



Course Name: Social Psychology

Course Number: PSY* E240

Credits: 3

Catalog description: An examination of personal and situational factors which affect individual behavior within a social context. Topics include "nature of self," affiliation, aggression, group information, and environmental psychology. Multicultural issues are explored.

Prerequisite, Corequisite, or Parallel: PSY 111 or Permission of the Instructor

General Education Competencies Satisfied:

HCC General Education Requirement Designated Competency Attribute Code(s):

None

Additional CSCU General Education Requirements for CSCU Transfer Degree Programs:

None

Embedded Competency(ies):

None

Discipline-Specific Attribute Code(s):

BHEL Behavioral Science elective

Course objectives:

General Education Goals and Outcomes:

None

Course Specific Objectives:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of the basic concept of social psychology.



2. Describe various research strategies and the advantages and disadvantages of the uses of each
3. Demonstrate they have become familiar with the theorists and their contributions to the field of Social Psychology
4. Demonstrate that they have an understanding of the trends in Social Psychology.
5. Identify psychological principles that have been influential in your own life
6. Demonstrate an understanding of sociocultural context and diversity.

Course Content:

1. Social Influence
2. Personal Attraction
3. Methodology
4. Aggression
5. Social Cognition
6. Nature of Self
7. Self Justification
8. Social Redefinition

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