

Bachelors of Arts in **PSYCHOLOGY ONLINE** + IMMERSIVE TRAINING PROGRAM



LIFE PACIFIC
UNIVERSITY

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

LPU's BA in Psychology offers a multidisciplinary perspective on human behavior and development with biblical integration, preparing students for careers in the helping professions. Upon graduation, students can obtain jobs in social service agencies, working with children and adults in their communities, or pursue graduate degrees in fields such as social work, marriage and family therapy, professional counseling, and educational and psychological services. Every student gains real-world experience through an internship, applying their learning in practical settings.

The degree includes a Biblical Studies minor, with faith integration woven throughout each course to equip students as professionals who advance God's kingdom. Most importantly, our program is Christ-centered and Spirit-filled, empowering students to approach their work and calling with purpose, compassion, and reliance on the guidance of the Holy Spirit. This strong foundation uniquely prepares graduates to serve their communities with excellence, faith, and a transformative impact.

FORMAT & SCHEDULE

The online bachelor's program is a 4-year program which students can begin in either the fall or spring. Each semester is divided into two 8-week sessions with two classes per session and one 16-week ministry practicum/ immersive training course that stretches across the entire semester. In addition to weekly reading and assignments, students will engage in their community through various ministry opportunities at their Immersive Training location. Students enrolled in a full-time course load should expect to spend an average of 30 hours per week on course work.

WHO IS THIS PROGRAM FOR?

This program is a great fit for students of all ages with varied experience. No prior college is needed for this fully online B.A. However, this program is very transfer-friendly allowing students the ability to transfer up to 72 units!

ABOUT LPU

SCHOOL TYPE

Private, Four-year, Biblical University

DENOMINATIONAL AFFILIATION

International Church of the
Foursquare Gospel

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Semester

ACCREDITATION

WSCUC & ABHE

COST & AID (2025-26)

TUITION

\$9,000 (\$375 per credit)

SITE FEE

\$2,000 (\$1,000 per semester)

TECHNOLOGY/STUDENT SERVICES

\$350 (\$175 per semester)

TOTAL

\$11,350 (per year)

* LPU provides free tuition for the Immersive Training Practicum units

** Financial Aid Available

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GENERAL EDUCATION

English Composition & Research	3 units
First-Year Seminar	3 units
History Elective	3 units
Literature Elective	3 units
Foundations of Global Engagement	3 units
Christian Worldview	3 units

Science Elective	3 units
Oral Communication Elective	3 units
Senior Seminar	3 units
Introduction to Psychology	3 units
Introduction to Sociology	3 units
Ethics Elective	3 units

BIBLICAL STUDIES MINOR

Pentateuch	3 units
Biblical Interpretation & Application	3 units
Synoptic Gospels	3 units
Spiritual Disciplines	3 units
Romans	3 units

Intro to Biblical Literature	3 units
Cultures of Ancient Civilizations	3 units
Spiritual Gifts	3 units
Theology I or II or III	3 units
Intro to Christian Theology	3 units

PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR

Introduction to Ministry in the Helping Professions	3 units
Human Sexuality	3 units
Human Development	3 units
Abnormal Psychology	3 units
Community Development	3 units
Intro to Statistics	3 unit
Advanced Counseling	3 units
Theories of Personality	3 units

Marriage & Family Systems	3 units
Counseling	3 units
Research Methods	3 units
Psychology Internship	3 units
Child Welfare	3 units
Addictions	3 units
Community Mental Health Courses	12 units
Open Electives	12 units

* Course requirements may change. Please refer to the current university catalog for the most up-to-date curriculum information.

** 16-week Ministry Practicum / ITP Experience.

*Note to Transfer Students

The curriculum listed for this program includes the recommended courses for students without any transfer work. A student may be eligible to transfer up to 72 units towards General Education; Bible and Open Elective Categories. Students with transfer work will have their curriculum adjusted accordingly.