Major in Psychology

Students with a psychology major will be able to demonstrate familiarity with concepts, theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends in psychology. Most Psychology majors complete a relevant field practicum/internship and build on research methods coursework with independent and mentored research experiences that hone research design, data analysis, and interpretation skills.

Internship and Research Sites (*recent Scottie sites)

Beyond Words*

DeKalb CASA*

DeKalb Rape Crisis Center*

Georgia Regional Hospital*

Grady Trauma Project*

Hirsch Academy*

International Rescue Committee (IRC)*

Julia Tutwiler Prison for Women

Marcus Autism Center*

Odyssey HealthCare*

TalentQuest Consulting Management*

Campus & Community Involvement

Get involved during your undergraduate career, both on campus and in the local community:

Campus Involvement	Community Engagement
Psych and Neuro Club	Refugee Resettlement
Wellness Initiatives	Youth Development
Residence Assistants (RAs)	Day League
SpARC	

Career Fields

Mental Health

Business

Education

Forensic Psychology

Human Resources

Nonprofit Management

Social and Human Services

Learning Beyond the Classroom

Seek out opportunities to develop these skills and experiences:

Research & Analysis

- Survey design
- Statistical proficiency & software (SPSS, SAS)
- Compiling and summarizing data from various sources

Project Leadership

- Organization and time management
- Professional writing and presentation skills (PowerPoint)

Applied Knowledge & Skills

- Human Resource processes (recruiting, talent, development, legal)
- One-on-one and group interactions with patients/clients

Contact The Office of Internship and Career Development for more information.

Entry - Level

Residential Counselor

Human Resources Assistant

Marketing/Development Coordinator

Program Assistant

Sales Representative

Mid - Career*

Child and Family Therapist

Vocational or Career Counselor

Assessment & Impact Manager

Social Worker (LCSW or MSW)

Compliance Analyst

Late - Career *

Forensic Psychologist

Psychiatrist

Cognitive Neuroscientist

Organizations Consultant

Systems Engineer

* May Require Graduate Degree

Alumnae in the Workplace

Autism Pensacola
Executive Leadership

Atlanta Regional Commission
Workforce Development

Central Atlanta Progress
Marketing

Clayton State University
Career Development

DeKalb County Schools
Teaching

Eli Lilly and Company
Statistical Analysis

Google
Human Resources

Katy Independent School District
School Psychology

Laureate Medical
Medical Professional

Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center
Clinical Research Psychology

(re)define Consulting
Executive Leadership

Rehab Care
Speech Language Pathology

Starwood Hotels and Resorts
Organizational Effectiveness

TRU Integrative Health and Wellness
Therapy

WellStar Health System
Mental Health Care

Yerkes Primate Center
Research

Keeping Up With the Trends

Build your career literacy and applied knowledge by following industry groups of interest. Join professional associations as a student member to attend events highlighting industry news and professional networking. Ideas include:

Shrm.org

American Psychological Association

Southeastern Psychological Association

Society of Industrial and Organizational Psychology

Georgia Psychological Association

Association for Psychological Science

Human Factors and Ergonomics Society

Cognitive Neuroscience Society

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