

**Principles of Psychology - Professor Michael Caruso  
Course Syllabus**

**PSY 1010 902 - Fall 2012 - Part of Term (POT): 9  
Eight-week Session: October 15 - December 07, 2012**

(NOTE: Please see the separate Course Schedule for a complete week by week schedule)

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**REQUIRED TEXTBOOK**

The required textbook is **Huffman, Karen (2012). *Psychology in Action* (10th ed.). New York: John Wiley & Sons (ISBN: 978-1-118-01908-5)**

- The book is available in the Barnes and Noble bookstore in the Door Street Gateway on the UT Bancroft campus and at the Student Bookstore on Bancroft street.

You can also compare prices for the book on the internet by visiting [addall.com](http://addall.com) and entering the ISBN of

**OUTLINE OF COURSE TOPICS**

**Unit I**

Chapter 1 - Introduction to Psychology and Its Research Methods

Chapter 2 - Neuroscience and Biological Foundations

Chapter 3 - Sensation and Perception

Chapter 5 - States of Consciousness

**Unit II**

Chapter 6 - Learning

Chapter 7 - Memory

Chapter 8 - Thinking, Language, and Intelligence

**Unit III**

Chapter 9 - Life Span Development I

Chapter 10 - Life Span Development II

Chapter 11 - Gender and Human Growth

Chapter 12 - Motivation and Emotion

**Unit IV**

Chapter 13 - Personality

Chapter 14 - Psychological Disorders

Chapter 15 - Therapy

Chapter 16 - Social Psychology

**PRACTICE QUIZZES**

There are two sources of practice quiz material for this course:

- To access a Test, sign in to the course Blackboard site through a web browser on a computer on the Test dates listed above.

**GRADING**

Your final course grade will be based on the total points earned from the four Tests, the eight Discussion Board

topics, and any Extra Credit points you accumulate. The grade scale assumes that 300 points are available,