

BU STUDENTSHIPS 2010

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Project Title	
Goal neglect in young and old adults and patients with Dementia	
Outstanding Applicants	
We are looking for outstanding applicants who will preferably have a good first degree (first or upper-second class) and/or a good Master degree or an appropriate level of achievement to undertake the following research:	
Project Details	
Summary of research project	
This studentship will examine the phenomenon of goal neglect (see below for further details) in young and older adults and in patients with dementia of the Alzheimer's type using computer-based tasks. Goal neglect refers to the inability to act on intention. The aim of the project is to explore and compare goal neglect in these different populations and under various task conditions.	
Details of research training to be undertaken as part of this project	
If not already undertaken as part of a previous course, the successful applicant will be expected to complete an Advanced Statistics course provided by the Graduate Programme in the Psychology Research Group.	
Supervisory Team & Research Environment	
School(s)	Design, Engineering & Computing
Research Centre	Psychology Research Group
First supervisor	1. Dr Ben Parris
Additional supervisors	2. Dr Simon Thompson
Recent publications by supervisors relevant to this project	-
Informal Enquiries	
To discuss this opportunity further please contact: Dr Ben Parris on bparris@bournemouth.ac.uk	
How to Apply	
Information on how to apply can be found on www.bournemouth.ac.uk/studentships Informal enquiries can be made to Dr Ben Parris at bparris@bournemouth.ac.uk or on 01202 965485.	