SACRAMENTO STATE

Sacramento State is a vibrant metropolitan university that is among the largest campuses in the California State University system. We enroll a multicultural student body of 28,000 undergraduate and 6,000 graduate students each year. With student fees among the lowest in the nation, Sacramento State remains one of the nation's best higher education values.

The city of Sacramento is one of the state's most affordable big cities and the area has a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. The region's mild climate, rivers, and nearby recreation areas make it popular with outdoor enthusiasts. It is within easy driving distance to San Francisco, the Napa and Sonoma valleys, the historic gold country, and the Lake Tahoe region's ski slopes.

CURRICULUM

PSYC 200 (3 units)
Methods in Empirical Psychology
PSYC 242 (3 units)
Seminar in Learning & Behavior Analysis
PSYC 271 (4 units)
Advanced Applied Behavior Analysis
PSYC 272 (3 units)
Research Methods in Behavior Analysis
PSYC 274 (3 units)
Theoretical Foundations of Behavior Analysis
PSYC 275 (3 units)
Applied Behavior Analysis in the Workplace
PSYC 281 (4 units)
Advanced Experimental Analysis of Behavior
PSYC 284 (4 units)
Assessment and Treatment of Behavior Problems
PSYC 291 (3 units)
Professional Issues in Behavior Analysis
PSYC 294 (3 units)
Cooperative Research
PSYC 297A (1 unit)
Advanced Graduate Research I
PSYC 297B (2 units)
Advanced Graduate Research II
PSYC299 (2 units)
Special Problems
PSYC 500A (4 units)
Culminating Experience: Thesis
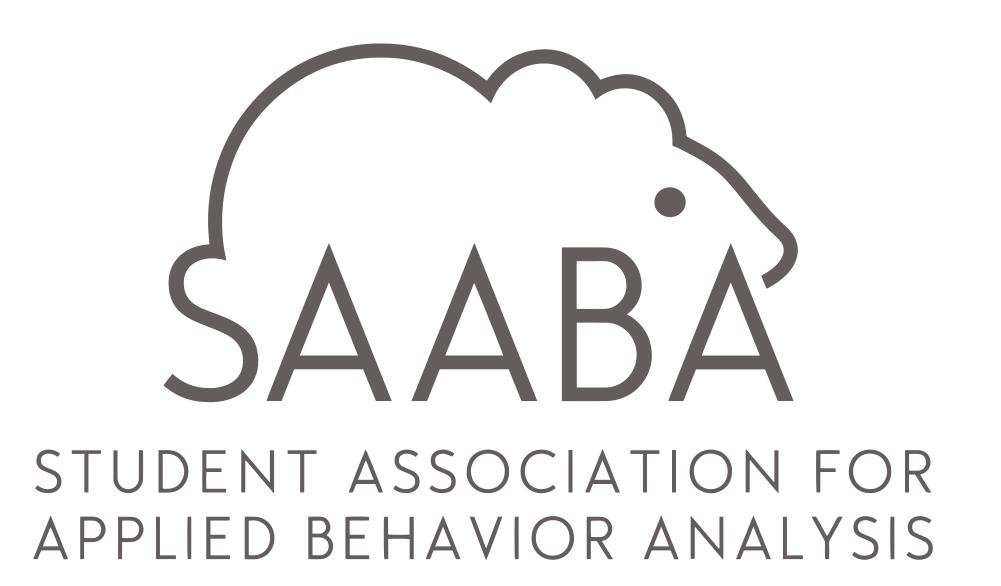PSYC 500B (2 units)
Continuing Culminating Experience

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GRADUATE PROGRAM

M.S. IN APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS

Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) is a scientific approach aimed at understanding environmental variables that reliably influence socially significant behavior and developing behavior-change technologies based on this understanding.

The goals of the ABA program are to teach students to think critically and scientifically about behavioral processes and to enable students to enter doctoral programs in ABA. The program also prepares students for careers in ABA by passing the national certification examination (BCBA).

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STUDENT ASSOCIATION FOR APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS

RESEARCH & CLINICAL OPPORTUNITIES

Students in the ABA program have the opportunity to design and conduct state of the art research on a variety of applied and basic behavioral topics. Our research facilities include human and animal (rat) operant laboratories, a campus clinic, and research rooms for data collection with children and adults. We have also established research partnerships with various schools and agencies in the region, as well as nationally and internationally.

Clinical training is an integral part of our program. Students obtain clinical experience working closely with one of our community partners. There are numerous funded internships and job opportunities for ABA students in Sacramento.

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