

Psychology 2610 – Learning and Motivation
Fall, 2012. Dr. H.I. Armus

Mon. & Wed., 2:00-3:15 p.m.

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Textbook: Learning: Principles and Applications, 6th ed - Klein.

Course Outline –

The following indicates some of the major areas to be covered. Lecture material and textbook assignments will, in general, deal with similar topics. However, often the

treated in the textbook, or not treated to the same degree. In general, the various topics will be treated roughly in the order in which they appear in the textbook, in addition, of course, to topics not dealt with in the textbook.

Note that the order in which textbook chapters will be considered deviates somewhat from a strict numerical order.

Chapter 9

Effects on learning of various biological factors

Chapter 11

Cognitive influences on learning, including some applications to phobias, depression, etc.

Chapter 12

Complex learning situations

Chapters 13 & 14

Memory and forgetting

In addition to the above, readings in journal articles and other material may be assigned.

Examinations - There will be either two or three examinations, depending on student