



## BS (4 Years) for Affiliated Colleges

Code	Subject Title	Cr. Hrs	Semester
GS-406	Gender and Crime	3	VII
Year	Discipline		
4	Gender Studies		

The course is a combination of theoretical understanding of crime as well as existing criminal justice system. The gender specific issues related to crime and criminal justice system are the prime focus of the course.

### Course Contents

#### **Introduction to Criminology**

- Definitions and Conceptions of Crime
- Studying Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Key issues in Criminology and Criminal Justice

#### **Theories of Crime**

- The Individual and Crime
- Society and Crime
- Social Power and the Construction of Crime: Conflict Theory
- Gender and Criminological Theorizing

#### **Feminism in Criminology**

- Feminist Theory and their Implications

#### **Introduction to Pakistan Criminal Justice System**

- Gender and Crime in Pakistan: Prevalent Perspective
- Courts and Police Department

#### **Victims and the Criminal Justice System: Gender Perspective**

- Victims and the Police
- Victims and Prosecutors
- Victims and Judges

#### **Gendered Cultural Practices/Crimes: National and Provincial Analysis**

- Honor Killing
- Dowry Murders
- Forced Marriages
- Child- Marriages
- Marriage To Quran
- Wife Beating and Domestic Violence

#### **Crime Prevention**

- Family-based Crime Prevention
- Communities and Crime Prevention
- Labor Markets and Crime Risk Factors

### **Basic Readings:**

- Marisa Silvestri & Chris Crowther (2008). **Gender and Crime**. SAGE Publications; London
  - Chris Crowther (2007). **An Introduction to Criminology and Criminal Justice**. New York: Palgrave Macmillan
  - J. Robert Lilly (2011). **Criminological Theory. : Causes and Consequences**. California: Sage Publications.
  - Maliha Zia Lari (2011). **Honour Killings' in Pakistan and Compliance of Law**. Aurat Publication.
  - HRCP (2013). **State of Human Rights in 2014**. Aiwan-i-Jamhoor; Lahore
  - International Crisis Group (2011). **Reforming Pakistan's Criminal Justice System: Asia Report**.
  - HRCP (2011). **Police Organizations in Pakistan**. Lahore
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