

PSYC 4003 B: ORIGINS OF MODERN PSYCHOLOGY

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COURSE DESCRIPTION/INSTRUCTOR'S STATEMENT

Origins of Modern Psychology examines how the discipline of psychology has evolved over time. The course initially examines intuitive theories of psychology and pre-scientific psychology including phrenology and philosophy. We then consider the rise of scientific psychology in Germany and how these approaches were adopted within North America. Finally, the course ends by considering, clinical psychology, professional psychology, and the “cognitive revolution” in North American psychology as well as recent concerns regarding as “replication crisis.”

EVALUATION (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Students will be provided with a bi-weekly quizzes, a final paper, and an accompanying presentation.

TEXT

Leahey, T. H. (2018) *A History of Psychology From Antiquity To Modernity*, 8th Edition. Routledge.