

Course Information Page
Spring 2015
CRJU0121-501 (31192): Theories of Crime

Instructor:

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Course Description:

An exploration of prominent theories of crime causation, ranging from biological, psychological, sociological, and cultural explanations. Theories are compared and contrasted and implications are discussed as foundations for criminal justice system policy.

Required Text:

Williams & McShane (2010). *Criminological Theory* (6th ed.).

Course Requirements:

Students are required to read 1) the weekly lecture notes, 2) the weekly assigned textbook materials, and 3) complete the three graded elements for the course.