

Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences



PSY2150 Psychology of learning

[30h] 3 credits

This course is taught in the 2nd semester

Language: French

Level: Second cycle

Aims

- to describe the important principles of learning and the technics they suggest to implement in order to evaluate or to improve the learning of real tasks.
- to analyse their implementation in the help devices for learning and for the use of complex systems.
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Main themes

- cognitive mechanisms of memory and learning (categorisation; implicit learning; partition; role of the declarative and procedural elements; transfer theory; learning by analogy)
- laws of learning (law of practice; learning curves)
- learning simulation in the computational constructs; design of tutorials and analysis of the learning; differences novice-expert
- applications (e.g. reading and arithmetic)
- metacognitive aspects of learning and of memory (metamemory and learning judgment)

Content and teaching methods

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Other credits in programs

ROM21	Première licence en langues et littératures romanes	(3 credits)
ROM22	Deuxième licence en langues et littératures romanes	(3 credits)