College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences Psychology Academic Advising

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Neuroscience Minor Criteria

Students must be in Good Academic Standing at the time the Minor Petition is filed.

Requirements for the Minor in Neuroscience

The Department of Psychology offers minors in Neuroscience and Psychology. Courses may not overlap to simultaneously satisfy upper division major and minor requirements. Courses may overlap to satisfy both minor and breadth requirements. Students can declare a minor in Neuroscience after completing 2 Upper Division Neuroscience classes with a C or better.

Note: You must have a 2.0 minor GPA as well as a 2.0 major GPA and 2.0 cumulative GPA to graduate.

First Tier (14 units)

- CBNS 106 with a grade of C- or better
- o CBNS 120/PSYC 120
- CBNS 120L/PSYC 120L or PSYC122L or CBNS130L/PSYC123L
- o CBNS 124/PSYC 124

Second Tier (6 units)

Select additional units from the list below so that the units from the First Tier combined with the units from the Second Tier equal at least 20.

 BIOL 178; CBNS 101, CBNS 116, CBNS 121/ PSYC 121, PSYC 122, CBNS 125/PSYC 125, CBNS 126/PSYC 126, CBNS 127/PSYC 127; PSYC 112, PSYC 117, PSYC 129

Lower Division Prerequisites

*The Neuroscience Minor consists of only upper division classes. While the Neuroscience minor does not have lower division requirements, students must complete CHEM 001A, CHEM 01LA, CHEM 001B, CHEM 01LB, CHEM 001C, CHEM 01LC, BIOL 005A, BIOL 05LA, and BIOL 005B to be eligible to take CBNS 106.

To learn more about the Neuroscience Minor or if you're ready to declare, please contact your Psychology Academic Advisor:

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