

Psychology

Selected Resources at the Career Center Library

Books and Directories:

Career Paths in Psychology: Where Your Degree Can Take You

American Psychological Association
O BF76.C38 1997

Explores the range of careers in psychology: school psychology, consumer psychology, private practice, military psychology and clinical and health psychology.

Getting in: A Step-By-Step Plan for Gaining Admission to Graduate School in Psychology

American Psychological Association
G BF79.7.U6 G394 2003

Provides information about graduate programs in psychology for those considering a graduate degree. Includes objective evaluation criteria and a step-by-step plan for those applying to graduate programs.

Great Jobs for Psychology Majors

DeGalan, Julie and Stephen Lambert, VGM Career Horizons
O BF76.D44 2004

General job search strategies are followed by extensive discussions of several career areas. Includes types of jobs and organizations, career paths, and sources for further information.

The Helping Professions

Burger, William R. and Merrill Youkeles, Wadsworth/Thompson Learning
O HV10.5B85 2000

Table of Contents Include: The Scope of Human Services, Careers in Counseling, Social Work, Psychology, Psychiatry, Therapeutic Recreation, Art therapy, and Dance/Movement Therapy. Each chapter defines the therapy methods, includes educational preparation, salary information, career trends.

Insider's Guide to Graduate Programs in Clinical and Counseling Psychology, 2004 ed.

Sayette, Michael A., Tracy J. Mayne and John C. Norcross, Guilford Press
G B77.G15 1998

Reports on individual programs in Clinical Psychology, Counseling Psychology, and Professional-Scientific Psychology programs; including areas of specialty, application procedures and requirements. Explains differences between types of programs, application process and timelines.

Opportunities in Psychology Careers

Super, Charles M., and Donald E. Super
Lincolnwood, IL: VGM Career Books
O BF76.S86 2005 (

You will find self-assessments to determine your suitability for a career in psychology, detailed descriptions of the various settings in which psychologists work, up-to-date educational requirements and contact information for accredited doctoral programs.

Web Resources

The U of M Career Center

www.careercenter.umich.edu

See career exploration area and job listings. Visit our website often to learn about the latest programs and services.

www.socialpsychology.org

This site includes job postings, internships, and career tips for psychology students.

<http://psychology.about.com>

Learn about the psychology fields at about.com. You'll find employment trends, salaries, and education and training for typical psychology-related jobs.

www.apa.org

Go directly to the student's section of the American Psychological Association for comprehensive career information: undergraduate and graduate resources available.

www.aasponline.org

Ever considered sport psychology? Visit the Association for the Advancement of Applied Sport Psychology web page to learn more about this field.

Psychologist's Guide to an Academic Career

Rheingold, Harriet L. American Psychological Association
U6 1994

Examines the academic profession from preparation in graduate school through tenured service, for those holding a degree in psychology.

Psychology Major: Career Options and Strategies for Success.

Landrum, Eric, et.al, Prentice Hall
O BF77.L26 2000

Career options for psychology majors. Includes research and teaching assistantships, field experience, and organizations. Also includes advice on how to do well in psychology courses.

Contact info for the Career Center:

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