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## CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY OF HONOLULU

**Criminal Justice 201**  
**Foundation in Criminology**  
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**Text : Criminology : Adler, Mueller, Laufer - Third edition**

### **Course Description**

**Criminal Justice 201 is an introduction to the Criminal Justice System.  
During the course we will explore the following topics:**

- 1. A critical analysis of the Criminal Justice System**
- 2. Theories of Criminology**
- 3. Schools of Criminology**
- 4. Significant terms used Criminology and in the Criminal Justice System**
- 5. Political, Economic, Cultural, and Social Environments and their influence on Criminology.**
- 6. Major contemporary issues in Criminology**
- 7. Victims of Crime, and Victims of the Criminal Justice System.**

## CJ201

### Class Assignments

Oct. 2: Read Chapters 1, 2  
**Introduction** to C J 201  
Definitions and Terminology  
Writing **Assignments**  
Discussion Groups

Oct. 4: Chapters 3, 4

Oct. 11: Chapter 5, 6, 7

Oct. 16: Chapters 8, 9

Oct. 18: Chapters 10, 11

Oct. 23: Chapters 12, 13

Oct. 25: Chapters 14, 15

Oct. 30: Chapters 16, 17

Nov. 1: Chapters 18, 19

Nov. 6: Papers due, Course Summ

## Schools of Criminology

Classical School  
Positivist School  
Somatotype School  
Utilitarian School  
Biological **School**  
Sociological Determinism School  
Comparative School

## Theories of Criminology

**Containment** Theory  
Cultural Deviance Theory  
Cultural **Conflict Theory**  
differential Association Theory  
Differential Opportunity Theory  
General Strain Theory  
Labeling Theory  
Psychoanalytic Theory  
Radical Theory  
Social Control Theory  
Social **Disorganization** Theory  
Strain Theory  
**Victimization** Theory  
Rational Choice Theory

## Models of Law and Crime

**Consensus** Model  
Conflict Model