Course Syllabus

1. **Program of Study**   Bachelor of Arts (Social Science)

    Faculty/Institute/College   Mahidol University International College

2. **Course Code**   ICSP 354   **Course Title**   Psychological Testing

3. **Number of Credits**   4 **(Lecture / Lab)** (4-0)

4. **Prerequisite** *(s)*   ICSS 112 Introduction to Psychology; ICSP 254 Theories of

    Personality; ICSP 255 Abnormal Psychology

5. **Type of Course**   Elective for Psychology Minor

6. **Trimester / Academic Year**   To be determined

7. **Course Description**

    The measurement of individual differences and characteristics, and of intra - individual differences across time. The major principles of test construction. Ethical and social implications of test use.

8. **Course Objective** *(s)*

    To give students an introduction to psychological testing and assessment.

9. **Course Outline**

Week	Topic		Instructor
	Lecture	Hour	
1	Introduction to, and history of, psychological testing	4	
2	Ethical issues	4	
3	Statistical concepts	4	
4	Reliability and validity	4	
5	Tests of intelligence	4	
6	Tests of intelligence	4	
7	Achievement and aptitude tests	4	
8	Achievement and aptitude tests	4	
9	Personality testing : Objective measures	4	
10	Personality testing : Objective measures	4	
11	Personality testing : Projective measures	4	
	Total	**44**	

N.B. The lecturer reserves the right to vary the topics as seen fit.

10. **Teaching Method** *(s)*

    Lectures; classroom discussion.

11. **Teaching Media**

   Assigned texts and reader.

12. **Measurement and evaluation of student achievement**

   (i.e. Grading scheme) Grades given according to a predetermined scale as follows : A = 80 - 100; B+ = 75 - 79; B = 70 - 74; C+ = 65 - 69; C = 60 - 64; D+ = 55 - 59; D = 50 - 54; F < 49.

13. **Course evaluation**

   (i.e. Grading components) : Evaluations are based on two examinations (midterm, final) which each consist of 50% of the total. Questions are of the short answer format.

14. **Reference** *(s)*

   Anastasi, A., & Urbina, S. (1996). *Psychological Testing* (7th Edition). Prentice - Hall.

15. **Instructor** *(s)*

16. **Course Coordinator**

   Dr. Paul Yablo