

I can't speak highly enough of the DCU BSc in Psychology. It was a truly engaging, rewarding and enjoyable experience. The highlight of the course for me was the opportunity to take part in a work placement period in the third year. I would recommend that anyone thinking of studying psychology in Ireland makes it their first choice.

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BSc in Psychology
Honours Bachelor Degree
DC208

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What's Unique?

- Accredited by the Psychological Society of Ireland (PSI)
- Immersion in psychology as the main focus of study
- Innovative teaching methodologies and high levels of technical expertise and support
- Student-centred learning philosophy with a major emphasis on digital and transferable skills
- An integrated and credited work placement in Year 3
- High quality research laboratories and research skills training supports

How You Fit the Course

Psychology is concerned with all aspects of behaviour and the thoughts, feelings and motivations underlying such behaviour. While psychologists differ in their interests within the field and in the type of work they do, they all approach the study of behaviour in a scientific way. Most students study psychology because they aim to pursue a career as a psychologist. However, others choose to study psychology because it offers a broad training in a behavioural science and develops a wide range of valued transferrable skills.

The BSc in Psychology is structured to cover introductory to advanced levels of psychology across the five core pillars of undergraduate training: developmental and lifespan psychology; biological psychology and neuropsychology; social psychology; cognitive psychology and the psychology of individual difference. A core focus running throughout the course is research literacy supported by a combination of practical and online laboratory activities.

Careers

Psychology graduates can work as:

- Researchers
- Statistical analysts
- Data analysts
- Management trainees/executives

With further professional education and training, graduates can work as a psychologist in professional settings such as clinical, counselling, organisational, health, educational, sport, forensic or academic settings.

Years
4

CAO Code
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Internship
Yes

Delivery
Mode
Full Time