

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS FORMS

Substantive Program Modification Form

UNIVERSITY:	SDSU
CURRENT PROGRAM TITLE:	Psychology (B.A, B.S.)
CIP CODE:	42.0101 – Psychology Major
UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT:	Psychology
BANNER DEPARTMENT CODE:	SPSY
UNIVERSITY DIVISION:	Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences
BANNER DIVISION CODE:	3S

University Approval

To the Board of Regents and the Executive Director: I certify that I have read this proposal, that I believe it to be accurate, and that it has been evaluated and approved as provided by university policy.

	Dennis D. Hedge				3/16/2020
	Vice President of Academic Affairs	O#			
		or			Date
	President of the University				
1.	This modification addresses a change in:				
\boxtimes	Total credits required within the discipline		Tota	l credits of sup	portive course work
\boxtimes	Total credits of elective course work		Tota	l credits requir	ed for program
	Program name		Exis	ting specializat	ion
	CIP Code		Othe	er (explain belo	w)
2.	Effective date of change: 2020-2021 Academ	ic Yea	r		
3.	Program Degree Level: Associate □ Bach	elor's [\times	Master's □	Doctoral \square
1.	Category: Certificate □ Specialization	Mino	r 🗆	Major ⊠	
5.	If a name change is proposed, the change wi	ill occu	ır:		
	\square On the effective date for all students				
	\square On the effective date for students new to the	e prog	ram (e	enrolled student	s will graduate from
	existing program)				
	Proposed new name:				

6. Primary Aspects of the Modification:

Existing Curriculum (highlight changes)

Pref.	Num.	Title	Cr. Hrs	Pref.	Num.	Title	Cr. Hrs
System General Education Requirements		30	System General Education Requirements			30	
ENGL	101	Composition I (SGR #1)	3	ENGL	101	Composition I (SGR #1)	3
		SGR #1	3			SGR #1	3
		SGR #2	3			SGR #2	3
PSYC	101	General Psychology (SGR #3)	3	PSYC	101	General Psychology (SGR #3)	3
		SGR #3	3			SGR #3	3
		SGR #4	3			SGR #4	3
		SGR #4	3			SGR #4	3
		SGR #5	3			SGR #5	3
		SGR #6	3			SGR #6	3

Existing Curriculum (highlight changes)

Proposed Curriculum (highlight changes)

