## The criminal etiology and its importance in explaining and clearing up the roads that lead to criminality in the Prishtina city in the period of 1999-2014

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Crime as a phenomenon has been and remains fellow traveler and concern of all time and human stages. The criminal etiology is considered as one among most important sectors in studies and researches dealing with criminality in general. So, etiology analyzes and studies causal links between circumstance and different factors of criminality. Also criminal etiology makes studies and research of causes and circumstances that deal with all criminal behaviors and other negative phenomena in society. Several reasons affect in conducting the crimes, which may be internal or external and precisely for this the etiological studies deal with objective- exogenous factors, which determine the phenomenon of criminality and other antisocial and negative phenomena in society. Factors affecting criminality are diverse and of different natures, and do not act detached from one another, but are interlinked with each-other. Therefore to come to as accurate as possible conclusion on the causes of crime in general, criminal etiology in detail deals with this subject in order to identify the main factors of criminality.

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