

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & HUMAN SERVICES

DISTINCTIVENESS

Criminal Justice:

- A Law Enforcement Academy certified by the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards.
- The academy's entire curriculum is based on Problem Based Learning.
- The corrections track is certified by the Michigan Correctional Officers' Training Council.
- We bring more transfer students to FSU than any other program.
- We confer more degrees than any other program at FSU.
- We offer a BS degree at six different sites around the state in collaboration with local community colleges.
- We offer our masters program at two off-campus sites and all classes are taught by tenure track faculty.
- All faculty have years of professional experience in criminal justice.
- Three faculty are certified police officers.
- One faculty is a licensed psychologist.
- Two faculty are active members of the Michigan Bar Association.
- Faculty are engaged in publishing, presenting and/or training.
- Perhaps the most cost effective program on campus.

Recreation, Leisure Services & Wellness:

- Recreation Leadership and Management BS degree with concentrations in Corporate Fitness and Wellness and Sport Management, none of the other Recreation and Parks bachelor degrees in Michigan provide these two options. The Leisure Services Programming and Outdoor/Adventure Education can be found on at least one other Michigan University's campus.
- Students are exposed to various learning experiences through service learning multiple times in the RLM major and concentration courses.
- National Recreation and Parks Accredited Program out of 104 nationally and 1 of 3 in Michigan
- Provider of leisure education opportunities through the elective physical and leisure activity course offerings. Most commonly found under the traditional physical education departments on campus.

School of Education:

- We offer courses in a non-traditional format
- Offer courses across the state.
- Work with Troops to Teachers
- Serve a large number of non-traditional students
- Have good transfer articulations with many community colleges
- Students develop e-portfolios
- Students get field experience in urban, suburban and rural areas

Television and Digital Media Production:

- Real- World Experience with a required 6-month industry internship
- State-of-the Art Equipment with TDMP using both the professional Mini-DV format and the new HDV high-definition format for video
- All faculty have four years of professional experience in Television Production
- Faculty are engaged in producing, presenting and/or training
- Student productions are released on cable channels in western, Michigan, streamed over the web and burned to DVD.
- “Hands-on” curriculum projects from freshman to senior level courses