

**PSYC 435  
Psychotic Disorders Seminar  
Fall 2012**

**Instructor:**

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**Location & Time**

Location: Humphrey Hall, Room 223  
Time: Tuesdays 830-950 & Fridays 1000-1120

**Required Readings**

There is no textbook for this class.

You will be assigned required readings and are expected to have read them by the start of the assigned class.

**Course Description**



### **3. Writing Assignments (40%)**

Four writing assignments (ten points each) will be assigned throughout the term. These tasks will require you to briefly (usually one to two double spaced pages) respond to one or more specific questions that will be assigned two classes ahead of time by the professor.

### **Psyc 435 Special Needs**

If a student requires any special accommodations it is his or her responsibility to contact the professor and provide documentation.

### **Psyc 435 Missed Class or Late Assignment Policy**

Students can only be excused from assignments for compassionate reasons; that is, illness, accident, or a death in the family. Written documentation must be provided. Students missing an assignment without a legitimate reason & documentation will receive a mark of 0%. For each day a writing assignment is late, 1 point (out of the possible 8 point) will be deducted.

### **Statement on Academic Integrity**

The following is taken from the Faculty of Arts and Sciences (and includes a typo):

Academic integrity is constituted by the five core fundamental values of honesty, trust, fairness, respect and responsibility (see [www.academicintegrity.org](http://www.academicintegrity.org)). These values are central to the building, nurturing and sustaining of an academic community in wh

<b>Date</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Readings and Assignments</b>
Sept 11	Psychosis: Introduction to the Concept and History	
Sep 14	Current Diagnostic Symptoms	<i>Reading:</i> Tandon
Sep 18	Differentiating the Psychotic Disorders	<i>Readings:</i> 1. Cueller 2. Peralta
Sep 21	Neurocognition I	<i>Reading:</i> Keefe 1
Sep 25	Neurocognition II	<i>Reading:</i> No assigned reading <b>Writing Assignment 1</b>
Sep 28	Outcomes	<i>Reading:</i> Robinson 1
Oct 2	Bipolar Disorder and Mania	<i>Reading:</i> Miklowitz

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