



BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PSYCHOLOGY, EMPHASIS IN RESEARCH

(Minimum 120 credit hours required)

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DATE ____/____/____

RELIGION CORE

DEVELOPING BIBLICAL FAITH/LIFESTYLE

- BIBL-110 Message of the New Testament (3)
BIBL-111 Message of the Old Testament (3)
THEO-230 Intro to Theology (3)
THEO-231 Intro to Christian Ethics (3)
Christian Service (80 clock hours)*

*Christian Service is not a course; the hours are earned by a combination of class, group, and individual service learning experiences.

SUBTOTAL (12 hours) _____

FRESHMAN / SOPHOMORE EXPERIENCE

- LEEU-101 Freshman Seminar: Gateway (1) (1st Fall)
LEEU-102 Global Perspectives Seminar (1) (1st Spring)
LEEU-202 Foundations of Benevolence (1) (2nd Fall)

SUBTOTAL (3 hours) _____

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE

ACQUIRING FUNDAMENTAL ACADEMIC SKILLS

- ENGL-106 (3) and ENGL-110 (3)
OR ENGL-110 (3) [Depends on placement]
MTHS-135 Introduction to Statistics (3)

EXPLORING THE HUMANITIES

- HUMN-201 Foundations of Western Culture (3)

Two of the following (6)

- HUMN-202 Rise of Europe (3)
HUMN-301 Foundations of Modern World (3)
HUMN-302 Modern Western Culture (3)
HIST-221 / 222 Western Civilization I, II (3) (3)
ENGL-221 Western Lit: Ancient to Renaissance (3)
ENGL-222 Western Lit: Enlightenment to Postmodern (3)

One of the following (3)

- ARTS-201 Art in Culture (3)
MUHL-211 Music in Culture (3)
PHIL-241 Introduction to Philosophy (3)
THEA-201 Theatre in Culture (3)

UNDERSTANDING CONTEMPORARY SOCIETY

- PSYC-200 Understanding Human Behavior (3)

- HIST-212 Recent American History (3)

OR

- PLSC-250 American Government (3)

- SOCI-200 Understanding Contemporary Society (3)

OR

- ECON-200 Understanding Economic Issues (3)

RESPECTING THE NATURAL WORLD

- LAB SCIENCE: Choose one (1) course along with the corresponding lab: BIOS-110, 112, 114; CHYS-131; GSCI-121, 122; ASTR-111 (4)

SEEKING A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE

- GNST-250-253 Cross Cultural Experience (1-3)
Intermediate (or higher) Foreign Language (6)

SUBTOTAL (38/43 hours) _____

PSYCHOLOGY CORE – 21 hours

- PSYC-215 Intro to Research Methods/Statistics (3)
PSYC-250 Personality Theory (3)
PSYC-260 Lifespan Development (3)
PSYC-330 Social Psychology (3)
PSYC-341 Learning and Cognition (3)
PSYC-380 Physiological Psychology (3)
PSYC-495 Capstone for Seniors (3)

RESEARCH EMPHASIS – 15 hours

- PSYC-216 Applied Research Methods/Statistics (3)
PSYC-415 Independent Research (3)
PSYC-416 Advanced Independent Research (3)

Choose 2 courses from the following: (6 hrs)

- PSYC-331 Psychology of Self (3)
PSYC-333 Psychology of Emotions (3)
PSYC-334 Evolutionary Psychology (3)
PSYC-343 Psychology of Motivation (3)
PSYC-370 Psychology of Work (3)
PSYC-417 Tests and Measurements (3)

PSYCHOLOGY ELECTIVES – 9 hours

Choose from the following PSYC course offerings:

- PSYC-150 The Science of Well-Being (3)
PSYC-255 Psychology of Grief and Loss (3)
PSYC-312 Educational Psychology (3)
PSYC-350 Psych. of Sport & Human Perform. (3)
PSYC-381 Drugs and Behavior (3) (E)
PSYC-395 Pre-professional Seminar (1)
PSYC-408 European Perspectives in Psych (3)*
PSYC-409 History of Psychoanalysis (3)*
PSYC-412 Social Work Practicum I (3)
PSYC-413 Social Work Practicum II (3)
PSYC-433 Community Psychology (3)
PSYC-434 Culture & Personality (3)
PSYC-445 The Psychology of Gender (3) (O)
PSYC-460/70 Practicum in Teaching Psychology (3)
PSYC-472 History & Systems of Psychology (3) (O)
PSYC-480/90 Special Topics in Psychology (3)

*Offered only as part of the Psychology Cross-Cultural Experience in Europe
(E) = Offered Even Years
(O) = Offered Odd Years

NOTE: Research Emphasis options not chosen may count toward this requirement.

SUBTOTAL (45 hours) _____

GENERAL ELECTIVES (or minor)

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SUBTOTAL (17/22 hours) _____

ACADEMIC ASSESSMENT

- GNST-400 Academic Assessment (0)
SMFT-PSY: Major Field Test: Psychology (0)

SUGGESTED FOUR YEAR (SEQUENCE OF STUDY FOR BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PSYCHOLOGY, EMPHASIS IN RESEARCH

(The 80-clock-hour Christian Service requirement is not listed but is spread throughout the four years.)

FRESHMAN YEAR

| <u>Course</u> | <u>Hours</u> |
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| LEEU-101, 102 | 2 |
| College Writing | 3 |
| Rhetoric and Research..... | 3 |
| Message of New/Old Testament | 6 |
| Understanding Human Behavior | 3 |
| Intermediate Foreign Language* | 6 |
| Intro to Statistics | 3 |
| Personality Theory | 3 |
| Total | 29 |

SOPHOMORE YEAR

| <u>Course</u> | <u>Hours</u> |
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| LEEU-202 Benevolence | 1 |
| Intro to Theology | 3 |
| Intro. to Christian Ethics | 3 |
| Contemporary Society Option | 3 |
| Foundations of Western Culture..... | 3 |
| Humanities Option | 3 |
| Lab Science | 4 |
| Lifespan Development..... | 3 |
| Intro to Research Methods/Statistics | 3 |
| Learning and Cognition | 3 |
| Applied Research Methods/Statistics..... | 3 |
| Total | 32 |

JUNIOR YEAR

| <u>Course</u> | <u>Hours</u> |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Social Psychology | 3 |
| Physiological Psychology | 3 |
| Humanities Options..... | 6 |
| Cross-Cultural Experience | 1/3 |
| Independent Research | 3 |
| Advanced Independent Research | 3 |
| Research Emphasis Option | 3 |
| U S History / Government Option | 3 |
| General Electives | 6 |
| Total | 31/33 |

SENIOR YEAR

| <u>Course</u> | <u>Hours</u> |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Research Emphasis Option | 3 |
| Psychology Electives | 9 |
| Capstone for Seniors | 3 |
| General Electives or Minor | 14 |
| Total | 29 |

*This assumes the student places at the Intermediate level. If student places at the elementary level, s/he must take the elementary classes during the freshman year, and they will count as 6 hrs of general electives. The intermediate level classes would then be taken in the sophomore or junior year.