

# CURRICULUM COMMITTEE ACADEMIC YEAR 2013-2014

## **NEW COURSE PROPOSAL FORM**

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PROGRAM:	AS CRIME SCENE TECHNOLOGY
PROPOSED BY:	DENNIS J. FAHEY
PRESENTER:	DENNIS J. FAHEY
SUBMISSION DATE:	10/4/2013
CURRENT COURSE PREFIX, NUMBER AND TITLE:	CJE 2675 MODERN FINGERPRINT TECHNOLOGY

## **SECTION I**

COURSE INFORMATION:	TYPE IN THE APPROPRIATE INFORMATION FOR EACH ITEM:
DEPARTMENT	SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY
COURSE PREREQUISITE(S):	CJE 2671 LATENT FINGERPRING DEVELOPMENT
DO YOU ANTICIPATE THAT STUDENTS WILL BE TAKING ANY OF THE PREREQUISITES LISTED FOR THIS COURSE IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE SAME TERM?	NO
MINIMUM GRADE OF PREREQUISITE(S):	С
COURSE COREQUISITE(S):	NA
IS ANY COREQUISITE LISTED ON THIS COURSE LISTED AS A COREQUISITE ON ITS PAIRED COURSE?	NA
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