



<b>Course Code</b> PSY-100DG	<b>Course Title</b> General Psychology I	<b>ECTS Credits</b> 6
<b>Department</b> Psychology	<b>Semester</b> Fall, Spring	<b>Prerequisites</b> None
<b>Type of Course</b> Core	<b>Field</b> BBA DL Greek	<b>Language of Instruction</b> Greek
<b>Level of Course</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Cycle	<b>Year of Study</b> 1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Mode of Delivery</b> Distance Learning
<b>Work Placement</b> N/A	<b>Lecturer</b> Dr Maria Georgiou	<b>Co-Requisites</b> None

**Objectives of the Course:**

The main objectives of the course are to:

1. develop an understanding of the content of psychology, that is the scientific study of human behavior and mental processes.
2. become familiar with all major theoretical perspectives, as well as the empirical methods and data regarding all topics that are involved.
3. become familiar with historical and current controversies and research methods in psychology

**Learning Outcomes:**

After completion of the course students are expected to:

1. explain the history of psychology
2. analyze the major theoretical perspectives
3. critically compare the different perspectives in psychology
3. assess the empirical methods in psychology
4. explain the major advantages and disadvantages of the different research methods
5. explain the organization of the nervous system
6. discuss the processes involved in sensation and perception
7. discuss the nature of different levels of consciousness
8. compare the major types of psychoactive drugs and their effects
10. explain the theories of classical, operant conditioning and complex learning phenomena
11. analyze the main human memory types and processes and language acquisition

**Course Contents:**

1. Introduction to Psychology
2. Psychological Research
3. Neuroscience and Behavior

- 4. Sensation and Perception
- 5. States of Consciousness
- 6. Learning
- 7. Memory
- 8. Cognition and Language

**Learning Activities and Teaching Methods:**

Online Tutor-led Lecturing, Online Video/PDF Tutorials, Case Studies, Assignments, Online Interactions (Forums and Chats) practice materials

**Assessment Methods:**

Quizzes
Progress Test (Midterm)
Assignment-Submission
Final Exam

The course includes nine (9) hours of tutorials. Your course lecturer will be delivering the specific tutorials, which will be announced in due course throughout the semester. Participation in these tutorials is recommended, as they will assist you in successfully completing your course.

Three tutorials of three (3) hours each will be delivered throughout the semester. The specific tutorials will be delivered in the form of face-to-face sessions which will simultaneously be delivered lived live through Web-Ex (a web conferencing system where allows students' participation). The specific live sessions will be recorded. The recordings will be also available for reviewing throughout the semester.

**Required Textbook:**

Authors	Title	Publisher	Year	ISBN
Feldman, R.	Understanding Psychology, 11 <sup>th</sup> edition	McGraw-Hill	2013	ISBN: 007-131-4822 ISBN-13:978-007-131-4824