# PSYC 2530: Introduction to Cognitive Psychology

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# What is Cognition?

- 1. Questions
- 2. Methods
- 3. Findings
- 4. Explanations
- 5. Applications
- 6. Implications

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#### Course Resources

- 1. Blackboard
- 2. Course Website
- 3. Textbook

#### Blackboard

We will use blackboard for:

- 1. Course Announcements
  - Make sure your email is up to date
- 2. Weekly learning modules, quizzes, assignments, and exams
- 3. Links to material on course website
- 4. Asking questions (use discussion forum)

#### Course Website

We will also use an external course website:

https://www.crumplab.com/cognition/

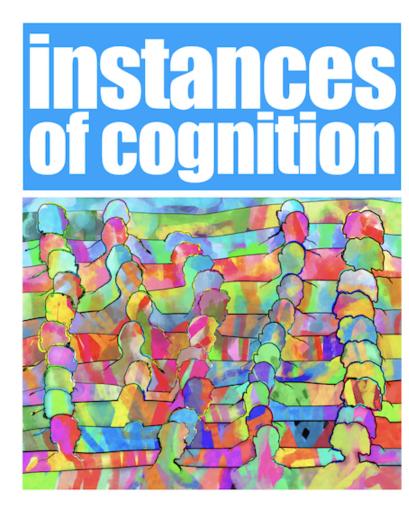
- 1. Most current Syllabus
- 2. Links to textbook
- 3. Weekly learning modules
- 4. Slide decks
- 5. Other resources as needed

#### Course Textbook

https://www.crumplab.com/cognition/textbook/

#### The textbook is:

- A free open-educational resource
- 2. Web-book, available as pdf and epub
- 3. Still in progress...



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#### Other resources

Throughout the semester additional reading material may be assigned.

Any additional material will be made available for free through blackboard or the course website

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# Course Syllabus

Please read the syllabus.

The most current version of the syllabus is located on the course website.

#### Basic overview

15 weeks in the semester

12 Learning module weeks

3 exam weeks (2 midterms, one final)

Schedule is posted on the syllabus

# Assessments and grading

There are 12 learning modules, and three exams. The grading rubric is below:

Assignment	Points	Total
12 Weekly Modules	5+	up to 60
Extra Credit	Over 60/5	up to 10
Midterm 1	13.33	13.33
Midterm 2	13.33	13.33
Final Exam	13.33	13.33
		100

# Weekly learning modules

- 1. Posted weekly (or earlier) on Blackboard and Course Website
- 2. Include readings, mini-lectures, and quizzes/assignments
- 3. Complete the work within the week (submit by due date)
- 4. Assignment choice (see next slide)

# Assignment choice

- modules have multiple possible assignments, (e.g., quiz and writing assignment).
- you choose which assignments to complete.
- Complete as many as you want, max 60 points toward final grade
- If you miss an assignment that is OK, you can do an extra one in a future module

#### Extra-credit

- If you complete more than 60 points of assignments/quizzes, then your extra points will be converted to extra credit points ta a ratio of 5 to 1.
- 100 60 = 40/5 = 8 extra credit points
- maximum 10 extra credit points

#### Exams

- There are three exams, 13.33 points each
- Exams will be open for a whole week
- Exams are multiple choice, around 45+ questions, test content from preceding learning modules.
- The questions are similar to the quiz questions. Quizzes are practice for the exams.

# Academic Integrity

It is your responsibility to understand the CUNY academic integrity policy and conduct your behavior according to a high standard of academic integrity.

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Use the discussion board on Blackboard to ask general questions about the course

#### Email

If you are running into issues, email me:

- 1. Put PSYC 2530 in the subject line
- 2. Email me at mcrump@brooklyn.cuny.edu

### **Next Steps**

Finish the getting started module by taking the quiz on blackboard, or completing the writing assignment.

Then, you can begin the first official learning module:

L1: What is cognition?