

# Curriculum Proposal Signature Sheet

Switch of Semester for First Year Year GE Quan & GE S/BH Requirements

TITLE OF PROPOSAL

## Type of Proposal

### Program

- New
- Changes within Major
- Changes within Cognate \*
- Changes in Minor or Track
- Changes in Concentration\*
- Program Deletion

### Course

- New
- Changes in Course taken only by Majors
- Changes in Course required of Non-Majors\*
- Changes in Course open to Non-Majors
- Deletion of Course taken only by Majors
- Deletion of Course required of Non-Majors\*
- Deletion of Course open to Non-Majors

Psychology

SPONSORING DEPARTMENT(S)

Review and Approval 9/7/10

DATE(S)

Signature of Sponsoring Chair(s)/Date

James P. Beckler

\* For starred items Chairs of affected Departments/Programs must sign below before Dean's review

### Dean's Preliminary Review

- Proposal:  Complete  
 Satisfies U of S Curricular Requirements  
 Consistent with College Goals/Mission

Additional preliminary comments below

Dean's Signature/Date

[Signature]

11-2-10

CAS

CPS

SOM

GRAD

DHC

### Preliminary FSCC Disposition:

- Committee recommends approval (*new program proposals require a Recommendation from the full Senate*)
- Proposal will require minimal review: Anticipated FS Meeting Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- Proposal will require significant review: Anticipated FS Meeting Date: \_\_\_\_\_

FSCC Chair Signature/Date \_\_\_\_\_

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OCT 28 2010

UNIVERSITY of SCRANTON  
CAS ASSOCIATE DEAN

Issues: \_\_\_\_\_

### Additional Signatures

Department	Signature	Date
Department	Signature	Date
Department	Signature	Date

**Program Revision  
Changes within Major**

Home Dean:  CAS    CPS  
 SOM    GRAD    DHC

**Program:** Psychology

**Nature  
of  
revision:**

In first year, switch GE Quan from Spring to Fall and GE S/BH from Fall to Spring.

**Rationale  
for  
revision:**

Emphasize the importance of quantitative skills to freshman Psychology majors

**Will the revision have an impact on the core curriculum?  No    Yes (indicate impact)**

**Will the revision have any impact on another department or program?  No    Yes**

If yes, indicate below the impact and response of affected department or programs.

Will the revisions require allocation/reallocation of University resources?

No    Yes (indicate resources needed for revision below)

**Old Major Course Grid**

See attached.

**New Major Course Grid**

See attached.

Signature of Sponsoring Chair: James P. Buchan      Date: 10/20/10

*The Psychology Curriculum*

**OLD**

			<b>Fall</b>	<b>Spring</b>
<i>Freshmen</i>				
MAJOR	PSYC 110 <sup>5</sup> -ELECT	Fund. of Psyc <sup>5</sup> -Psyc Elective	3.5	3
GE C/IL	C/IL 102	Computer and Information Literacy	3	
GE QUAN	MATH ELECT <sup>1</sup>	Elective <sup>1</sup>		3
GE S/BH	SOC 110 <sup>2</sup>	Intro to Sociology <sup>2</sup>	3	
GE WRTG-SPCH	WRTG 107-COMM 100	Composition-Public Speaking	3	3
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT	Humanities Elective		3
GE PHIL	PHIL 120-210	Intro. to Philosophy- Ethics	3	3
GE FSEM	INTD 100	Freshman Seminar	1	
GE PHED	PHED ELECT	Physical Education		<u>1</u>
			<b>16.5</b>	<b>16</b>
<i>Sophomore</i>				
MAJOR	PSYC 210-330	Statistics - Research Methods	3	5
MAJOR	MAJOR ELECT	Psychology Electives	3	3
GE ELECT	WRTG 284 <sup>2</sup>		3	
GE NSCI	NSCI ELECT <sup>3</sup>	Elective <sup>3</sup> -Elective <sup>3</sup>	3	3
GE S/BH	S/BH ELECT	Soc/Beh Science Elective		3
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT	Humanities Elective	3	
GE PHED	PHED ELECT	Physical Education	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
			<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>
<i>Junior</i>				
MAJOR	MAJOR ELECT	Psychology Electives	6	9
MAJOR	PSYC 390	Academic & Career Dev in Psych	1	
GE ELECT	ELECT	Elective-Elective	3	3
GE HUMN	HUMN ELECT	Humanities Electives	3	3
GE T/RS	T/RS 121-122	Theology I-Theology II	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
			<b>16</b>	<b>18</b>
<i>Senior</i>				
MAJOR	MAJOR ELECTIVE	Psychology Elective	3	
MAJOR	PSYCH 490-491	History & Lit. of Psych I & II	1.5	1.5
GE T/RS or PHIL	PHIL or T/RS	Elective	3	
GE ELECT	ELECT	Free Elective - Free Electives	<u>9</u>	<u>15</u>
			<b>16.5</b>	<b>16.5</b>

**TOTAL: 130.5 CREDITS**

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<sup>2</sup>The Department strongly recommends SOC 110, Intro to Sociology, and WRTG 284, Writing for the Social Sciences, as preparation for psychology writing intensive courses (PSYC 330L, 335, 360, & 491).

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