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**Program Modification Form**

**[X] Undergraduate Curriculum Council**

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| **Modification Type: [ ]Admissions, [X]Curricular Sequence, or [ ]Other** |

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1. **Contact Person** (Name, Email Address, Phone Number)

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1. **Proposed Change** (for undergraduate curricular changes please provide an 8-semester plan (appendix A), if applicable)

Change the General Education math requirement for psychology majors. Currently, MATH 1023 (College Algebra) is mandated of psychology majors. The proposed change will allow any of the three approved math courses (MATH 1023, MATH 1043, STAT 2003) or a MATH course that requires MATH 1023 as a prerequisite to satisfy the General Education requirement for psychology majors.

1. **Effective Date**

Fall 2023

1. **Justification –** *Please provide details as to why this change is necessary.*

Psychology is not designated as STEM by the State of Arkansas; therefore, we are not permitted under ADHE policies to require College Algebra of our majors to satisfy the General Education math requirement. The proposed change will make us compliant with the current ADHE policies.

**Bulletin Changes**

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BEFORE:

**Psychology, BA**

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS:

See University General Requirements for Baccalaureate degrees

FIRST YEAR MAKING CONNECTIONS COURSE:

PSY 1013 - Making Connections Psychological Wellness Sem. Hrs: 3

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:

See General Education Curriculum for Baccalaureate Degrees Sem. Hrs: 35

Students with this major must take the following:

~~MATH 1023 - College Algebra Sem. Hrs: 3 or MATH course that requires MATH 1023 as a prerequisite~~

PSY 2013 - Introduction to Psychology Sem. Hrs: 3

Six hours of Humanities (Required Departmental Gen. Ed. Option)

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS:

A PSY course taken to satisfy requirements for a minor and/or a second major cannot also be used to satisfy major credit hour requirements in the psychology major.

PSY 2023 - Psychology as a Science and a Profession Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 2133 - Developmental Psychology Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 2233 - Abnormal Psychology Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 3003 - Research Design and Analysis in Psychology Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 3303 - Motivation Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 3523 - Social Psychology Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 3613 - Cultural Psychology Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 4343 - Learning Processes Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 4363 - Cognitive Psychology Sem. Hrs: 3

PSY 4883 - Professional Preparation Capstone Sem. Hrs: 3

Sub-total: 30

ELECTIVES AND/OR MINOR REQUIREMENTS:

Electives and/or Minor Requirements Sem. Hrs: 52

TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS: 120

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