WHY PSYCHOLOGY AT ALGOMA U?
A psychology degree is really a stepping stone to the next phase of a student's life. We teach you how to be dedicated, motivated, and to think critically about scientific data, human and non-human behaviour, and science in general. These are skills that are in demand by a whole host of prospective employers, and will serve you well regardless of what you choose to do with your psychology degree. Whether you want to earn a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science degree, the psychology program at Algoma University will provide you with knowledgeable faculty, hands-on research possibilities, and the comfortable setting of a smaller university in which to explore your potential, broaden your range of interests, and develop your skills.

4th Year Thesis Course
The fourth-year thesis course is specifically designed for students who are looking to develop their skills. Algoma University will provide you with knowledgeable faculty, hands-on research possibilities, and the comfortable setting of a smaller university in which to explore your potential, broaden your range of interests, and develop your skills.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Understand the key concepts and theories of psychological sciences.
- Explore the current state of knowledge in psychology and investigate innovative solutions to research questions in psychology.
- Apply versatile and comprehensive knowledge of the theory, principles, and concepts in psychology and allied scientific disciplines.
- Understand and analyze complex issues using the experimental method.
- Communicate scientific information effectively in both written and oral format.
- Think critically.
- Generate novel research hypotheses, carry out experiments to answer these hypotheses, and report the results of the experiments.
- Participate in a collegial review process.
- Apply relevant statistical skills to the analysis of psychological data.

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS
Our courses fall under one of two broadly-based categories: those that focus on the social bases of behaviour, and those that focus on the biological bases of behaviour. While it is widely known that psychology can involve the identification of, and counselling for abnormal thoughts and behaviours, there are many other areas of psychology that might be less widely known. For example, we offer courses which teach students how and why we are susceptible to visual illusions and why individuals follow group behaviours. Beyond the study of humans, we also offer courses which teach how non-human animals (such as birds and bats) have evolved to find food and communicate in the most efficient manner.

WHY STUDY AT ALGOMA U IN SAULT STE. MARIE?
Algoma U is located in Sault Ste. Marie, a city of 75,000 people in Northern Ontario. “The Soo,” as locals call it, has all the amenities of a big city – shopping, entertainment, sports teams, festivals, and cultural activities – but without the hassle of traffic.

We’re lucky enough to live in a city surrounded by the great outdoors. Whis Lake Superior and the St. Mary’s River literally just steps from our front door, there’s always something to do. You can catch some sun at the beach or walk our beautiful boardwalk. With the highest elevation in Ontario, Searchmont Resort is a popular winter destination for our students, offering great alpine skiing and snowboarding.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
ENG4U, 5 other U/M courses.
Minimum 70%.

Applying to Algoma U is simple. We’re ready to help answer all of your questions and more. Before you know it, you’ll be walking across campus to your first class.

Questions?
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