

UMBC UGC Change in Existing Course: PSYC 342 Psychology of Aggression and Antisocial Behavior

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COURSE INFORMATION: (please provide all information in the “current” column, and only the information changing in the “proposed” column)

change		current	proposed
<input type="checkbox"/>	Course Number(s)	PSYC 342	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Formal Title	Psychology of Aggression and Antisocial Behavior	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Transcript Title (≤30c)		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Recommended Course Preparation		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Prerequisite NOTE: Unless otherwise indicated, a prerequisite is assumed to be passed with a “D” or better.	PSYC 100 and either (PSYC 200 or PSYC 285 or PSYC 306) both with a C or better.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	# of Credits Must adhere to the UMBC Credit Hour Policy	3	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Repeatable?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/>	Max. Total Credits	3	Max. Total Credits: This should be equal to the number of credits for courses that cannot be repeated for credit. For courses that may be repeated for credit, enter the maximum total number of credits a student can receive from this course. E.g., enter 6 credits for a 3 credit course that may be taken a second time for credit, but not for a third time. Please note that this does NOT refer to how many times a class may be retaken for a higher grade.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Grading Method(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reg (A-F) <input type="checkbox"/> Audit <input type="checkbox"/> Pass-Fail	<input type="checkbox"/> Reg (A-F) <input type="checkbox"/> Audit <input type="checkbox"/> Pass-Fail

CURRENT CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

Topics include theories of violence and aggression; the classification, treatment and modification of antisocial behavior; and the development of conscience and pro-social behavior

PROPOSED CATALOG DESCRIPTION (Approximately 75 words in length. Please use full sentences): leave blank if no changes are being proposed to the catalog description. NOTE: information about prerequisites should NOT appear in the catalog description.)

Topics include types and theories of aggression; genetic, biological, familial, social, and societal/governmental contributions; developmental trajectories; associated psychopathology and psychopathy; domestic violence and sexual assault; and murder and serial murder

RATIONALE FOR CHANGE: Revised description more accurately reflects course content.