

# Bachelor of Science in Behavioral Science



## Make a Difference — Solve Complex Problems Using Behavioral Psychology

Wilmington University's Behavioral Science program cultivates leaders and problem-solvers prepared to work in the business, education, government, human services and nonprofit sectors. Studies in human behavior and society focus on the impact of diverse social issues, environments and cultural influences on individual and large group behaviors.



### Broad-Based Degree Provides Widespread Career Options

You'll develop an in-depth understanding of human behavior based on psychological, cultural anthropological, philosophical and sociological points of view. Hands-on learning experiences and opportunities for internships/co-ops thoroughly prepare students for careers in the business, nonprofit, government, education and human services sectors.



### Contribute Solutions to Complex Problems

You'll gain an understanding of contemporary global and local issues that require complex solutions through studying family, group and cultural dimensions of behavior as well as ethics, research and program evaluation. Courses are led by seasoned, caring faculty with broad professional experience outside of the classroom.



### A Behavioral Science Program That Fits Your Busy Life

Most WilmU students are 25+ years of age, balancing family, work and other commitments. This flexible and affordable behavioral science bachelor's program is available face-to-face at multiple mid-Atlantic locations or 100% online for maximum convenience with a choice of schedule options.

Get started today at [wilmu.edu/Apply](https://wilmu.edu/Apply).



**40 courses** | **120 total credits**  
Required courses and total credits vary based on degree selection.

**\$1,227**  
per course

Cost of a typical 3-credit course



Classes start every  
8 weeks.



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## General Education Requirements (37 credits)

<input type="checkbox"/> CTA 206 Computer Applications	<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 205 Introductory Survey of Mathematics
<input type="checkbox"/> ECO 105 Fundamentals of Economics	<input type="checkbox"/> PHI 100 Introduction to Critical Thinking
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 121 English Composition I	<input type="checkbox"/> PHI 302 Ethics and Values in Behavioral Science ✓
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 122 English Composition II	<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 131 Public Speaking	<input type="checkbox"/> HIS 381 Contemporary Global Issues OR <input type="checkbox"/> POL 300 American Politics
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 310 Research Writing	<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Science Elective With Lab (4 Credits)
<input type="checkbox"/> Humanities Elective (3 credits)	

## Behavioral Science Core (45 credits)

<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 308 Inferential Statistics ✓	<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 331 Research, Writing and Information Literacy in the Behavioral Sciences ✓
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology	<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 309 Interpersonal Communication Skills ✓
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 302 Marriage and the Family ✓	<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 405 Social Deviance OR <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 305 Abnormal Psychology ✓
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 304 Ethnic Groups and Minorities ✓	<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 340 Applied Research Design ✓
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 306 Cultural Anthropology ✓	<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 409 Seminar in Applied Behavioral Science ✓
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 318 Social Change ✓	<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 490 Internship in Behavioral Science (Behavioral Science majors) OR <input type="checkbox"/> Upper Level Behavioral Science Elective ✓

Select 6 credits from upper level (300-400) courses beginning with the SOC prefix.

Choose one developmental course from the following:

<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 329 Lifespan Development	<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 336 Child Development
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 330 Infant and Toddler Development	<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 401 Adult Development and Aging
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 332 Adolescent Development	

## Behavioral Science Electives (18 credits)

Courses beginning with the prefix CRJ, PSY, ORG or SOC may be used as Behavioral Science electives. In addition, the following courses may also be selected as Behavioral Science electives:

<input type="checkbox"/> POL 326 Public Policy and Social Issues	<input type="checkbox"/> POL 380 Health Care Policy
<input type="checkbox"/> POL 350 Economic, Welfare and Income Policy	

## Free Electives (18 credits)

Students with fewer than 16 transfer credits are required to take FYE 101 as one of their electives.

### Dual-Credit ADVANTAGE™ Program

You can use elective courses in this bachelor's degree program to complete a related Dual-Credit Certificate® while you earn your degree or accelerate into your next degree by incorporating master's level coursework — at no extra tuition cost.

Related programs you may consider include:

- Graduate Certificate in Case Management for Human Services
- M.S. in Applied Family Science
- M.S. in Human Services — Administration or Practice concentrations



## Related Programs:

- Human Trafficking Awareness
- Community Engagement
- Emotional Intelligence and Leadership
- Child Advocacy Studies

## Already have an associate degree?

A WilmU completion degree provides just the courses you need to earn your bachelor's degree.

Look for the ✓ to see typical completion degree courses.

*Prerequisite and additional courses not listed here may be required.*

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## Case Management Concentration (12 credits)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 312 Community Health & Social Issues   | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 324 Health, Society and Culture               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 464 Working in the Helping Professions | OR   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 468 Case Management                    | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 495 Internship in Sociology – Case Management |

## Emotional Intelligence Concentration (12 Credits)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 315 Emotional Intelligence and Leadership | <input type="checkbox"/> PHI 302 Ethics and Values in Behavioral Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 317 Applied Emotional Intelligence        | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 409 Seminar in Applied Behavioral Science   |

## Human Services Concentration (12 Credits)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 312 Community Health & Social Issues   | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 468 Case Management                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 464 Working in the Helping Professions | <input type="checkbox"/> Upper Level Behavioral Science Elective |

## Human Trafficking Awareness Concentration (12 Credits)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> CRJ 101 Survey of Criminal Justice | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 404 Human Trafficking                   |
| OR  |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 472 Investigating Human Trafficking     |
| OR  |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology  | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 473 Human Trafficking Advocacy & Change |

## Social Justice Advocacy Concentration (12 Credits)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 304 Ethnic Groups and Minorities | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 313 Social Justice Advocacy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 309 Poverty and Welfare          | <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 318 Social Change           |

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