



**M.S. degree
Major:
Psychology
2023/2024 Catalog**

This program plan is valid only if the student registers for, and completes, a term at Brenau by summer 2024. If the student defers admission to fall 2024 or after, the student must contact the adviser to change to the subsequent catalog.

- All courses are 3 semester hours credit unless otherwise noted.
- Total hours for degree: 55-61.

Foundation Courses: (49 hours)

<i>Term</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Course #</i>	
_____	_____	LB 501	Library Research (1)
_____	_____	PY 601	Research Meth & Evaluation
_____	_____	PY 602	Human Growth & Dev
_____	_____	PY 607	Acq/Learned Bases of Beh
_____	_____	PY 612	Psychopathology
_____	_____	PY 617	Theories of Psychotherapy/ Indiv Bases of Behavior/
_____	_____	PY 620	Multicultural Counseling
_____	_____	PY 701	Statistics
_____	_____	PY 714	Biological Bases of Behav
_____	_____	PY 650	Prof Orientation & Development I (1)
_____	_____	PY 651	Prof Orientation & Development II (1)
_____	_____	PY 680	Thesis Preparation (1)
_____	_____	PY 681	Thesis I (2)
_____	_____	PY 682	Thesis II
_____	_____	PY 707	Assessments Lab (1)
_____	_____	PY 700	Ethics & Prof Identity
_____	_____	PY 703	Counseling Sk & Helping Relationship
_____	_____	PY 705	Assmt I: Cogn Assessment
_____	_____	PY 706	Assmt II: Pers Assmt
_____	_____	PY 730	Group Dyn & Group Psychotherapy

Student Name _____

Id No _____

Previous Degree/Date _____

Where degree earned _____

Program Prerequisites:

Brenau Crs #	How Satisfied		
	<i>Term</i>	<i>Crs #</i>	<i>Institution</i>
MS 205 (Statistics)	_____	_____	_____
or			
PY 301 (Research Methods) [or Experimental]	_____	_____	_____
PY 309 (Abnormal Psychology)	_____	_____	_____

If student needs to take PY 309 @ Brenau:			
PY 101	_____	_____	_____
If student needs to take MS 205 @ Brenau:			
MS 100	_____	_____	_____

Electives: (6 hours)

Choose from:

- HS 550 Global Health Perspectives
- SE 604 Introduction to Special Education
- CD 615 Qualitative Methods for Evidence Based Practice
- PY 660 Advanced Special Topics

- NG 711 Pharmacology
- PY 799 Applied Experience
- PY --- Other Approved elective

Specialization (6 hours - optional) Choose from:

- _____ PY 660 Advanced Special Topics
- _____ PY 755 Clin Counsel Specialty Pract.
- _____ PY 799 Applied Experience

Available Specializations

1. Applied psychology teaching or adult development
2. Biological Bases of Learning
3. Cross-cultural work (especially with Latin Americans)
4. Drug/alcohol counseling
5. Forensics
6. Organizational Development
7. Play Therapy
8. Psychology of Women/Diversity Issues
9. Research/Evaluation
10. Virtual Reality and Simulation Therapy

Note: Financial aid recipients cannot receive aid for courses repeated unnecessarily or for courses not specifically required for their degree. Any deviation of this program must be documented via substitution memo and approved by the department chair and the registrar.