COLLEGE OF SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS
MAJOR: PSYCHOLOGY
ACADEMIC YEAR: 2013-2014
DEGREE TYPE: B.A. or B.S.
REQUIRED DEGREE CREDITS TO GRADUATE: 122

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS – 40 CREDITS
Lower Division Requirements – 37 Credits
First Year Experience (F) - 1 Credit
UNIV  189 Skills for Academic Success  1 cr
Students transferring in 24 or more credits do not need to take UNIV 189.

Communication (C) - 9 Credits
ENGL  110 College Composition I  3 cr
ENGL  120 College Composition II  3 cr
COMM  110 Fund of Public Speaking  3 cr

Quantitative Reasoning (R) - 3 Credits
STAT  330 Introductory Statistics  3 cr

Science & Technology (S) - 10 Credits
A one-credit lab must be taken as a co-requisite with a general education science/technology course unless the course includes an embedded lab experience equivalent to a one-credit course. Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Humanities & Fine Arts (A) - 6 Credits
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Social & Behavioral Sciences (B) - 6 Credits
PSYC courses cannot be used here.
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Wellness (W) - 2 Credits
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Cultural Diversity (D)
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Group Perspectives (G)
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Upper Division Requirements - Writing – 3 Credits
ENGL 324, 325, or 459  3 cr

PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS – 30 CREDITS
PSYC  111 Intro to Psychology  3 cr
PSYC  350 Research Methods I  3 cr
PSYC  351 Research Methods II  3 cr
PSYC  ELECTIVES  6 cr

Psychology 400 Level Electives- 15 Credits
One course from three of the following four groups, plus one capstone course and one other course numbered 400 or higher to equal 15 credits.

GROUP 1: Social/Personality
PSYC  453 Organizational Psychology  3 cr
PSYC  468 Personality  3 cr
PSYC  470 Experimental Social Psychology  3 cr

GROUP 2: Perception/Cognition
PSYC  460 Sensation & Perception  3 cr
PSYC  461 Memory & Knowledge  3 cr
PSYC  464 Attention & Thinking  3 cr

GROUP 3: Biological Bases of Behavior
PSYC  465 Psychobiology  3 cr
PSYC  481 Health Psychology  3 cr
PSYC  486 Neuropsychology  3 cr

GROUP 4: Individual Differences
PSYC  463 Experimental Developmental Psychology  3 cr
PSYC  471 The Psychology of Aging  3 cr
PSYC  472 Advanced Psychopathology  3 cr
PSYC  473 Child Psychopathology and Therapy  3 cr

Capstone Experience – 3 Credits
PSYC  480 History & Systems  3 cr
PSYC  489 Honor's Thesis  3 cr

Additional 400 level Psychology Course – 3 Credits
May be from 489, 494, or 496 courses taken for a grade.

RELATED REQUIRED COURSE – 3 OR 4 CREDITS
Not counted in the 30 credits of the major.
MATH  103+ Math 103 or higher  3 or 4 cr

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE SUPPORTING TRACK – 14 CREDITS
Each student seeking a Bachelor of Science degree must select one of the following tracks in consultation with your adviser.

Natural Science Track:
14 additional credits in math/science. Prefixes accepted include: BIOL, BIOLB, BOT, CHEM, ENTR, GEOL, MATH, MICR, PHYS, PLS, STAT, OR ZOO. (May not count in general education also)

Social Science Track:
14 additional credits in social sciences (not Psychology). Prefixes accepted include: ANTH, HDFS general education courses or prerequisite is a general education course; CJ, ECON, POLS, or SOC. Other courses accepted COMM 114, 212, 216, 260, 271, 301, 402, 403, 404, 405, 480; BUSN 487; MGMT 320, 330, 450, GEOG 151, 161, 262. (May not count in general education also)

Minor Track:
Minor in an approved area

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS – UP TO 29 CREDITS TO REACH 122
Degree requirements continued on page two.
DEPARTMENT AND COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS:

- Except for courses offered only as pass/fail grading, no course may be taken Pass/Fail.

**Bachelor of Science (BS) Degree** – An additional 6 credits in Humanities or Social Sciences*

**Bachelor of Arts (BA) Degree** – An additional 12 credits Humanities and Social Sciences* and proficiency at the second year level in a modern foreign language.

*Humanities and Social Sciences may be fulfilled by any course having the following prefix: ADHM, ANTH, ARCH, ART, CJ, CLAS, COMM, ECON, ENGL, FREN, GERM, HDFS, HIST, LA, LANG, MUSC, PHIL, POLS, PSYC, RELS, SOC, SPAN, THEA, WGS, or any course from the approved list of general education courses in humanities and social sciences (general education categories A and B). These credits must come from outside the department of the student’s major.