

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN PSYCHOLOGY

Effective School Year 2025-2026

A. Core Courses (6 units)

Course Code	Course Title	Units
DP PSY 801	Advanced Statistics II	3
DP PSY 802	Advanced Research Methods II	3

B. Professional Courses (12 units)

Course Code	Course Title	Units
DP PSY 804	Advanced Psychotherapy	3
DP PSY 805	Projective Techniques II	3
DP PSY 806	Forensic Psychology	3
DP PSY 807	Psychopharmacology	3

C. Cognates/Elective Courses - Minor Courses (9 units)

Course Code	Course Title	Units
DP PSY 808	Health Psychology	3
DP PSY 809	Marriage and Family Therapy	3
DP PSY 810	Foreign Language	3

D. Internship (6 units)

Course Code	Course Title	Units
DP PSY 811	Internship (600 hours)	6

E. Dissertation Writing (12 units)

Course Code	Course Title	Units
DW 1	Seminar in Dissertation Writing with Title Defense	3
DW 2	Dissertation Writing with Pre-Oral Defense	3
DW 3	Dissertation Writing with Final Defense	3
DW 4	Dissertation Writing with Presentation and Publication	3

F. For Non-MA/MS Psychology program (21 units)

Course Code	Course Description	Units
MA 501	Advanced Statistics I	3
MA 502	Advanced Research Methods I	3
MA PSY 702	Advanced Theories of Personality	3
MA PSY 703	Advanced Abnormal Psychology	3
MA PSY 704	Advanced Psychological Assessment	3
MA PSY 705	Advanced Counseling and Psychotherapy	3
MA PSY 706	Projective Techniques I	3

G. Elective Courses (For Foreign Students) (15 units)

Course Code	Course Title	Units
PSY ELEC 1	Current Trends in Psychology and Emerging Technologies	3
PSY ELEC 2	Disaster and Mental Health	3
PSY ELEC 3	Organizational Psychology and Workplace Wellness	3
PSY ELEC 4	Ethical and Legal Issues in Advanced Psychology Practice	3
PSY ELEC 5	Multicultural Psychology	3

* Non-MA/MS Psychology graduate students must take bridging courses first.

**Students must take and pass the Comprehensive Examination after their Internship (PSY 811) and before they enroll for DW1.

***Granting of the title of Doctor of Philosophy in Psychology follows the Oral Defense, Research Publication and submission of the hardbound copies of the Dissertation.