## Prerequisite Courses for the MA Program in Psychology, (Research and Clinical Training Option)

An honours undergraduate degree in Psychology or its equivalent, including the following specific courses, is required for the Research and Clinical Training Option.

- Honour's Thesis (two semesters)
  Or empirical research equivalent such as RA experience or publications
- **Statistics** (two semesters)
- Research Methods (two semesters)
- **History and Systems of Psychology** (one semester) Or an equivalent course
- **Biological Bases of Behaviour** (two semesters) e.g., physiological psychology, neuropsychology, psychopharmacology
- **Cognitive-Affective Bases of Behaviour** (two semesters) e.g., learning, sensation, perception, cognition, motivation
- Social Bases of Behaviour (two semesters)
  e.g., social psychology, group processes, organizational psychology
- **Individual Behaviour** (five semesters)

This must include: developmental psychology (two semesters)

personality (one semester) psychopathology (one semester) psychometrics (one semester)

**Note:** Applicants who do have an honours degree in Psychology but who do not have all the above required courses at time of entry can typically gain the appropriate competencies as part of the graduate program in Psychology.