

**Application for Admission to the
Neuropsychology Area of Emphasis**

Please send to Dr. Rayna Hirst at rhirst@paloin.edu

DUE: Last day of Fall Quarter in the Second Year of the PhD program

Name: _____

Today's Date: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Research Lab Mentor: _____

Class Status this quarter (underline/circle): 2nd year 3rd year

Career interests in Neuropsychology (put an X next to the choices that best fit your goals):

A) I intend to be a Clinical Neuropsychologist who primarily provides:

Clinical assessment &/or intervention services to adults/elders _____

Clinical assessment &/or intervention services to children/teens _____

Does research &/or teaching and is an academic _____

B) I intend to be a general clinical psychologist who:

Does some cognitive &/or personality assessment _____

Combines neuropsychology interests with interests in:

Child Psychology _____

Geropsychology _____

Rehabilitation Psychology _____

Substance Use Disorders _____

Health Psychology _____

Diversity/Multicultural Issues _____

Other (specify) _____

Prior neuropsychological assessment experience (please indicate where this experience was obtained):

In clinical settings: _____

In research settings: _____

With children/ teens: _____

With adults: _____

With elders (over age 69): _____

Prior Educational Experiences (REPORT YOUR GRADE in the class next to all that apply):

Undergraduate Courses/Labs

Neuroanatomy/neurophysiology _____

Neurobiology _____

Neuroscience _____

Physiological Psychology _____

Biopsychology _____

Neuropsychology _____

Graduate Courses/Labs

Neuroanatomy/neurophysiology _____

Neurobiology _____

Neuroscience _____

Physiological Psychology _____

Biopsychology _____

Neuropsychology _____

Cognitive or Intellectual Assessment _____

Neuropsychological Assessment _____

Current and prior research experience in neuropsychology, neuroscience, neurobiology, psychophysiology, or other relevant areas (please describe below):

Current and prior clinical assessment or intervention experience in neuropsychology, psychology, or other relevant areas (please describe below):

Please briefly describe your career goals:

Please provide the names of two faculty members or previous instructors who know you best and can speak to your academic skills. You do NOT need letters from these references, but I may reach out to them to confirm their endorsement of you for the Neuropsychology emphasis.

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Please attach an electronic version of your current Curriculum Vitae and an unofficial transcript to this application. A cover letter would be helpful if you have pre-requisite grades below the requirement, explaining the low grades and what you have done to address the gap in knowledge.