**College of Southern MD & West Virginia University**

**Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts leading to**

**Bachelor of Arts in Psychology (WVU-BA)**

**Suggested Plan of Study**

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| **College of Southern Maryland** | **Hours** | **WVU Equivalents** | **Hours** |
| Year One, 1st Semester |  |  |  |
| FYS 1010 | 3 | ORIN 1TC | 3 |
| ENG 1010 | 3 | ENGL 101 | 3 |
| MTH 1010 | 3 | MATH 122 | 3 |
| SCE 1010 | 3 |  | 3 |
| SOC 1010 | 3 | SOCA 101 | 3 |
| **TOTAL** | 15 |  | 15 |
| Year One, 2nd Semester |  |  |  |
| ENG 1020 | 3 | ENGL 102 | 3 |
| Communications Elective | 3 | Communications Elective | 3 |
| PSY 1010 | 3 | PSYC 101 | 3 |
| Bio/Physical Science | 4 | Bio/Physical Science | 4 |
| Humanities Elective | 3 | Humanities Elective | 3 |
| **TOTAL** | 16 |  | 16 |
| Year Two, 1st Semester |  |  |  |
| English Literature Elective | 3 | English Literature Elective | 3 |
| MTH 1115 | 3 | MATH 124 | 3 |
| Arts / Humanities | 3 | Arts / Humanities | 3 |
| Elective | 3 | Elective | 3 |
| Elective | 3 | Elective | 3 |
| **TOTAL** | 15 |  | 15 |
| Year Two, 2nd Semester |  |  |  |
| Elective | 3 | Elective | 3 |
| Elective | 3 | Elective | 3 |
| Elective | 3 | Elective | 3 |
| Elective | 3 | Elective | 3 |
| Elective | 2 | Elective | 2 |
| **TOTAL** | 14 |  | 14 |
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| **WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY** | | | |
| Year Three, 1st Semester |  | Year Three, 2nd Semester |  |
| FOR LANG 101 | 3 | FOR LANG 102 | 3 |
| PSYC 203 | 3 | PSYC 204 | 3 |
| PSYC D CLUSTER | 3 | PSYC C CLUSTER | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 3 | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 3 | ELECTIVE | 3 |
| **TOTAL** | 15 | **TOTAL** | 15 |
| Year Four, 1st Semester |  | Year Four, 2nd Semester |  |
| FOR LANG 203 | 3 | FOR LANG 204 | 3 |
| PSYC 301 | 4 | PSYC A/B CLUSTER | 3 |
| PSYC 302 | 4 | UPPER DIV PSYC ELECTIVE | 3 |
| PSYC E CLUSTER | 3 | CAPSTONE | 3 |
| ELECTIVE | 1 | UPPER DIV PSYC ELECTIVE | 3 |
| **TOTAL** | 15 | **TOTAL** | 15 |

Students are required to complete PSY 1010 with a C or better to be admitted to the Psychology program upon transferring to WVU.

Students are required to complete 3 credit hours from each of the GEF Areas 4 through 7 before successful graduation from West Virginia University. Students are encouraged to study the provided GEF chart to select electives that satisfy these requirements. By using the suggested plan of study above, students are able to fulfill this requirement prior to graduation from College of Southern Maryland. Students not completing this requirement at CSMD, will need to utilize ELECTIVE credit at WVU to do so.

The WVU General Education Foundations (GEF) curriculum designates 9 credits (normally 3 three-credit courses) of Focus coursework to satisfy GEF Area 8. Working with their advisors, students select three additional courses from the list of those approved for the GEF (see <http://registrar.wvu.edu/gef>) to maximize connections, incorporate additional competencies, and encourage true breadth of study. Such courses may lead to a minor or even a second major, and are intended to help students capitalize on the range and diversity of courses offered at WVU. College of Southern Maryland students can reference the provided GEF chart to select course equivalents from the GEF list and complete this requirement at CSMD. Those who do not, will be required to fulfill the GEF 8 requirement at WVU as listed.

Students completing degrees in WVU’s Eberly College of Arts and Sciences are encouraged to work with their advisors to integrate completion of an academic minor or minors into their programs of study, to the degree allowed within elective hours. WVU offers over 100 minors that complement major fields of study, build on students’ unique interests, expand perspectives, and broaden skills. See <http://catalog.wvu.edu/undergraduate/minors/#minorsofferedtext> for a list of available minors. Students may begin completion of a minor by utilizing elective credit to take courses at CSMD equivalent to minor required courses at WVU.

Students transferring to West Virginia University with an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree will have satisfied the General Education Foundation requirements at WVU.

Students who have questions about admission into their intended program, GEF requirements, GEF Focus courses, minors, or any other issue relating to academics at West Virginia University should contact the Office of Undergraduate Education at WVU.

The above transfer articulation of credit between West Virginia University and College of Southern Maryland, is approved by the Dean, or the Dean’s designee, and effective the date of the signature.

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