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| **MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN COUNSELING OPTION IN SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY**  |

**EFFECTIVE FALL 2019 SEMESTER** School psychologists focus on the psychoeducational development of individuals from birth through age 21, their abilities and potentialities, and the biological, emotional, behavioral, and cultural factors that influence the learning process. Students who earn the master’s degree with this option also qualify for the Pupil Personnel Services credential with advanced specialization in School Psychology and advanced specialization in Child Welfare and Attendance Services. Students in this option should see information below regarding the School Psychology Internship Credential. **Applications are considered once a year for admission to the Fall Semester.**

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| **A. PRELIMINARY CORE REQUIREMENTS (19 units)** |  |
| EDSP 5000 Disability in Schools and Society | 3 |
| COUN 5000 Lifespan Human Development for Counselors | 3 |
| COUN 5001 Ethical, Legal, and Professional Issues in Counseling | 3 |
| COUN 5002 Assessment in Counseling | 3 |
| COUN 5003 Research in Counseling | 3 |
| COUN 5005 Individual Counseling Strategies | 4 |
| **B. REQUIRED COURSES ( 53 units)** |  |
| COUN 5016 Applied Behavior Analysis | 3 |
| COUN 5018 Behavioral Assessment and Interventions | 3 |
| COUN 5160 Group Counseling | 3 |
| COUN 5307 Individual Clinical Counseling | 3 |
| COUN 5311 Assessment and Case Study Techniques Lab | 1 |
| COUN 5320 Assessment of Disabilities and Evidence-Based Interventions | 4 |
| COUN 5340 Assessment of Social, Emotional, & Behavioral Disorders | 3 |
| COUN 5360 Practicum: School-Based Consultation | 3 |
| COUN 5370 Practicum: School Psychology (3,3) | 6 |
| COUN 5281 Seminar: Leadership in Pupil Personnel Services | 3 |
| COUN 5385 Seminar: School Psychology | 3 |
| COUN 5380 Supervised Field Experience in School Psychology (9,9) |  18 |
| **C. CULMINATING EXPERIENCE (0, 4 units)** |  |
| COUN 5960 Comprehensive Examination **or** | 0 |
| COUN 5990A Thesis Planning or COUN 5995A Project Planning **and** | 2 |
| COUN 5990B Thesis or COUN 5995B Project | 2 |
| **TOTAL UNITS**  | **72-76** |

**Admission Requirements**In addition to University requirements for admission to graduate study, students must* Have a baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited college or university
* have a 2.75 grade point average in the last 60 semester units attempted
* submit the Division and College application forms,
* take additional examinations required by the Division, and
* be interviewed by the Division screening committee.
* Successful candidates are admitted to cohort groups and must take a prescribed sequence of cohort classes.

Applications are considered once a year for admission to the Fall Semester. Applications must be submitted to the Division of Special Education and Counseling. Cohorts are admitted to the Fall Semester of each year. Prospective candidates must check with the Division office for annual application deadlines. Late applications may be considered if space is available.. Upon acceptance, each student is assigned a faculty advisor and a cohort group. |  |

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