

TO: College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee

FROM: Doug Matthews, Chair  
Department of Psychology

DATE: 2020.01.21

RE: Program Change

We request implementation of the following program change with the next possible *Catalog*.

Name of Program: Major: Psychology, Liberal Arts

Program Code: 440-201

Date of Department/Program Approval: 2020.01.19

From Current Catalog Web Page: <https://catalog.uwec.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/psychology/psychology-major-ba-bs/>

To: We wish to add the following as footnote number 5 at the end of the major requirements: "A maximum of seven credits earned in PSYC 291 and PSYC 491 may count toward the major." Additionally, a superscript "5" should be placed near the top of the Major Requirements section after "Thirty-six semester credits..."

Why: Limiting psychology students to a maximum of 7 credits between 291 and 491 will help ensure more breadth in their coursework. Allowing for 7 total credits takes into account an offering with a lab component.