

The Ohio State University
Colleges of the Arts and Sciences New Course Request

Social and Behavioral Sciences

Academic Unit

Psychology

Book 3 Listing (e.g., Portuguese)

518 Attitudes: Structure, Function, and Consequences

Number	Title	U G	4
Attitude Functions		Level	Credit Hours
18-Character	Title Abbreviation		

Summer Autumn Winter Spring X Year 2008

Proposed effective date, choose one quarter and put an "X" after it; and fill in the year. See the OAA curriculum manual for deadlines.

A. Course Offerings Bulletin Information

Follow the instructions in the OAA curriculum manual. If this is a course with decimal subdivisions, then use one New Course Request form for the generic information that will apply to all subdivisions; and use separate forms for each new decimal subdivision, including on each form the information that is unique to that subdivision. If the course offered is less than a quarter or a term, please complete the Flexibly Scheduled/Off Campus/Workshop Request form.

Description (not to exceed 25 words): Survey of theory and evidence related to the structure and functional value of attitudes and their effects on information processing, judgments, and behavior.

Quarter offered: _____ Distribution of class time/contact hours: 2 1.5-hr cl
 Quarter and contact/class time hours information should be omitted from Book 3 publication (yes or no): yes

Prerequisite(s): 325 or 367.01 or 375 or 376 or graduate standing

Exclusion or limiting clause: _____

Repeatable to a maximum of _____ credit hours.

Cross-listed with: _____

Grade Option (Please check): Letter S/U Progress What course is last in the series? _____

Honors Statement: Yes No GEC: Yes No Admission Condition
 Off-Campus: Yes No EM: Yes No Course: Yes No
 Embedded Honors Statement: Yes No

Other General Course Information: _____
 (e.g. "Taught in English." "Credit does not count toward BSBA degree.")

B. General Information

Subject Code 42.1601 Subsidy Level (V, G, T, B, M, D, or P) D
 If you have questions, please email Jed Dickhaut at dickhaut.1@osu.edu.

1. Provide the rationale for proposing this course:
 No existing course surveys the literature on the functional value of attitudes and the effects that attitudes have on information processing, judgment, and behavior. The only related course (Psych 630) focuses on attitude formation and change, largely as a function of persuasion. A "pilot test" as a Psych 594 Group Studies course in Spring 2006 proved very successful.

2. Please list Majors/Minors affected by the creation of this new course. Attach revisions of all affected programs.
 This course is (check one): Required on major(s)/minor(s) A choice on major(s)/minors(s)
 An elective within major(s)/minor(s) A general elective:

3. Indicate the nature of the program adjustments, new funding, and/or withdrawals that make possible the implementation of this new course.
 No adjustment is necessary. The course will be part of Dr. Fazio's regular teaching rotation.

4. Is the approval of this request contingent upon the approval of other course requests or curricular requests?
 Yes No List: _____

5. If this course is part of a sequence, list the number of the other course(s) in the sequence: _____

6. Expected section size: 60 Proposed number of sections per year: 1

7. Do you want prerequisites enforced electronically (see OAA manual for what can be enforced)? Yes No

8. This course has been discussed with and has the concurrence of the following academic units needing this course or with academic units having directly related interests (List units and attach letters and/or forms):
 Not Applicable

9. Attach a course syllabus that includes a topical outline of the course, student learning outcomes and/or course objectives, off-campus field experience, methods of evaluation, and other items as stated in the OAA curriculum manual and e-mail to asccurrofc@osu.edu.

Approval Process The signatures on the lines in ALL CAPS (e.g. ACADEMIC UNIT) are required.

1. Robert Arkin Robert Arkin 1/18/07
 Academic Unit Undergraduate Studies Committee Chair Printed Name Date

2. Marilynn Brewer Marilynn Brewer 1/18/07
 Academic Unit Graduate Studies Committee Chair Printed Name Date

3. Gifford Weary Gifford Weary _____
 ACADEMIC UNIT CHAIR/DIRECTOR Printed Name Date

4. After the Academic Unit Chair/Director signs the request, forward the form to the ASC Curriculum Office, 105 Brown Hall, 190 West 17th Ave. or fax it to 688-5678. Attach the syllabus and any supporting documentation in an e-mail to asccurrofc@osu.edu. The ASC Curriculum Office will forward the request to the appropriate committee.

5. W. Scott McGraw W. Scott McGraw 2/15/07
 COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE Printed Name Date

6. David Alchin David Alchin 2/20/07
 ARTS AND SCIENCES EXECUTIVE DEAN Printed Name Date

7. Graduate School (if appropriate) Printed Name Date

8. University Honors Center (if appropriate) Printed Name Date

9. Office of International Education (if appropriate) Printed Name Date

10. ACADEMIC AFFAIRS Printed Name Date