

# Five years. Two degrees. One program.

The accelerated master of science in experimental psychology

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Earn your undergraduate degree in psychology and graduate degree in experimental psychology within five years.

If you're an outstanding student interested in advanced study in experimental psychology, consider this accelerated option.

Accelerated program requirements are identical to the major in psychology and the master's degree in experimental psychology, but you can apply 12 credit hours of graduate course work toward both your undergraduate and master of science degrees.

Talk with your psychology faculty mentor about how you, as an undergraduate student, can pursue this accelerated graduate program.

### About the Accelerated Program

The experimental psychology program at Central Michigan University is a broad, flexible program designed to develop individual scholarship. Students enrolled in the accelerated master of science in experimental psychology program:

- Complete their bachelor's degree with a psychology major in their fourth year
- Complete their master of science degree in experimental psychology in their fifth year
- Conduct and defend their thesis by the end of the summer term of their fifth year

During the past few years, CMU graduates have been successfully admitted into top doctoral programs around the country. They also have gained employment in the public and private sectors.

### Accelerated Program Requirements

To be eligible for the accelerated experimental psychology program, you must:

- Meet all requirements for regular admission to the master of science in experimental psychology program
- Be engaged in research specifically with an experimental psychology program faculty member
- Have completed at least 84 credit hours of undergraduate course work – including all general education, University Program, and competency requirements – with an overall 3.0 grade point average
- Have 12 credit hours remaining to complete the undergraduate psychology program in order to fulfill the joint undergraduate and graduate course work requirements

### Experimental Psychology Faculty

**Renee L. Babcock, Ph.D.**

Georgia Institute of Technology, 1992

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University of Southern California, 1984

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Northern Illinois University, 1993

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Michigan State University, 1979

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University of Oklahoma, 1970

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University of California, 1995

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University of Georgia, 1989

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Fairleigh Dickinson University, 1985

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The Ohio State University, 1998

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University of Connecticut, 1995

**Roger Van Horn, Ph.D.**

Iowa State University, 1969

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