PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR – Mind, Brain & Behavior Concentration

Name: ____________________________ Date concentration declared: ____________________________

**AUCC (ALL UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM)** (31-32 credits)

- **Fundamental Competencies**
  - **A Intermediate Writing (3)**
    - CO 150 College Comp (3)
      - (HONR 193 for Honors)
  - **B Quantitative Reasoning (3)**
    - MATH 117 College Alg I (1)
    - MATH 118 College Alg II (1)
    - MATH 124 Log/Exp Funct (1)
  - **C Diversity Equity Inclusion (3)**
    - ___ **_____** ___ from 1C
  - **D Advanced Writing (3)**
    - ___ **_____** ___ from 2
  - **Foundations and Perspectives**
    - 3A Biological/Physical Sciences (7)
      - ___ **_____** ___ from 3A
    - 3B Arts and Humanities (6)
      - ___ **_____** ___ from 3B
    - 3C Social/Behavioral Science (3)
      - ___ **_____** ___ from 3C
  - **E Historical Perspectives (3)**
    - ___ **_____** ___ from 3D

- **PSYCHOLOGY CORE (16)** – “C” or higher
  - PSY 100 General Psychology (3)
  - PSY 192 Psychology First Year Seminar (1)
  - PSY 210 Psych of Individual in Context (3) [PSY 100]
  - PSY 250 Research Design/Analysis I (3) [PSY 100]
  - PSY 252 Mind, Brain & Behavior (3) [PSY 100]
  - PSY 350 Research Design/Analysis II (3) [PSY 250]

- **MBB Seminars (4)** – “C” or higher
  - PSY 292B Seminar – Mind, Brain & Behav (1) S [PSY 252]
  - PSY 493 Capstone Seminar (3) S [PSY 210, PSY 250, PSY 252 & Senior standing]

Select 4 lecture courses:

- **MBB Lectures (12)** – “C” or higher
  - PSY 352 Learning & Memory (3) F [PSY 252]
  - PSY 452 Cognitive Psychology (3) [PSY 252]
  - PSY 454 Biological Psychology (3) [PSY 252]
  - PSY 456 Sensation & Perception (3) [PSY 252]
  - PSY 458 Cognitive Neuroscience (3) [PSY 252]

Select 3 lab courses, at least 2 from PSY.

- **MBB Labs (5)** – “C” or higher
  - PSY 453 Cognitive Psychology Lab (2) [PSY 250, PSY 452]
  - PSY 455 Biological Psychology Lab (2) [PSY 250, PSY 454]
  - PSY 457 Sensation & Perception Lab (2) [PSY 250, PSY 456]
  - PSY 459 Cognitive Neuroscience Lab (2) [PSY 250, PSY 458]
  - Any 300+ level lab course that is not counted elsewhere from BC, BMS, BZ, CHEM, CS, DSCI, MATH, PH, STAT (check prerequisites)

- **COMMUNICATION STUDIES (3)**
  - Select any SPCM course EXCEPT variable credit options (HONR 492 accepted for Honors Track 1)

- **COMPUTER SCIENCE (3-4)**
  - ___ **_____** Select any CS course EXCEPT CS 192 or variable credit options

- **PHILOSOPHY (3)**
  - ___ **_____** Select any PHIL course EXCEPT variable credit options

**SCIENCE (7+)**

- BMS 300 Principles of Human Physiology (4)
  - CHEM 107, LIFE 102
  - And select one from:
    - Any 3+ credit course (excluding variable credit options) at the 300+ level from BC, BMS, BZ, CHEM, CS, PH that is not counted elsewhere (check prerequisites)

**STATISTICS (3)** Select one:

- STAT 301 [MATH 117], STAT 307 [MATH 117], or STAT 315 [MATH 155 or 160]
  - (credit only allowed for one course)

**QUANTITATIVE ELECTIVE (5)**

Select courses to total at least 5 credits from:

