

JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
State University of New York

MASTER COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Title: Interview and Interrogation

Course Abbreviation and Number: CRI 1690

Credit Hours: 1 credit hour.

Course Type: Lecture

Course Description: Students will learn current interview and interrogation techniques that can be applied in various accusatory and non-accusatory settings. Proper application of these techniques in accordance with the 5th Amendment (right against self-incrimination) as it applies to suspects and arrested persons and the 6th Amendment (right to counsel) is emphasized.

Prerequisite/Corequisite: CRI 1510.

Student Learning Outcomes:

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

1. Describe what provisions of the 5th and 6th Amendments apply to Interview and Interrogation;
 2. Identify and place behavioral indicators as signs of deception or innocence;
 3. Describe various stages of rapport building with people.
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Topics Covered:

- Interview, Interrogation, Detention, Arrest, Physiological Response
 - 5th Amendment right against self incrimination
 - 6th Amendment right to counsel
 - Miranda Rights
 - Atmosphere of and environmental issues regarding interview settings, preparation and strategy, rapport building,
 - Truthful and Deceptive responses
 - Leading and Non-leading questions
 - Choice Questioning/Rationalizing
 - Development of Admission and Statement taking
 - Practical Experience of Interviews
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Information for Students

- Expectations of Students
 - Civility Statement (<http://www.sunyjjc.edu/current-students/classroom-civility>)
 - Student Responsibility Statement (<http://www.sunyjjc.edu/academics/student-responsibility>)
 - Academic Integrity (<http://www.sunyjjc.edu/faculty-staff/academic-integrity>)
- Disability/Special Services
 - Any student who requires accommodations to complete the requirements and expectations of this course because of a disability should make their needs known to the Coordinator of Accessibility Services, 716.338.1251.
- Emergency Closing Procedures (<http://www.sunyjjc.edu/student-life/campus-safety/jcc-alert>)
- Course grade is determined by the instructor based on a combination of factors, including but not limited to, homework, quizzes, exams, projects, and participation. Final course grade can be translated into a grade point value according to the following:

A=4.0	B+=3.5	B=3	C+=2.5	C=2	D+=1.5	D=1	F=0
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- Veterans and active duty military personnel with special circumstances (e.g., upcoming deployments, drill requirements, VA appointments) are welcome and encouraged to communicate these to the instructor.
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Effective Date: Fall 2019