

PSYCHOLOGY SEMINARS AND COURSES – Spring-Summer 2015

Required Seminars

UNYP 81410 Ethical Issues in Psychology (Ptacek) – *required to sit Czech State Exam in psychology*

1 semester credit – psychology required

Pre-requisite: C- or better in General Psychology – no first year students

This course focuses on the discussion of current ethical dilemmas which psychologists face in both research and clinical practice. The course covers ethical dilemmas, such as in the following areas:

UNYP 80350 Health Psychology (Ptacek) – *required to sit Czech State Exam in psychology*

2 semester credits – psychology required

Pre-requisite: C- or better in General Psychology (or permission of advisor)

The goal of this course is to familiarize students with the psychological factors which influence our health, including emotional, cognitive, social and behavioral factors. Attention is paid to bio-psychological mechanisms and their relationship with disease as well as psychological methods to improve health.

UNYP 80322 Group Work Processes (Koznar) – *required to sit Czech State Exam in psychology*

1 semester credits – psychology required

Pre-requisite: C- or better in General Psychology (or permission of advisor)

The aim of this course is for students to gain experience in the dynamics of group therapy discussions. Students will work in a group under the guidance of the instructor.

UNYP 80351 Educational Psychology (Sanders) – *required to sit Czech State Exam in psychology*

2 semester credits – psychology required

Pre-requisite: C- or better in General Psychology (or permission of advisor)

The goal of this course is to familiarize students with the psychological and theoretical basis of human learning and education, including social, behavioral and cognitive theories. Further, the basic theories of education will be introduced as well as their current status and future trends in the field. Integral to the course are also examples from experimental evidence as well as practical cases.

Spring Seminar Schedule (complete)

The first three seminars meet Fridays from 9:00 – 17:30. Most one credit courses meet for two days. Two credit courses meet for 4 days. According to UNYP attendance policy, students may not miss more than 4 hours in a one credit course or more than one day in a 2 credit course, so be sure to mark your calendar. Remember the maximum number of credits allowed per semester is 18.

March 20 March 27	Ethical Issues in Psychology	Radek Ptáček <i>required for Czech state exam</i>
April 3 April 10 April 17 April 24	Health Psychology	Radek Ptáček <i>required for Czech state exam</i>
Saturday/Sunday May 2 nd -3 rd	Group Work Processes <i>(class meets Saturday and Sunday!)</i>	Jan Koznar <i>required for Czech state exam</i>
Wednesdays 15:00-18:00 Feb 11 – April 15 (10 weeks)	Educational Psychology	Edel Sanders <i>required for Czech state exam</i>
Fridays (1 credit) 12:00-17:00 May 15 May 22 May 29	Animals in Human Society: Psychological Perspectives	Tereza Vandrovcová

Summer Seminars and Courses

<p>Summer I (1 credit)</p> <p>Saturday/Sunday June 13th-14th</p>	<p>Mindfulness and Eastern Psychology</p>	<p>Raluca Topciu</p>
<p>Summer I (3 credits)</p> <p>18:00-21:00</p>	<p>Music & the Mind</p>	<p>Edel Sanders</p>
<p>Summer I (3 credits)</p> <p>15:00-18:00</p>	<p>Psychology of the Ancient Greek Philosophers</p>	<p>Martha Beck</p>
<p>Summer II (3 credits)</p> <p>Intensive: Mondays-Fridays July 20th-31st</p> <p>12:00-17:00</p>	<p>Science and Sexuality</p>	<p>Mike Johnson</p>
<p>Summer II (1 credit)</p> <p>Saturday/Sunday July 25th-26th</p> <p>10:00-18:30</p>	<p>Sexual Identity</p> <p>Prerequisite: Science and Sexuality (taken previously, not simultaneously)</p>	<p>Mike Johnson</p>
<p>Summer II (seminar) (1 credit) Friday/Saturday July 10th-11th 9:00-17:30</p>	<p>Stories & the Construction of Meaning</p> <hr/>	<p>Julie Shaw</p>