Career Snaps are snapshot introduction resource pages that invite you to explore a list of career titles and consider what peaks your initial curiosity. Below are highlights of titles related to the major of Criminology, Law and Justice. Feel free to review and consider how these titles appeal to your interests and how you would like to apply your major further.

Please note: Career paths below vary in terms of required experience, education, and/or licensures and further research to career paths of interest is important to help identify which require advanced degrees or bachelor degrees.

Make Marks! Circle titles of interest and cross off those that don’t appeal to you to begin the exploration process. Keep in mind that this is not an exhaustive list but a starting point to connect your interests and to highlight some of the ways students with your major have transitioned to various career paths. Note that career titles may vary depending on the organization or company.

Career Titles

- Activist
- Citizenship and Immigration Officer
- Counselor
  - Behavioral Counselor, Crime Victim Specialist, Rehabilitation Counselor, Substance Abuse Counselor, etc.
- Consultant
- Corrections Officer/Supervisor
  - Adult Corrections Officer, Juvenile Justice Officer, Special Populations Officer, Correction Treatment Officer, etc.
- Court Transcription Specialist
- Criminologist
- Discrimination Investigator
- Forensics
- Forensic Psychologist
  - Criminal Analyst, Criminal Profiler, Jury Consultant, Psychological Investigative Services, etc.
- Fraud Investigator
- Government
  - Armed Forces, Lobbyist, Government Official, Researcher, Political Aide, Speech Writer, etc.
- Humanitarian Aid Worker
- Homeland Security
  - Air Marshal, Border Patrol Agent, CIA Analyst/Officer, Customs and Border Protection Officer, Emergency Management Director, FBI, ICE Agent, Secret Service Agent, etc.
- Information Security Analyst
- Insurance Fraud Investigator
- Juvenile Justice Program Development Specialist
- Law Enforcement
  - Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms Officer, Coast Guard, Conservation Officer, Explosives Specialist, Fish and Game Warden, Marine Patrol Officer, Wildlife Officer, Criminal Investigator, DEA Agent, Deputy Sheriff, FBI Agent, Fire Investigator, First Line Supervisor, (Corrections, Police, Detectives), Homicide Detectives, Narcotics Officer, Parking Enforcement Worker, Police Officer, State Trooper, Transit and Railroad Police, US Park Police, US Marshal, Police Identification, and Records Officers, etc.
Career Titles (continued)

• Legal
  ° Bailiff, Court Clerk, Criminal Law Paralegal, Judges and Magistrates, Lawyer, Law Clerk, Legal Advisor, Legal Analyst, Mediator, etc.
• Loss Prevention Specialist
• Marketing Specialist
• Parole Officer
• Penologist
• Policy Analyst
• Postal Service Investigator
• Private Investigator
• Probation and Community Control Officer
• Public Relations Manager
• Recruiter
• Revenue Officer
• Research Assistant/Analyst
• Security Guard
• Social Worker
  ° Case Worker, Child Welfare Care Worker, Child and Youth Worker, Community Organizer, Domestic Violence Victims Advocate, Group Home Worker, Social Justice Specialist, Intake Coordinator, etc.
• Teacher
  ° Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement Instructor, Professor, Community Outreach Educator, etc.
• Witness Protection Program Worker
• Writer
  ° Creative Writer, Editor, Grant Writer, Technical Writer, etc.
• Youth Advocate
• Zoning Inspector

Food For Thought
Take a minute to review the following questions and jot down thoughts that come to mind:

• **Interests:** What career areas below resonate with you the most and how do the careers you circled relate?
  ° Business
  ° Communication and Media
  ° Counseling and Social Services
  ° Corrections System
  ° Criminal Investigation
  ° Education
  ° Financial Fraud Investigation/Prevention
  ° Forensics
  ° Judicial System/Courts
  ° Law Enforcement
  ° Government
  ° Information Technology
  ° Medical Investigation
  ° Non-Profit
  ° Research/Policy Studies

• **Skills:** What skills that you enjoy are you interested using further in a profession?
  ° Critical thinking, analyze data, written and oral communication skills, project management, teamwork, research, organization, problem solving, others?

• **Values:** What core values are most important to you and how might careers you circled support these values?

Ready to Take the Next Step?
Below are resources that give an overview of career profiles, settings, education, outlook, related occupations, pay, and state/regional information etc.:
http://www.bls.gov/ooh
http://www.onetonline.org