

# Psychology—Forensic Psychology Concentration: Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)

## Degree Type

Bachelor of Arts

In addition to the general psychology mission, the primary goal of this concentration is to introduce students to the field of psychology and law and forensic psychology. These two fields are intimately related; psychology is the study of the human mind and behavior while law is the societal regulation of human behavior.

## Learning Outcomes

In addition to the general psychology outcomes students will:

- Identify, define and explain the key terminology, concepts, principles, theories and models from the field of forensic psychology.
- Develop critical reasoning skills through the reading and discussion of research in the field of forensic psychology.

## Psychology with Forensic Psychology Concentration B.A. Progress to Completion Requirements:

Program Credit Requirement: 52 credits (including 4 credit minimum internship)

[PSY 101](#) – minimum grade of C

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	4.0
PSY 202	Personality Psychology	4.0
PSY 204	Social Psychology	4.0
PSY 211	Cognitive Psychology	4.0
PSY 216	Neuroscience	4.0
PSY 302	Statistical Methods for Psychology	4.0
PSY 306	Psychopathology	4.0
PSY 308	Research Methods in Psychology	4.0
PSY 317	Forensic Psychology	4.0
PSY 354	Psychology and Law	4.0
PSY 485	Psychology Internship and Professional Development Seminar	4.0-16
PSY 486	Psychology Capstone: Advanced Research Seminar	4.0
	One PSY 300-400-level Psychology elective or one CLS 300-400-level Crime & Legal Studies elective	4

## Suggested Registration Sequence

### First Year - Fall

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	4.0
WRT 101	Introduction to Academic Writing	4.0
FYE 101	First Year Experience	4.0
	Lib Ed - Liberal Education Core Course	4

## First Year - Spring

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 202	Personality Psychology	4.0
	MAT - Quantitative Literacy Proficiency	4
	Lib Ed - Liberal Education Core Course	4
	Free Elective Course	4

## Sophomore Year- Fall

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 204	Social Psychology	4.0
PSY 216	Neuroscience	4.0
	Lib Ed - Liberal Education Core Course	4
	Free Elective Course	4

## Sophomore Year - Spring

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 211	Cognitive Psychology	4.0
	Lib Ed - Liberal Education Core Course	4
	Lib Ed - Liberal Education Core Course	4
	Free Elective Course	4

## Junior Year - Fall

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 302	Statistical Methods for Psychology	4.0
PSY 306	Psychopathology	4.0
PSY 317	Forensic Psychology	4.0
	Lib Ed - Liberal Education Core Course	4

## Junior Year - Spring

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 308	Research Methods in Psychology	4.0
PSY 354	Psychology and Law	4.0
	IE - Integrative Experience Course	4
	Free Elective Course	4

## Senior Year - Fall

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 486	Psychology Capstone: Advanced Research Seminar	4.0
	One PSY 300-400-level Psychology elective or one CLS 300-400-level Crime & Legal Studies elective	4
	Free Elective Course	4
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## Senior Year - Spring

Item #	Title	Credits
PSY 485	Psychology Internship and Professional Development Seminar	4.0-16
	Free Elective Course	4
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