



PSYCHOLOGY AT MORGAN AND LAUREL COLLEGE CENTER

What is Psychology?

Psychology is the *scientific study of behavior and mental processes*. It is a broad field comprised of over 50 different specialties. Studying psychology can assist students in preparing for work in any field working with humans or animals. The psychology major prepares students to develop important knowledge and skills, such as:

- Critical thinking
- Academic writing
- Scientific research and analysis
- Interpersonal communication
- Problem solving
- Sensitivity to human culture and diversity with a social justice perspective
- Self-awareness
- Motivation to change institutions, policy, practices, and people

Program Overview

The **Bachelor of Science** in psychology provides excellent preparation for careers as well as graduate or professional training. Morgan graduates have used their degrees to pursue careers as medical doctors, lawyers, mental and public health providers and entrepreneurs. There are ample opportunities for internships and to gain research experience that affords you competitive entry in graduate and professional schools.

Undergraduate students have easy access to professors for mentoring and research supervision. Students engage in research collaboration, present their research at conferences, volunteer and work in community agencies, and conduct internships with local non-profits and schools. The Department of Psychology provides a broad spectrum of coursework and encourages students' active participation in psychological research and applied experiences. Students planning to major in psychology must take a minimum of 56 credits in psychology and other cognate courses.

Laurel College Center (LCC) has established a partnership with Morgan State University, making it simple to take courses and complete a bachelor's degree in Psychology in one convenient location in Laurel, MD. If you are a student at Howard Community College or Prince Georges Community College interested in psychology and attending Morgan State, but prefer to stay close to home, then Morgan at LCC is for YOU.

We also offer a **masters and doctorate degree in Psychometrics**.

Psychometrics is a discipline within the field of psychology that is concerned with the theory and techniques of psychological assessment, which include the measurement of human behavior, knowledge, abilities, and personality traits. Those with expertise in the field are in demand. The Graduate Program in Psychometrics at Morgan is the **first program** of its kind in a predominantly minority serving institution.

For more information

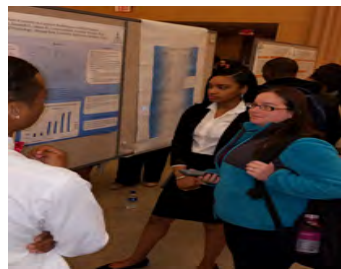
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Bachelor of Science
Master of Science
Doctorate (PhD)

Career Options

Art Therapist
Behavioral Medicine Practitioner
Child Care Worker
Clinical Psychologist College Instructor
Conflict Resolution Specialist
Counselor
Employee Development/Relations Specialist Forensic Psychologist Industrial Psychologist Juvenile Officer Marriage/Family Therapist Military Psychologist Personnel Specialist Probation Officer Program Evaluator Psychologist Psychometrician Research Specialist School Counselor School Psychologist Social Service Analyst Social Worker
Speech Pathologist Sports Psychologist Veterinarian Victim Advocate Vocational Counselor

Careers listed may require additional education beyond a bachelor's degree.



PSYCHOLOGY AT MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY AND LAUREL COLLEGE CENTER

"Educating the next generation of scholars in the Behavioral Sciences"

Undergraduate Program in Psychology (UPP)

Psychology majors may select one of the following tracks in psychology: **Generalist or Research Track.**

Generalist Track: This track emphasizes the practical applications of psychology and preparation for entry into the workforce upon graduation. Students pursuing this option **MUST** take Psyc 480 Psychology Internship I and PSYC 481 Psychology Internship II and may select 3 Human Services Electives and/or Behavioral Science/Neuroscience Electives.

Research Track: This track emphasizes psychology as a science and is for the student who is interested in pursuing graduate school and/or a career that requires practical research knowledge and skills. Students who choose this track **MUST** take Psyc 487 Senior Thesis I and Psyc 497 Senior Thesis II and may select 3 Behavioral Science/Neuroscience Electives and/or Human Services Electives.

Morgan State University at Laurel College Center Suggested Curriculum By Semester*

MSU Semester	Credits to be Completed with Morgan at LCC		
1	Psyc 108	3	Scientific Methods
1	Psyc 112	1	Careers in Psychology
1	Psyc 219	3	History & Systems of Psychology
2	Psyc 300	3	Psychology of Learning
2	Psyc 301	3	Physiological Psychology
2	Psyc 316	3	Psychological Statistics I
3	Psyc 317	3	Psychological Statistics II
3	Psyc 320	3	Experimental Psychology
3	Psyc 487 or Psyc 480	3	Senior Thesis I or Psychology Internship I
4	Psyc 497 or Psyc 481	3	Senior Thesis II or Psychology Internship II
4	Psyc 322	3	Psychology of Perception
Varies	Psyc Elective	3	
Varies	Psyc Elective	3	
Varies	PHEC XXX	1	Physical Activity course
Varies	XXX	12	Out of Unit Electives
TOTAL CREDITS		50	

* Pending completion of pre-requisites. transfer credits, and course availability.

Credits to be Completed with Morgan at Laurel College Center Suggested Part-Time Curriculum By Semester*

MSU Semester	Credits to be Completed with Morgan at LCC		
1	Psyc 108	3	Scientific Methods
2	Psyc 112	1	Careers in Psychology
2	Psyc 219	3	History & Systems of Psychology
3	Psyc 316	3	Psychological Statistics I
3	Psyc 300	3	Psychology of Learning
4	Psyc 317	3	Psychological Statistics II
4	Psyc 320	3	Experimental Psychology
5	Psyc 301	3	Physiological Psychology
5	Psyc 487 or Psyc 480	3	Senior Thesis I or Psychology Internship I
6	Psyc 497 or Psyc 481	3	Senior Thesis II or Psychology Internship II
6	Psyc 322	3	Psychology of Perception
Varies	Psyc Elective	3	
Varies	Psyc Elective	3	
Varies	PHEC XXX	1	Physical Activity course
Varies	XXX	12	Out of Unit Electives
TOTAL CREDITS		50	

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