

PSYCHOLOGY: RESEARCH, MS

REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM GRADUATE SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

Review the Graduate School minimum academic progress and degree requirements (<http://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/#policiesandrequirements>), in addition to the program requirements listed below.

NAMED OPTION REQUIREMENTS MODE OF INSTRUCTION

Face to Face	Evening/ Weekend	Online	Hybrid	Accelerated
Yes	No	No	No	No

Mode of Instruction Definitions

Accelerated: Accelerated programs are offered at a fast pace that condenses the time to completion. Students typically take enough credits aimed at completing the program in a year or two.

Evening/Weekend: Courses meet on the UW-Madison campus only in evenings and/or on weekends to accommodate typical business schedules. Students have the advantages of face-to-face courses with the flexibility to keep work and other life commitments.

Face-to-Face: Courses typically meet during weekdays on the UW-Madison Campus.

Hybrid: These programs combine face-to-face and online learning formats. Contact the program for more specific information.

Online: These programs are offered 100% online. Some programs may require an on-campus orientation or residency experience, but the courses will be facilitated in an online format.

CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

Requirement Detail

Minimum
Credit
Requirement

30 credits

Minimum
Residence
Credit
Requirement

16 credits

Minimum
Graduate
Coursework
Requirement

15 credits must be graduate-level coursework. Refer to the Graduate School: Minimum Graduate Coursework (50%) Requirement policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244/>).

Overall
Graduate
GPA
Requirement

3.00 GPA required. Refer to the Graduate School: Grade Point Average (GPA) Requirement policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203/>).

Other Grade Requirements Students are required to take PSYCH 610 and PSYCH 710. Students must earn a grade of B or better in both PSYCH 610 and PSYCH 710.

Assessments and Examinations None.

Language Requirements None.

REQUIRED COURSES

Students are required to take two semesters of statistics/methods (PSYCH 610 (<http://guide.wisc.edu/about//search/?P=PSYCH%20610>) and PSYCH 710 (<http://guide.wisc.edu/about//search/?P=PSYCH%20710>)). Two of the six additional courses should be outside the student's area of research expertise. Students must also complete a required First-Year Project. Students must register and attend a Proseminar meeting each academic year semester (fall/spring) during their first three years. Students are encouraged to continue to register and attend a proseminar in later years while in residence. Students must reach 30 credits to earn the masters.