

MASTER OF ARTS IN  
JUSTICE STUDIES  
*at the*  
UNIVERSITY of  
NEW HAMPSHIRE



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### The Graduate Experience

Graduate study at the University is challenging, supportive, and grounded in real-world social, scientific, and technological issues. We take pride in the close working relationships among our students and faculty, our comprehensive array of discipline-based, professional, and interdisciplinary programs, and the research that takes place in our internationally acclaimed centers and institutes. UNH is a top-tier research university with programs of distinction in the humanities, social and life sciences, physical and geosciences, engineering, and applied professional fields. Our graduate programs prepare individuals for successful careers as teachers, researchers, practitioners, and organizational leaders.

### A Sense of Community

Founded in 1866, the University of New Hampshire is a public land-, sea-, and space-grant institution committed to teaching, research, and public service. With approximately 10,900 undergraduate students, 2,100 graduate students, and 600 full-time faculty members, our medium size allows for a sense of community to prevail across the campus. Students from 40 states and 54 countries help make our community a dynamic one. Resources that support community participation include the Graduate Student Organization, the Graduate Student of Color Organization, The Office of Multicultural Student Affairs, and the Office of International Students and Scholars.

### The Campus

The University of New Hampshire occupies 2,600 acres of woods, water, and classic campus greens in the town of Durham. With the White Mountains a short drive to the north and the seacoast but a few minutes away, the area is rich in recreational opportunities. Nearby Portsmouth offers strong, year-round arts, theatre, and music scenes. It also serves as the historical, cultural, and commercial center of what many students discover is a very special place to live and learn. UNH students also enjoy access to the cultural and educational resources of Boston. It's just an hour away by car, bus, or train. The University's branch campus in Manchester, the state's largest city, offers a number of professional master's programs for part-time students through the Center for Graduate and Professional Studies.

### Financial Aid

Several kinds of financial aid are available for MAJS students. In order to qualify for assistantships and work study, students must complete the FAFSA form before March 1st. We have at least 3 assistantships available which provide a stipend for 20 hours of work, free tuition for the fall and spring semesters, and free health insurance. Graduate students with work study can apply for positions as teaching assistants and research assistants. Loans are available through UNH Financial Aid. Financial aid decisions for graduate students are independent of parents' income. MAJS students from non-New Hampshire New England states (MA, ME, CT, RI, VT) are eligible for the New England Regional Program for which tuition is assessed at the in-state New Hampshire rate plus 50% .

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## GRADUATE PROGRAM IN JUSTICE STUDIES

UNIVERSITY of NEW HAMPSHIRE



# MASTER OF ARTS DEGREE *in* JUSTICE STUDIES

## Research

Do relevant research that has implications for policy and practice.

Work with scholars with international and national reputations in their fields.

## Experience

Gain practical experience and apply theories in internships in governmental agencies and private practice.

Choose from a research-based internship (e.g., Center for Crimes against Children, Justiceworks) or a traditional field-based internship (e.g., victim services, courts, police, and corrections).

## Prepare

Use your graduate education in Justice Studies as preparation to launch a career or enhance a career.

Use your graduate education at the University of New Hampshire as preparation for law school or further graduate education.

The Master of Arts degree program in Justice Studies (MAJS) provides a broad understanding of justice, crime, and law. It provides tools for reasoned appraisal of how the justice system works and what policies underlie it. The program familiarizes students with legal and justice ideas, justice institutions, and legal processes. It draws on a variety of disciplines, subjects, and research methodologies for its core knowledge. Our students work closely with faculty with established reputations as scholars, teachers, and practitioners. Program requirements include proseminar, quantitative methods, applied research methods, theories of justice, criminology, internship, project, and 2 electives. Students can apply to write a master's thesis in place of a project. The 36-credit program can be completed in one calendar year of full-time study.

Program Cost: Students pay ½ semester tuition for the August courses (first summer), 1 semester tuition for both the fall and spring semesters, and ½ semester tuition for the second summer course.

## Placements of Recent Graduates

Federal Bureau of Investigation • Department of Homeland Security • Boston University School of Law • Sociology Ph.D. at University of Miami, FL • American University Law School • U.S. Probation Officer Assistant • Intake Coordinator at the Child Advocacy Center for Rockingham County, NH • Program Support Assistant at the UNH McNair Graduate Opportunities Program • Case Manager for Phoenix East, a long-term residential group home for adolescent boys, in Haverhill, MA • NH State Police Intelligence Analyst • Law School at Roger Williams • Research Assistant for the National Alliance on Mental Illness in Concord, NH • Police Officer in Somersworth, NH • Client Analytics & Operations Associate at Health Dialog, Inc. in Manchester, NH • Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Program at University of British Columbia • Chief of Internal Affairs for the NH Department of Corrections • Sociology Ph.D. Programs at the University of New Hampshire



*"The graduate program in Justice Studies is great for people who are interested in the justice system and want to focus their study in a particular area, not just criminal justice. Justice Studies provides a wide knowledge base in all areas of 'justice' and allows you to really explore your own interests."*

## Faculty

The MAJS faculty have joined this program because of their interest in the broad field of justice. They come from a variety of academic disciplines and fields of study. Their research interests include family violence, legal theory and history, violence against women, gender and race/ethnic bias within the court, child victimization, philosophy of law, delinquency, constitutional law, and crime and conflict. The faculty are recognized scholars in their fields and have received research and teaching awards. Please visit the Justice Studies Program website for links to more information about the faculty at [cola.unh.edu/justice-studies](http://cola.unh.edu/justice-studies).

- Katherine Abbott** *Lecturer in Justice Studies & Sociology*
- Victoria Banyard** *Professor of Psychology*
- John Cerullo** *Professor of History, UNH-M*
- Drew Christie** *Associate Professor of Philosophy*
- Ellen Cohn** *Professor of Psychology*
- Todd DeMitchell** *Professor of Education*
- Molly Girard Dorsey** *Associate Professor of History*
- David Finkelhor** *Professor of Sociology*
- Mardi Kidwell** *Associate Professor of Communication*
- Ted Kirkpatrick** *Clinical Professor of Sociology*
- Michelle Leichtman** *Associate Professor of Psychology*
- Alyna Lyon** *Associate Professor of Political Science*
- Mary Malone** *Associate Professor of Political Science*
- Courtney Marshall** *Assistant Professor of English & Women's Studies*
- Donna Perkins** *Clinical Assistant Professor of Justice Studies*
- Danielle Pilet-Shore** *Assistant Professor of Communication*
- Charles Putnam** *Clinical Associate Professor of Justice Studies*
- Cesar Rebellon** *Associate Professor of Sociology*
- Lucy Salyer** *Associate Professor of History*
- Susan Siggelakis** *Associate Professor of Political Science*
- Nick Smith** *Associate Professor of Philosophy*
- James Tucker** *Associate Professor of Sociology*
- Karen Van Gundy** *Associate Professor of Sociology*



Yes! Please send me more information about the Graduate Program in Justice Studies at the University of New Hampshire.

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How did you hear about this program? \_\_\_\_\_ Web site \_\_\_\_\_ College Fair \_\_\_\_\_ Ad \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_