



HÖGSKOLAN I GÄVLE

Environmental Psychology 7.5 cr

Miljöpsykologi 7,5 hp

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Level	A1F
Education level	Second cycle
Course identifier	MPA400
Credits	7.5 cr
Main field of study	Environmental Psychology
Subject group	Environmental Science
Disciplinary domain	Natural sciences 50.0 % Technology 50.0 %

Learning outcomes After completion of the course the student shall be able to

1. specify how various environmental factors influence human beings socially and cognitively.
2. describe how knowledge of environmental psychology can be applied in everyday environments, including workplaces and schools
3. report and describe the research methods and basic theoretical approaches that are used in environmental psychology
4. formulate research questions with relevance for environmental psychology
5. evaluate environments through environmental psychology perspectives.

Course content Theories in various specialised fields of Environmental Psychology: the effects of physical variables on human performance and health (in work places and schools, etc.), restoration, crowding, social aspects of the environment (personal space, etc.), wayfinding in different environments, and perception of environments.

Teaching Lectures and seminars

Prerequisites	Bachelor degree		
Examination	Individual written examination		
Grade	A, B, C, D, E, Fx, F		
Other regulations	Grading criteria are provided by the course coordinator or examiner at the beginning of the course.		
Sustainable environment	The majority of the course content deals with sustainable development..		
Module	0010 Individual written examination	7.5 cr	Grade: AF