# **Articulation Agreement by Major**

**Effective during the 2018-2019 Academic Year** 

To: University of California, Merced General Catalog, Semester From: West Valley College General Catalog, Semester

#### **PSYCHOLOGY, B.A.**

#### REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION

For admission to the Psychology, B.A. major, students must earn an overall GPA of 2.4 or better, and must complete classes articulated with the following UC Merced courses prior to admission:

PSY 1 and PSY 10

It your college does not offer an articulated course for SOC 10, you should complete UC Merced's MATH 5 (see articulation agreement by department) and complete SOC 10 at UC Merced after transfer.

Transfer students seeking fall admission should have the following completed by the end of the spring term preceding fall enrollment at UC Merced:

- 1. All minimum admission requirements including appropriate courses in math and the equivalent of WRI 1 and WRI 10 (see articulation by department on ASSIST.org).
- 2. All major preparation requirements as stated above.

#### **ADVANCED PLACEMENT INFORMATION**

Advanced Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB) Examination note:

AP and IB examination credit policies are detailed in the 2017-18 UC Merced general catalog viewable online at:

http://catalog.ucmerced.edu/content.php?catoid=7&navoid=647#AP\_IB

\*ALERT\* It is strongly recommended that you obtain a full transcript of your academic records from each of the colleges and universities you have attended before you start your UC application. **Applicants** 

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must report ALL grades in ALL courses--transferable and not transferable--from all institutions attended. Applicants are <u>solely responsible</u> for the integrity of their self-reported academic record in the UC application.

Applicants are encouraged to clear any No Pass, D, or F letter grade received in UC Transfer course. Applicants are most competitive in the Admissions Process with fewer withdrawls and/or repeated course work in major preparation.

All course work must be completed with a 'C' or better.

Following these guidelines will assist you to be more competitive for admission to your UC Merced major.

If you have any questions abour UC Merced admissions policy, please email: admissions@ucmerced.edu

**\*Please note:** Courses used to satisfy lower-division major preparation may simultaneously satisfy lower-division general education for the School of Social Sciences, Humanites and Arts.

Completion of IGETC is recommended for this major.

For the most up-to-date information about transferring to UC Merced, please visit admissions.ucmerced.edu/transfer\_requirements.

Information about applying for a Transfer Admission Guarantee is available at <u>admissions.ucmerced.edu/tag.</u>

#### LOWER DIVISION MAJOR PREPARATION COURSES

<b>PSY 1</b> - Introduction to Psychology (4.00)	$\leftarrow$	PSYC 1 - General Psychology (3.00)
<b>PSY 10</b> - Analysis of Psychological Data (4.00)	$\leftarrow$	MATH 10 - Elementary Statistics (4.00)
<b>PSY 15</b> - Research Methods in Psychology (4.00)	$\leftarrow$	<b>PSYC 2</b> - Experimental Psychophysiology (4.00)
		Or
		PSYC 2H - Honors Experimental
		Psychophysiology (4.00)

## CHOOSE ONE COURSE FROM THE FOLLOWING INTRODUCTORY SOCIAL SCIENCES COURSES:

<b>ANTH 1</b> - Introduction to Sociocultural	← ANTH 3 - Introduction to Cultural
Anthropology (4.00)	Anthropology (3.00)

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<b>COGS 1</b> - Introduction to Cognitive Science (4.00)	$\leftarrow$	No Course Articulated
<b>ECON 1</b> - Introduction to Economics (4.00)	$\leftarrow$	<b>ECON 1A</b> - Principles of Macroeconomics (3.00)
		Or
		<b>ECON 1AH</b> - Honors Principles of Macroeconomics (3.00)
		And
		<b>ECON 1B</b> - Principles of
		Microeconomics (3.00)
		Or
		<b>ECON 1BH</b> - Honors Principles of
		Microeconomics (3.00)
<b>POLI 1</b> - Introduction to American Politi (4.00)	<sup>CS</sup> ←	POLI 1 - American Government (3.00) Or
		<b>POLI 1H</b> - Honors American Government (3.00)
<b>PH 1</b> - Introduction to Public Health (4.00)	$\leftarrow$	No Course Articulated
SOC 1 - Introduction to Sociology (4.00)	) ←	<b>SOCI 1</b> - Introduction to Sociology (3.00)

### **END OF AGREEMENT**

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