## UCRIVERSIDE

RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE:

# **PSYCHOLOGY**

rcc.edu

PATHWAY TO UC RIVERSIDE

transfer.ucr.edu

#### UCR Is Attainable and Affordable

Your dream of a UC degree in psychology is just steps away!

#### Major Prep Courses Needed to Transfer to UCR

Complete these major prep courses at Riverside City College in addition to the minimum grade point average and UC transfer requirements — to be admitted to UCR's College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences (CHASS):

#### Complete one (1) course from:

MAT-10 Precalculus (4.00) MAT-1A Calculus I (4.00)

MAT-5 Calculus for Business and Life Science (4.00)

MAT-11 College Algebra (4.00)

AND MAT-36

Trigonometry (4.00)

#### **HIGHLY RECOMMENDED**

PSY-1 General Psychology (3.00)

Research Methods in Psychology (4.00) PSY-50

MAT 12 Statistics (4.00)

Course descriptions: rcc.edu

#### Guarantee Your Admission: TAG to UCR

Enroll in the Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) program. Submit your UCR application and apply for your contracted major and term by:



TAG filing period for winter. Admissions application filing period: July 1–31



TAG filing period for fall. Admissions application filing period: November 1–30

Dates and deadlines: transfer.ucr.edu

[UCR] has everything I look for in a research institute, and I love the campus, the energy, the diversity, the vibe. The feeling here at UCR is, 'You can make it. You can do it. You just have to believe in yourself.'



Transfer Student, Third-Year, Psychology

#### HASS 001 Workshop: Step-by-Step to College Success

A 2-unit fall course taught by faculty. Discussions led by peer mentors.

- Third- and fourth-year academic plans
- Student success skills

· Career-planning

- Undergraduate research, internships and study abroad
- Graduate school preparation

#### Find Your UCR Transfer Counselor

We're here to help you transition successfully and finish your four-year degree. transfer.ucr.edu



#### Cross Enrollment (Dual Enrollment): Start Your UCR Education Before You Transfer

Take UCR classes while still attending Riverside City College. Pay only \$46 per unit (classes subject to availability). go.ucr.edu/enrollment (Scroll down to the "Cross Registration Programs" tab.)

#### Earning Potential: CHASS Bachelor's Degree (Psychology)

**\$37,800** (EARLY CAREER)

**\$57,200** (MID-CAREER)

Source: PayScale National College Salary Report, 2017-18

#### You Can Afford UCR

of all undergraduate transfer students receive a form of financial aid at UCR. (2017–18)

of CA undergraduate transfer students received Pell Grants. (2016–17)

of CA undergraduate transfer students have tuition and fees covered with grants and scholarships. (2016–17)

Source: UCR Financial Aid

Let us show you how: finaid.ucr.edu

#### Get a Job at UCR

With 2,600 part-time and work-study jobs on campus, you can work year-round for competitive wages! careers.ucr.edu

Source: Career Center Annual Report 2016-17

#### Your Future Starts Today with These Career Center Services

Get a jump-start on your career now with these career readiness services from UCR's on-campus and virtual Career Center:

- Drop-in counseling
- Internships
- Grad school guidance
- Job search strategies
- Career planning
- How-to workshops
- Online resources
- Career fairs





#### How to Get into Your Major

Students who complete the following are admitted to UCR:

**Breadth Requirements** – Complete the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the UCR breadth pattern for CHASS.

**Prerequisites** – Visit <u>ASSIST.org</u> to view the prerequisites needed for your intended major (and to make sure your classes will transfer).

Minimum GPA – Strive to surpass the overall 2.4 minimum GPA and the 2.7 minimum GPA for psychology.

#### Student Support: CHASS' Transfer Outreach Program (TOP)

Peer mentoring and the HASS 001 Workshop: Step-by-Step to College Success. chassfirst.ucr.edu/transfer.html



#### Transition to UCR with the Transfer Success Zone

Study, take part in student success seminars and get involved with social mixers at the Transfer Success Zone, located in the Academic Resource Center (ARC). arc.ucr.edu



#### **Summer Sessions**

Stay on track — or get ahead — to finish your degree in four years! You'll also enjoy smaller class sizes and more interactions with faculty. Summer financial aid available. summer.ucr.edu



#### Take a Tour

Schedule a student-guided walking tour or take a virtual tour of labs, studios and popular hangouts. visit.ucr.edu

#### What You Can Do with a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology

Depending on your undergraduate coursework/experience, you could be a(n):

Advertising Copywriter Affirmative Action Officer Assistant Retail Buyer Bank Officer Claims Adjuster Community Organization Director

Community Relations Officer Criminal Investigator Disability Evaluation Trainee **Employment Counselor** 

Group Counselor

Human Factors Engineer/Engineering Human Resource Development

Specialist

Industrial Relations Arbitrator Labor Relations Specialist Laboratory Assistant

Management Trainee Manager, Retail/Industrial Mental Health Assistant Opinion Survey Researcher Probation/Parole Officer Public Administrator Recreation Worker Research Assistant Sales Representative Social Security Representative

Loan Credit Reporter

Systems Analyst Test Administrator

Test Development Assistant

Underwriter

Vocational Counselor Volunteer Services Director

#### Advanced degrees are needed for the following:

Career Counselor Clinical Psychologist Day Care Center Director **Educational Psychologist** Experimental Psychologist Health Educator Psychologist Industrial/Organizational Psychologist Marriage, Family, Child Counselor

Professor/Instructor/Teacher Psychologist Psychometrician Rehabilitation Counselor School Psychologist/Counselor

Social Psychologist Urban Planner

#### Student Success: 6 Months After Graduation

Statistics collected from the class of 2016 in a survey that was given six months after graduation.





Seeking Employment

Not Seeking Employment

Source: Career Center Annual Report 2016-17

### High-Profile Companies Hire CHASS Graduates

CHASS graduates go on to write international bestselling novels, create Thai royal music, receive honors as dance professors and choreographers, mentor youths and so much more!













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