



## THE DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

offers a Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology. This program provides for systematic advancement toward professional careers and graduate studies in the social and behavioral sciences. Professionally oriented courses, research experiences, practica, and close faculty-student mentoring are emphasized as a means of enabling students to reach their academic and professional goals. One hundred twenty (120) credit hours are required for the Bachelor of Arts degree.

### CORE REQUIREMENTS (52 semester hours)

PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
PSYC 200	Introduction to Psychopathology	3
PSYC 202	Psychology of Learning	3
PSYC 204	Statistics I	3
PSYC 205	Experimental Psychology	4
PSYC 302	Childhood and Adolescence	3
PSYC 304	Cognitive Psychology	3
PSYC 307	Personality	3
PSYC 311	Cross Cultural Psychology	3
PSYC 320	Physiological Psychology	3
PSYC 404	Psychological Measurement	3
PSYC 431	Seminar in Psychology	3
PSYC 442	Statistics II	3
— —	Foreign Language—First year I	3
— —	Foreign Language—First year II	3
— —	Foreign Language—Second year I	3
— —	Foreign Language—Second year II	3

Located in Bowie, Md., the campus is situated in a triangle formed by Annapolis (20 miles east), Baltimore (20 miles north), and Washington, D.C. (15 miles southwest). The campus is served by the MARC commuter train and the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority from the New Carrollton Metro station.

### FROM THE NORTH (BALTIMORE)

I-295 to Route 197 South

### FROM THE EAST (ANNAPOLIS)

I-495 East to I-495 South to Route 50 East

### FROM WASHINGTON, D.C.

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## COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

# Department of Psychology

BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE





## FACULTY MEMBER

“My colleagues and I care about our students’ learning. We nurture and mentor our students while challenging them to think critically and persevere through their studies. In this way, we encourage them to become ethical and socially responsible psychology professionals and citizens.”

Patricia Westerman

## PSYCHOLOGY ELECTIVES

- PSYC 310 Aging, Death and Dying
- PSYC 301 Applied Behavior Analysis
- PSYC 412 Educational Psychology
- PSYC 407 Forensic Psychology
- PSYC 410 Group Dynamics
- PSYC 330 Health Psychology
- PSYC 309 History of Psychology
- PSYC 210 Human Sexuality
- PSYC 403 Industrial/Organizational Psychology
- PSYC 441 Practicum in Psychology
- PSYC 401 Psychology of Drug Use and Abuse
- PSYC 321 Sensation and Perception
- PSYC 312 Sports Psychology



## FRESHMAN YEAR

### First Semester

PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
ENG 101	Expository Writing	3
FRSE 101	Freshman Seminar	3
COMM 101	Oral Communication	3
— —	Foreign Language	3
		<b>15</b>

### Second Semester

PSYC 202	Psychology of Learning	3
ENG 102	Argument and Research	3
MATH 125	College Algebra	3
— —	Health and Wellness Elective	3
— —	Foreign Language	3
		<b>16</b>

## SOPHOMORE YEAR

### First Semester

PSYC 204	Statistics I	3
BIO 101	Biological Science	4
HIST 114	African American History or to 1865	3
HIST 115	African American History since 1865	3
SOCI 101	Intro to Sociology	3
— —	Foreign Language	4
ENG PRO	English Proficiency Exam	0
		<b>16</b>

### Second Semester

PSYC 302	Childhood and Adolescence	3
PSYC 205	Experimental Psychology	4
PSYC 442	Statistics II	3
COSC 110	Computer Literacy and Applications	3
PSYC —	Foreign Language	3
		<b>16</b>

## JUNIOR YEAR

### First Semester

PSYC 304	Cognitive Psychology	3
PSYC 311	Cross-Cultural Psychology	3
PSYC 200	Intro to Psychopathology	3
— —	Arts and Humanities Elective	3
— —	Science Elective	4
		<b>16</b>

### Second Semester

PSYC 307	Personality	3
PSYC 320	Physiological Psychology	3
— —	General Education Electives	9
		<b>15</b>

## SENIOR YEAR

### First Semester

PSYC 431	Seminar in Psychology	3
PSYC 404	Psychological Measurement	3
— —	General Electives	9
		<b>15</b>

### Second Semester

— —	General Electives	12
		<b>12</b>
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		<b>120</b>

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## STUDENT

“My professors are my cheerleaders... They challenge us to always strive for excellence. This helps us to think outside of the box.”

Meagan Whitfield

