

Institute for Justice and Opportunity at John Jay College (formerly Prison Reentry Institute)

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Description

The Institute for Justice and Opportunity at John Jay College (previously the Prisoner Reentry Institute (PRI)), was founded in 2005 as one of twelve institutes that collectively comprise the Research Consortium of John Jay College of Criminal Justice. The Institute for Justice and Opportunity is engaged in educational initiatives for currently and formerly incarcerated individuals, fellowships for undergraduate and graduate students at John Jay, research projects and convenings on topics related to reentry, and the New York City Justice Corps.

HAVE THIS PROGRAM'S SERVICES BEEN SUSPENDED DUE TO COVID-19? Yes. Unfortunately after continuing its Prison-to-College program through the mail, it was ultimately suspended after learning that "correspondence learning" was not approved for programs that receive funding through the Second Chance Pell Program.

ABOUT JOHN JAY COLLEGE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE: John Jay College of Criminal Justice is a community of motivated and intellectually committed individuals who explore justice in its many dimensions. The College's liberal arts curriculum equips students to pursue advanced study and meaningful, rewarding careers in the public, private, and non-profit sectors. John Jay's professional programs introduce students to foundational and newly emerging fields and prepare them for advancement within their chosen professions.

John Jay's students are eager to engage in original research and experiential learning, excited to study in one of the world's most dynamic cities, and passionate about shaping the future. Through their studies, students prepare for ethical leadership, global citizenship, and engaged service. Faculty members are exceptional teachers who encourage students to join them in pursuing transformative scholarship and creative activities. Through their research, faculty advances knowledge and informs professional practices that build and sustain just societies.

John Jay fosters an inclusive and diverse community drawn from the city, our country, and the world. John Jay is dedicated to educating traditionally underrepresented groups and committed to increasing diversity in the workforce. The breadth of John Jay's community motivates us to question our assumptions, to consider multiple perspectives, to think critically, and to develop the humility that comes with global understanding. John Jay educates fierce advocates for justice.

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