

REASONING ETHICALLY PATHWAY

Overview

The *Reasoning Ethically* Pathway focuses on the application of ethical analysis to decision-making. Regardless of role or occupation, all persons and professionals will eventually be confronted with impactful decisions that must be made under systemic constraints. *Reasoning Ethically* teaches leadership in these contexts as responsibility to others rather than mere status. Through the courses in this Pathway, students learnt to act with intention and integrity in complex environments.

Majors restrict Pathway Certificates to encourage a breadth of skills-development beyond their program. A Reasoning Ethically Pathway Certificate may be earned within a major **as a second certificate** for students in the following majors:

Criminal Justice (BS)
Criminology (BA)
Police Studies (APB)
Political Science (BS)
Social Work (BS)

Degree Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
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Reasoning Ethically teaches leadership as responsibility rather than status, giving students the insight to advance ethical and moral decisions under systemic constraint. Whether serving a client or making a public decision that affects lives, students learn to act with intention and integrity in complex environments.

Pathway Certificate Requirements	15-16
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To attain a Pathway certificate in Reasoning Ethically, students must complete 15-16 credits from the following list of courses, including at least two courses at the 3000 level or higher from this list:

CC 3780	Sport in Society
CJ 2025	Police and society
CJ 3157	Society, Ethics, and the Law (DICO)
HI 3485	The French Revolution and Napoleonic Era, 1789-1815 (GACO)
HIDI 1361	Beyond Mockingbird: Reading Race, Class, & Identity in 20th-Century US History (SSDI)
PO 1025	American Government
PO 3655	American Foreign Policy
PO 3815	Political Thought
PODI 1110	Conspiracies v.s. Conspiracy Theories (SSDI)
PYDI 1135	Ethics in Everyday Lives (SSDI)
PYDI 2420	Creative Solving of Ethical Problems (CTDI)
SW 3140	Child Welfare and Family Services
TMP 3070	Cultural and Heritage Tourism

Total Credits	15-16
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