

Criminal Justice

About this capstone certification

The Criminal Justice capstone certification is a comprehensive certification earned upon successful completion of the following required stackable certifications. This structure validates a candidate's skills across the core areas of the profession and demonstrates readiness for advanced roles.

Required certification exams

Exams may be completed in any order.

Items

[Criminal Justice Fundamentals](#)

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[Criminal Justice 1](#)

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[Criminal Justice 2](#)

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Capstone certification description

The Criminal Justice capstone assesses candidates' understanding of the justice system's functions, history, and practical applications. Criminal Justice Fundamentals introduces the structure of police, courts, and corrections and examines their role in society. Criminal Justice 1 builds on this foundation with topics such as law enforcement history, investigative techniques, and basic police procedures. Criminal Justice 2 emphasizes the judicial system, crime scene protection, evidence collection, and court procedures. Together, the three certifications provide a solid base for candidates interested in pursuing careers or further education in criminal justice.