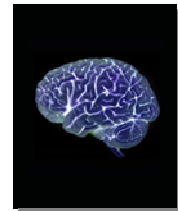
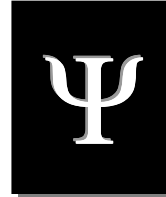


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# HISTORY OF PSYCHOLOGY



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Course Code: PSYC85H3F

Lecture Details: Thursdays, 1-3 PM, BV264

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## Brief Description

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The objective of this course is to survey the extended history of psychology by thoroughly examining the contributions of its parent disciplines, Western philosophy and the natural sciences, from ancient to modern times.

## Textbook

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Hothersall, D. (2004). *History of Psychology* (4<sup>th</sup> Edition). Toronto: McGraw-Hill.

## Important Notes

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- A. Every enrolled student must ensure that they have access to the U of T Portal. All course related content will be posted here (e.g., lecture slides, important announcements, and midterm grades).
- B. Please ensure that you put "PSYC85H3" in the subject line of every email to ensure that it is properly received.
- C. The prerequisites for this course are two "B" level half-courses in psychology or the instructor's permission.
- D. If a lecture is cancelled because of an unforeseen circumstance (e.g., unexpected illness), students are still responsible for the material that was to be discussed that day or read that week.
- E. If a student is absent from the midterm examination due to illness or other extenuating circumstance, they must contact the instructor as soon as possible. For medical reasons, students are to use the University of Toronto Student Medical certificate. It can be downloaded on the UTSC website. Matters concerning the final examination are dealt with solely by the Registrar's office.
- F. Students with a disability/health consideration are encouraged to approach me and the AccessAbility Services Office. You can also drop by their office, S302B, inside the Resource Centre. A coordinator is available by appointment to assess specific needs, provide referrals and arrange appropriate accommodation

## Grading Scheme

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Your final grade will be determined by a midterm examination, a final examination and a term paper.

### Midterm Examination

- Worth 30% of final grade
  - Structure: 50 multiple-choice questions
  - Length: 60 minutes in length
  - Date: October 28 (administered in-class)

### Final Examination

- Worth 40% of final grade
  - Structure: 75 multiple-choice questions
  - Length: 90 minutes in length
  - Date: UTSC Final Examination Period

### Term Paper

- Worth 30% of final grade (*consists of 2 components*)
- *Paper outline and evidence of preliminary research* (10% of final grade )
  - The purpose of this preliminary component is to facilitate the writing process and provide practical feedback well in advance of when the final version of your term paper is due (i.e., November 29)
  - It should consist of approximately 5-7 content pages which should concisely outline your topic of interest, how you wish to pursue it, and how you plan to organize the body of your paper
  - It should include the key elements of a review paper and should adhere to the guidelines specified to the Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association
  - Due on October 14 by midnight through Turnitin.com
  - Detailed feedback is to be provided in person during special sets of office hours which will be announced in class and online
- *Term Paper* (20% of final grade)
  - The final paper must consist of 18-20 content pages (i.e., excluding title page, abstract and references, etc)
  - It is expected that each paper will explore sources of research that are well beyond that which is discussed in the textbook. Additional details on the requirements and expectations of this course component will be discussed at length in class.
  - Grading will be based on style, clarity and scholarship.
  - Due on October November 29 at midnight through Turnitin.com

- Please note that for every day that a written assignment is late, 10% will be taken off the total possible grade that could be allocated to the assignment

Important: *your choice of topic must be submitted through email for approval. An announcement with specific instructions will be posted as the date approaches.*

### Turnitin.com Details

In addition to the requirement of submitting an electronic copy of the term papers to the designated teaching assistant, the use of Turnitin will be requested (please see the following paragraph). If Turnitin is not used, students will be required to submit their rough notes and hard copies of the references that they sourced within their assignments.

Normally, students will be required to submit their course essays to Turnitin.com for a review of textual similarity and detection of possible plagiarism. *In doing so, students will allow their essays to be included as source documents in the Turnitin.com reference database, where they will be used solely for the purpose of detecting plagiarism.\** The terms that apply to the University's use of the Turnitin.com service are described on the Turnitin.com web site

*\*This includes comparisons to papers completed by other members of this course in either section of the course.*

## Lecture Dates & Reading Schedule

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\*Note: This list is approximate and may shift as the course proceeds

September 16	Welcome & Course Description
September 23	Psychology and the Ancients Philosophical and Scientific Antecedents of Psychology
September 30	Early Studies of the Central Nervous System
October 7	Wilhelm Wundt and the Founding of Psychology
October 10	First writing component due (see grading scheme)
October 14	Edward Titchener and Hugo Munsterberg
October 28	Midterm Examination (In class – held during first half) German Psychologists of the 19 <sup>th</sup> and Early 20 <sup>th</sup> Centuries
November 4	Gestalt Psychology in Germany and the United States
November 11	The History of Clinical Psychology & Development of Psychoanalysis
November 18	Darwin, Galton, Cattell, James and Hall
November 25	Functionalism at the University of Chicago and Columbia University
November 29	Last day to submit/hand in term assignments (i.e., term paper)
December 2	Historical Uses and Abuses of Intelligence Testing The Research of Pavlov and the Behaviorism of Watson Four Neurobehavioural Psychologists
December 9-21	Final Examination Period