

PHILOSOPHY/PSYCHOLOGY B.A. DOUBLE MAJOR

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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 120 credit hours
- 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
- Residency: At least 30 credit hours of the degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS.

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: catalog.uccs.edu
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule. See degree audit for course prerequisites within the academic major.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Explore Philosophy: [Home | Department of Philosophy \(uccs.edu\)](http://www.uccs.edu/philosophy)

Explore Psychology: [Home | Psychology Department \(uccs.edu\)](http://www.uccs.edu/psychology)

Major Requirements			
Philosophy/Psychology Double Major (63 hours)	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours
Philosophy Major <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 30 credit hours of PHIL work and a minimum of 18 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level) PHIL course work. • All PHIL courses must have a grade of "C" or better. Psychology Major <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Psychology major requires a minimum of 33 credit hours of PSY work and a minimum of 18 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level) PSY course work. • All PSY courses must have a grade of "C-" or better. Summit/Senior Thesis: Students must complete at least one Summit course between the two majors. The Summit options are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PHIL 4950 <i>or</i> • PSY Advanced Seminar course 	PHILOSOPHY REQUIREMENTS		
	PHIL 1120 <i>or</i> PHIL 3420	Critical Thinking <i>or</i> Symbolic Logic I	3
	PHIL 4950^	Senior Thesis <i>or</i> One upper-division PHIL elective (see note below)	3
	PHIL Electives	Complete 24 credit hours of Philosophy electives to meet total and upper-division hours for the major. At least 21 hours of upper-division (3000+ level) PHIL courses must be completed for the major.	24
	PSYCHOLOGY REQUIREMENTS		
	PSY 1000	General Psychology	3
	PSY 1100	The Profession of Psychology	1
	PSY 2100	Introduction to Psychological Statistics	4
	PSY 2110	Introduction to Psychological Research and Measurements	4
	Core Content Courses	Complete four courses from those listed below (one course each from four different areas): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Abnormal Psychology: PSY 3280 • Biopsychology: PSY 3270 • Cognition & Learning: PSY 3130 • Developmental Psychology: PSY 3620 • Personality: PSY 3250 • Social Psychology: PSY 3400 	12-13
	Advanced Seminar^	Complete one of the following: PSY 4002, 4060, 4130, 4270, 4280, 4400, 4510, 4620 <i>or</i> One upper-division PSY elective (see note below) NOTE: PSY 1000, 2100, 2110 and the affiliated core course must be completed before taking the Advanced Seminar.	3
	Electives	Complete additional hours of PSY courses to meet total and upper-division credit hours.	5-6
	Senior Accountability Exam	Complete the Psychology Senior Accountability Exam.	0
^SUMMIT NOTE: Students can select either PHIL 4950 or a PSY Advanced Seminar course to fulfill their Summit requirement, but must take an additional upper-division (3000+ level) elective in the department not selected.			

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General Education and Elective Requirements

Core Writing Requirement (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">ENGL 1310, 1308, or 1305 (<i>Students choosing ENGL 1305 must complete ENGL 1300 first.</i>)ENGL 1410Writing Portfolio – PORT 3000 (0 credits) or PORT 4000 (1 credit) or alternative – See Degree Audit	
Reasoning Skills (3-4 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">INDS 1050 or MATH 1040	
Core Humanities (3 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">HUM 3990<ul style="list-style-type: none">This course also fulfills Navigate and one Writing Intensive course.	
Natural Sciences Lab (1 hour)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">See Degree Audit<ul style="list-style-type: none">This can be taken as part of an Explore – PNW course that has a lab component	
Oral Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none">See Degree Audit<ul style="list-style-type: none">This course may also fulfill general education or major requirements.	
LAS Language other than English Requirement	Complete two semesters of a language other than English equivalent to 1010 & 1020 with high school, transfer, placement exam, or UCCS coursework. <i>Courses taken to fulfill this requirement may also count toward Compass Curriculum Explore - Arts, Humanities and Cultures or general electives. See degree audit for details.</i>	
Compass Curriculum (21 hours) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Explore and Navigate courses must be taken in departments other than the major.Writing Intensive, Inclusiveness, and Sustainability courses may count toward other requirements within the degree.	Component	Course
	Gateway	GPS 1010
	Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures (2 courses)	See Degree Audit
	Explore – Society, Behavior and Health (2 courses)	See Degree Audit
	Explore – Physical and Natural World (2 courses)	See Degree Audit
	Navigate	HUM 3990 (included in LAS gen ed requirements)
	Summit	PHIL 4950 and PSY Summit Experience
	Writing Intensive Courses (WIC) (2 courses) <i>Must include one upper-division (3000+ level)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">HUM 3990 (included in LAS gen ed requirements)See Degree Audit
	Inclusiveness (2 courses)	See Degree Audit
Sustainability	See Degree Audit	
General Electives (22-23 hours)	Complete additional courses to meet total and upper-division requirements for your degree program.	

FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PLAN

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

Year One	✓	FALL	<i>Hours</i>	✓	SPRING	<i>Hours</i>
		ENGL 1310	3		ENGL 1410	3
		GPS 1010	3		Reasoning Skills course - INDS 1050 or MATH 1040	3-4
		PHIL Elective	3		PHIL 1120 or PHIL 3420	3
		PSY 1000	3		Explore – Society, Behavior & Health Course	3
		PSY 1100	1		General Elective	3
		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3			
		TOTAL	16		TOTAL	15-16

Year Two	✓	FALL	<i>Hours</i>	✓	SPRING	<i>Hours</i>
		PHIL Elective	3		PHIL Elective	3
		PSY 2100	4		PSY 2110	4
		PSY Elective	3		Explore – Society, Behavior & Health Course	3
		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3
		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3		Natural Science Lab	1
		TOTAL	16		TOTAL	14

Year Three	✓	FALL	<i>Hours</i>	✓	SPRING	<i>Hours</i>
		Upper-Division (UD) PHIL Elective	3		UD PHIL Elective	3
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		PSY Core Content Course	3		PSY Core Content Course	3
		HUM 3990	3		PSY Core Content Course	3
		General Elective (<i>Oral Communication</i>)	3		General Elective (<i>Writing Intensive</i>)	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

Year Four	✓	FALL	<i>Hours</i>	✓	SPRING	<i>Hours</i>
		PHIL 4950 or PSY Advanced Seminar (<i>Summit</i>)	3		UD PHIL or PSY Elective (<i>in dept Summit not taken</i>)	3
		UD PHIL Elective	3		UD PSY Elective	3
		PSY Core Content Course	3		UD General Elective	3
		General Elective (<i>Sustainability</i>)	3		UD General Elective (<i>Inclusiveness</i>)	3
		General Elective (<i>Inclusiveness</i>)	3		General Elective	1-2
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	13-14