BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH A MAJOR IN APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY

Applied Psychology Major Objectives
Psychological study is complemented by business knowledge through the completion of a minor in business administration. The combination of a solid background in theoretical and applied psychology plus exposure to core business courses prepares students for either entry-level careers or graduate study.

Students in the Applied Psychology major will:
- Demonstrate knowledge of the major concepts, theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends in psychology.
- Apply basic research methods in psychology, including research design, research ethics, data analysis, and interpretation.
- Use critical and creative thinking, skeptical inquiry, and the scientific approach to solve problems related to behavior and mental processes.
- Apply psychological principles ethically to personal, social, and organizational issues.

Bachelor of Arts with a Major in Applied Psychology Requirements

First-Year Gateway Experience
- GFCL 100 Global Foundations of Character and Leadership
- GFOB 100 Global Foundations of Organizations and Business
- WRIT 106 Writing Workshop
- IDEA 101 Bryant IDEA: Innovation and Design Experience For All

Applied Psychology Major Requirements
- PSY 260 Introduction to Psychology
- or PSY 263 Honors: Core Concepts in Psychology
- PSY 371 Introduction to Applied Psychology
- PSY 376 Research Methods in Psychology
- PSY 490 Senior Research Seminar
- or PSY 491 Senior Internship Seminar

Applied Psychology Courses
- Select three of the following:
  - PSY 365 Environment and Behavior
  - PSY 375 Health Psychology
  - PSY 377 Educational Psychology
  - PSY/MGT 440 The Design Thinking Process
  - PSY 480 Counseling Theory and Practice
  - PSY 481 Exercise and Sport Psychology
  - PSY 482 Forensic Psychology
  - PSY 483 Drugs and Behavior
  - PSY 484 Psychological Testing and Assessment
  - PSY 486 Judgment and Decision Making

Psychology Survey Courses
- PSY 353 Psychology of Personality
- or PSY 355 Abnormal Psychology
- PSY 373 Cognitive Psychology
- or PSY 374 Physiological Psychology

Select one of the following:
- PSY 360 Child and Adolescent Development
- PSY 361 Adult Development and Aging
- PSY 470 Social Psychology

Psychology Electives
- Two electives

Liberal Arts Core Requirements
- ECO 113 Microeconomic Principles
- ECO 114 Macroeconomic Principles
- LCS 121 Introduction to Literary Studies
- MATH 110 Mathematical Analysis
- MATH 201 Statistics I
- Two Humanities Survey Courses

Liberal Arts Distributions – Modes of Thought
- Two Social Science Modes of Thought
- One Historical Mode of Thought (Upper Division)
- One Literary Mode of Thought (Upper Division)
- Two Scientific Modes of Thought

Business Minor Requirement

Electives
Subject to programmatic constraints, students may elect to take additional business courses beyond the required minor, not to exceed a combined total of 30 credit hours in the College of Business.

1 At least one course (total from all groups) must be taken at the 400 level
2 Modes of Thought requirements can be met by appropriate courses in the major.
3 Include one Lab Science. One science course must be taken at the 300 or 400 level.

A minimum 122 credit hours required for graduation