

Autumn 2009 Psychology Courses at OSU Marion

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GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY 100 will be offered daily at **MW 8-10am, F 9** (24982) by Dr. Pettijohn; **MW 10-12:30p**, (24929) by Dr Tylka; **MW 10-12:30p** (24930) by Dr. Richard, and **TR 5:30-7:45pm** (24931) by Mrs. Hazelett. This is the introductory course, and is the prerequisite for advanced studies in psychology. It covers the range of psychology subfields, including psychobiology, development, perception, learning, cognition, motivation, personality, clinical, and social psychology, and focuses on the scientific approach.

HOW TO STUDY 120N (Academic and Personal Effectiveness) will be taught **MW 5:30-7pm** (24935) by Mrs. Hazelett. This how to study course helps students improve study skills by focusing on how to take effective lecture notes, how to read and study textbooks, and how to take tests. Academic and Personal Effectiveness 120, is for any student who needs a jump-start on study skills and college survival. Psych 120 does not have any prerequisites.

PERCEPTION 310 will be taught Autumn **TR 1-3pm** (26745) by Dr. Ashleigh Richard. How do we know about the world we live in and why does it appear the way it does? Perception is the active process of selecting, organizing, and interpreting sensory input. This course will explore theories and experimental methods used to study issues such as why we see the sky as blue, how we recognize our friend's face, and how we experience music. Prerequisite is only Psychology 100 (see advisor if problem registering). Psychology 310 meets Area D requirement for psychology majors.

MOTIVATION 311 will be taught **MW 10-12n** (26746) by Dr. Pettijohn. Psychology 311, Motivation and Action is "a behavioral presentation of experimental work on learning and motivation." This 3-hour experimental course will view motivation from several perspectives: instinct, arousal, drive, reinforcement, cognitive, and humanistic. First part of the course will consist of a review of the important motivation concepts throughout history. Then it will focus on understanding various approaches to motivation, and applying this information to everyday behavior. Psychology 311 counts as a major or minor requirement in psychology. A basic goal is to help students understand why people behave the way they do. Students will be involved in learning through papers, class lecture and discussion, videos, and readings. Prerequisite is Psychology 100 (see advisor if problem registering for course).

LIFE SPAN DEVELOPMENT 340 (Psychology 340) will be taught **TR 3-5pm** (26747) by Dr. Chris Daddis. This course provides a broad overview of theories, research methods, and current knowledge of human development across the lifespan. Students will be introduced to developmental tasks and challenges unique to each stage of human development from the prenatal periods through infancy, early and middle childhood, adolescence, emerging adulthood, middle age, and old age. The course will focus on physical, cognitive, and socio-emotional development within the interpersonal, cultural, and historical contexts that influence human growth. Prerequisite is Psychology 100.

PSYCHOLOGY OF PERSONALITY 530 Personality 530 is a 4-credit course taught **MW 3-5pm** (26748) by Dr. Tracy Tylka. In this class, we will examine several major personality theory domains including psychodynamic/ interpersonal, trait and factor, cognitive-behavioral, humanistic, existential, gestalt, feminist/multicultural, Zen Buddhism, positive psychology, and eclectic. Theorists within these domains such as Freud, Jung, Adler, Horney, Erikson, Allport, Cattell, Mischel, Costa and McCrae, Bandura, Ellis, Rogers, May, Perls, Lazarus, and Seligman will be discussed and critiqued within assignments. Students also will learn applications of each personality theory to fields such as therapy and education. Prerequisite is Psych 100.

Three courses are also offered at the Delaware Center: General Psychology **100E** is taught TR 10-12:15p (24932) by Dr. Fohl-Bailey, and TR 5:30-8pm (27428) by Dr. Richard. Academic and Personal Effectiveness **120E** is offered TR 1:30-3pm (24936) by Dr. Fohl-Bailey.

RESEARCH METHODS IN PSYCHOLOGY 300E is taught at the Delaware Center **MW 1-3pm** (24937) by Dr. Fohl-Bailey. Goals include 1) understanding research designs, 2) searching research literature, 3) writing in APA style, and 4) conducting original research. Students will be involved in reviewing the research literature in psychology, writing in APA style, and conducting original research. This course is required of all psychology majors and minors.