- MATH 125 (1), MATH 126 (1), MATH 141 (3),
  - MATH 155 (4), MATH 157 (3), MATH 159 (3),
  - MATH 160 (4), STAT 158 (1), DSCI 235 (2),
  - Any 300+ level DSCI, MATH, STAT course not counted elsewhere (check prerequisites)

**ADDITIONAL DIVERSITY (3)**

- Select one from the following list:
  - Any 3-credit course (excluding variable credit options) that is not counted elsewhere from: AUCC 1C, ETST, WS -or- PSY 305, PSY 327, PSY 328, PSY 437

**ELECTIVES (18-23)**

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To declare the MBB concentration, you must complete 30 credits (sophomore standing or higher) and complete the PSY 252 course. Once you have completed these two requirements, please contact your PSY advisor to declare the concentration.
AUCC (All University Course Curriculum) course choices – please see http://catalog.colostate.edu for the most current courses that fulfill these requirements.

- Category 1C AUCC (DIVERSITY EQUITY INCLUSION) – 3 Credits
- Category 2 – Advanced Writing – 3 Credits
- Category 3A – LIFE 102 or BZ 101 AND an additional AUCC 3A course
- Category 3B AUCC (ARTS AND HUMANITIES) – 6 Credits (two courses). No more than 3 credits of foreign lang. (L**200, L**201)
- Category 3C AUCC (SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES) – 3 Credits. HONR 492, PSY 100, PSY 152 does not count for PSY students
- Category 3D AUCC (HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVES) – 3 Credits

PSYCHOLOGY STUDENT RESOURCES

Degree Progress Audit (DARS): PRIMARY tool on RamWeb to check progress toward degree. Check at least once a semester! Use in conjunction with your check sheet, general catalog, and graduation plan.

Graduation Requirements:

- 120 credits to graduate
- 42 of the total credits must be upper division (300- & 400-level courses)
- 30 of the upper division credits must be completed at CSU
- 2.0 cumulative GPA to remain in good academic standing and graduate. Also, 2.0 minimum cumulative GPA for AUCC courses
- Maximum of 12 credits allowed toward graduation for any combination of PSY 295, PSY 296, PSY 384, PSY 484, PSY 486, PSY 487, PSY 488, PSY 495A-F, PSY 496A-F, PSY 498A-F, PSY 499A-F:
- “C” or better in required Psychology courses at CSU (see 1st page for details)
- Credit not granted twice for courses (if D or higher 1st time)
- Math & CO 150 - recommended to complete by 30 credits
- All transferred courses require a minimum grade of C-

Advising Portal on Canvas: contains information on the psychology department’s major and concentrations, academic advising, career advising, course registration, academic policies, student services, scholarship opportunities, check sheets, and tutoring information.

Instagram: csupsyschadvising

Academic Advising: a relationship with mutual responsibilities between your advisor and you, including sharing accurate and complete information, careful listening, respectful interchange and timely consultation.

- Responsibility of Academic Advisors: provide information on classes, graduation requirements, curriculum, and other resources to support your success at CSU through advising appointments, drop-ins, Canvas, website and social media.
- Responsibility of Students: track your progress towards graduation by checking your DARS (degree progress audit) regularly, complete your degree, proactively seek assistance from advisors after attempting to obtain the information on your own first through DARS, Canvas, general catalog, website, social media etc., remain up-to-date with Psychology information, and interact with faculty.

Additional information regarding your advisor:

- A point of contact for your personal and academic concerns and will connect you to appropriate on-campus resources. Emergencies should be handled by calling 911 or the CSU police department (970-491-6425).
- Is a mandated reporter. Information shared with your advisor concerning harm to self and/or others; abuse to children, elders, or at-risk adults; and issues of national security will be shared with appropriate authorities. Information regarding alleged or possible sex-based discrimination, sexual harassment, and sexual misconduct involving students will be reported to the CSU Support and Safety Assessment office.

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