International University of Sarajevo (IUS)
Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS)
Undergraduate Curriculum: Psychology, AY 2023 - 2024

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Semester I					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
PSY103	Introduction to Psychology		2	1	6
ELIT100	Academic English and Effective Communication		2	1	6
MATH100	Mathematical Skills		3	2	6
xxx	Free Elective 1 — See Table 3		3	0	6
xxx	University Elective 1 — See Table 2		2	0	3
xxx	Foreign Language Elective I — See Table 2		0	2	3
		Semester Total =			30

Semester II					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
ELIT200	Critical Reading and Writing		2	1	6
POLS101	Introduction to Philosophy		3	0	6
PSY105	Statistics in Psychology		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 1 — See Table 4		3	0	6
xxx	University Elective 2 — See Table 2		2	0	3
xxx	Foreign Language Elective II — See Table 2		0	2	3
		Semester Total =			30

Semester III					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
PSY202	Research Methods in Psychology		2	1	6
PSY204	Biological Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY212	Life-span Development	PSY103	2	1	6
xxx	University Elective 3 — See Table 3		3		6
xxx	Faculty Elective 1 — See Table 5		3		6
		Semester Total =			30

Semester IV					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
PSY303	Personality Psychology		2	1	6
PSY308	Social Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 2 — See Table 4		2	1	6
xxx	Program Elective 3 — See Table 4		2	1	6
xxx	Faculty Elective 2 — See Table 5		3		6
		Semester Total =			30

Semester V					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
PSY210	Health Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY305	Cognitive Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 4 — See Table 4		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 5 — See Table 4		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 6 — See Table 4		2	1	6
		Semester Total =			30

Semester VI					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
PSY311	Organizational Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY402	Experimental Psychology	PSY105 /PSY202	2	1	6
PSY412	Abnormal Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 7 — See Table 4		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 8 — See Table 4		2	1	6
		Semester Total =			30

Semester VII					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
PSY425	History and Systems	Senior Standing	2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 9 — See Table 4		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 10 — See Table 4		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 11 — See Table 4		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 12 — See Table 4		2	1	6
		Semester Total =			30

Semester VIII					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
PSY370	Internship/Work Placement	Senior standing	0	3	6
PSY490	Graduation Project	Senior standing	1	2	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 13 — See Table 4		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 14 — See Table 4		2	1	6
PSYXXX	Program Elective 15 — See Table 4		2	1	6
		Semester Total =			30

Abbreviations: T (Theory), P (Practice), ECTS - European Credit Tranfer and Accumulation System	
Total Credits Required for Graduation	240
Total Credits of Electives	

No. of Courses	42
Minimum ECTS Credits for Applied / Practical Component of the Curriculum	29
Elective Ratio	0%

IMPORTANT NOTES TO PSY STUDENTS:

2 Faculty Elective courses are taken from any program in FASS, except Psychology courses.

1 Free Elective course is taken from any program in any faculty. Courses listed in Table 3 are recommended for Psychology students.

2 Language Elective courses are taken from the list of language courses provided (can not be the student's native language).

In exceptional cases only, Faculty Council may take a decision for a student to bypass a pre-requisite for any course.

Work placement/Internship is typically practiced in summer for a period of at least 25 work days, amounting to a minimum of 150 hours.

The students who have 180 ECTS or above may follow the previous curriculum. The students who have less than 180 ECTS follow the current curriculum.

3 University Electives are taken from Tables 1 and 2.

15 Program Electives are taken from Table 4.

Table 1: IUS Pool of 6 ECTS University Elective Courses					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
CS103	Introduction to Programming		3	2	6
ECON111	Introduction to Microeconomics		3	0	6
ECON112	Introduction to Macroeconomics		3	0	6
ELIT101	Introduction to Literature		2	1	6
ENS105	The Brain		3	0	6
IBF205	Principles of International Business		3	0	6
LAW109	Law and Ethics		3	0	6
LAW110	Introduction to Law I		3	0	6
MAN102	Introduction to Management		3	0	6
IR101	Introduction to International Relations		3	0	6
NS102	Physics		3	2	6
NS103	Biology		3	0	6
NS104	General Chemistry		3	2	6
POLS102	Introduction to Political Science		3	0	6
SPS120	Critical Thinking		3	0	6
SPS150	World History		3	0	6
SOC102	Introduction to Sociology		3	0	6
VA121	History of Art I		3	0	6

Table 2: IUS Pool of 3 ECTS University Elective Courses					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
ARCH107	Understanding Art and Architecture		2	0	3
BIO100	Introduction to Bioengineering		3	0	3
CS100	Computer Skills		0	2	3
CULT101	Understanding Cultural Encounters		2	0	3
ECON105	Understanding Business		2	0	3
ECON107	Python		1	1	3
ECON108	Matlab		1	1	3
HUM100	Social Responsibility and Sustainable Development		2	0	3
IBF105	Financial Literacy		2	0	3
IR100	Understanding the Contemporary World through Current Events		2	0	3
MAN105	Corporate Social Responsibility		2	0	3
NS111	Understanding Nature and Knowledge		2	0	3
NS112	Understanding Science and Technology		2	0	3
SPS140	Understanding Religion		2	0	3
TURK111	Spoken Turkish I *		0	2	3
BOS111	Spoken Bosnian I *		0	2	3
TURK112	Spoken Turkish II **	TURK111	0	2	3
BOS112	Spoken Bosnian II **	BOS111	0	2	3
	* Scholarship students will take either TURK111 / BOS111				
	** Scholarship students will take either TURK112 / BOS112				

