

University of Winnipeg Criminal Justice Placement Program

What is the placement program?

The Criminal Justice Field Placement (CJFP) course (CJ-3800/4800/7800) provides criminal justice students at the University of Winnipeg with an opportunity to gain valuable experience in the field of criminal justice. Through supervision by criminal justice professionals, students acquire competencies in justice-related knowledge, skills and abilities.

The CJFP is an unpaid practicum experience that provides students with 6 credits towards their diploma. The course runs from September to May and includes a weekly in-class component, as well as a field component. For the field component, the University of Winnipeg Field Placement Coordinator (UW Coordinator) works with an on-site criminal justice agency contact (i.e., the Practicum Supervisor) to supervise and support practicum students.

How can I register for the placement program?

Is there a class and coursework in addition to what I do at my placement?

Yes. In addition to your 160 placement hours, each course has course readings and assessments you must complete that go towards your grade for the course. However, the class that accompanies your placement is held online. With the exception of a small number of in person meetings scheduled in advance, your coursework and assessments will be completed