JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE **State University of New York**

MASTER COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Title: Intro to Probation and Parole

Course Abbreviation and Number: CRI 2620

Course Type: Lecture

Course Description: Students will explore the history, purposes, and development of probation and parole as correctional practices and will learn about the successes and problems, as well as the future, of these practices.

Prerequisite: ENG 1510, CRI 1510.

Student Learning Outcomes:

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

- 1. Explain the theoretical and practical concerns exemplified in probation and parole supervision.
- 2. Describe the history of probation and parole.
- 3. Describe the various roles of probation and parole officers.

Topics Covered:

- Probation and Parole in Criminal Justice
- Probation history and administration
- Conditions of Probation
- Violation of Probation
- Legal decisions affecting Probation
- Sentencing and the Presentence Investigation Reports
- Probation as it relates to Juvenile Justice •
- Parole; American prison system
- Parole and Indeterminate Sentence
- Parole Administration and Services
- Rehabilitation and Supervision in Probation and Parole
- Special problems and programs in Probation and Parole
- Intermediate Punishments

Information for Students

- **Expectations of Students**
 - Civility Statement (http://www.sunyjcc.edu/current-students/classroom-civility) •
 - Student Responsibility Statement (http://www.sunyjcc.edu/academics/student-responsibility)
 - Academic Integrity (http://www.sunyjcc.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.sunyjcc.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.

Effective Date: Fall 2019

Credit Hours: 3