

Undergraduate Study Programme Biopsychology

WHY Biopsychology ?

Today, science explains the complexity of human perception, memory, thinking, emotions, personality, and behaviour by combining insights from **psychology and related fields** like **medicine, biology, and pharmacology**. This understanding helps us learn more about people and support their growth and strengths.



Modern
equipment



Research and
fieldwork



International
exchanges



Various
extracurricular
activities

General information

Duration: 3 years (6 semesters)

Mode of study: full-time

Language of study: Slovene

Degree awarded: B.Sc. in Biopsychology

Location: Koper, Izola (partly)

Admission requirements: completed matura examination
(More about the requirements on: www.famnit.upr.si)

Benefits of the study at UP FAMNIT?

- Understanding psychological phenomena through an **interdisciplinary approach** that integrates insights from related fields
- A team of internationally **recognized experts**
- A **highly flexible** study programme
- Opportunities to actively participate in **research projects** and attend **international conferences** and **exchange programmes**
- State-of-the-art laboratories in the renovated Livade 1.0 building in Izola
- The opportunity to obtain the **EuroPsy professional certificate** through further study in the Master's programme in Psychology (UP FAMNIT)
- Studying in a **pleasant Mediterranean environment** with a vibrant student life and a wide range of extracurricular activities

My career opportunities?

Graduates may pursue employment in a variety of settings, including:

- Providing professional support, for example in the field of general psychological counselling
- Research and development (R&D)
- Public sector positions that are not subject to professional licensing or other regulated requirements
- Non-governmental and civil society organisations
- Business and industry
- Administrative and managerial positions
- Rehabilitation, therapeutic support, and social reintegration services

Graduates may also choose career paths that are not directly related to psychology. The knowledge, competencies, and transferable skills acquired through the programme are highly valued across a wide range of professions and are particularly sought after in leadership and management roles in diverse sectors.

What do students think about studying at UP FAMNIT?

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The programme is highly diverse, and I especially appreciate the flexibility and supportiveness of the professors. Learning about human behaviour through the perspectives of biological factors, brain function, and genetics opens up new opportunities for further specialization, future career paths, and broadens one's personal perspective.

- Jelena -



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Course structure

1st year

Foundations of Psychology
Differential Psychology
Basics of Biopsychology
Psychology of Rational Thinking and Logic
Developmental Psychology I
Neurological Bases of Higher Nervous Functions I
Evolutionary Psychology
Statistics for Psychologists
Research Methodology in Psychology
Cognitive Psychology
Biochemistry and Genetics in Biopsychology

2nd year

Social Psychology I
Psychological Diagnostics
Biopsychology of Motivation and Emotions
Developmental Psychology II
Psychometrics
Mental Health, Mental Disorders
Neurological Bases of Higher Nervous Functions II
Personality Psychology
Bioinformatics Tools in Psychology
Elective Psychological Course I

3rd year

Fundamentals of Work and Organisational Psychology
Public Mental Health
Introduction to Clinical Psychology and Psychotherapy
Game Theory in Biopsychology
Psychopharmacology
Qualitative Research
Basics of Educational Psychology
Elective Psychological Course II
External/Internal (non-psychological) Elective Course
Observational internship and seminar – final project paper

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