THE UNIVERSITY OF PUGET SOUND

2017-2018 CURRICULUM GUIDE

PSYCHOLOGY DEGREE: BA

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A suggested four-year program:

Fall Semester Classes

Spring Semester Classes

Freshman	Units		Units
SSI 1	1	SSI 2	1
PSYC 101 or MATH 160	1	PSYC 101 or MATH 160	1
NS core (BIOL 101 or 111) or Elective	1	NS core (BIOL 101 or 111) or Elective	1
FL (if needed) or Approaches core	1	FL (if needed) or Approaches core	1

Sophomore	Units		Units
PSYC 201 [#] or Elective	1	PSYC 201 [#] or Elective	1
Elective or Approaches core	1	Elective or Approaches core	1
Approaches core	1	Approaches core	1
Elective	1	Elective or PSYC Elective	1

Junior	Units		Units
PSYC 201# or 301, or PSYC Lab Course	1	PSYC 301 or PSYC Lab Course	1
Elective or PSYC Elective	1	Elective or PSYC Elective	1
Elective	1	Elective or CN core*	1
Elective	1	Elective	1

Senior	Units		Units
PSYC 401 or Elective	1	PSYCH 401 or Elective	1
PSYC Lab Course or PSYC Elective	1	PSYCH Lab Course or Elective	1
Elective or CN core*	1	Elective or CN core*	1
Elective or Internship	1	Elective	1

Puget Sound requires a total of 32 units to graduate

Notes:

^{*}Must be a declared psychology major to enroll in Psychology 201 onward.

^{*}Of the three units of upper division coursework required outside the first major, the Connections course will count for one unless it is used to meet a major requirement.

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COURSE CHECKLIST PSYCHOLOGY

CORE CURRICULUM

KEY

SSI1= Seminar in Scholarly Inquiry1 SSI2= Seminar in Scholarly Inquiry2 AR= Artistic Approaches MA= Mathematical Approaches NS= Natural Scientific Approaches SL= Social Scientific Approaches

HM= Humanistic Approaches CN= Connections FL= Foreign Language

Foreign Language Requirement (circle one)

- 1) Two semesters at 101/102 level or One semester at 200+ level
- 2) Proficiency exam (3rd year high school level or 1st year college level)
- 3) AP foreign language score of 4 or 5
- 4) IB higher level foreign language score of 5, 6, or 7

Upper Division Level Requirement

Three units at the upper division level outside the first major.

KNOWledge, Identity, and Power Requirement

One course. See Bulletin for details. Courses may also fulfill other program or graduation requirements.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

COURSE	UNITS	TERM	GRADE
MATH 160 ¹			
PSYC 101 ^{1,2}			
PSYC 201 ^{1,3}			
PSYC 301 ³			
Two Lab Courses ³ from the following: 310, 311, 312, or 313			
1.			
2.			
PSYC 401***			
Four PSYC Electives ^{4,5}			
1.			
2.			
3. 300 ⁺			
4. 300 ⁺			
BIOL 101 or 111 ⁶ ****			

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NOTES

All major courses must be taken for a grade. Psychology majors must satisfy university core requirements other than First-Year Seminars outside of the Psychology Department.

- *First-Year Seminars (SSI 1 & SSI 2) cannot be used to fulfill major requirements.
- **Psychology majors may not use PSYC 225 to fulfill the Social Scientific Approaches core requirement.
- ***Students may not take PSYC 401 and two PSYC 300-level Lab courses in a single semester.
- ****BIOL 111 is strongly recommended for students with an interest in biological psychology or neuroscience.
- 1) PSYC 101 (or equivalent) with C or better is prerequisite to PSYC 201. MATH 160 is prerequisite to PSYC 201. PSYC 201 with C or better or instructor permission is prerequisite to PSYC 301. Must be a declared psychology major to enroll for Psychology 201.
- 2) Students with a strong psychology background may petition the department to take an elective instead of PSYC 101.
- 3) All laboratory courses have PSYC 201 as a prerequisite. PSYC 312 also requires PSYC 301 or instructor permission. PSYC 311 students participate in laboratories involving live animals.
- 4) Two must be taken from the Foundations category at any level, which includes PSYC courses numbered between 220-239 and 320-339. Two must be taken at the 300 or 400 level. Note: PSYC 370 may only be counted once toward the major.
- 5) Internship and independent study courses may count as upper-division electives.
- 6) BIOL 101 or 111 should be taken in the first or second year.