

# Minnesota State University Moorhead

## SOC 301: Delinquent Behavior

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: \*.\*

Lab Hours/Week: \*.\*

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites:

SOC 110 - Introduction to Sociology; OR

SOC 220 - Social Deviance

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Delinquent behavior and programs for its prevention, treatment and control. Same as CJ 301.

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 01/09/2008 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Historical Perspective of Delinquency.
2. Theories of Delinquency.
3. Social Institutions and Delinquency.

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Demonstrate a general understanding of theoretical explanations of juvenile delinquency.
2. Develop and use critical thinking skills necessary to analyze contemporary delinquent behavior.
3. Discuss their own perspectives of delinquency in relationship to social scientific research and data.

### E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted