

COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY

Country

Netherlands

Host Institution

Maastricht University - University College Maastricht

Program(s)

University College Maastricht

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

10

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

INTRO TO PSYCHOLOGY

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course demonstrates that psychology is a science that encompasses the collaborative efforts of scientists from many different disciplines. Psychology is the study of behavior and mental processes, and as psychologists, we aim to describe, understand, predict, and sometimes change behavior. This course considers different approaches to understanding the human mind, the brain, and behavior. Scientific methods of psychological research are introduced by addressing some of the main questions that drive contemporary psychology: How do we experience fear or happiness? How do we (think we) see the world around us? How do we learn, remember, and forget things? Where should we draw the line between normal and abnormal behavior? How social are humans? When do people harm or help others?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

SSC1005

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Host Institution Campus

Maastricht University

Host Institution Faculty

University College Maastricht

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Social Sciences

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