

**International University of Sarajevo, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS)**

**Undergraduate Curriculum: Psychology AY 2021 - 2022**

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
<b>Semester Total =</b>					<b>30</b>

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
<b>Semester Total =</b>					<b>30</b>

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
<b>Semester Total =</b>					<b>30</b>

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
<b>Semester Total =</b>					<b>30</b>

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
<b>Semester Total =</b>					<b>30</b>

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
<b>Semester Total =</b>					<b>30</b>

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
<b>Semester Total =</b>					<b>30</b>

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
<b>Semester Total =</b>					<b>30</b>

Abbreviations: T (Theory), P (Practice), ECTS credit	
<b>Total Credits Required for Graduation</b>	<b>240</b>
<b>Total Credits of Electives</b>	

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

**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 Courses

Table 2: IUS Pool of 3 ECTS University 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
IR101	Introduction to International Relations		3	0	6
MAN102	Management		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
SOC102	Introduction to Sociology		3	0	6
SPS103	Law and Ethics		3	0	6
SPS120	Critical Thinking		3	0	6
SPS150	World History		3	0	6
VA121	History of Art I		3	0	6

**Table 3: The List of Recommended Free Electives for Psychology students**

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

Unless otherwise specified, elective courses are 3+0 hours per week.

Code	Title	Prerequisites	T	P	ECTS
ARCH107	Understanding Art and Architecture		2	0	3
CS100	Computer Skills		0	2	3
CULT101	Understanding Cultural Encounters		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 TURK121 / BOS121  
\*\* Scholarship students will take either TURK122 / BOS122

**Table 4: Program electives 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
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 Electives for Psychology students**

Code	Name	Hours	ECTS	Code	Name	Hours	ECTS
EDU102	Introduction to Pedagogy		6	HIST201	Historical Thought		6
EDU211	Curriculum and Material Design		6	HIST202	History of the Balkans		6
EDU212	Testing and Evaluation		6	LITE207	Creative Writing		6
EDU311	Inclusive Education		6	LITE302	American Poetry		6
EDU312	Social Pedagogy		6	LITE303	African-American Literature		6
EDU411	Theories & Approaches in Teaching & Learning		6	LITE304	Children's Literature		6
EDU423	Pedagogic Counseling		6	LITE306	Fantasy Literature		6
ELIT101	Introduction to Literature		6	LITE307	Comparative Literature		6
ELIT201	Critical Writing		6	LITE308	Literature on Film		6
ELIT208	Classical Mythology		6	LITE309	Women and Literature		6
ELIT209	British Culture		6	LITE310	Popular Literature		6
ELIT309	Short Story		6	LITE401	American Drama		6
ELIT403	Twentieth Century Poetry		6	LITE402	American Novel		6
ELIT405	Modern Drama		6	LITE403	Utopias and Dystopias		6
ELT105	Introduction to Linguistics		6	LITE406	Literature and Other Fields		6
ELT202	Language Acquisition		6	POLS211	Politics and the Media		6
ELT312	Introduction to Discourse Analysis		6	POLS301	Political Philosophy		6
ELT323	Early Foreign Language Learning		6	POLS304	Politics in BiH		6
ELT421	Introduction to Pyscholingistics		6	SOC201	Social Theory		6
ELT422	Introduction to Sociolingistics		6	SOC351	Political Sociology		6
				VA102	Introduction to Visual Communication		6
				VA312	Photography		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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