

POLICE SCIENCE

"I never imagined when I enrolled in the SUNY Orange Criminal Justice program that it would lead me to a successful 30 year career in law enforcement."

Sgt. David Green (Retired)

Why Police Science?

A career in law enforcement is attractive to many because of the obvious challenges and the wide scope of responsibility it provides. The Criminal Justice—Police Science program at SUNY Orange has been designed to address the academic needs of students who envision a career as a sworn law enforcement officer or support person, and whose plans at the moment may not include continuing at a four-year institution.

Why Police Science at SUNY Orange?

A student who chooses the SUNY Orange A.A.S. degree program in Criminal Justice—Police Science will take a variety of courses including criminology, investigations, police-community relations and criminal law, all of which are designed to provide the student with a fundamental understanding of the many issues facing law enforcement agencies today. Students will also study psychology, sociology and other courses intended to provide them with a well-rounded educational experience. The College's Criminal Justice—Police Science program has a proven track record of preparing people for law enforcement positions as many of our graduates have gone on to successful careers in public safety.



TOP 5 REASONS YOU SHOULD STUDY Police Science AT SUNY ORANGE

- ⇒ Unique internship program creates exciting experience where students enhance their educational knowledge and gain an understanding of the complex criminal justice system.
- ⇒ Many faculty members in the Criminal Justice department are retired or active law enforcement officers.
- ⇒ Many local officers and police chiefs are graduates of our program.
- ⇒ The Criminal Justice Club allows students to expand and enhance their educational program.
- ⇒ The program continues to experience annual growth, with new degrees on the horizon.