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# **JOB DESCRIPTION**

**DEPARTMENT:** Criminal Justice

**POSITION TYPE:** Part-Time Faculty (.5 FTE)

**START DATE:** August 2019

**PURPOSE OF POSITION:** Teach introductory and advanced undergraduate courses in Criminal Justice.

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

* Professional experience in law enforcement and related criminal justice fields.
* Personal commitment to a Reformed Christian perspective and the ability to articulate that perspective well in the context of Criminal Justice.
* Personal endorsement of *The Educational Task of Dordt College.*
* Understanding of the curricular design set forth in *The Educational Framework of Dordt College* and a commitment to the goals it articulates.
* Ph.D. in Sociology or Criminal Justice or related field is preferred. Master’s Degree is required (equivalent professional certification and training may be considered).
* Mature interpersonal, collaborative, and oral and written communication skills that indicate the ability to work effectively with students, faculty and staff, community members, and other professionals.
* Desire to further the mission of Dordt College through collaborative student recruitment and retention efforts, student advising, campus and community service, and ongoing professional and program development.

**RESPONSIBILITIES:**

* Teach courses including Introduction to Criminal Justice, Policing, Corrections and other related courses.
* Actively participate in department and college administrative tasks including curriculum development and review, assessment of student learning, student advising, and committee assignments.
* Participate in the Core program and campus life of Dordt College.
* Develop and implement a personal annual contribution and professional development plan consistent with college and departmental goals; use the plan as part of regular self-assessment.