

## Ohio Council of Criminal Justice Education – Overview 1970-2011

1970s	1980s	1990s	2000s
<p><b>1970</b> Eight Criminal Justice Associate Degree Program Directors begin meeting to form a statewide organization</p>	<p><b>1980</b> First regular newsletter published</p> <p><b>1980</b> First Mini-workshops offered on selected topics</p>	<p><b>1990</b> One-day conferences continued to be sponsored as well as an annual job fair</p>	<p><b>2001</b> Spring Conference held at Northeast Conference Center, Reynoldsburg – Dr. Jeffrey Mitchell, Critical Incident Stress Management</p>
<p><b>1971</b> Ohio Council of Higher Education in Criminal Justice was founded May 12, with an institutional membership of 13 colleges and universities in Ohio</p>	<p><b>1981</b> LEEP funding expired</p> <p><b>1981</b> First faculty awards announced and awarded at the spring meeting</p>	<p><b>1991</b> Council moves to two meetings annually instead of three</p> <p><b>1991</b> Council had 20 institutional members and 26 individual members</p>	<p><b>2002</b> Spring meeting held at Eastern Kentucky Univ. in conjunction with their job fair</p>
<p><b>1971-1980</b> A primary focus of Council business centered on distribution of Federal LEEP funding to state CJ programs</p>	<p><b>1981</b> Council moves to ACJS Midwest Region</p> <p><b>1982</b> Council's first job fair held at North Central Technical College</p>	<p><b>1991</b> Mini-conference held at Salt Fork State Lodge with 57 attendees</p>	<p><b>2002-2010</b> Annual job fairs continue</p> <p><b>2002</b> Website upgraded</p>
<p><b>1974</b> Articulation between two and four year programs become major areas of concern for members</p>	<p><b>1982</b> First student awards made at spring meeting</p> <p><b>1982</b> Name changed to Ohio Council of Criminal Justice Education</p>	<p><b>1992-1999</b> One-day conferences held on topics such as violent offenders, school violence, serial killers, Ohio firearms legislation, militia, and cybercrime</p>	<p><b>2003</b> First annual OCCJE Criminal Justice Education and Research Conference</p> <p><b>2005</b> Archiving and collection of OCCJE records initiated</p>
<p><b>1974-1979</b> Greater outreach/ liaison occurs with state agencies and regional/ national CJ associations</p>	<p><b>1983</b> Sponsored one-day symposium on the CJ Education &amp; Training in Ohio</p>	<p><b>1995-1996</b> Council debates ACJS proposed standards for associate, baccalaureate, and graduate level programs</p>	<p><b>2006</b> Planning for an electronic journal initiated</p>
<p><b>1976</b> Council had 22 institutional members of the 38 institutions state-wide that offered a CJ-related program</p>	<p><b>1983-1990</b> A primary emphasis of Council was outreach and liaison to state CJ agencies</p>	<p><b>1997</b> Council conducts a statewide survey of law enforcement agencies regarding education</p>	<p><b>2007</b> Joint Career Fair held with University of Dayton</p> <p><b>2006</b> Added an Assistant to the Executive Committee</p>
<p><b>1976</b> Council concerned over LEEP Polices regarding qualifications of CJ Faculty</p>	<p><b>1983-1989</b> Annual workshops or conferences on selected topics sponsored</p>	<p><b>1997-2000</b> First presence on the Web achieved</p>	<p><b>2007</b> Best Paper award initiated at Annual Research Conference</p>
<p><b>1977</b> Institutional membership at 29</p>	<p><b>1987</b> Fall Council meeting held at Eastern Kentucky University</p>	<p><b>1997</b> Sponsored hospitality suite at the Midwestern CJ Association in Cincinnati</p>	<p><b>2008</b> Constitution change to add students to the Executive Committee recommended</p>
<p><b>1978</b> Individual membership approved</p>	<p><b>1989</b> Job Fair attracted over 650 students</p>	<p><b>1999</b> Council flips the job fair to the fall and seminars to the spring</p>	<p><b>2009</b> Poster option rolled out at annual Research Conf held at YSU (74 presenters, 36 of which made posters)</p> <p><b>2010</b> Online journal, <i>Praxis</i>, becomes a reality</p>
<p><b>1978</b> Nationally known Dr. Stanton Samenow spoke on the "Criminal Personality and Altering Criminal Lifestyles at the April meeting</p>	<p><b>During the decade</b> members were active in national and regional CJ associations and several Ohio faculty were office-holders in them</p>	<p><b>During the decade</b> members often met the evening before meetings to fellowship over dinner and conduct Executive Committee business</p>	<p><b>2010</b> First student members of the Executive Committee elected following adoption of Constitution change</p>