Roosevelt University

Evelyn T. Stone College of Professional Studies

Bachelor of Professional Studies Degree

Major in Psychology

Student Name: _____ Advisor: _____ Date: _____

Student ID#:_____Phone:_____# of Transfer Hours_____

Official ☐
Unofficial ☐

RUA – Assessment Test

RUAWriting _____
English Placement _____
Math Domain _____
Math Score _____
Math Placement _____

Introductory Courses

All PLS courses require a minimum grade of C-.

PLS 201 _____ **or** PLS 302 _____
Pro-Seminar in Critical Skills (6) — Methods of Critical Reasoning
(Less than 60sh transfer credit) — (AA/AS or 60sh + 2.0 GPA)

MATH 095_____
(If required by RUA)

PLS 290 _____
Technological & Quantitative Literacy (Math 095 pre-requisite)

University Writing Requirement (Grade of C- or higher required)

ENG 100 _____ (If required by RUA)

ENG 101 _____ Introduction to Composition

ENG 102 _____ Argument, Analysis, Research

Major Courses in Psychology

All grades C- or higher; minimum of 21 sh of Psychology must be completed at Roosevelt; minimum of 12sh at 300-level, at least 9sh of which must be at Roosevelt. Students must select at least one course from each of the four designated areas of psychology (see notes back).

PSYC 103 _____ General Psychology

PSYC 200 _____ Psychology Statistics

PSYC 285_____ Research Methods

PSYC xxx_____ Elective

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PSYC xxx _____ Elective

PSYC xxx_____ Elective

PSYC xxx_____ Elective

PSYC 3xx _____ Elective

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Functional Area

18 semester hours of credit in one Functional Area chosen in consultation with an Academic Advisor. See reverse for notes on the Functional Area.

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Possible Functional Areas include but are not limited to: Criminal Justice Leadership, Organizational Leadership, Humanities, Social Science, and the Natural Sciences.

Senior Seminars

All PLS courses require a minimum grade of C-.

PLS 390 – Seminar in the Social Sciences (6) _____

PLS 391 – Seminar in the Natural Sciences (6) _____

PLS 392 – Seminar in the Humanities (6) _____

PLS 399 – Senior Thesis (3) _____
Minimum C- to graduate

One Senior Seminar may be waived with 9sh transfer credit in area, not used elsewhere in curriculum, with 2.0 GPA. Two Seminars may be waived with AA/AS, or with 60sh total and 9sh transfer credit in each area with 2.0 GPA.

I fully understand that the courses listed on this Curriculum Worksheet are the requirements for this degree and specialization. Any change of major may require different and/or additional courses.

Student's signature _____ Advisor's Signature _____ Date _____

General Requirements for the Bachelor of Professional Studies Degree

- Students must be 24 years of age when they start the BPS degree.
- New students should take the Roosevelt University Assessment test before registering for their first semester. Students will not be allowed to register for a second semester at Roosevelt until the RUA is completed. The RUA will determine placement into appropriate English and Math courses.
- The final 30 semester hours of any Roosevelt University degree must be completed at Roosevelt University.
- Students must have a 2.0 grade point average to graduate.
- Students must complete a minimum of 21 semester hours of coursework at the 300-level at Roosevelt.
- PLS 290: Students transferring in MATH 110 "Quantitative Literacy," or substantial math including College Algebra or College Statistics with a C or better but no Quantitative Literacy course may be waived out of PLS 290.
- The PLS Senior Seminars are only open to students who have completed the University Writing Requirement.
- PLS 399, Senior Thesis, is open to students who have completed the University Writing Requirement and who are within 21 hours of graduation.

Specific Requirements for the BPS in Psychology

- All grades in Psychology courses must be C- or higher. Students must maintain an overall gpa of 2.0 or above for courses in the major. A minimum of 21 sh must be completed at Roosevelt. A minimum of 12 sh must be completed at the 300-level, at least 9sh of which must be at Roosevelt.
- Students intending to pursue graduate school in Clinical or Counseling Psychology are advised to take PSYC 201 (Abnormal Psychology) and PSYC 243 (Theories of Personality).
- Students are required to take PSYC 200 (Psychology Statistics) and PSYC 285 (Research Methods) within the first three semesters of declaring the major.
- Students must choose 1 course from each of the following 4 areas: Biological/Cognitive/Learning Psychology (PSYC 306, PSYC 310, PSYC 316, PSYC 326, PSYC 336, PSYC 350); Social/Diversity Psychology (PSYC 202, PSYC 211, PSYC 220, PSYC 312, PSYC 345); Human Development/Individual Differences (PSYC 243, PSYC 254, PSYC 339, PSYC 341, PSYC 381); Applied/Clinical Psychology (PSYC 201, PSYC 215, PSYC 270, PSYC 319, PSYC 344, PSYC 347, PSYC 351, PSYC 373).
- Functional Area: The Functional Area is defined as a sequence of six related courses (18 semester hours) in a discipline or an interdisciplinary area, with a maximum of three related subject areas allowed, chosen in consultation with an Academic Advisor.