

Minnesota State University Moorhead

PSY 470: History and Systems of Psychology

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites:

This course requires the following prerequisite

PSY 113 - General Psychology

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

An overview of the development of psychology from associationism to the present. Schools, fields and areas of psychology are emphasized. Students must have earned nine credits in psychology courses and have junior standing prior to enrolling in this class.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 06/01/1995 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Demonstrate an understanding of major questions that have driven psychological thought throughout its history.
2. Describe how historical trends and events have influenced the development of psychology as a scientific discipline.
3. Describe the key contributions of major figures in the history of psychology and be able to relate the major perspectives of psychology to those individuals.
4. Explore major topics as they relate to the history of psychology.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted