

<u>Durham University</u>
<u>Faculty Handbook Online</u>
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These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's <u>core regulations for undergraduate programmes</u>, and the <u>marking and classification conventions for undergraduate programmes</u>.

BA PHILOSOPHY AND PSYCHOLOGY (CV85) BA PHILOSOPHY AND PSYCHOLOGY (With Year Abroad) (CV58) BA PHILOSOPHY AND PSYCHOLOGY (With Placement Year) (C8V5)

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in a full-time mode of study.

Admissions

2. This programme is only available to students admitted to the BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85) programme.

Level 1 (Certificate)

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules to the value of 80 credits:

	C	redit value
Ethics and Values	PHIL1011	20
Knowledge and Reality	PHIL1021	20
Introduction to Psychological Research #	PSYC1062	40

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List A:

List A:		Credit value
Reading Philosophy	PHIL1041	20
Science, Medicine and Society	<u>PHIL1111</u>	20

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List B:

List B:		Credit value
Introduction to Psychology 1: Cognitive and Biological	PSYC1071	20
Psychology #		
Introduction to Psychology 2: Developmental and Social	PSYC1081	20
Psychology #\$		

Level 2 (Diploma)

6. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules to the value of 80 credits:

		Credit value
Philosophy of Mind	PHIL2011	20
Social and Developmental Psychology	PSYC2271	20
Cognitive and Biological Psychology	PSYC2241	20
Advanced Psychological Research for non-single honours	PSYC2261	20
students		

7. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one module to the value of 20 credits from List C:

List C:		Credit value
Language, Logic and Reality	PHIL2021	20
Early Modern Philosophy	PHIL2031	20
Moral Theory	PHIL2041	20

8. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one module to the value of 20 credits from List D:

List D:		Credit value
Fundamentals of Logics	PHIL2181	20
History, Science and Medicine	PHIL2191	20
Political Philosophy	PHIL2081	20
Philosophy of Religion	PHIL2091	20
Philosophy of Science	PHIL2151	20
The Philosophy of Economics and Politics: Theory, Methods and	PHIL2171	20
Values		
Feminist Philosophy	PHIL2201	20
One module from List C, above		

Year 3 (Year Abroad)

- 9. Candidates wishing to transfer to BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Year Abroad) (CV58) must:
 - a. have successfully completed BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85) Level 1 and progressed to level 2 of the honours programme;
 - b. during the first term of Level 2 study, apply to the Board of Studies in Philosophy to be admitted to the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Year Abroad) (CV58) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies in Philosophy;
 - c. successfully complete Level 2 of the BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85) so as to be eligible to progress to level 3 of the BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85) Honours programme.
- 10. Students will undertake an approved placement in an overseas university taking a course of study chosen in consultation with the programme director and the host institution. Courses relating to Philosophy or Psychology should normally comprise a minimum of 50% of those taken.
- 11. Students whom the Board of Examiners deems to have made satisfactory progress on the year abroad, judged by reference to each student's learning agreement, will continue to Level 3 of the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Year Abroad) (CV58). Students who have not made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will not be permitted to continue on the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Year Abroad) (CV58) programme, but must instead proceed to the final year of the BA Philosophy and Psychology programme (CV85).

Year 3 (Placement)

- 12. Students admitted to the BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Placement Year) programme (C8V5). Students taking the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Placement Year) (C8V5) will undertake an approved placement or placements in a UK or overseas organisation consisting of at least 40 weeks of professional-level work experience.
 - Following the placement year, students will be required to successfully complete a placement assessment as agreed by the Department, to determine whether the programme learning outcomes have been met. Assessment does not contribute to the marks used to determine the award of the degree but successful completion is required to qualify for the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Placement Year) (C8V5). If a student fails, they will transfer to the BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85) programme.
- 13. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Placement Year) (C8V5) must:
 - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85) and progressed to Level 2 of the Honours programme; and
 - b. during the first term of Level 2 study, apply to the Board of Studies in the Department of Philosophy to be admitted to the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Placement) (C8V5) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies; and
 - c. secure a placement / year abroad opportunity or opportunities comprising at least 40 weeks of professional-level work experience, agreed with the Departmental Placement Year Convenor and Faculty Placement Officer; and

- d. successfully complete Level 2 of the BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BA Philosophy and Psychology (CV85).
- 14. Students whom the Board of Examiners for the Department of Philosophy deem to have fulfilled the programme learning outcomes and who successfully pass the placement assessment will continue to Level 3 of the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Placement Year) (C8V5). Students who fail will not be permitted to continue on the BA Philosophy and Psychology (with Placement Year) (C8V5) programme, but must instead proceed to the final year of the BA Philosophy and Psychology programme (CV85).

Level 3 (Degree)

15. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules to the value of 60 credits:

		Credit value
Differential and Clinical Psychology	PSYC2251	20
Psychology Project ~	PSYC3041	20
Philosophy Short Dissertation	PHIL3101	20

- 16. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in Psychology modules to the value of 20 credits taken from the combination of those on List B or List C in the entry for the BSc Psychology (C800) programme, noting the restrictions referenced on those programme regulations.
- 17. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List E:

List E:		Credit value
Revolutions in Modern Philosophy: Kant and other Trailblazers	PHIL3011	20
Philosophical Issues in Contemporary Science	PHIL3021	20
Aesthetics	PHIL3031	20
Twentieth-Century European Philosophy	PHIL3051	20
Issues in Contemporary Ethics	PHIL3131	20
Metaphysics	PHIL3171	20
History and Philosophy of Psychiatry	PHIL3181	20
Formal and Philosophical Logic	PHIL3201	20
Ethics in Business Practice	PHIL3191	20
Biomedical Ethics, Past and Present	PHIL3211	20
Philosophy, Climate Change and the Environment	PHIL3221	20

Assessment, progression and award

- 18. Modules marked # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the next level of study.
- 19. Modules marked ~ must be passed at 40% or above. A mark of 30-39% cannot be compensated.
- 20. Modules marked \$ are only available to students who have passed Biology A2 level at Grade B or higher, or an equivalent.

Professional accreditation

- 21. This programme is accredited on an ongoing basis from the 2012-13 intake as conferring eligibility for the Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership of the British Psychological Society. Students entering in and after October Year Abroad:
 - a) The empirical project (PSYC3041) must be passed in order to achieve Graduate Basis for Chartered membership;
 - b) A minimum of a second class honours degree is required to gain eligibility for Graduate Basis for Chartered membership.