

Advising Faculty Members

The Office of Undergraduate Studies in Psychology assigns advisors based on faculty availability. Students are encouraged to reach out to us at psychologyDUS@duke.edu if they need assistance selecting their advisors. Please select at least three names from the list below to be considered as your possible advisor in the major. You can learn more about them at psychandneuro.duke.edu, under “people” tab.



STEVE ASHER

Peer relations, friendship, social competence, loneliness, social cognition.



AVSHALOM CASPI

Development, epidemiology, genetics, health inequalities, personality.



ELIKA BERGELSON

Language acquisition, word learning, cognitive development.



RUTH DAY

Cognitive science, medical cognition, cognition and law, memory for movement.



STACI BILBO

Neuroimmune interactions, environmental neurobiology, microglia biology.



TOBIAS EGNER

Cognitive control, predictive coding, neuroimaging, neurostimulation, attention.



JOHN BLACKSHEAR

Clinical psychology, trauma, PTSD, forensic psychology, learning differences.



MICHAEL GAFFREY

Autism spectrum disorder, mood disorders, preventive intervention.



ROBERTO CABEZA

Brain imaging and stimulation of memory in young and older adults.



SARAH GAITHER

Biracial and social identities, interracial interactions, racial categorizations.





JENNIFER GROH

Perception, vision, hearing, neuroscience, space, brain stimulation.



ELIZABETH MARSH

Memory, learning, knowledge, metacognition, education.



BRIDGETTE HARD

Psychology of teaching and learning, educational interventions.



JENNA MCHENRY

Optogenetics, neural circuits, social behavior, steroids and sex differences.



RICK HOYLE

Self-regulation, personality, adolescent problem behavior, research methods.



TERRIE MOFFITT

Aging, developmental longitudinal cohorts, neuropsychology.



SCOTT HUETTEL

Decision making, behavioral economics, social cognition, executive function, fMRI.



THOMAS NEWPHER

Synaptic plasticity, learning and memory, neuroscience education.



TAMAR KUSHNIR

Children, social choices, moral development.



MINNA NG

Neuroscience.



KEVIN LABAR

Emotion, memory, fear, associative learning, brain imaging, psychophysiology.



TOBIAS OVERATH

Perception of sound (including speech & music) in the human brain.



EVE PUFFER

Global/child mental health, family therapy, community-based interventions.



TIMOTHY STRAUMAN

Self-regulation, depression, translational research.



CRISTINA SALVADOR

Influence of culture at multiple levels (e.g., brain, language, data).



ANGELA VIETH

Self-regulation, personality, depression.



GREGORY SAMANEZ-LARKIN

Individual/age influence on decision making across the life span.



CHRISTINA WILLIAMS

Lifestyle factors (e.g., physical activity nutrition,) effect on neural plasticity.



PAUL SELI

Mind wandering, attention, multitasking, cognitive control, creativity.



MARTY WOLDORF

Attention, perception, cognitive control, EEG, ERP, fMRI, perceptual awareness.



JAMES SHAH

Motivation, goal pursuit, social cognition, self-regulation.



NANCY ZUCKER

Pediatric, adolescent, and adult eating disorders, psychosomatic disorders.