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Program Status	Active		
Academic Level	Undergraduate		
Type of proposal	Minor		
Select a reason for this modification			
Making Minor Changes to an Existing Degree (e.g. changing 15 or fewer hours, changing admission/graduation requirements, adding/changing Focused Study or Track)			
Effective Catalog Year	Fall 2020		
College/School Code			
Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences (ARSC)			
Department Code			
Department of Psychological Science(PSYC)			
Program Code	PSYC-M		
Degree	Minor		
CIP Code			

In Workflow

1. ARSC Dean Initial
2. Director of Program Assessment and Review
3. Registrar Initial
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5. PSYC Chair
6. ARSC Curriculum Committee
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Approval Path

1. 11/16/18 11:31 am
Jeannine Durdik (jdurdik): Approved for ARSC Dean Initial
2. 11/16/18 12:50 pm
Alice Griffin (agriffin): Approved for Director of

Program

Assessment and
Review

3. 11/20/18 4:16 pm

Lisa Kulczak

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for Registrar Initial

4. 11/20/18 4:25 pm

Gary Gunderman

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Research

5. 03/06/19 9:12 am

Douglas Behrend

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6. 04/09/19 10:15 am

Pearl Dowe

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Committee

7. 04/09/19 11:57 am

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8. 04/09/19 1:51 pm

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9. 04/12/19 8:24 am

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History

1. Mar 2, 2017 by

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Program Title

Psychology Minor

Program Delivery

Method

On Campus

Is this program interdisciplinary?

No

Does this proposal impact any courses from another College/School?

No

What are the total **18**
hours needed to
complete the
program?

Program Requirements and Description

Requirements

Requirements for a Minor in Psychology

Minimum of 18 hours in psychology including:

<u>PSYC 2003</u>	General Psychology (ACTS Equivalency = PSYC 1103)	3
PSYC 2013	Introduction to Statistics for Psychologists	3
PSYC 3073	Research Methods	3
PSYC 2173 Research Literacy in Psychological Science	Course PSYC 2173 Research Literacy in Psychological Science Not Found	

A maximum of three hours of PSYC 206V and/or PSYC 207V can be counted toward meeting the minor requirement.

A grade of "C" or better is required in all psychology courses used to satisfy the 18 hours of the minor. In addition, a 2.00 cumulative grade-point average is required on all work completed in the Department of Psychology. Students must consult with, and obtain the signature of, the Director of Undergraduate Studies in the department in order to declare a minor.

8-Semester Plan

Are Similar Programs available in the area?

Yes

List institutions in Arkansas offering similar programs existing program

Why is the Program needed if offered at other institutions? existing program

Estimated Student Demand for Program high

Scheduled Program Review Date --

Program Goals and Objectives

Program Goals and Objectives

existing program

Learning Outcomes

Learning Outcomes

existing program

Description and justification of the request

Description of specific change	Justification for this change
<p>We are replacing two required courses (PSYC 2013 Statistics, and PSYC 3073 Research Methods) in the minor with one course, PSYC 2173 which is currently in the approval process. Because minors will still be required to take 18 hours, students will have the opportunity to take an additional content course. This new course will be open only to Psychology minors.</p>	<p>With over 900 majors and 100 minors, both majors and minors have been having difficulty enrolling in the two classes which constitute our "methods core" (PSYC 2013, PSYC 3073). Making "major" a prerequisite for those courses has helped with the backlog of majors needing the courses, but minors have been able to enroll on a space available basis. This change in the requirements will provide minors with a level of scientific literacy that we would expect for consumers of Psychology, and will allow us to manage the flow of majors and minors through the program, leading to reduced frustration, and more expeditious graduation.</p>

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Reviewer Comments

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (11/16/18 12:49 pm): New course PSYC 2173 has passed Faculty Senate and is in final stages of approval workflow.

Alice Griffin (agriffin) (11/16/18 12:50 pm): Effective date of fall 2019, pending that program change completes approval process by March 2019.

Ryan Cochran (rcc003) (02/06/19 10:10 am): Changed effective date to Fall 2020.

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