Justice Studies PhD

54 Credit Hours (students with a Master’s or JD degree)

3 Core Courses (nine credit hours)
- JUS 620 Justice Research Methodology
- JUS 640 Theoretical Perspectives on Justice
- JUS 630 Data Analysis for Justice Research OR
  SST 691- Quantitative Methods for Qualitative Researchers OR
  JUS 650 – Advanced Qualitative Data Analysis

5 Elective Courses (15 credit hours)
- JUS Elective/Substantive seminar
- JUS Elective/Substantive seminar
- JUS Elective/Substantive Seminar
- Non-JUS Elective/Substantive Seminar
- Non-JUS Elective/Substantive Seminar

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6 Additional Courses (18 credit hours)
- JUS 790 Reading & Conference
- JUS 792 Research
- JUS 792 Research
- Elective/Independent course
- Elective/Independent course
- Elective/Independent course

Dissertation (12 credit hours)
- JUS 799 Dissertation
84 Credit Hours (students without a Master’s or JD degree)

7 Core Courses (21 credit hours)
- JUS 500 Research Methods
- JUS 501 Justice Theory
- JUS 509 Statistical Analysis
- JUS 521 Qualitative Data Analysis
- JUS 620 Justice Research Methodology
- JUS 640 Theoretical Perspectives on Justice
- JUS 630 Data Analysis for Justice Research OR SST 691 Quantitative Methods for Qualitative Researchers OR JUS 650 Advanced Qualitative Data Analysis

8 Elective Courses (24 credit hours)
- JUS Elective/Substantive seminar
- JUS Elective/Substantive seminar
- JUS Elective/Substantive seminar
- JUS Elective/Substantive seminar
- JUS Elective/Substantive seminar
- Non-JUS Elective/Substantive Seminar
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9 Additional Courses (27 credit hours)
- JUS 790 Reading & Conference
- JUS 792 Research (6 credit hours)
- JUS 792 Research (3 credit hours)
- Elective
- Elective
- Elective
- Elective
- Elective

Dissertation (12 credit hours)
- JUS 799 Dissertation