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Pref.	Num.	Title	Cr. Hrs	Pref.	Num.	Title	Cr. Hr
SGR #6			3	SGR #6			3
	College Req		9-13+		College Requ		9-13+
Additional required credits of coursework beyond SGRs, Major, and Support Courses			7-9			credits of coursework beyond SGRs,	7-9
Major, a	nd Support			Major, a	and Support		
		One declared minor outside of the major	-	1		One declared minor outside of the	-
		prefix OR a second major OR a teaching		1		major prefix OR a second major OR a	
		specialization. The minor may be a		1		teaching specialization. The minor	
		traditional minor within one department		1		may be a traditional minor within one	
		or it may be interdisciplinary involving		1		department or it may be	
		more than one department. The minor		1		interdisciplinary involving more than	
		can be in a different college. The minor		1		one department. The minor can be in a	
		must be declared no later than the		1		different college. The minor must be	
		student's third semester of enrollment.		1		declared no later than the student's	
	1			<u> </u>		third semester of enrollment.	
		Capstone course within major	-	1		Capstone course within major	-
		PSYC 409 History and Systems of		1		PSYC 409 History and Systems of	
		Psychology	<u> </u>			Psychology	<u> </u>
		Upper Division Credits (300-400 level	33	I		Upper Division Credits (300-400 level	33
		coursework inside and outside of the		1		coursework inside and outside of the	
	<u> </u>	major)		<u> </u>	<u></u>	major)	
Bachelo	or of Arts		9+	Bachelo	or of Arts		9+
			9				9
		Modern Foreign Language (6+)	6+	- 		Modern Foreign Language (6+)	6+
		Competency at the 202 level	6	1		Competency at the 202 level	6
		(6 credits from one approved Modern		1		(6 credits from one approved	
		Foreign language from SGR #4 may be		1		Modern Foreign language from SGR	
		counted toward goal)		<u> </u>		#4 may be counted toward goal)	
AIS	211	South Dakota American Indian Culture	3	AIS	211	South Dakota American Indian	3
		and Education				Culture and Education	
Bachel	or of Scienc		13+	Bachelo	or of Science		13+
			7+				7+
		Natural Sciences (10+)	10+	I		Natural Sciences (10+)	10+
		Satisfying coursework must include	4+	1		Satisfying coursework must include	4+
		-at least two classes with laboratory		1		-at least two classes with laboratory	
		components		1		components	
		-at least two different prefixes		1		-at least two different prefixes	
		(MATH and STATS courses do not		1		(MATH and STATS courses do not	
		count toward the Science requirement.)		1		count toward the Science	
		(6 credits of SGR #6 are counted toward		1		requirement.)	
		this goal)		1		(6 credits of SGR #6 are counted	
			<u> </u>	<u> </u>		toward this goal)	
AIS	211	South Dakota American Indian Culture	3	AIS	211	South Dakota American Indian Culture	3
		and Education		<u> </u>	<u></u>	and Education	<u></u>
Majors	Requireme	ents	42	Majors	Majors Requirements		<mark>41</mark>
			39				<mark>38</mark>
Major C	Core		18	Major Co	ore		14
			15	7.5	40:		<mark>11</mark>
PSYC	101	General Psychology (SGR 3)		PSYC	101	General Psychology (SGR 3)	
PSYC	201	The Field of Psychology	1	PSYC	201	The Field of Psychology	<u> </u>
PSYC	210	Introduction to Biopsychology	3	PSYC	210	Introduction to Biopsychology	<mark>3</mark>
PSYC	375-375L	Research Methods in Psychology & Lab	4	PSYC	375-375L	Research Methods in Psychology &	4
DOT/~	276 27	December 1 17 17 17		DOMO	277. 27. 2	Lab	
PSYC		Research Methods II and Lab	4	PSYC	376-376L	Research Methods II and Lab	4
PSYC	409	History and Systems of Psychology	3 24	PSYC	409	History and Systems of Psychology	3
rsycholo	Psychology Major Requirements Domain L. Complete two of the			rsycholo	<mark>gy Major Re</mark>		27 0
		Domain I – Complete <u>two</u> of the	6			Domain I – Complete three of the	9
		following:				following:	

Existing Curriculum (highlight changes)

