

PSYC 3100 A : SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY (HONOURS SEMINAR)

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COURSE DESCRIPTION/INSTRUCTOR'S STATEMENT

This seminar will help students develop skills and knowledge required to complete an honours thesis in psychology. This course focuses social psychology as the context of learning, but the skills learned in this course can facilitate an honours thesis in another content area of psychology.

Using research in social psychology as a platform, students will gain experience in: locating, evaluating, and discussing peer-reviewed literature; developing research questions and hypotheses; designing research studies; considering ethical implications of research; using statistical software to analyze data; writing an APA-style research report; and orally presenting their research.

Students are expected to attend and participate in class and labs; come to class prepared to discuss topics in social psychology based on readings; lead and participate in discussions; work individually and in groups; and make oral presentations.

EVALUATION

Evaluation is based on a series of writing assignments, lab work, presentations, leading discussions, and in-class participation.

TEXT

There is no required textbook for this course.