UNION COLLEGE

ONLINE & HYBRID PROGRAMS

Psychology Programs

- M.A. General Psychology
- M.A. Clinical Psychology
- M.S. Substance Abuse
- Chemical Dependency Counselor Certificate

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ONLINE & GRAD STUDIES - MASTER OF ARTS, CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY

For more than 140 years, Union College has inspired people to think ahead and think big. While we are not a community college, we are a college for the community. If you are thinking big about your future, we want to introduce you to our Division of Online and Graduate Studies.

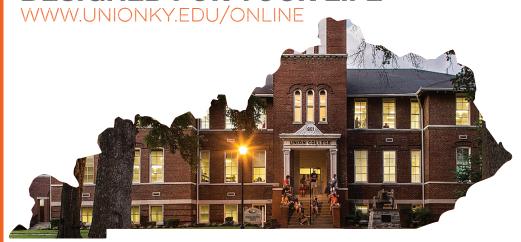
ONLINE PROGRAM INCLUDES

- CLASSES BASED ON YOUR SCHEDULE ONLINE & HYBRID
- ASSIGNED A PERSONAL ADVISOR
- USER-FRIENDLY PLATFORM WITH 24/7 SUPPORT
- FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE
- STATE & REGIONALLY ACCREDITED PROGRAMS
- 51% OF COURSEWORK MUST BE COMPLETED IN-CLASS

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- MUST HAVE A BACHELORS DEGREE FROM A REGIONALLY ACCREDITED ACADEMIC INSTITUTION
- SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF REQUIRED PROGRAM
 COURSES, 60 TOTAL CREDIT HOURS (WE WILL ACCEPT UP TO
 9 TRANSFER CREDITS UPON APPROVAL)
- MINIMUM 3.0 GPA TO APPLY 3.0 GPA TO GRADUATE

DESIGNED FOR YOUR LIFE



HYBRID CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY PROGRAM - 60 HOURS

CORE COMPONENT

PSYH 520

ADVANCED PSYCHOPATHOLOGY

This course involves an examination of current issues related to the classification and diagnosis of abnormal behavior and psychological states. Topics include the symptomatology, etiology, developmental patterns, and treatment approaches various diagnostic categories. Empirical findings, methodological concerns, and conceptual issues are discussed.

THEORIES OF COUNSELING & PSYCHOTHERAPY

A comprehensive review of fundamental concepts in personality theories and their applications to counseling and psychopathology, with special focus on explicating the relationship between theory and practice. Key elements and concepts: identifying the strengths and limitations of each of the major theories, as well as commonalities and divergences among them.

PSYH 511

ADVANCED DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

An intensive exploration of the current state of research and theory as applied to human development across the lifespan. Although this course outlines the latest findings on developmental changes that occur from birth to eighteen, strongest emphasis will be placed upon adult development and changes that are a product of the aging processes.

STATISTICS FOR MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

This course examines descriptive and inferential statistics with the emphasis on understanding fundamental concepts and applying data-analytic techniques to psychological studies and mental health literature. Students will gain the knowledge necessary for conducting psychological research activities, reviewing the literature, and understanding statistical tests and data analysis.

PSYH 575 ADVANCED BEHAVIORAL NEUROSCIENCE

This course provides an in-depth examination of the biochemical, neuro-anatomical, and physiological bases of human and animal behaviors such as sensory-perception, motor function, language, learning, memory and emotion.

PSYH 592

SOCIAL & COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGY

This course provides an understanding of human behavior as a function of social and cultural factors. Social psychology topics covered include social influence theory, attitude formation and change, social cognition, interpersonal perception, obedience and conformity, altruism, aggression, and stereotyping.

PSYH 660

ETHICS & PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

This course is intended for students enrolled in the graduate psychology program. The content of the course includes ethical standards and values for guiding the professional practice of persons working in the field of mental health. The emphasis will be on ethical principles, code of conduct, and Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act.

PSYH 515 QUALITATIVE RESEARCH METHODS

The intention of this course is to expand knowledge of the principles of research design across the range of major psychological research strategies, including both qualitative and quantitative methods. It aims to develop understanding of the intrinsic strengths and weaknesses of diverse investigative strategies in psychological inquiry, facilitate educated and analytical appraisal of empirical social science literature, and afford basic knowledge of applying various methodological strategies in research projects.

PSYH 665

DIAGNOSIS & TREATMENT PLANNING

This course is a survey of the specific criteria required for proper diagnosing of mental disorders and proper treatment planning. Upon completion of the course, students will have the ability to make accurate provisional five axis diagnoses using DSM-IV-TR criteria and be competent in applying a variety of related treatment planning tasks.

CLINICAL PROGRAM COURSES

18 credit hours from 500-600 level coursework in the field of psychology

ELECTIVES

3 credit hours from 500-600 level coursework in the field of psychology

ENDORSEMENT CONTRACT COURSES

Optional 12 credit hours of 500-600 level coursework in the field of psychology. Needed for those seeking licensure in the state of Kentucky.

ADMISSIONS PROCESS

- Complete an application for candidacy
- Provide official transcripts from previous colleges and universities
- Complete a signed curriculum contract

TUITION

Application Fee: \$0

GR Online: \$370 per credit hour

Graduation Fee: \$50

FINANCIAL AID

Financial aid is available for individuals admitted as degree seeking students. Go to www.fafsa.ed.gov to begin. The awarding process may take as long as six weeks from the time of initial application.

For more information: unionky,edu/FAFSA or contact the Financial Aid Office at 606-546-1220 or email us at finaid@unionky.edu