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Pref.	Num.	Title	Cr. Hr		Num.	Title	Cr. Hrs
PSYC	301	Sensation and Perception	3	PSYC	301	Sensation and Perception	3
PSYC	305	Learning and Conditioning	3	PSYC	305	Learning and Conditioning	3
PSYC	406	Cognitive Psychology	3	PSYC	406	Cognitive Psychology	3
PSYC	411	Physiological Psychology	3	PSYC	411	Physiological Psychology	3
PSYC	414	Drugs and Behavior	3	PSYC	414	Drugs and Behavior	3
				PSYC	417	Health Psychology	3
		Domain II - Select two of the	6			Domain II - Complete three of the	9
		following:				following:	
PSYC	324	Psychology of Aging	3	PSYC	244	Environmental Psychology	3
PSYC	327	Child Psychology	3	PSYC	327	Child Psychology	3
PSYC	364	Cross Cultural Psychology	3	PSYC	364	Course Cultural Psychology	3
PSYC	367	Psychological Gender Issues	3	PSYC	367	Psychological Gender Issues	3
1510	307	1 Sychological Gender Issues	3	PSYC	441	Social Psychology	3
				PSYC	443	Social Psychology of Prejudice	3
		Domain III - Select two of the	6	1010	113	Domain III – Complete three of the	9
		following:	0			following:	<mark>2</mark>
PSYC	417	Health Psychology	3	PSYC	331	Industrial & Organizational	3
1310	41/	Health F sychology	3	rsic	331	Psychology	
PSYC	441	Cooled Dayahology	3	PSYC	357	Psychological Therapies	3
PSIC	441	Social Psychology	3		357 358		3
DOMO	451	De al al a a constant Data de a	2	PSYC		Behavior Modification	3
PSYC	451	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3	PSYC	427	Child Psychopathology	
PSYC	461	Theories of Personality	3	PSYC	451	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3
				PSYC	<mark>492</mark>	Topics (Organizational Development)	3
		Domain IV - Select <u>two</u> of the	6			Domain IV - Select two of the	<mark>€</mark>
		following:	_			following:	_
PSYC	331	Industrial & Organizational Psychology	3	PSYC	<mark>331</mark>	Industrial & Organizational	<mark>3</mark>
						Psychology Property P	_
PSYC	357	Psychological Therapies	3	PSYC	357	Psychological Therapies	<mark>3</mark>
PSYC	358	Behavior Modification	3	PSYC	<mark>358</mark>	Behavior Modification	<mark>3</mark>
PSYC	389	Pseudoscience and Psychology	3	PSYC	<mark>389</mark>	Pseudoscience and Psychology	<mark>3</mark>
PSYC	427	Child Psychopathology	3	PSYC	427	Child Psychopathology	<mark>3</mark>
PSYC	440	Forensic Psychology	3	PSYC	<mark>440</mark>	Forensic Psychology	<mark>3</mark>
PSYC	477	Psych Testing & Measurement	3	PSYC	477	Psych Testing & Measurement	<mark>-3</mark> -
Electives (Taken as needed to complete any additional			42-44	Elective	<mark>s</mark> (Taken as	needed to complete any additional	43-45
degree	requiremen	uts)		degree r	equirement	s)	
		Summary o	f Credi	ts Psvchol	logy (B.A.)		<u>=</u>
System	General E	ducation Requirements	30	System General Education Requirements			30
		quirements	9+	AHSS College Requirements			9+
		ed credits of coursework beyond SGRs,	9		Additional required credits of coursework beyond SGRs,		
	and Suppor	•			Major, and Support Courses		
	Requiren		42		Majors Requirements		
	Core (15)		39	Major Core (11)			41 38
		r Requirements (24)		Psychology Major Requirements (27)			
		s needed to complete any additional degree	42			needed to complete any additional degree	43
requiren		s needed to complete any additional degree	72	requirem		needed to complete any additional degree	-10
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		Education Requirements	30			lucation Requirements	30 13+
AHSS College Requirements			13+	AHSS College Requirements			
Additional required credits of coursework beyond SGRs,			7+			d credits of coursework beyond SGRs,	7+
Major, and Support Courses					ınd Support		
Majors Requirements			42		Requireme	ents	41
Major Core (15)			39		Core (11)		<mark>38</mark>
Psychology Major Requirements (24)				Psychology Major Requirements (27)			
Electives (Taken as needed to complete any additional degree			44	Electives (Taken as needed to complete any additional degree			<mark>45</mark>
require				requirements)			
	To	otal number of hours required for major	39	Total number of hours required for major			
	Total number of hours required for major			Total number of hours required for major			

Existing Curriculum				Proposed Curriculum (<mark>highlight changes</mark>)			
Pref.	Num.	Title	Cr. Hrs	Pref.	Num.	Title	Cr. Hrs
	Total number of hours required for degree		120		Total	number of hours required for degree	120

7. Explanation of the Change:

The Psychology curriculum has been revised to decrease the number of required courses to allow students more opportunity to focus their major on the courses they want for their final career of interest, while still obtaining a broad exposure to the field as a whole.