

Meet the Chair

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Welcome to the Department of Psychology at CSUEB! This brochure is designed to help psychology majors, minors, and anyone interested in learning more about our department. Our dedicated faculty and staff are here to help you explore psychological science, navigate department resources, and plan for a career in psychology or related fields. We conduct research and teach in areas such as neuroscience, mental health, learning, and group dynamics. Personally, growing up on Canada's East coast, career paths beyond skilled trades like ironworking and welding were not obvious. University opened doors for me, exposing me to diverse subjects and opportunities that I may not have otherwise encountered. I believe the Psychology Department at CSUEB can provide you with similar experiences and opportunities.

Examples of Careers

Counseling Psychologist
Clinical Psychologist
Social Worker
Corrections & Probation Officer
Interviewers
Personnel Analyst
Technical Writer
Public Relations
Recreation
Human Resources Specialist
Employee Counselor
Trainer
Market Research
Human Factors Engineer

Welcome!

Psychology is the science of behavior and mental processes. Many psychologists work with people to understand how they think, respond to stress, learn and forget, develop into unique personalities, and interact with one another. Others study the behavior and nervous system of animals in order to find general principles that apply across species. Psychologists apply their knowledge to do therapy and counseling, to improve practices in schools, prisons, and rehabilitation centers, and to enhance performance.

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Programs

The Psychology Department offers these programs:

Bachelors of Arts

B.A. Psychology

Bachelors of Science

B.S. Psychology with a concentration in Industrial Organization Psychology

B.S. Psychology with a concentration in Ergonomics and Human Factors

Minor

Psychology Minor

Why Choose CSUEB?

Students develop practical skills desired by employers and graduate schools.

Faculty members in the department devote their full attention to undergraduates.

Interested students are encouraged to perform independent research or participate in faculty research.

Classes are friendly and cooperative.

There is an active Psychology Club for all students, and a chapter of Psi Chi, the national psychology honor society.

Undergraduate students have access to computers, laboratory facilities, and equipment.

Student body is very diverse in culture, age, and ethnicity.

Student Organizations

Psi Chi

Psi Chi is the national honors society in psychology. There is a chapter at CSUEB, and membership requires an overall GPA in the top 35% and completion of 12 or more units in Psychology with at least a B average. A one-time membership fee is required.

Psychology Club

The Psychology Club is open to all students enrolled at CSUEB. There are no grade requirements, no membership fees, and no attendance requirements. The psychology club arranged events for the benefit of psychology majors. It is a student-run organization with a faculty adviser. Psychology Club members receive e-mail notification of all events, and can send email to all other psychology club members. Each year the club must reform, with new officers. An invitation to join is