

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GRADUATE CERTIFICATE
COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL AND CONTINUING STUDIES
THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Academic Year
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education Summer 2021 through Spring 2022

General Requirements
Minimum Total Hours 12

Program
Drug Policy Management (Online) G328 Graduate Certificate

CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

The Graduate Certificate in Drug Policy Management emphasizes policy development within the rapidly evolving field of drug enforcement, offender diversion, decriminalization, and treatment. Nine hours of required coursework include Theoretical Foundations in Criminal Justice, Criminal Justice Policy Deployment and Substance Abuse and Crime. Three elective hours as approved by the faculty advisor and graduate liaison must also be applied to complete this certificate.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Courses		
LSCJ 5113	Theoretical Foundations of Criminal Justice	3
LSCJ 5133	Criminal Justice Policy Development	3
LSCJ 5413	Substance Abuse and Crime in the United States	3
Elective Course		
Complete 3 graduate elective hours as approved by the faculty advisor and graduate liaison. Options include:		3
LSCJ 5203	Victimology and Restorative Justice	
LSCJ 5223	Community Corrections in the 21st Century	
LSCJ 5263	Restorative Justice Programs for Drug Offenders	
LSCJ 5283	Human Trafficking and Prostitution	
LSCJ 5403	Drug Enforcement Operations and Management	
LSCJ 5423	Global Drug Trafficking, Narco-Terrorism, and United States Drug Policy	
LSCJ 5463	Gangs in the United States	
LSPS 5173	Program Development Implementation and Evaluation	
LSPS 5203	Drugs and the Brain	
Total Credit Hours		12

A graduate *certificate* is not a graduate *degree*. A graduate degree represents a program of independent inquiry beyond the depth of coursework alone, while a graduate certificate represents a set of courses only.

- All courses must be taken at OU. No transfer credit will apply.
- No course substitutions are permitted for graduate certificates.
- Coursework applied to a graduate certificate cannot be more than five years old as of the semester the graduate certificate is awarded.
- Students must earn a grade point average of 3.00 or higher on all coursework applied to the graduate certificate.

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/professional-continuing-studies/college-pacs-administrated-programs/drug-policy-management-graduate-certificate/>).