# **PSYCHOLOGY**

#### MASTER OF ARTS IN PSYCHOLOGY

The Master of Arts in Psychology program guides students through in-depth exploration of the discipline. At the core of the program is the "generalist model," a conceptual framework that emphasizes foundational study of theories and research methods, and factors related to human behavior including lifespan development, social and cultural diversity, assessment, personality, and psychopathology.

39 semester hrs / 13 courses

### CORE COURSES (33 SEMESTER HRS / II COURSES)

Students must take 11 core courses. Courses include:

- » Learning and Cognition
- » Lifespan Development
- » Orientation to Graduate Learning in Psychology
- » Personality and Counseling Theories
- » Research and Statistical Methods
- » Social Psychology
- » Tests and Measurements

## MAJOR COURSE (3 SEMESTER HRS)

Students must select 1 course of the following courses:

- » Crisis and Emergency Intervention
- » Multicultural Issues in Human Behavior
- » Substance Abuse and Addiction

## **CAPSTONE COURSE (3 SEMESTER HRS)**

» Master's Capstone with Integrative Project in Psychology

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#### **BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PSYCHOLOGY**

In AMU's psychology program, students will learn about the empirical approach used to investigate the workings of the human mind. Students may choose to focus on fields such as forensics, abnormal behavior, industry and organization, health and performance, child development, post-traumatic stress disorder, and disaster mental health.

121 semester hrs / 40 courses

# GENERAL EDUCATION (37 SEMESTER HRS / 12 COURSES)

Requirements include foundations of online learning, English, history, literature and humanities, science and mathematics, political science, and social sciences.

## CORE COURSES (33 SEMESTER HRS / II COURSES)

Students must take 11 core courses:

- » Biopsychology
- » History and Systems of Psychology
- » Human Life Span Development
- » Introduction to Psychology
- » Learning and Cognition
- » Perception
- » Personality Theories
- » Professional Careers and Education in Psychology
- » Psychopathology
- » Research Methods in Psychology
- » Statistics for Social Science

## MAJOR COURSES (15 SEMESTER HRS / 5 COURSES)

Students must select 5 courses from a list of 11 courses related to Social/Developmental Psychology as well as Clinical/Forensic/Applied Psychology.

Courses include:

- » Adult Development
- » Human Sexuality
- » Introduction to Child Development
- » Psychology of Terrorism
- » Sports Psychology

## ELECTIVES (33 SEMESTER HRS / II COURSES)

Students may choose from other courses not taken to meet required, core, or major requirements.

## CAPSTONE COURSE (3 SEMESTER HRS)

» Senior Seminar in Psychology

For the most current program, concentration, and degree path details, please consult the APUS catalog at: www.apus.edu/catalog

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