier (compensates Nathalie Frogneux) SOMEBODY	30h	5 Credits	1 ou 2q
○ LESPO1122	Foundations of Law	Diane.Bernard Nicolas.Bonbled Maxime.Lambrecht Thibaut.Slingeneyer	40h	5 Credits	1 ou 2q
○ LECRI1508	Introduction à la psychologie clinique	Christophe.Janssen	30h	5 Credits	1q
○ LECRI1507	Practical Research Seminar in Criminology	Marie-Sophie.Devresse Emmanuelle.Melan (compensates Marie- Sophie Devresse)	30h	6 Credits	1q

o Cours au choix (3 credits)*Un cours parmi les cours suivants*

⊗ LPSP1004	Introduction to the psychology of personality	Vassilis.Saroglou Nicolas.Vermeulen	30h	3 Credits	2q
⊗ LDROI1220	Introduction to Psychology	Rafaele.Dumas (coord.) Emmanuelle.Zech	45h	3 Credits	2q

o Cours au choix*Un cours parmi les cours suivants*

⊗ LDROI1221	Introduction to Sociology	Eric.Mangez Benoit.Rihoux	45h	3 Credits	1q
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o Formation spécifique

o LECRI1501	History of Criminology	Dan.Kaminski	30h	5 Credits	2q
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Teaching method

First year of the master

Cross-disciplinary training in sociology, psychology and law

Second year of the master

Professional focus: the professional focus prolongs the core courses through cross-disciplinary training made up of criminological integration courses.

The student's understanding of criminality, penalty will be put to the test through a 300h internship, which will also help him develop analytical and intervention skills.

Research focus: the research focus prolongs the core courses by going into more depth on major theoretical views, not by giving the student encyclopaedic knowledge but rather with a view to highlighting the link between epistemological, theoretical and methodological options.

Evaluation

The evaluation methods comply with the [regulations concerning studies and exams](#). More detailed explanation of the modalities specific to each learning unit are available on their description sheets under the heading "Learning outcomes evaluation method".

Each course on the programme includes an oral or written exam, possibly completed by a project leading to a report which forms part of the evaluation.

The internship involve the preparation of a report being evaluated.

The work on the dissertation involve the drafting of a document which will be presented orally to a jury.

Mobility and/or Internationalisation outlook

During the second semester of the second year of the Master, students can participate in an Erasmus exchange with other university institutions.

Erasmus (Europe) :

- Espagne (Valencia - Salamanca - Sevilla),
- France (Rennes),
- Italie (Pisa).

Mercator (Amérique du Nord) :

- Canada (Université d'Ottawa),
- Canada (Université de Montréal).

Possible trainings at the end of the programme

- [Teacher Training Certificate \(upper secondary education\)](#)

Multiple **certificates** are available to holders of a master's degree in Criminology:

- [Approche multidisciplinaire de l'abus sexuel](#)
- [Approche interdisciplinaire des droits de l'enfant](#)
- [Gestion des politiques de sécurité urbaine](#)
- [Médiation locale, pénale et scolaire](#)

Doctoral training in criminology : [Ecole doctorale en criminologie](#)

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Curriculum Managment

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Faculté	Faculté de droit et de criminologie (DRT)
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