

WELCOME WEEK TIMETABLE
BSc(Hons) Cognitive Neuroscience and Psychology
Year 2
Academic Year: 2024-25
Monday 16th – Friday 20th September 2024

Welcome to your studies at the University of Manchester!

This document contains details of all the activities which have been organised to introduce you to our course and the campus. Different sessions are planned on each day. Make sure you attend these sessions so that you are ready to start the course. **Please pay attention to the study cohort (i.e. on campus, e-blended, full time).**

Semester 1 teaching starts in the week beginning 23rd September. Make sure you have accessed your timetable in advance and are aware of all of your sessions for this week.

You can use the following link to the campus map to help you find each session by its building number.

Map: <https://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=6507>

If you have any questions, please contact us at shs.hub@manchester.ac.uk
We hope you enjoy your week!

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Monday 16 th September	
14:00 – 15:00	Programme Director's Talk- Introduction to Year 2
	Staff: Donna Lloyd, George Farmer, Ruth Ingram, Amber Ruigrok
	Location: Stopford_TH4 Details: Welcome talk from the programme director. This session will give an overview of the year ahead, with essential guidance for how to succeed in Year 2 . You will also meet the year two tutors: Ruth Ingram & Amber Ruigrok

Tuesday 17 th September	
14:00 – 15:30	Time for Study: Placements, Careers, Unit Selection
	Location: Online (Blackboard)
	Details: Use this time to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read the Year Placement guide, • Review the Study Abroad guide Review the Year 2 Syllabus Booklets and Unit Specifications to be able to finalise your unit choices.

Wednesday 18 th September	
10:00– 11:00	Taking a Year Out
	Staff: Ruth Ingram & Amber Ruigrok (Year 2 Tutors), George Farmer (Cognitive Neuroscience & Psychology Deputy PD), Wai Yeung (Study Abroad Lead), Kamelia Harris & Luke Jones (Placement Leads)
	Location: Uni Place_TH B Details: In this session we will cover key details about the Year Placement and Study Abroad schemes. Please make sure you have reviewed the guide(s) on Tuesday in preparation! There will be the opportunity to anonymously ask questions through a Padlet.

Thursday 19 th September	
10:00 – 11:00	Careers & Personal Development
	Staff: Belen Lopez-Perez (Employability Lead), Emma Brewin-Caddy and Billi Charrington-Golland (FBMH Careers Consultants), Ruth Ingram & Amber Ruigrok (Year 2 Tutors), Ellen

Poliakoff (Social Responsibility Lead), Lou Shirley (Clinical Psychology Club Lead)

Location: Uni Place TH B

Details:

This jam-packed session will give you more information about support available in Year 2 for your career options and self-development.

Part 1: BSc Psychology and BSc Cognitive Neuroscience & Psychology students

Our Psychology Careers Consultant will kick off this session to get you inspired about your career prospects and **how to make the most of Year 2!**

Afterwards, you'll hear from our Social Responsibility lead, Ellen, about the many ways you can **contribute to social responsibility** at Manchester whilst benefiting your personal and career development.

Then, Lou will introduce the very popular **Clinical Psychology Club** and share key details about the club for 2024/25.

Cognitive Neuroscience & Psychology students will leave after part 1

Other sessions during welcome week:

Monday 16 th September	
12:00-14:00	Mature Students Event
	Staff: Lou Shirley, Doron Cohen (Programme Director), Liz McManus (Year 1 Tutor), Ruth Ingram & Amber Ruigrok (Year 2 Tutors), Lee Wickham & Rachel Ashworth (Year 3 Tutors)
	Location: Nancy Rothwell (Previously Engineering A)3A.016 M&T
	Details: Are you a mature student? Mature students start their studies a little later and are defined as any student who is 21 years or over at the start of their degrees . We recognise that being a mature student can involve a different set of pressures, hopes and ambitions. In the Division of Psychology and Mental Health, there are large groups of students starting/ returning into academic life, and it can be difficult to spot people who you might identify as 'peers.' We would like to offer an opportunity to meet up and make yourselves known to each other, initially with some support from staff. As the academic year progresses, we can stay in touch and possibly even manage to fund a pizza or two!

WELCOME WEEK ENDS

Week Commencing: Monday 23rd September

Normal Timetable Begins (Week 1)

About: Semester 1 teaching starts this week.

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If you are unsure of anything, remember that you can contact your Advisor for help.