PSYC 3311
Forensic Psychology.
Three semester hours.
Examines psychology of criminal offenders. Familiarizes students with psychological procedures used in evaluation of criminal defendants, offenders and psychological profiling of criminals. Considers psychological research on crimes ranging from prostitution and violent sex crime to serial murder. Prerequisite: PSYC 2301 or SOCI 1301 or CRIJ 1301.

**Justification:** Background in any introductory social science is sufficient for this course. Course work and content is “independent” and interdisciplinary and does not require specific foundation in psychology. This also fits better with the goal of opening undergraduate students to a more “liberal” education as set by COAS and will allow a wider range of students to attend this class.

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