Experiencing the Socio-History and Justice of Civil Rights in Indiana, Ferguson and the Deep South

This 6.0 credit hour Immersive Learning opportunity for students to learn about civil rights and justice issues in Indiana, Ferguson, and the American Deep South. In addition to classroom preparation on these topics, students will be trained in qualitative interview methods to conduct data collection in Ferguson, Missouri in the aftermath of the Michael Brown shooting and the Department of Justice Civil Rights Report as a result of the events there. Students will enroll in Sociology 421 (3.0 credits) and CJC 410 (3.0 credits) for this experience since this Immersive Learning experience is a joint endeavor between the Departments of Sociology and Criminal Justice & Criminology. The fieldwork expenses (travel, lodging, etc.) will be paid through a Ball State University Provost’s Immersive Learning Grant.

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