

## Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology

**Program Description & Objectives:** The Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology program is a research program, the goal of which is to form counseling psychologists who can contribute to building knowledge in Counseling Psychology.

**Target:** The program is intended for academics, teachers and researchers who wish to hone their skills in counseling psychology teaching and research.

**Admission Requirements:** Applicants need to take the Ateneo Graduate admission test, submit a Statement of Research Interest and identify a preferred mentor who will interview them before they are accepted into the program. A one year work experience is required before admission into the program.

Pre-requisites	Psy 101 General Psychology Psy 116 Introduction to Psychological Research Psy 102.1 Fundamental Statistics: Lecture Psy 113 Abnormal Psychology or Psy 104 Personality Psy 117.1 Psychological Assessment (Lec)	
Core/Methods	Psych 206 Development of Psychological Thought: History, Perspective and Emerging Trends Psych 201 Quantitative Methods I Psych 202 Qualitative Methods I Psych 203 Research Seminar I	12 units
Majors	Psych 233 Advanced Abnormal Psychology Psych 222 Advanced Personality Psychology Psych 214 Advanced Psychological Assessment Psych 238 Counseling and Psychotherapy Psych 247 Group Therapy	15 units
Electives	<i>Any of the following:</i> Psych 275 Psychology of Disaster Response Psych 225 Play Therapy Psych 226 Marriage and Family Therapy Psych 231 Health Psychology Psych 252 Seminar in Counseling Psychology: Assessment Psych 259 Rorschach Inkblots I Psych 285 Introduction to Developmental Psychopathology Psych 290 Seminar in Counseling Interventions Psych 298 Independent Study  <i>or any other MA subject approved by adviser</i>	3 units
Comps	Psych Compre 200 – Comprehensive Examinations	
Practicum	Psych 279.1 Practicum in Counseling/Developmental Psychology (1.0 units) Psych 279.2 Practicum in Counseling/Developmental Psychology (2.0 units)	3 units
Thesis	Psych 299 A and Psych 299 B Thesis Writing	6 units
Total Units		39 units

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Assumption: Part-Time (6 units) Regular Student with a Psychology Undergraduate Degree

	Summer	First Semester	Second Semester
Year 1		Psych 206 Development of Psychological Thought: History, Perspective and Emerging Trends Psych 202 Qualitative Methods I	Psych 201 Quantitative Methods 1 Psych 247 Group Therapy Psy 117.1 Psychological Assessment (Lec)
Year 2		Psych 214 Advanced Psychological Assessment Psych 222 Advanced Personality Psychology	Psych 233 advanced Abnormal Psychology Psych 238 Counseling and Psychotherapy
Year 3		Elective Psych 203 Research Seminar 1	Psych 279.1 Practicum in Counseling/Developmental Psychology
Year 4	Psych Compre 200 Comprehensive Examinations	Psych 299 A Thesis Writing Psych 279.2 Practicum in Counseling/Developmental Psychology	Psych 299 B Thesis Writing

Assumption: Part-Time (6 units) Regular Student with an Undergraduate Degree other than Psychology

	Summer	First Semester	Second Semester
Year 1		Psy 102.1 Fundamental Statistics: Lecture Psy 101 General Psychology	Psy 116 Introduction to Psychological Research Psy 113 Abnormal Psychology
Year 2		Psych 206 Development of Psychological Thought: History, Perspective and Emerging Trends Psych 202 Qualitative Methods 1	Psy 117.1 Psychological Assessment (Lec) Psych 201 Quantitative Methods 1
Year 3	Elective	Psych 222 Advanced Personality Psychology Psych 214 Advanced Psychological Assessment	Psych 233 Advanced Abnormal Psychology Psych 238 Counseling and Psychotherapy
Year 4		Psych 247 Group Therapy Psych 203 Research Seminar 1	Psych 279.1 Practicum in Counseling/Developmental Psychology
Year 5	Psych Compre 200 Comprehensive Examinations	Psych 299 A Thesis Writing Psych 279.2 Practicum in Counseling/Developmental Psychology	Psych 299 B Thesis Writing