Table 3: The List of Recommended Free Electives for Psychology students					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
BIO301	Molecular Biology		3	0	6
BIO304	Structural Biology	Junior Standing	3	0	6
BIO314	Neuroanatomy	Junior Standing	3	0	6
CS105	Advanced Programming	CS103	3	2	6
CS310	Human Computer Interaction	CS105	3	2	6
CS404	Artificial Intelligence	MATH204	3	2	6
CULT413	Research Methodology in Cultural Studies		3	0	6
ECON310	Game Theory	Junior Standing	3	0	6
ECON330	Industrial Organization	ECON201	3	0	6
EE418	Introduction to Machine Learning		3	2	6
IR472	Human Rights	Junior Standing	3	0	6
LAW334	Forensic Medicine		3	0	6
MAN302	Human Resource Management	MAN102	3	0	6
MAN345	Organizational Leadership	MAN102	3	0	6
MAN352	Consumer Behavior	MAN102	3	0	6
NS103	Biology		3	0	6
NS205	Cell Biology	NS103	3	1	6
NS209	Genetics I		3	2	6
POLS223	Nations, Ethnicities and Ideologies	Junior Standing	3	0	6
SOC314	Sociology of Everyday Life	Junior Standing	3	1	6
SOC412	Multiculturalism and Social Change	Junior Standing	3	0	6

Table 4: Program Elective Courses for PSY					
Code	**Title**	**Prerequisites**	**T**	**P**	**ECTS**
PSY213	Child Psychology		2	1	6
PSY214	Applied Statistics	PSY105 /PSY202	2	1	6
PSY215	Adolescent Psychology		2	1	6
PSY301	Cultural Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY309	Cognitive Neuroscience		2	1	6
PSY310	Introduction to Psychopharmacology	Junior standing	2	1	6
PSY312	Clinical Psychology	Junior standing	2	1	6
PSY314	Educational Psychology		2	1	6
PSY315	Political Psychology	PSY103	3	0	6
PSY329	Psychometrics	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY336	Psychotherapy and Counseling	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY406	Positive Psychology		2	1	6
PSY407	Psycholinguistics	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY409	Child Psychopathology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY414	Psychology of Adulthood and Aging		2	1	6
PSY417	Psychodiagnostics	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY421	Psychology of Religion		2	1	6
PSY422	Trauma Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY424	Social Cognition	PSY305	2	1	6
PSY437	Human Resources		2	1	6
PSY457	Emotion and Cognition		2	1	6
PSY458	Neuropsychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY496	Research Activity	Junior standing	3	0	6

Table 5: The List of Recommended Faculty Elective Courses for Psychology students					
Code	**Name**	**Prerequisites**	**Hours**		**ECTS**
ITA101	Spoken Italian I		3	0	6
ITA102	Spoken Italian II		3	0	6
SPA101	Spoken Spanish I		3	0	6
SPA102	Spoken Spanish II		3	0	6
EDU301	Inclusion in Foreign Language Teaching		2	1	6
EDU322	Pedagogy		2	1	6
ELIT201	Academic Writing	ELIT200	1	2	6
ELIT208	Classical Mythology		3	0	6
ELT310	English Morphology		2	1	6
ELT312	Introduction to Discourse Analysis		2	1	6
ELT421	Introduction to Psycholinguistics		2	1	6
ELT422	Introduction to Sociolinguistics		2	1	6
HIST201	Historical Thought		3	0	6
HIST202	History of the Balkans		3	0	6
LITE207	Creative Writing		1	2	6
LITE308	Literature on Film		2	1	6
POLS211	Politics and the Media	POLS102	3	1	6
POLS301	Political Philosophy	POLS101	3	1	6
POLS304	Politics in BiH	POLS102	3	1	6

Code	Name	Prerequisites	Hours		ECTS
PSY215	Adolescent Psychology		2	1	6
PSY301	Cultural Psychology	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY314	Educational Psychology		2	1	6
PSY406	Positive Psychology		2	1	6
PSY407	Psycholinguistics	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY421	Psychology of Religion	PSY103	2	1	6
PSY437	Human Resources		2	1	6
PSY457	Emotion and Cognition		2	1	6
SOC201	Social Theory	SOC102	3	0	6
SOC351	Political Sociology	Junior standing	3	0	6
VA102	Introduction to Visual Communication Design		2	1	6
VA121	History of Art		3	0	6
VA316	Advertising	Junior standing	1	2	6
VA318	New Media II	Junior standing	2	1	6
VA322	History of Art II	Junior standing	2	1	6
VA342	Introduction to Documentary Film	Junior standing	1	2	6

2xx, 3xx, 4xx or 5xx level courses from other FASS programs at IUS can be taken as faculty elective with the consent of the Program Coordinator.

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