



**COURSE**

CM366.01 • Spring 2010

**REPORTING ON  
URBAN AFFAIRS:  
CRIMINAL JUSTICE  
SYSTEM**

**SERVICE-LEARNING OPTIONAL  
COURSE**

(3 credits)

**PROFESSOR**

Dr. Elliot King

**CAPACITY**

17 students

**SCHEDULE**

MWF9:00-9:50AM

**PREREQUISITE**

None

**DESCRIPTION**

This class focuses on learning to report on the criminal justice system. As people who watch the television show *Law and Order* know, the U.S. criminal justice system is made up of two parts -- the police and the courts. But there is a third part -- prisons and re-entry programs. Students choose from a 20-hour service learning opportunity or alternatively a research project requiring 25 to 30 hours to complete. Service options include assisting Dr. King in his class at the Maryland Correctional Facility for Women, working in a program targeted to at-risk youth, or working in a re-entry program for people who have been released from prison.