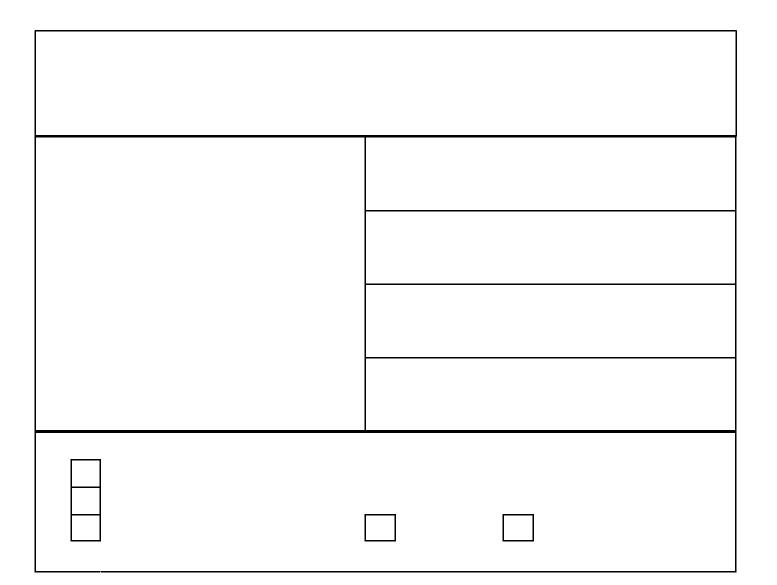
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CRIM 150 - INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINOLOGY

Subject and Course No.

M: Course Objectives/Learning Outcomes:

By the conclusion of the course the student will be able to:

- 1. Explain the nature and content of criminology as a social science.
- 2. Describe the history and evolution of criminological thought.
- 3. Discuss the elements of the classical and modern theories of criminology.
- 4. Explain the criminological foundations of contemporary criminal policy.
- 5. Compare and contrast the various perspectives on crime.
- 6. Evaluate sources of crime data.
- 7. Discuss current issues and trends in criminology.
- 8. Research and critically evaluate criminological texts, periodicals, and media sources.
- 9. Research and critically defend positions related to controversial topics in the field of criminiology.
- 10. Link theory to current issues in the criminological context.

N: Course Content:

- 1. The Concept of Crime
- 2. The Sources of Data on Crime
- 3. The Costs and Consequences of Crime
- 4. Correlates of Crime
- 5. Criminal Victimization
- 6. The Victim/Offender Relationship
- 7. Legal, Social, and Clinical Response to Crime
- 8. Criminal Justice Policy
- 9. Requirements for Effective Theory
- 10. History of Criminological Thought

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