

2017 Honours program in Psychology

This document is to be read in conjunction with the information on the School of Psychology's website at <http://www.psy.unsw.edu.au/future-students/undergraduate/programs/honours>.

UNSW students/graduates please note: If you complete your degree at the end of Semester 1 2016, your application will be assessed according to the guidelines for internal applicants (<http://www.psy.unsw.edu.au/current-students/undergraduate/honours>). If you completed your degree in 2015 or earlier, your application will be assessed according to guidelines for external applicants.

The application submission process is different for domestic and international applicants (see 2, on the following page).

The application deadline is Wednesday, 30 November 2016.

IMPORTANT: Applicants are strongly encouraged to submit their application well before this deadline (September/October). The School of Psychology's application deadline (30 November) is *earlier* than the University deadline for other programs (10 December). The reason for this is so the School of Psychology can finalise places in the Honours program in early December.

1. Prepare your supporting academic documentation, including:

- Full official transcript of your previous studies in psychology,
- Proof of completion of your degree/s (if completed),
- Proof of whether your degree was completed in person/on campus or online/by distance education,
- Course Outlines for each completed *psychology* course (**non-UNSW students only**), and
- APS assessment letter (**international psychology qualifications only**)*.

* Applicants with international psychology qualifications **MUST** have the qualifications assessed by the APS **before** submitting an application.

Note: Non-UNSW students who will complete their undergraduate degree at the end of 2016 are advised to provide an interim transcript when submitting their application. Final results, and a final official transcript, should then be submitted to UNSW Admissions once it becomes available.

2. Complete and submit an application, based on your applicant category, as below.

a. INTERNATIONAL:

Complete an online application using the UNSW Apply Online Service (<https://apply.unsw.edu.au/>), no later than **Wednesday, 30 November 2016**.

Use Program Code 4518 for the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours). All supporting documentation must be uploaded towards the end of the online submission process.

Applicants are *not required* to nominate or contact a potential supervisor before an application is submitted. Should your application be successful, you will be contacted by the School of Psychology regarding the availability of individual supervisors.

b. DOMESTIC:

Complete a paper application form *Application for Admissions to Honours* (https://www.unsw.edu.au/sites/default/files/documents/HonoursWeb_2.pdf).

UNSW Apply Online is *not currently available* to domestic Honours applicants.

Complete Section 3 of the form (Program Details) using the information in the table below.

Degree	<i>Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours)</i>
UNSW Program Code	<i>4518</i>
Plan in which you wish to enrol	<i>PSYCAH4518</i>
Proposed area of study	<i>Psychology</i>
Study Mode	<i>Research and Coursework</i>
Attendance Mode	<i>Full-time</i>
Give a brief description of your intended Honours Plan	<i>Briefly outline your area/s of interest in psychology. You do not need to provide a detailed honours plan or research proposal.</i>

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All supporting documentation should be sent, with the application form, directly to the UNSW Admissions Office (refer to the application form for address details).

The application must *arrive at the University* no later than **Wednesday, 30 November 2016**.

3. If you have any enquiries about the Honours program in Psychology, please contact Emmalee O'Grady (Administrative Officer) via psychology@unsw.edu.au.

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