Part I

Faculty of Health
Department of Psychology
PSYC 3450 3.0 A: ENVIRONMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY
Wednesdays 7:00pm-10:00pm Vari Hall B
Fall 2017

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Course Prerequisite(s): Course prerequisites are strictly enforced
- HH/PSYC 1010 6.00 (Introduction to Psychology), with a minimum grade of C.

Course Credit Exclusions
Please refer to York Courses Website for a listing of any course credit exclusions.

Course website: Moodle

Course Description
See Part II Page 1.

Program Learning Outcomes
Upon completion of this course, students should be able to:
1. Demonstrate in-depth knowledge in environmental psychology.
2. Articulate trends in environmental psychology.
3. Express knowledge of environmental psychology in written form.
4. Describe and explain limits to generalizability of research findings on environmental psychology.
5. Demonstrate ability to relate information on environmental psychology to own and others' life experiences.

Specific Learning Objectives
See Part II Page 5 (Goals)
Required Text

Select Chapters will be assigned for readings, see Part II (page 1).

Course Requirements and Assessment:

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<td>Group Presentations</td>
<td>To be Determined (During class time)</td>
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<td>Midterm Exam</td>
<td>October 25, 2017</td>
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<td>Final Exam</td>
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Description of Assignments
See Part II (Pages 4 and Page 5)

Grading as per Senate Policy
The grading scheme for the course conforms to the 9-point grading system used in undergraduate programs at York (e.g., A+ = 9, A = 8, B+ = 7, C+ = 5, etc.). Assignments and tests* will bear either a letter grade designation or a corresponding number grade (e.g. A+ = 90 to 100, A = 80 to 90, B+ = 75 to 79, etc.)

(For a full description of York grading system see the York University Undergraduate Calendar - Grading Scheme for 2017-18)

Late Work/Missed Tests or Exams
Students with a documented reason for missing a course test, such as illness, compassionate grounds, etc., which is confirmed by supporting documentation (Attending Physician Statement which can be found at: http://myacademicrecord.students.yorku.ca/pdf/attending-physicians-statement.pdf) may request accommodation from the Course Instructor. Further extensions or accommodation will require students to submit a formal petition to the Faculty.

See Part II (Page 6)

Important New Information Regarding Missed Tests
For any missed tests or late assignments, students MUST complete the following online form which will be received and reviewed in the Psychology undergraduate office.

HH PSYC: Missed Tests/Exams Form. Failure to complete the form within 48 hours of the original deadline will result in a grade of zero for the test/assignment.
Add/Drop Deadlines

For a list of all important dates please refer to: Fall/Winter 2017-18 - Important Dates

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<th>FALL (F)</th>
<th>YEAR (Y)</th>
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<td>Last date to add a course <strong>without permission</strong> of instructor (also see Financial Deadlines)</td>
<td>Sept. 20</td>
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<td>Jan. 17</td>
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<td>Last date to add a course <strong>with permission</strong> of instructor (also see Financial Deadlines)</td>
<td>Oct. 4</td>
<td>Oct. 18</td>
<td>Jan. 31</td>
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<td>Drop deadline: Last date to drop a course without receiving a grade (also see Financial Deadlines)</td>
<td>Nov. 10</td>
<td>Feb. 9</td>
<td>March 9</td>
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<td>Course Withdrawal Period (withdraw from a course and receive a grade of “W” on transcript – see note below)</td>
<td>Nov. 11 - Dec. 4</td>
<td>Feb. 10 - Apr. 6</td>
<td>March 10 - Apr. 6</td>
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*Note: You may withdraw from a course using the registration and enrolment system after the drop deadline until the last day of class for the term associated with the course. When you withdraw from a course, the course remains on your transcript without a grade and is notated as "W". The withdrawal will not affect your grade point average or count towards the credits required for your degree.

Information on Plagiarism Detection

No papers will be assigned in the course.

Electronic Device Policy

No cell phones in class. Laptops are for note taking only.

Attendance Policy

See Part II (Page 6).

Academic Integrity for Students

York University takes academic integrity very seriously; please familiarize yourself with Information about the Senate Policy on Academic Honesty.

It is recommended that you review Academic Integrity by completing the Academic Integrity Tutorial and Academic Honesty Quiz.

Test Banks

The offering for sale of, buying of, and attempting to sell or buy test banks (banks of test questions and/or answers), or any course specific test questions/answers is not permitted in the Faculty of Health. Any student found to be doing this may be considered to have breached the Senate Policy on Academic Honesty. In particular, buying and attempting to sell banks of test questions and/or answers may be considered as “Cheating in an attempt to gain an improper advantage in an academic evaluation” (article 2.1.1 from the Senate Policy) and/or “encouraging, enabling or causing others” (article 2.1.10 from the Senate Policy) to cheat.
**Electronic Devices During a Test/Examination**

Electronic mobile devices of any kind are not allowed during a test or examination. Students are required to turn off and secure any electronic mobile device in their bag which is to be placed under the chair while a test/exam is in progress. Any student observed with an electronic devise during a test/exam may be reported to the Undergraduate Office for a potential breach of Academic Honesty.

**Academic Accommodation for Students with Disabilities**

While all individuals are expected to satisfy the requirements of their program of study and to aspire to do so at a level of excellence, the university recognizes that persons with disabilities may require reasonable accommodation to enable them to do so. The [York University Accessibility Hub](https://accessibility.yorku.ca/) is your online stop for accessibility on campus. The [Accessibility Hub](https://accessibility.yorku.ca/) provides tools, assistance and resources. **Policy Statement.**

**Policy:** York University shall make reasonable and appropriate accommodations and adaptations in order to promote the ability of students with disabilities to fulfill the academic requirements of their programs.

The nature and extent of accommodations shall be consistent with and supportive of the integrity of the curriculum and of the academic standards of programs or courses. Provided that students have given sufficient notice about their accommodation needs, instructors shall take reasonable steps to accommodate these needs in a manner consistent with the guidelines established hereunder.

For Further Information please refer to: [York university academic accommodation for students with disabilities policy](https://accessibility.yorku.ca/).

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**Course Schedule**

See Part II (Pages 2-3).