Florida Institute of Technology

Adding a New Course to the Curriculum

This course is available for student registration only after the approval process has been completed.

Subject: PSY  
Course No.: 2000  
Credit Hours: 3  
Term to be Added to the File: Spring 2009

Class Hours:  
Lecture Hours:  
Lab Hours:  
Contact Hours (CEU Only):  

Department: School of Psychology  
(Schedule Type: Virtual Classroom  
(e.g., Computer Sciences)  
(e.g., Lecture, Lab or Special Project)

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Computer Title: Restricted to 25 characters, including spaces  
Lifespan Development

Catalog Title: Lifespan Development and Psychology

Catalog Description of Course: Limited to 350 characters, including spaces

Surveys the various psychological, biological and other interdisciplinary areas of human development. Also covers changes over the entire human life span. (Requirement: Must be enrolled in University Alliance.)

In addition, you may attach a course syllabus and/or more detailed description.

Restrictions  
Prerequisite: PSY 1411  
Corequisite:  

Grades to be Issued  
A, B, C, D, F  
A, B, C, D, F, CEU  
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Other

Additional Restriction: University Alliance enrollment.

If this course replaces a course currently offered in Banner, please indicate old course information.

Subject: Alpha Prefix (e.g., CSE)  
Course No.: (e.g., 1301)

Approvals: Upon completion of appropriate department approvals, submit form to Chair, Graduate Council, or Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee for approval below and forward to Catalog Director.

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Date:

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Department Head/Program Chair

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Dean or Associate Dean

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These changes/additions have been made for the University/Extended Studies Catalog and entered into the Banner term named above.

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PSY2000: Lifespan Development and Psychology

Description:
Surveys the various psychological, biological and other interdisciplinary areas of human development. Also covers changes over the entire human life span.

Prerequisites/Corequisites:
PSY 1411

Textbook, Videos, & Resources:

Course Objectives:
Students successfully completing this course should have an understanding of:

1. Explain the basic issues in developmental study and the methods of research
2. Identify and explain the major developmental theories
3. Demonstrate an understanding of genetics, prenatal development and childbirth
4. Trace the physical, cognitive, personality, emotional, social, and moral development of children and adolescents
5. Explore the issues faced by adolescents and young adults in making decisions regarding careers and marriage
6. Demonstrate an understanding of physical, cognitive, emotional, and social development of early and middle adulthood
7. Explore the physical, emotional, and psychosocial problems related to the normal aging process
8. Examine the role of work and the issues of retirement
9. Demonstrate an understanding of the changes in physical and cognitive functioning in late adulthood
10. Examine current theories of personality development in late adulthood and theories of successful aging

Course Requirements:
The course includes a variety of debate and discussion issues, readings, supplemental materials (video), exercises, and lectures.

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