

# Global Learning Semesters

## Course Syllabus

Course: PSY-556 Personality Assessment Practicum

Department: Social Sciences

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
PSY-556	Personality Assessment Practicum	1
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Please contact us	42-45	Graduate Standing
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Social Sciences	Upper Division	English

### Course Description

This course is designed to give students practical experience in applying the information they are learning in the personality assessment course. Discussed will be issues of personality assessment, the relevance of assessment to treatment, and how to integrate empirical literature into clinical assessment. Students will practice administration of the Thematic Apperception Test and present case studies.

### Prerequisites

Graduate Standing

### Topic Areas

Students will:

1. Be familiar with how to give the Thematic Apperception Test.
2. Have an understanding of the need to have a conceptual basis behind the tests administered to clients.
3. Know how to write a brief psychological testing report.
4. Have some experience presenting cases to groups of colleagues.
5. Know the basic ingredients of psychological test batteries.
6. Have developed rudimentary hypothesis testing skills.

### Readings and Resources

#### Required Textbook

- Baird, B N (1996): "The internship practicum, and field placement handbook: A guide for the helping professions, Upper Saddle River, New York: Prentice-Hall Inc.