

## Introduction to Psychology (F710270)

Due to Covid 19, the education and evaluation methods may vary from the information displayed in the schedules and course details. Any changes will be communicated on Ufora.

Course size (nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)  
Credits 3.0 Study time 90 h Contact hrs 30.0 h

### Course offerings and teaching methods in academic year 2020-2021

Offering	Language	Location	Teaching Method	Hours
A (semester 1)	Dutch	Gent	lecture	30.0 h
			online lecture	0.0 h

### Lecturers in academic year 2020-2021

Jonckheere, Lieven EB23 lecturer-in-charge

### Offered in the following programmes in 2020-2021

Programme	crdts	offering
<a href="#">Bachelor of Science in Public Administration and Management</a>	3	A
<a href="#">Bachelor of Science in Business Administration</a>	3	A

### Teaching languages

Dutch

### Keywords

Psychology, conscious and unconscious, intelligence and emotions, personality, internal division and individuality, psychopathology

### Position of the course

three relations and their relation

- three relations are crucial to man his relation to his 'Self', his relation to the others (others that he is able to consider his equals), his relation to the Other (others he has to recognize as being different from himself)
- the crucial point in the relation of man to himself is development and developing oneself the crucial point in the relation of man to others is making decisions together and collaborating the crucial point in the relation of man to Others is leadership
- we ask ourselves how these three different forms of relations 'interrelate' what is the best starting point if we want people to collaborate with each other to the satisfaction of all parties (self, other, Other)

man-oriented

- in an instruction where 'result' and 'product' are key factors, it is all the more important not to lose sight of 'man' - because this always pays off cash: stress and absenteeism; resistance to change; cynical attitude towards career, money, production, clients, etc.)

### Contents

within the triangle of relation to oneself, relation to others and relation to Others, following subjects may be addressed:

- What is psychology
- Attention and Consciousness
- Conditioning and Learning
- Remembering and Forgetting
- Thinking
- Motivation and Emotion
- Changes in the Course of Life
- Intelligence
- Personality
- Psychopathology
- Behavior and Health

## Initial competences

## Final competences

- 1 Knowledge of the main insights into the different areas of contemporary psychology which are relevant for promoting collaboration between people
- 2 Understanding of the fact that psychology never will be able to produce a united, uniform image of man, simply because man himself is not uniform nor united
- 3 Understanding of the relative relevance of psychology for other 'disciplines' which also engage with man (sociology, HRM, marketing, politics, etc)
- 4 the ability to judge whether results of psychology are evidence bases (= scientific) or not
- 5 the ability to link up different forms or schools of psychology, with respect for their irreducible differences

## Conditions for credit contract

Access to this course unit via a credit contract is unrestricted: the student takes into consideration the conditions mentioned in 'Starting Competences'

## Conditions for exam contract

Access to this course unit via an exam contract is unrestricted

## Teaching methods

Lecture, online lecture

## Extra information on the teaching methods

Formal lectures

## Learning materials and price

Brysbaert, Marc - Psychologie (aangepaste versie), Academia Press  
syllabus (= critical summary and analysis of the book)  
sold at the School

## References

## Course content-related study coaching

On appointment

## Evaluation methods

end-of-term evaluation

## Examination methods in case of periodic evaluation during the first examination period

Written examination with multiple choice questions

## Examination methods in case of periodic evaluation during the second examination period

Written examination with multiple choice questions

## Examination methods in case of permanent evaluation

## Possibilities of retake in case of permanent evaluation

not applicable

## Extra information on the examination methods

Multiple choice - 3 alternatives

## Calculation of the examination mark

Periodic evaluation (100%)