### **PSYCHOLOGY (PSY)**

### 120 INTRODUCTORY PSYCHOLOGY C-ID PSY 110

3 UNITS

3 hours lecture

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Introduction to the facts and theories which seek to explain and understand human thought and behavior including such topics as personality, psychotherapy, learning, memory, interpersonal relationships, adjustment and biological influences.

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC

# 125 CROSS-CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY

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DLOGY 3 UNITS

Introduction to theories and research findings regarding cultural influences on human behavior and cognitive processes (lifespan development, abnormal behavior and mental health, drug use, self-concept, emotion, gender schemas and gender roles, social behavior, perception, learning, intelligence and memory). By providing students with a non-judgmental understanding of how culture influences human behavior, they will be more equipped to interact in a world where there is increasing contact among different cultures

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC

## 134 HUMAN SEXUALITY 3 UNITS C-ID PSY 130

3 hours lecture

Review of the biological, psychological and social aspects of human sexuality including sexuality throughout the lifespan, individual and cultural variations, homosexuality, communication and relationships, sex therapy, sex roles, morality, contraception, and sexually transmitted diseases (STDs).

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC

## 138 SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY 3 UNITS C-ID PSY 170

3 hours lecture

Examination of the individual's perception of and reaction to other people and social influences. Topics such as attitude formation, prejudice and discrimination, helping behavior, aggression, conformity, obedience, cooperation and conflict reduction, and group behavior are explored.

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC

## 140 PHYSIOLOGICAL PSYCHOLOGY 3 UNITS C-ID PSY 150

Prerequisite: "C" grade or higher or "Pass" in PSY 120 or equivalent

3 hours lecture

Examination of the relationships between bodily processes and aspects of behavior. Review of fundamental research methods and major research findings in physiological psychology. Application of experimental methods in psychology, physiology and related disciplines to the understanding of perceptual processes, the control of movement, sleep and waking, reproductive behaviors, ingestive behaviors, emotion, learning, language and mental disorders are explored.

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC

# 150 DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY 3 UNITS C-ID PSY 180

Prerequisite: "C" grade or higher or "Pass" in PSY 120 or equivalent

3 hours lecture

Overview of psychological research and theory involving the lifespan approach to human behavior and cognition. Explores the biological, emotional, social and cognitive development from infancy through childhood, adolescence

and adulthood. Topics include influences of drugs and disease on prenatal development, child-rearing methods, temperaments and personality, childhood disorders, development of language and thinking, gender roles, friendship, family and relationships, parenting and aging. Not open to students with credit in PSY 165.

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC

## 170 ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY 3 UNITS C-ID PSY 120

3 hours lecture

Overview of psychological research and theory involving the causes and treatment of abnormal behavior. The major disorders include anxiety disorders (such as phobias, panic attacks, obsessive-compulsive), mood disorders (such as depression and bipolar), schizophrenic disorders, and personality disorders. Also includes child/adolescence disorders (such as ADHD and eating disorders), substance abuse, mental retardation, sexual disorders, and the effects of stress on the body.

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC

### 201 ACADEMIC AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN PSYCHOLOGY 1 UNI

Prerequisite: "C" grade or higher in PSY 120 or equivalent

1 hour lecture

The study of career options in the field of Psychology. Emphasis is placed on the needs of Psychology majors identifying career-related strengths and interests while providing information on post-baccalaureate options in psychology and related fields, and identification of career-related strengths and interest. Recommended after completion of thirty (30) units. Pass/No Pass only.

# 205 RESEARCH METHODS IN PSYCHOLOGY

3 UNITS

C-ID PSY 200
Prerequisite: "C" grade or higher or "Pass" in PSY 120, 215 or equivalent

3 hours lecture

Introduction to scientific methodology in psychology. Emphasis is placed on descriptive, experimental, and applied research. Students will learn the American Psychological Association writing style for empirical report writing. This course is intended for psychology majors and behavioral science students interested in the processes of research. *CSU*, *UC* 

### 215 STATISTICS FOR THE BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES C-ID SOCI 125

4 UNITS

Prerequisite: "C" grade or higher or "Pass" in MATH 096 or 103 or 110 or equivalent

3.5 hours lecture, 1.5 hours laboratory

Methods and experience in defining and solving quantitative problems in the behavioral sciences. Emphasis is on the design of experiments and the application of a variety of parametric and nonparametric techniques to the analysis of data.

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC credit limit

### 220 LEARNING 3 UNITS

Prerequisite: "C" grade or higher or "Pass" in PSY 120 or equivalent

3 hours lecture

Examination of the basic principles and research in animal and human learning.

AA/AS GE, CSU, CSU GE, IGETC, UC