

# Graduation Checklist for Psychology Major FA2008 through Current Catalog

## Criteria for Admission to the Psychology Major:

1. Completion of MAT 1271 or higher level math course, with a grade of C or better; or ACT math score of 26 or higher.
2. Completion of PSY 1879G (or equivalent) with a grade of C or better.

**Major in Psychology: A grade of C or better is required in all Psychology courses counting towards the major.**

## Core Requirements:

- \_\_\_ MAT1271 or higher level math course, with grade of C or better, or ACT math score of 26 or higher: 0-3 credits
- \_\_\_ PSY1879G Introductory Psychology: 3 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY2610 Statistical Methods of Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G & Math above): 4 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY2999 Psychological Forum (prereq. PSY1879G): 1 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY3805 Research Methods & Experimental Design (prereq. PSY1879G & PSY2610 w/ grade of C or better): 4 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY4xxx Capstone Course\* 3 CR (prereq. PSY2610, PSY 3805, and senior standing); See online catalog for details.
- \_\_\_ Complete the department's exit evaluation (i.e., the Psychology Comprehensive Exam) at least 10 days prior to the closing date of the term of graduation. (It will be made available to you in WebCT during the semester in which you've applied to graduate.)

## Group A: Abnormal/Social Group – Minimum of two from:

- \_\_\_ PSY3590 Theories of Personality (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY3780 Abnormal Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY3870 Social Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR

## Group B: Biopsychology Group – Minimum of one from:

- \_\_\_ PSY3310 Biological Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY3680 Sensation & Perception (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR

## Group C: Cognitive/Learning Group – Minimum of one from:

- \_\_\_ PSY3620 Psychology of Learning (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY3830 Cognitive Processes (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR

## Group D: Developmental Group – Minimum of one from:

- \_\_\_ PSY3515 Child Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY3521 Psychology of Adolescence & Young Adulthood (prereq PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ PSY3525 Psychology of Maturity & Old Age (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR

## Electives:

6 credits from any Psychology Courses except PSY4274 & PSY4275. No more than 3 credits each of PSY 3900 or 4100 may count toward this requirement. May include any courses from Groups A, B, C & D above the minimum requirement. Please read catalog for course prerequisites.

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| ___ PSY3260 Group Dynamics: 2 CR       | ___ PSY4000 Prob Solv & Reas: 3 CR      | ___ PSY4585 Special Topics: 3 CR      |
| ___ PSY3530 Ind/Org Psy: 3 CR          | ___ PSY4100* Supervised Res: 1-6 CR     | ___ PSY4590* Psy Seminar: 3 CR        |
| ___ PSY3690 Controversial Topics: 3 CR | ___ PSY4250* History & Systems: 3 CR    | ___ PSY4515* Children w/ Except: 3 CR |
| ___ PSY3720 Psy of Gender: 3 CR        | ___ PSY4260* Crisis Intervention: 3 CR  | ___ PSY4610 Adv Statistics: 4 CR      |
| ___ PSY3765 Methods in Beh Mgt: 3 CR   | ___ PSY4270* Theories Psychother: 3 CR  | ___ PSY4644* Honors Thesis: 3 CR      |
| ___ PSY3820 Cog Neuroscience: 3 CR     | ___ PSY4274 Orient. to Internship: 1 CR | ___ PSY4666* Honors Seminar: 3 CR     |
| ___ PSY3900 Ind Study: 1-6 CR          | ___ PSY4275 Internship: 3/6 CR          | ___ PSY4620 Psy Measurements: 3 CR    |
| ___ PSY3970 Study Abroad: 1-15 CR      | ___ PSY4444 Honors Ind Study: 3 CR      | ___ PSY4700* Prejudice & Disc: 3 CR   |
|  |   | OTHER: _____                          |

**MAJOR TOTAL: 36-39 credits**

Graduating Seniors are encouraged to complete the **Graduating Senior Exit Survey** by the closing date of the term of graduation. The link to the survey is located on the Department of Psychology web site at

<http://castle.eiu.edu/psych/assessment/index.php>

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