

Name: _____ Date: _____ Advisor: _____

Guidelines for Advising the Developmental Psychology Concentration (Fall 2012 Catalog to Present)

| Core Requirements (8 credit hours) | Credits | Term |
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| PSY 301 Orientation and Entrance Assessment <i>Required in first semester of upper division enrollment</i> | 0 | |
| PSY 302 Research Methods in Psychology | 4 | |
| PSY 471 Senior Seminar | 4 | |
| <i>Prerequisites for PSY 471: PSY 302 + all core concentration courses</i> Total hours of PSY core: | 8 | |

| Core Concentration Courses (16 credit hours) | Credits | Term |
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| PSY 321 Life-Span Developmental Psychology (<i>required</i>) | 4 | |

Choose three courses from the following choices:

PSY 303 Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences, PSY 311 Cognitive Psychology, PSY 313 Critical Thinking, PSY 322 Child Development, PSY 323 Adolescence, PSY 324 Exceptional Child, PSY 326 Family Psychology, PSY 331 Social Psychology, PSY 412 Introduction to Biopsychology, PSY 413 Psychology of Learning and Memory, PSY 416 Psychology of Motivation

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| Total hours of PSY core concentration: | | 16 | |

| Relevant Psychology Electives (12 credit hours) | Credits | Term |
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| <i>Any 300- or 400-level psychology course at UIS can be used toward this requirement.</i> | | |
| PSY _____ | | |
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| Total hours of PSY relevant electives: | | 12 |

| ECCE + Speaker Series Requirements (10 credit hours) | Credits | Term |
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| <i>Students must fulfill their ECCE requirements by selecting courses from at least 2 of the 3 available ECCE categories including U.S. Communities, Global Awareness and Engagement Experience.</i> | | |
| _____ USC, GA, or EE | | |
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| UNI 301 Speaker Series | 1 | |
| Total hours of ECCE requirements: | | |

| Additional Upper Level Coursework (if necessary) | Credits | Term |
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| <i>Students need to complete at least 48 hours of upper-division credit in order to graduate with a BA in PSY. Thirty-six (36) of these upper-division hours should be completed through PSY major requirements. The remaining 12 credit hours could be completed by selecting upper-division coursework to fulfill ECCE requirements and/or with additional upper-division PSY or non-PSY coursework.</i> | | |
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| Total hours of additional upper-level coursework: | | |

Note: Students must complete a minimum total of 120 combined lower-division and upper-division credit hours and have a minimum GPA of 2.0 to graduate.