

STUDENTS SHOULD THINK CAREFULLY BEFORE APPLYING TO THE HONOURS PROGRAM. HONOURS REQUIRES A COMMITMENT, ESPECIALLY TO RESEARCH AND ALL IT ENTAILS. THE RESEARCH COURSES AND THE FOUNDATIONS OF MODERN PSYCHOLOGY SEMINAR USUALLY REQUIRE MORE THAN THE NOMINAL 10 HOURS PER COURSE PER WEEK. IF YOU ARE NOT PREPARED TO MAKE THIS COMMITMENT, HONOURS MAY NOT BE THE PROGRAM FOR YOU. IF YOU WANT THIS KIND OF INVOLVEMENT, THEN BY ALL MEANS APPLY FOR HONOURS.

### **2002 INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION OF U2 OR U3 STUDENTS TO THE HONOURS PROGRAMME**

Admissions to Honours will take place at the beginning of the U2 year. Students who entered U1 the previous January and have completed one term of U1 are also eligible to apply. Science students intending to apply should have completed the U1 requirements for the major psychology programme. Arts students should have completed 204-204, 204-211, 204-212, 204-213 and 204-215 in U1. Students in both Arts and Science faculties are also highly recommended to complete 204-305 in U1. Application should be made after your report of standing is available. Students with a cumulative GPA of 2.6 (Faculty of Arts) or 2.8 (Faculty of Science) are eligible to apply; however, during the past several years it has been possible to accept a maximum of 30 students with averages above 3.5 based on a 27-30 credit programme. Evaluation of your application will be made on the basis of academic standing. Please note, however, that a GPA of 3.5 does not guarantee admission. Performance in the Psychology U1 core courses is a **very important factor** in the admission decision.

PLEASE - (1) complete the attached application form, and  
(2) staple an unofficial copy of your transcript to this application.

You are urged to hand in your application no later than **AUGUST 8, 2002** to the attention of Ms. Mary Gauthier in Room N7/9 or send it to:

Mary Gauthier, Department of Psychology, McGill University,  
1205 Dr. Penfield Avenue, Montreal, Quebec H3A 1B1

Candidates will be notified of the Committee's decision within the first few days of classes. A list of students accepted into the Honours Programme will be posted on the WEST Bulletin Board of the 7th floor lobby and at Room N7/9.

With respect to registration, you should register as if you were in a Major Programme. Once you have obtained official approval from the Committee to enter the Honours Programme you can easily make the necessary changes in your courses.

If you have any further questions, please contact J. Lydon (W8/30C) or Mary Gauthier 398-6121 (N7/9) of the Stewart Biological Sciences Building.

A few students may be admitted into the U3 (final year) Honours Programme on the basis of two criteria: GPA above 3.5 and previous research experience. If you are applying to this, please indicate clearly **"Final Year Honours"** and the nature of your research experience. Because the current class is already large, acceptance of students into the U3 class depends on others dropping out.

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**PLEASE REMEMBER TO STAPLE A COPY OF YOUR UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT TO THIS APPLICATION.**

Below, please tell us briefly why you want to obtain an Honours degree and what academic program you plan to follow: