

Certificate of Forensic Sciences

Admission Requirements

For admission into the Certificate of Forensic Sciences one must be enrolled at Idaho State University as an undergraduate or a post-bac AND apply to the certificate program within the home department (Anthropology).

Students from any major or field can enroll in the Certificate of Forensic Sciences.

Students must complete all classes with a C or better to successfully obtain the certificate.

Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
ANTH 2230	Biological Anthropology (Partially satisfies General Objective 5)	3
ANTH 2230L	Biological Anthropology Lab (Partially satisfies General Objective 5)	1
ANTH 2235	Introduction to Forensic Sciences - Fundamentals	3
SOC/SOWK 4457	Fundamentals of Forensic Behavioral Science	3
SOC 3310	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
Total Credits		13

Electives:

(Students will choose 2 courses (5-9 credits) from the list below. Each elective must be from a different theme.)

Code	Title	Credits
Body		
ANTH 4409	Clinical Medical Anthropology	3
ANTH 4432	Human Osteology	3
ANTH 4441	Dead and Buried	3
ANTH 4442	Anthro Bites: Dental Anthropology	3
PSCI 2205	Drugs in Society	2
ANTH 4431	Special Topics in Biological Anthropology	3
ANTH 4407	Anthropology of Global Health	3
Methods		
ANTH 4434	Forensic Archaeology	3
ANTH 4437	Cold Case Files	3
SOC 3309	Social Statistics	3
CMP 2251	Introduction to Photography	3
GEOL 4403	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	3
GEOL 4403L	Principles of GIS Laboratory	0
CHEM 1111	General Chemistry I	4
CHEM 1111L	General Chemistry I Lab	1
CHEM 1112	General Chemistry II	3
CHEM 1112L	General Chemistry II Lab	1
CHEM 2232	Quantitative Analysis	2
CHEM 2234	Quantitative Analysis Laboratory	2

The Mind		
SOC 4431	Criminology	3
PSYC 1101	Introduction to Psychology	3
PSYC 3301	Psychopathology	3
PSYC 3341	Social Psychology	3
SOWK 4438	Sexual Crimes	3
SOC 4412	Sexuality and the Body	3
SOC 2231	Juvenile Delinquency	3
SOC 2248	Critical Analysis of Social Diversity	3
Communication		
CMP 1110	Media Writing	3
CMP 2203	Media Literacy	3
CMP 2205	Argumentation	3
Total Credits		18-22