## **Course Title** Psychology **TPSY-200 Course Code** This course serves as both Elective and Requirement, according to the program. **Course Type** Hospitality/Business Bachelor Liberal Arts Elective All Programs **General Elective** Bachelor (1st Cycle) Level Year / Year 3, B' Semester **Semester** Nayia Phylactou **Teacher's** Name 5 **ECTS** Lectures / week 3 Laboratories / week The course aims to introduce students to the science of Psychology and give them the Course opportunity to study the various psychology theories. **Purpose and Objectives** The course explores the general areas of psychology, dealing with multiple issues in this field, so that the students gain a full understanding of this rapidly developing scientific field, current views and controversies as well as its methodology. It also aims at adding breadth to the student's general knowledge. Students are introduced and gain a basic understanding of scientific methods of research and group discussions. Learning Upon completion of this course students will be able to: **Outcomes** 1. Demonstrate a clear understanding of the fundamentals of psychology. 2. Define contemporary theories and interpretations of the human behavior. 3. Discuss using scientific terms phenomena of everyday life. 4. Demonstrate a basic understanding of scientific methods of research in psychology. 5. Obtain skills in discussing in small groups issues related to their experience. Classify personality and psychological disorders. 6. Develop an open-mindedness regarding human normality-abnormality 7. **Prerequisites** None Required

## Psychology



Course	1. Psychology, Profession of Psychologist, Specializations		
Content	2. Research Methods in Psychology		
	3. Human Consciousness:		
	a. The brain, biology and behavior b. States of consciousness c. Altered states of consciousness (Dreams Hypnosis) d. Psychoactive Drugs: use and abuse		
	<ul> <li>4. Human Development: <ul> <li>a. Studying and explaining development</li> <li>b. Cognitive development across the life-span-Jean Piaget</li> <li>c. Social aspects in development-Erikson</li> <li>d. Childhood-Attachment Theory-J. Bowlby</li> <li>e. Adolescence: identity formation</li> <li>e. Adulthood</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>5. Learning Behaviour:</li> <li>a. Classical Conditioning (emotions)</li> <li>b. Operant Conditioning-barring about consequences.</li> </ul>		
	6. Memory: a. Types of memory b. STM-capacity/imitations c. LTM-encoding/retrieval		
	<ul> <li>7. Motivation &amp; Emotion:</li> <li>a. Functions of motivational concepts</li> <li>b. Motivation for personal achievement</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>8. Stress, Coping &amp; Health:</li> <li>a. Physiological stress reactions</li> <li>b. Psychological stress reactions</li> <li>c. Coping with stress</li> </ul>		
	9. Personality & Psychological Disorders-Classification DSM IV		
Teaching Methodology	The course is delivered through lectures and guest speakers.		
Mode of delivery	Face to face.		
Bibliography	Required		
	1. Kalat W. J., Introduction to Psychology, 9th ed., Belmont, Wadsworth, 2010.		
	Recommended		
	1. Myers D., Psychology, 8th ed., New York, Worth Publishers, 2007.		
	2. Santrock J., Psychology, 7th ed., New York, McGraw Hill, 2005.		



Assessment	The following assessment methods are employed to assess this course:			
		30 – 50 %	Final Exam	
		20 – 40 %	Mid –Term / Tests / Quizzes	
		10 – 30 %	Assignments / Projects	
		0 – 10 %	Class Attendance & Participation	
Language	English			

