



## PSYCHOLOGY BS DEGREE PROGRAM

- d. Do you anticipate a net increase (or decrease) in the number of students from your college taking courses in other colleges? Yes  No

If yes, please indicate the number of students and/or class seats involved.

We anticipate this to add approximately 250 students per year in SDS classes.

We anticipate this to add approximately 30 students per year in EDP 371.

**If 4 a, b, c, or d was answered with yes, please answer the following questions. If the proposal has potential budgetary impacts for another college/school, such as requiring new sections or a non-negligible increase in the number of seats offered, at least one contact must be at the college-level.**

SDS: How many students do you expect to be impacted? 250 per year

Impacted schools must be contacted and their response(s) included:

Person communicated with: Dr. Mike Daniels, Professor & Chair, Department of Statistics & Data Sciences

Date of communication: March 27, 2017

Response: I am writing this email to grant my permission, as chair of the Department of Statistics & Data Sciences, for the psychology majors to use SDS 301, 302, and other SDS courses in their pursuit of a B.S. in Psychology.

EDP: How many students do you expect to be impacted? 30 per year

Impacted schools must be contacted and their response(s) included:

Person communicated with: Dr. Cindy Carlson, Department Chair of Educational Psychology

Date of communication: March 17, 2017

Response: All good with Ed Psych. Thank you, Jacqui.

- e. Does this proposal involve changes to the core curriculum or other basic education requirements (42-hour core, signature courses, flags)? **No**. If yes, explain:

**If yes, undergraduate studies must be informed of the proposed changes and their response included:**

Person communicated with:

Date of communication:

Response:

- f. Will this proposal change the number of hours required for degree completion? No. If yes, explain:

### 5. COLLEGE/SCHOOL APPROVAL PROCESS

Department approval date: February 3, 2015 By: Psychology Faculty

College approval date: February 4, 2015 By: COLA Policy and Curriculum Committee (defunct)

Dean approval date: April 24, 2017 By: COLA Faculty

### PROPOSED NEW CATALOG TEXT:<sup>4</sup>

#### Bachelor of Science in Psychology

##### Prescribed Work

*Mathematics and natural science:* At least twenty-five semester hours of coursework as outlined below. Some of the courses that fulfill this requirement may also be counted toward the requirements of the core curriculum. No course may be counted toward both requirement 4c and 4d.

- a. Mathematics 408C or 408K or a more advanced calculus course

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- b. M 316, SDS 301, SDS 302, SDS 303, SDS 304, SDS 305, SDS 306, SDS 310T (AFR 302M) SDS 321, SDS 328M, SDS 332, SDS 352, SDS 378, EDP 371 or a more advanced Math course in probability [~~Mathematics 316 or a more advanced mathematics course in probability~~]
- c. Sixteen to eighteen hours, consisting of two of the following sequences:
  - i. Biology 311C, 311D, and 325
  - ii. Chemistry 301, 302, and 204
  - iii. Computer Science 303E, 313E, and one of the following: Computer Science 323E, 324E, 326E, 327E, 329E
  - iv. Physics 317K, 117M, 317L, and 117N; or 301, 101L, 316, and 116L; or 303K, 103M, 303L, and 103N; or 302K, 102M, 302L, and 102N
- d. One of the following:
  - i. Three additional hours in mathematics. Mathematics 301, 302, 303D, 303F, 316K, and 316L may not be used to fulfill this requirement.
  - ii. Three hours in biology, chemistry, computer science, or physics. Only the courses listed in requirement 4c above and more advanced courses may be used to fulfill this requirement.

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<sup>1</sup> See [http://www.utexas.edu/provost/planning/cat\\_change/UnderGrad.html](http://www.utexas.edu/provost/planning/cat_change/UnderGrad.html) for detailed explanations.

<sup>2</sup> Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

<sup>3</sup> Exclusive: of *exclusive* application and of primary interest only to a single college or school ("no protest" period is *5 working days*); general: of *general* interest to more than one college or school (but not for submission to the General Faculty) ("no protest" period is *10 working days*); *major* legislation must be submitted to the General Faculty for adoption ("no protest" period is *10 working days*).

<sup>4</sup> The proposed text should be based on the text of the current catalog available at [http://www.utexas.edu/faculty/council/pages/catalog\\_chgs/catcopy.html](http://www.utexas.edu/faculty/council/pages/catalog_chgs/catcopy.html).

**Strike through and replace (with underlines) only the specific language to be changed. Do NOT use "track changes!"** For questions on completing this section, please contact Victoria Cervantes, [fc@austin.utexas.edu](mailto:fc@austin.utexas.edu), 471-5936 or Brenda Schumann, [brenda.schumann@austin.utexas.edu](mailto:brenda.schumann@austin.utexas.edu), 475-7654.