MSc Mental Health Research

Develop your research skills and advance your career in mental health

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Learn from leading scientists and clinicians at the Institute of Mental Health

Train in advanced research methods

Study in a vibrant and culturally diverse city

Conduct a clinically relevant research project
Learn from experts across the disciplines of mental health

Overview
MSc Mental Health Research covers a broad range of topics within mental health, including the assessment and treatment of mental health conditions. This course fosters the development of advanced research skills in this field, providing excellent training and an internationally recognised qualification for furthering your clinical or academic career in mental health.

Content
On this course, you will:
- develop knowledge and understanding of all the main areas of mental health
- learn about the assessment and treatment of mental health conditions that can be applied to a range of clinical settings
- design, conduct and write up a research project with the potential for publication in a peer-reviewed journal
- evaluate current research in the field of mental health
- work with others from different disciplines, including science, healthcare and education

Entry requirements
An undergraduate degree (2:1 or above) in psychology, cognitive neuroscience, medicine or a related discipline. Applicants from other backgrounds will be considered.

If your first language is not English, you must achieve an overall IELTS score of at least 6.5 with no less than 6.0 in each element.

Structure
This one-year course consists of 120 credits of taught modules and a further 60-credit research project. You can opt to complete the diploma (120 credits of taught modules) or certificate (60 credits of taught modules) instead of the masters.

Full and part-time options are available.

Modules
Typical modules include:
- Topics in child and adolescent mental health
- Systematic review of treatment effects
- Topics in cognitive neuropsychiatry
- Dementia
- Models and approaches in forensic mental health
- Quantitative and qualitative research methods
- Masters research project

Why study at Nottingham
- Join a global student community based on the University's modern Jubilee Campus
- Access a wide range of scholarship opportunities for international students
- Benefit from a dedicated Careers and Employability Service
- Live in a thriving and yet affordable city in a central UK location with excellent transport links

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Important information
Application deadline: 2 September 2019
Course start date: 23 September 2019
Venue: Jubilee Campus, University of Nottingham

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