# SCHOOL OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES (SUS)

SUS aims to redefine the ways in which undergraduate education is perceived by adopting a multidisciplinary approach to studies covering a range of Foundational and Special Interest Courses.

## **BA HONOURS IN PSYCHOLOGY**

The Core Courses familiarise students with the history and methods of Psychology. They learn about cognition, childhood, neuropsychology, social and abnormal psychology. A course that makes Psychology relevant to Indian context is also taught.

The Elective Courses are more interdisciplinary and show the applicability of psychological understanding in the areas of counselling, organisational behaviour, education, sexuality, and story-telling traditions.

A dissertation in the final semester is aimed at providing students with a rare opportunity to research an area of their interest.

Graduates with a Major in Psychology from AUD who wish to study further would have the necessary conceptual orientation to do so. In addition, various approaches and skills taught here would enable them to reconsider stereotypical modes of thinking and create an openness to experience.

The Programme would be valuable to students

interested in mass media, advertising, education, child development, counselling, and organisational psychology. It would enable students to work in varied fields where they are required to engage with human beings in different contexts.

## PSYCHOLOGY DISCIPLINE COURSES

Core Courses: (Required: 12 courses, 48 credits)

## Core Required Courses:

Human Cognition
History of Psychology
Social Psychology
Statistics

Practical 1: Psychological Testing and Assessment

Methods in Psychology Understanding Childhood

Practical 2: Experiments in Psychology Neuropsychology through Clinical Cases

Understanding Abnormality
Practical 3: Case Study
Psychology for India

### **Elective Courses**

Identity through Popular Narratives

## (Discipline/ Foundation course)

Understanding Personality
Psychology in Action
Counselling Psychology
Organisational Behaviour
Dissertation

## ATTENDANCE, ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION

Regular attendance is a precondition of learning at

AUD. Students are expected to attend classes and required learning situations (lab/ tutorial sessions, fieldtrips, workshops, etc.) as well as orientation sessions. AUD mandates a minimum 70% attendance in each course in every semester. Specific penalties for low attendance are notified from time to time by the Dean SUS and Dean Student Services. These may include mandatory 'grade cuts' based on a sliding scale of attendance shortfall, withholding of grade card/ transcript or other actions. A certain number of absences can be excused on grounds of medical emergency (documented illness).

AUD follows a system of continuous assessment and evaluation to facilitate and promote learning with understanding. The continuous assessment system ensures that the work done by students during the semester will count for more than the end-semester examination. Tutorials and mentoring are important features of all programmes.

### **DURATION** 3 years (6 semesters) Full Time

NUMBER OF CREDITS 48 or more 'Subject' (or discipline) credits plus other credits (Foundation, non-Subject and Special Interest Courses) adding up to at least 96 credits

FEES\* Rs.1,000 per credit + Rs.500 per semester for Student Welfare Fund + Rs. 5,000 refundable caution deposit. Partial/ full fee waivers and scholarships available.('subject to approval

MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION English



## FEATURES OF THE PROGRAMME

The Programme takes students on a journey in which they engage with the complexities of human behaviour and experience.

During the three years of the Programme students learn about aspects of human beings that seem universal yet are more complex on deeper analysis.

Hands-on experience through practicum designed to teach experimentation, psychological testing and preparing a casestudy.

Films and popular narratives are used to illustrate significant aspects of the courses.

Students also participate in dynamic classroom exercises such as peer learning, group tasks, role plays, etc. to enhance the learning process.

## **ADMISSIONS 2014**

#### **SEATS**

35 (including reservations in accordance with the Government of NCT of Delhi norms).

#### **HOSTEL**

AUD has about 40 seats for women in its Hostel in Kashmere Gate and about 20 seats for men in Dwarka.

### **ELIGIBILITY** (Essential)

Candidates must have passed the class XII examination with at least 50% marks from a recognised Board.

A Merit List will be prepared on the basis of the marks obtained in the class XII Board Examination in the Best Four subjects, which will not include any vocational subject.

Meeting the eligibility criteria alone will not ensure admission, which will be strictly on the basis of merit as per the rules.

Relaxation in marks for reserved categories as per the Government of NCT of Delhi norms.

#### REGISTRATION

1 May to 16 June 2014

## **FIRST ADMISSION LIST**

12 July 2014

## **SECOND ADMISSION LIST**

17 July 2014

### **SECOND ADMISSION LIST**

23 July 2014

**APPLICATION FEES: Rs.300** 

(Rs.150 for SC/ST/PD)

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