

# ISN112 SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

## Unit Description

Social Psychology will provide a systematic and comprehensive overview of the behaviour of individuals in a social interaction within a cultural context. This unit considers the key theories, concepts, and research methods used in social psychology. Core areas that will be examined include: social self; stereotypes; prejudice and discrimination; attitudes; conformity; attraction and close relationships; aggression. The real-world application of social psychological phenomena in areas such as health, law, culture, and everyday life is also considered.

## Administrative Details

Associated higher education awards	Duration	Core or Elective	Level
Bachelor of Psychology	One semester	Core	First year, Semester 2

## Unit weighting as a percentage of the year

Unit credit points	Total course credit points
12.5	400

### Student workload

No. timetabled hours per week	No. personal study hours per week	Total workload hours per week
4-hours (1 x 2-hour lecture; 1 x 2-hrs face-to-face tutorial)	6-hours	10-hours

### Learning Outcomes and Assessments

Learning outcomes for Unit: Upon successful completion of this unit, the student should be able to:
I. Demonstrate and apply a systematic understanding of the principles, theories and concepts related to the key areas of social psychology
II. Develop the ability to interpret, analyse and critique social psychological research and its real-world applications
III. Demonstrate intermediate skills in laboratory report writing for social psychology

### **Overview of Assessment Tasks**

Assessment Tasks	Weighting (% of total marks for unit)	Unit Learning Outcomes
Laboratory Report	40%	I, II, III
Examination	40%	I, II
Tutorial Activities	20%	I, II

### **Delivery mode**

Face to face on site; Full-time or Part-time study

### **Pre-requisites and co-requisites**

None

### **Other Resource and Requirements**

None.

*\*Unit outlines may be subject to change. The most up-to-date outlines will be provided to students once the semester commences*