

Psychology



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The Undergraduate Psychology Advising Office Team Welcomes You!

The Psychology major provides students with a background of fundamental subject matter that will equip students for subsequent graduate study in related fields.

We prepare students for diverse continuing education and career paths, including MA and doctoral programs, social work, counseling, school psychology & guidance, business, medicine, dentistry nursing, occupational therapy, and other health-science fields.

CAREERS TO EXPLORE

Those that involve interpersonal relationship knowledge such as:

- Medicine
- Education
- Business
- Health & Human Services

COURSE ELECTIVE TOPICS

- Clinical Psychology
- Social & Health Psychology
- Integrative Neuroscience
- Cognitive Science





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"Choosing a major in psychology has given me a greater insight as to the factors that may unfortunately perpetuate mental illness. It also has allowed me to develop a foundation where I can safely and effectively conduct research in graduate school and beyond, to improve current treatments for mental illnesses and ultimately improve the welfare of society."

HONORS PROGRAM

To be eligible to apply for the Honors Program, a student must:

- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.20 or higher
- Have a GPA of 3.50 or higher in courses required for the psychology major
- Have a working relationship with one of the participating faculty with an established research question that you will be able to answer in a one-year project
- Be a junior psychology major in their 2nd semester

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GET INVOLVED

Psychology offers students many opportunities to get involved with clubs and research projects.

Psychology Student Alliance (PSA): Our goal is to provide a fun and educational environment in which members may grow as student leaders, develop close friendships with fellow students, and gain priceless experience to prepare you for your future career.

Psi Chi: Psi Chi is the National Honor Society in Psychology, founded in 1929 for the purposes of encouraging, stimulating, and maintaining excellence in scholarship, and advancing the science of psychology.

Neuroscience Axis: Created to facilitate interactions between undergraduate students from all disciplines in neuroscience, Neuroscience Axis provides extracurricular opportunities for neuroscience education on and off the Stony Brook campus.

Did You Know?

The Department of Psychology's graduate program is currently ranked #39 nationally by *US News & World Report's* 2023-24 Best Psychology Schools

The Department's Clinical Psychology doctorate program is ranked #3 in the country by *US News & World Report*



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