



UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK IN PRAGUE

New Campus



American
Bachelor's Degree
in Psychology

Educating
Tomorrow's
Leaders

About the Program

Psychology is one of the most popular majors worldwide. As one of the most fascinating and dynamic fields of science, it also provides a springboard for a wide range of graduate study opportunities and exciting career choices.

The UNYP Bachelor's degree in psychology runs over a four-year period, and aims to provide students with a solid foundation in science as well as practical experience in all the major fields of study. Basic courses include instruction in theory and psychological thought, critical thinking and analysis. More specialized courses address therapy and the treatment of mental illness, cultural and family issues, and psychology in the workplace. Studies focus on two possible post-degree career choices: continuing on to graduate studies or direct entry into the workforce.

Roughly 80% of UNYP psychology degree recipients continue on to complete Master's and Doctoral degrees at universities in the Czech Republic and abroad. Our graduates have been accepted to global universities such as University College London, Oxford, Cambridge, Yale and the New School of Social Research in New York, and have continued their studies locally at Charles University, Masaryk University and Palacky University.

5 Reasons to Study Psychology at UNYP

1. Thorough preparation for global careers in psychology and many other exciting fields
2. International faculty with extensive professional experience
3. Solid foundation of science combined with practical experience
4. Growing research hub with the Center for Advanced Behavioral Research, our own peer-reviewed psychology research journal, Psychological Science Observer, and our annual international research conference
5. Excellent record of acceptance at top universities around the world

Career Value

The UNYP psychology program offers a wide range of career options. Our graduates have gone on to work as counselors, academic researchers, representatives at NGOs and charities such as UNICEF and EU diversity programs, and as training consultants and managers in the private sector at top international companies such as DHL, Oracle, Skoda and Amazon.



Degrees

This degree is awarded by the State University of New York, Empire State College. Students can also sit for Czech state exams at the end of their studies, and receive a degree from UNYP (bakalář - Bc.) accredited by the Czech Ministry of Education. This is a unique advantage open to UNYP students, who can graduate with two distinct academic titles, one from the USA and one from the EU, and therefore have increased opportunities to work all over the world.

Courses

Core courses include:

- General Psychology
- Psychology of Infancy and Childhood
- Psychology of Adolescence and Adulthood
- Psychology of Adjustment
- Social Psychology
- Biology of the Brain
- Cognition
- Health Psychology
- History and Systems of Psychology
- Educational Psychology
- Ethical Issues in Psychology
- Health Psychology

Elective courses include:

- Personnel Psychology
- Psychology of Art
- Music and the Mind
- Motivation and Emotion
- Community Psychology
- Personnel Psychology
- Comparative Psychology
- Positive Psychology



Inspirational Story

Eliška Nemčková

Eliška Nemčková has just graduated from UNYP with a Bachelor's degree in Psychology. She has worked for more than ten years managing volunteers in a Slovak orphanage, and for UNICEF. She currently works for a psychotherapeutic and psychosomatic clinic in Prague.

“Study at UNYP undoubtedly improved my presentation skills, which are crucial for my position as a UNICEF Junior Ambassador for school programs. The professional and experienced lecturers at UNYP have taught me to easily apply theories learned in psychology classes to real-life situations. Additionally, thanks to UNYP's cultural diversity among students, I have developed lasting friendships with people from all over the world.”



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