

ACADEMIC MAP

Psychology, Bachelor of Arts



FINISH IN



First Year

Fall	Hours
UNIV 1101 University Seminar I	1
PSYC 2301 General Psychology	3
ENGL 1301 Writing and Rhetoric I	3
HIST 1301 U.S. History to 1865	3
Creative Arts Core Requirement	3

Hours 13

Spring

UNIV 1102 University Seminar II	1
SOCI 1301 Introduction to Sociology	3
or ECON 1301 or Introduction to Economics	
or ECON 2301 or Macroeconomics Principles	
or ECON 2302 or Microeconomics Principles	
ENGL 1302 Writing and Rhetoric II	3
or COMM 1311 or Foundation of Communication	
HIST 1302 U.S. History Since 1865	3
MATH 1442 Statistics for Life	4

Hours 14

Second Year

Fall	Hours
Language, Philosophy & Culture Core Requirement	3
Foreign Language I	3
POLS 2305 U.S. Government and Politics	3
Life & Physical Science Core Requirement	4
Core Component I	3

Hours 16

Spring

POLS 2306 State and Local Government	3
Life & Physical Science Core Requirement	4
Core Component II	3
Foreign Language II	3
One course from Block 1 - PSYC 2314 Lifespan Development, or PSYC 2319 Social Psychology, or PSYC 3361 Psychology of Personality, or PSYC 3363 Abnormal Psychology	3

Hours 16

Third Year

Fall	Hours
PSYC 3411 Experimental Psychology	4
One course from Block 1 - PSYC 2314 Lifespan Development, or PSYC 2319 Social Psychology, or PSYC 3361 Psychology of Personality, or PSYC 3363 Abnormal Psychology	3
Upper Division Elective	3
Upper Division Elective	3
PSYC Elective I	3

Hours 16

Spring

PSYC 3342 Cognitive Psychology	3
One course from Block 2 - PSYC 3342 Cognitive Psychology, or PSYC 3343 Learning & Behavior, or PSYC 4352 Physiological Psychology, or PSYC 4354 Sensation & Perception	
PSYC Upper Division Elective II	3
Upper Division Elective	3
Upper Division Elective	3
Upper Division Elective	3

Hours 15

Fourth Year

Fall	Hours
One course from Block 2 - PSYC 3342 Cognitive Psychology, or PSYC 3343 Learning & Behavior, or PSYC 4352 Physiological Psychology, or PSYC 4354 Sensation & Perception	3
PSYC Elective III	3
Upper Division Elective	3
Upper Division Elective	3
Upper Division Elective	3

Hours 15

Spring

PSYC 4310 Psychology Capstone Seminar	3
PSYC Elective IV	3
PSYC Elective V	3
Upper Division Elective	3
Upper Division Elective	3

Hours 15

Total Hours 120

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CAREER MAP

PSYCHOLOGY

Bachelor of Arts



In keeping with the University's mission, the discipline of psychology seeks to discover, communicate, and apply knowledge about human behavior in a complex and changing world. The specific mission of the undergraduate program is three-fold: to provide a basic education within the field of psychology as a foundation for graduate work in a professional field of psychology, such as clinical or counseling psychology, cognitive psychology, social psychology, or developmental psychology; to provide disciplinary knowledge through a broadly-based curriculum which can be applied to related careers such as human services, business, communications, and research; and to contribute to the education of students majoring in other areas of study.

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CAREER OPTIONS

- Research
- Behavior Specialist
- Counseling
- Psychologist
- Industrial-Organization Management
- Sales
- Law
- Human Resources

SKILLS/ATTRIBUTES

- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving
- Teamwork/Collaboration
- Professionalism/Work Ethic
- Oral/Written Communications

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

- Psi-Chi International Honors Society in Psychology
- Psychopharmacology Club
- Islander Peer Educators
- Pre-Law Society

ADDITIONAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, American Board of Forensic Psychologists, American Counseling Association, American Psychological Association, Association for Applied Sports Psychology, Association for Psychological Science, National Association of School Psychologists, National Board for Certified Counselors, Society for Human Resource Management, Society of Clinical Psychology, Society of Counseling Psychology, Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology