



Welcome,

We are delighted to invite you to the University of Bradford's, "**Future Psychologists**" virtual programme. This programme has been designed and will be delivered by leading academics in our School of Social Sciences. The School is internationally recognised, producing cutting edge applied research, and working closely with governments, public bodies and multilateral organisations including the United Nations, the European Commission, the Quakers, and others. Our research expertise represents interests in the application of psychology to understanding health and well-being; cognition and brain research including neuropsychology, perception, and developmental psychology; and the connections between identity, social constructionism, and narrative.

Our mission is to provide a research informed education environment that embraces a commitment to excellence in teaching and an applied contribution to social issues at local, regional, national, and global levels.

Our aim is to engage, inspire, and inform students about Psychology, the developments and changes taking place in this fast-paced world, and give you an insight for future studies.

The programme is tailored to be accessible to a wide audience with no requirement of prior study of Psychology as a subject. **All participants who complete the full programme will receive 8 points towards their UCAS tariff** for future study at the University of Bradford as an Undergraduate Psychology student.

The programme will be launched on **November 18th**, with sessions being held on Wednesdays from **4:30pm – 5:30pm** virtually. Below is a short description of each session:

Session	Title	What will the session include?
Session 1: Wednesday 18 th November 4:30-5:30pm	Cognitive Psychology	Cognitive Psychology This session focuses on Cognitive Psychology, and in particular the study of human memory. We will look at how memory is shaped and how we can draw upon different senses to make the most of our memories.
Session 2: Wednesday 25 th November 4:30-5:30pm	Developmental Psychology	Developmental Psychology In this session we will explore key issues in developmental psychology to understand the challenges children face in adapting to the social world. We will also explore the different pathways to adulthood, including atypical development such as autism, attention-deficit disorder, language disorder and other conditions.
Session 3: Wednesday 2 nd December 4:30-5:30pm	Forensic Psychology	Forensic Psychology In this session we will run an experiment on false memories, link it to eyewitness testimony and discuss how reliable eyewitness testimony is.

<p>Session 4: Wednesday 9th December 4:30-5:30pm</p>	<p>Counselling Psychology</p>	<p>Counselling Psychology This session outlines transgenderism as a phenomenon and focuses on the wounds transgendered people carry, issues they face, and how to work with them therapeutically.</p>
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All sessions will be interactive, with plenty of time for questions. As such, this is a unique opportunity for students to ask questions directly to academics and learn more about their area of expertise.

Students will also be offered a bonus session at the end of the programme to bring all aspects of the series together. This final session will explore Personal Branding; how to write an effective UCAS Personal Statement; and tips on preparing for a successful admissions interview. This will be a 2-hour session.

If you are a current Year 13 student and wish to be part of this unique offering, please register by clicking [here](#).

Once you have registered, you will receive an email with a link to each session a few days before the session is due to commence and a reminder email for each session. If you have any questions regarding the “**Future Psychologists**” programme, please do email me.

We look forward to engaging with you on this exciting and enriching programme.

Kind regards

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