

# PSYCHOLOGY MINOR

## *Customized for Biology Majors*

### Department of Psychology Wright State University

The psychology minor serves to meet the needs of students who would like a better understanding of psychological processes. Students in a wide variety of majors may benefit by supplementing their knowledge and skills with a stronger background in psychology. The minor is flexible so that the subsets of courses appropriate for particular majors may be selected. Students may find that the psychology minor enhances their educational goals. (*NOTE: At least nine hours of the minor must be completed at Wright State.*) To speak to a COSM advisor, email [cosm-advisors@wright.edu](mailto:cosm-advisors@wright.edu) for an appointment.

#### Area I – 4 Credit Hours

Introductory Psychology (4 Hours)

PSY 1010 \_\_\_\_\_ (*NOTE: This course is a prerequisite to all other psychology courses*).

#### Area II – 9 Credit Hours

Psychology Core Courses (PSY 3000 level or higher). Students may choose three courses, totaling nine credit hours\*\*. Courses listed below are recommended (not required) for biology majors.\*

PSY 3090 Psychology of Health Behavior  
PSY 3110 Abnormal Psychology  
PSY 3210 Cognition & Learning  
PSY 3310 Personality Psychology

PSY 3610 Conditioning and Learning  
PSY 3710 Perception  
PSY 3910 Behavioral Neuroscience

*\*- At least one of the courses (3000 level) must be completed at Wright State.*

#### Area III – 9 Credit Hours

Psychology Electives

At least nine hours of psychology elective courses must be completed. Any PSY\ 2000 or 3000 level course, including core courses beyond those required in Area II, will satisfy this requirement. Courses listed below are recommended (not required) for biology majors.\*\*

PSY 2110 Human Sexuality  
PSY 2430 Issues in Aging  
PSY 2910 Drugs and Behavior  
PSY 2920 Hormones and Behavior

PSY 2940 Mind, Body, Consciousness, &  
Reality  
PSY 2510 Stereotyping and Prejudice  
PSY 2520 Forensic Psychology

*\*\*At least two of the courses (2000 level) must be completed at Wright State.*

#### Area IV

Total Hour and GPA Requirements

\_\_\_\_\_ Total of 22 hours from Areas I, II, & III (with at least nine hours being completed at WSU).  
\_\_\_\_\_ Psychology GPA of at least a 2.0

\_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA of at least 2.0