



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Crime Scene Investigations (CSI) certificate is a 21-credit-hour Criminal Justice academic certificate that focuses on understanding the statutes, procedures, and policies associated with criminal investigations within the United States. This certificate is for those interested in CSI or currently working in law enforcement or a similar setting. CSI certificate graduates will have the basic knowledge needed to work within an investigative environment.

This certificate is the industry standard in higher education for personnel desiring to work in the capacity of a CSI. The certificate will enhance the student's ability to work in the field of CSI. In addition to completing our program, students must obtain further certification from their respective state authorities to meet the required standards. For example, in Oklahoma, students interested in CSI must complete an 80-hour course mandated by the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET), which is necessary for certification by individual police departments. CSI certification programs at the undergraduate level may not require a prior degree or education.

ACCREDITATION

MACU is accredited through the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (NCA).

PROGRAM COSTS

Courses in MACU's Crime Scene Investigations certificate program cost \$435/credit hour.



CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS (21 hrs.)

CRJS 3103 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRJS 3503 Criminal Law I
CRJS 3513 Criminal Law II
CRJS 3703 Criminal Procedure
CRJS 4103 Identification, Collection, and Preservation of Evidence
CRJS 4113 Principles of Investigation
CRJS 4513 Interview and Interrogation Techniques

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