

Interdisciplinary Applied Behavior Analysis—BCBA Certificate Program

There is a growing demand among professionals working in the human services arena, especially among those working with developmentally disabled children and adults, to become Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBA). This four-course, Board-approved sequence provides the academic requirements of the Behavior Analysis Certification Board for the BCBA. It is designed for professionals with baccalaureate or graduate degrees who work in school, hospital, home and community-care-home settings. It is also open to people in Masters Programs who desire to supplement their current coursework with applied behavior analysis (ABA) and to other individuals desiring to supplement their knowledge of behavior analysis. The program has a prerequisite of some undergraduate-level behavior analysis skill (see FAQs and Timeline for more information regarding how to meet this requirement). All courses are taught in the evenings by BCBA's. In addition to course work, instructors will provide specific information on the certification process, experience requirements and international testing.

Required courses:

Fall 2011

PSYCH 270T: Interdisciplinary Applied Behavior Analysis, 4 units
MW, **August 22-October 17**; 5:30 to 9:30 in Science 2, Room 314;
Time: 5:30-9:30 pm
Instructor: Marianne Jackson, PhD., BCBA-D.
Fee: \$1,200

PSYCH 270T Interdisciplinary Functional Assessment and Intervention, 4 units
MW, **October 19-December 14**;
5:30-9:30 in Science 2, Room 314;
Time: 5:30-9:30 pm
Instructor: Hayley Heitzig, MA, BCBA.
Fee: \$1,200

Spring 2012

PSYCH 240T Interdisciplinary Research Methods in Behavior Analysis, 4 units
MW **January 18-March 14**;
Time: 5:30-9:30 pm; Room to be announced
Instructor: Jason Marshall, MA, BCBA
Fee: \$1,200

PSYCH 270T Interdisciplinary ABA Ethics and Systems Support, 3 units
MW **March 19-May 16**;
Time: 5:30-8:30; Room to be announced
Instructor: Criss Wilhite, MA, BCBA.
Fee: \$900