

COURSE DETAIL

FOUNDATIONS OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCE

Country

United Kingdom - England

Host Institution

London School of Economics

Program(s)

London School of Economics

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology

UCEAP Course Number

102

UCEAP Course Suffix

Y

UCEAP Official Title

FOUNDATIONS OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCE

UCEAP Transcript Title

FOUND PSYCH SCIENCE

UCEAP Quarter Units

12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description

Students are introduced to human cognition and behavior, addressing foundational topics in psychological science. These foundational topics include key concepts such as evolution, genetics, neuroscience, human evolutionary biology and anthropology, and specific topics, such as perception, memory, heuristics and biases, decision-making, child development, psychopathology, personality and individual differences, emotion, attraction and sexuality, cross-cultural differences, social relations, stereotypes and prejudice, norms and attitudes, social learning, social influence and persuasion, and group processes. The course offers an integrated perspective on these topics, investigating the evolution and variation in human psychology over time, across cultures, and over the lifespan. Students learn the history of the study of humans and human psychology, offering students the historical context to trends in research.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PB101

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Host Institution Course Details

https://www.lse.ac.uk/resources/calendar2020-2021/courseGuides/PB/2020_PB101.htm

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Psychological and Behavioral Science

Course Last Reviewed

2024-2025

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