## **PSYCHOLOGY - MINOR**

## What you will study

The Alverno Psychology Department has organized its courses and experiences to develop student expertise in concepts, theories, and methods of psychology. Beginning students learn how to observe behavior scientifically and understand basic principles of normal and abnormal psychology. Intermediate students are introduced to frameworks for research design and elective courses providing deep dives into areas of particular interest.

Psychological perspectives, such as developmental, cognitive, physiological, and social psychology, serve as foundations for individual courses. These courses become analytical tools in the study of complex psychological issues. Students learn to apply both scientific methodology and psychological theory in situations encountered in professional settings.

## Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Program requirements		
BSC-255	Behavioral Science Research Methods	4
PSY-110	Life Span Development	4
PSY-250	Abnormal Psychology	4
PSY Elective	Psychology (PSY) Electives	8
Total Credits		20