Fall 2018

Attention: Current Graduate Students in Psychology

GRADUATE LITERACY REQUIREMENT

Demonstrating writing proficiency is a CSU system-wide graduation requirement. In the Graduate Programs in Psychology, students are given the opportunity to demonstrate their writing proficiency by completing a short essay exam (one hour) proctored by the Graduate Committee. Once each semester, classified and conditionally classified graduate psychology students who have yet to pass the exam may complete the essay at the designated time.

Members of the Graduate Committee will evaluate the overall structure and cohesion of the essay, including the grammar, spelling, and general ability of the student to communicate in writing. It is important that the exam be written in essay style, using paragraphs and complete sentences. Students will select one topic to cover in their essay from a list of topics distributed at the beginning of the exam.

If a student's writing proficiency is not demonstrated through this exam, another opportunity will be given in the following semester. Failure does prevent a student from advancing to candidacy.

WRITING PROFICIENCY ESSAY EXAM

Friday, November 30th, 2018
Modoc Hall 224
3:00-4:00 PM
No Sign-up Necessary
(seating for 24 students)