

**PRE-BIOPSYCHOLOGY MAJOR, B.S. – 2016-2017**

Admission to the Biopsychology major is contingent upon fulfilling the following requirements:

**1)** At least a 2.7 University of California grade-point average in Area I; **2)** No courses with a grade lower than C- in Area I; **3)** Not more than one course with a C- in Area I; **4)** No courses taken P/NP in Areas I and II; **5)** Students must satisfy Area I and GPA requirement prior to the completion of 144 total units.

**I. PRE-MAJOR REQUIREMENTS****UNITS YET TO COMPLETE**

PSY 1, MATH 34A or 3A, PSTAT 5A or equivalent ..... 13 \_\_\_\_\_

PSY 10A, 10B ..... 10 \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Students must complete PSY 1, MATH 34A or 3A, PSTAT 5A or equivalent, and CHEM 1A-AL-B-BL prior to enrolling in PSY 10A, and PSY 10A is a prerequisite for PSY 10B.

Admission to PSY courses numbered 110 or higher is contingent upon completion of all Pre-Major requirements.

Upon satisfactory completion of the Pre-Major courses, students must complete a change of major petition, available in the Psychological & Brain Sciences Main Office. Change of major petitions will be evaluated throughout each quarter.

**II. PREPARATION FOR THE MAJOR**

The following courses are not required to be admitted into the Biopsychology major, but are required to complete the major:

CHEM 1A-AL-B-BL-C-CL (or CHEM 2 series), 6AL-BL, and 109A-B ..... 29 \_\_\_\_\_

MCDB 1A-AL, MCDB 1B, EEMB 2, and either MCDB 1BL or EEMB 2L ..... 12 \_\_\_\_\_

PHYS 6A-AL-B-BL-C-CL ..... 12 \_\_\_\_\_

MATH 34B or 3B ..... 4 \_\_\_\_\_

**MAJOR REGULATIONS**

**PREREQUISITES** ..... Check the *General Catalog* for the prerequisites to all listed courses.

**P/NP GRADING OPTION** ..... Up to 8 units of PSY 199P may be taken for major credit. All other major courses (Prep or UD), including courses applied to the major from other departments, must be completed on a letter-grade basis.

**SUBSTITUTIONS** ..... In the major requirements permissible only by petition to the department chair and dean.

**RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS** ..... At least 20 UD units in major while in residence at UCSB.

**G.P.A. REQUIREMENTS** ..... At least 2.0 overall UC average in **all** upper-division major courses and **all** courses (Prep and UD) for the major, including courses in excess of minimum requirements.

**DOUBLE MAJORS** ..... With the approval of each department chairperson, up to a total of 8 units may be applied simultaneously to both UD majors.