

VILNIUS UNIVERSITY

PHD STUDIES COURSE UNITS IN FIELD OF PSYCHOLOGY

At the beginning of the doctoral studies, the doctoral student shall draw up an individual doctoral study plan. According to the Regulations of Doctoral Studies, the doctoral student shall study at least three courses on the subject of the dissertation.

For those enrolled in 2017-2019, the scope of doctoral studies amounts to at least 33 credits. A PhD student shall study at least 3 courses. A doctoral student shall obtain three credits for the participation in general competence skills development activities and/or international summer/winter schools, for their internship or partial studies abroad. The decision concerning endorsement of additional credits shall be taken by the Committee.

For those enrolled from 2020, it is recommended that the doctoral students work plan be designed so that 5 credits would be allocated for the development of general skills (i.e. preparation of project applications, scientific writing, academic ethics, intellectual property, entrepreneurship, communication skills, etc.).

Compulsory courses	9 ECTS
Optional courses	21 ECTS (3 x 7 ECTS)
General scientific competences	3 ECTS / 5 ECTS
Total:	33 ECTS / 35 ECTS

The list of subjects for doctoral studies includes the subjects necessary for studying in the context of research carried out and planned to be continued or developed at the VU - clinical psychology, developmental and educational psychology, law and cognitive psychology, work and organizational psychology.

<i>FACULTY, CENTER</i>	<i>FIELD OF SCIENCE</i>	<i>CODE</i>
Faculty of Philosophy, Institute of Psychology	Psychology	S 006

	<i>Field of science</i>	<i>Course title</i>	ECTS	<i>Departments in charge</i>
		<i>Compulsory courses:</i>		
1	Psychology	Methodology research in psychology	9	Institute of Psychology
		<i>Optional courses:</i>		
2	Psychology	Teaching psychology	7	Institute of Psychology
3	Psychology	Contemporary cognitive therapy: theories and research directions	7	Institute of Psychology
4	Psychology	Learning and motivation: theories and research	7	Institute of Psychology

5	Psychology	Psychological and organizational aspects of leadership and personnel work	7	Institute of Psychology
6	Psychology	Contemporary Developmental Psychopathology: Clinical and Developmental Dimensions	7	Institute of Psychology
7	Psychology	Health promotion and disease prevention: theoretical models and practical applications	7	Institute of Psychology
8	Psychology	Aftermath and coping with traumatic experiences: theoretical conceptualizations and research directions	7	Institute of Psychology
9	Psychology	Contemporary trends in suicidology	7	Institute of Psychology
10	Psychology	Psychoeducational assessment: principles and application	7	Institute of Psychology
11	Psychology	Development of self-regulation: research directions and perspectives	7	Institute of Psychology
12	Psychology	Group dynamics and psychotherapy: theory, research and practice	7	Institute of Psychology
13	Psychology	Employee well-being in modern organizations: from theory to interventions	7	Institute of Psychology
14	Psychology	Problems and challenges of applying the biopsychosocial model in health care	7	Institute of Psychology
15	Psychology	Social information processing: Achievements, problems and prospects	7	Institute of Psychology
16	Psychology	Psychology of asocial behaviour: Achievements, problems and prospects	7	Institute of Psychology
17	Psychology	Forensic psychology: Achievements, problems and prospects	7	Institute of Psychology
18	Psychology	Interventions for Employee Well-being in Organizations	7	Institute of Psychology
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