Master of Criminology (Professional)
Program Structure

For students commencing from **191+**

Program Code	Total Subjects	Intakes	Duration	Degree Structure
HS-23079, v4	13 (165cp)	Jan, May, Sept	4 semesters + 20 weeks	80cp Foundation Subjects 40cp Dissertation/elective subject options Professional Portfolio (20 weeks) (45cp)

Foundation Subjects (80cp)		Requisites	Offering
HUMR71-100	Research Methods in Humanities and Social Sciences	Anti-requisite HUMR71-111	Jan / May / Sept
HUMR71-110	Epistemology and Theory of Knowledge		Jan / May / Sept
CRIM71-105	Genocide: A sociological and criminal approach		Jan
CRIM71-102	Crime Analysis and Profiling		Jan
INTR71-102	Security and Strategy in the 21st Century		May
CRIM71-103	Transnational Crime		May
INTR71-315	Politically Motivated Violence		Sept
CRIM71-320	Forensic Criminology		Sept

Dissertation/elective option (40cp)		Assumed Knowledge*	Requisites	Offering
HUMR71-705	Minor Dissertation/Portfolio A	HUMR71-100		Jan / May / Sept
HUMR71-706	Minor Dissertation/Portfolio B		HUMR72-701	Jan / May / Sept
Plus 20cp FSD elective subjects. Students must choose two (2) subjects from the FSD list of available postgraduate subjects.				

Professional (45cp)		Requisites	
CRIM73-100	Professional Portfolio (45cp)	Successful completion of 12 Masters subjects	Jan / May / Sept

Assumed Knowledge*
This is the minimum level of knowledge needed to successfully complete this subject. Students who do not possess this knowledge are strongly recommended against enrolling and do so at their own risk. While this is not a barrier to enrolment, students lacking the recommended knowledge will be considerably disadvantaged. There will be no adjustments or special considerations made for a lack of prior knowledge.

Available Research Topics for Dissertation / Portfolio

The Faculty of Society & Design has highly skilled academic staff who can provide supervision to students in the following research areas:

- Media coverage of a topical crime genre
- Analysis of regulations pertaining to crime and criminal justice
- Corruption and bribery in the justice system.
- Copycat crime and new media
- The CSI influence on juries
- Criminal justice and youth crime
- Analysis of an effective response to the illicit drug problem
- Understanding the role victims play in the Criminal Justice System
- A critical examination of the Criminal Justice System and why mistakes happen
- Looking at criminal investigations and understanding the social and criminological context within which these operate
- How stalking victims prolong the intensity or duration of stalking
- Comparing efficiency of different methods of criminal profiling
- The link between self-esteem and crime
- Measures to prevent violence in the workplace
- Indigenous crime and justice
- Consequences of wrongful convictions
- Case analysis of miscarriage of justice
- Preventing assaults on drivers of public transport
- Cyber bullying – where does the responsibility lie?

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Commencing **January**		Commencing **May**		Commencing **September**	
Semester 1 (Jan)		Semester 1 (May)		Semester 1 (Sept)	
HUMR71-100	Research Methods in Humanities and Social Sciences	HUMR71-100	Research Methods in Humanities and Social Sciences	HUMR71-100	Research Methods in Humanities and Social Sciences
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Semester 2 (May)		Semester 2 (Sept)		Semester 2 (Jan)	
HUMR71-110	Epistemology and Theory of Knowledge	HUMR71-110	Epistemology and Theory of Knowledge	HUMR71-110	Epistemology and Theory of Knowledge
INTR71-102	Security and Strategy in the 21st Century	INTR71-315	Politically Motivated Violence	CRIM71-105	Genocide: A sociological and criminal approach
CRIM71-103	Transnational Crime	CRIM71-320	Forensic Criminology	CRIM71-102	Crime Analysis and Profiling
Semester 3 (Sept)		Semester 3 (Jan)		Semester 3 (May)	
INTR71-315	Politically Motivated Violence	CRIM71-105	Genocide: A sociological and criminal approach	INTR71-102	Security and Strategy in the 21st Century
CRIM71-320	Forensic Criminology	CRIM71-102	Crime Analysis and Profiling	CRIM71-103	Transnational Crime
Minor dissertation or elective option subject		Minor dissertation or elective option subject		Minor dissertation or elective option subject	
Semester 4 (Jan)		Semester 4 (May)		Semester 4 (Sept)	
Minor dissertation or elective option subject		Minor dissertation or elective option subject		Minor dissertation or elective option subject	
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Semester 5 (May)		Semester 5 (Sept)		Semester 5 (Jan)	
CRIM73-100	Professional Portfolio (45cp)	CRIM73-100	Professional Portfolio (45cp)	CRIM73-100	Professional Portfolio (45cp)