

GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY for BEMC 1 (G. Lancioni).

The course includes 1 CFU and 12 hours of direct teaching.

Teaching (supported by slides made available to the students) involves (a) an introduction to learning psychology and its classical and operant models, (b) an analysis of the implications of learning psychology for diagnostic, education, and rehabilitation purposes, (c) a presentation of illustrative cases within each of the aforementioned (diagnostic, education, and rehabilitation) areas, and (d) an overview of learning principles and assistive technology to support persons with disabilities.

The book recommended to the students is:

Axelrod, S., & Hall, R. V. (1999). *Behavior modification: basic principles*. Austin, TX: Pro-ed.

At the end of the course, the students are required to write a brief essay describing a specific case and the intervention (based on learning principles/procedures) they consider appropriate for him or her.

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