



**QUEEN'S
UNIVERSITY
BELFAST**

HELP UNIVERSITY, MALAYSIA QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY BELFAST PARTNERSHIP

1+2 BSC (HONS) PSYCHOLOGY

THE SCIENCE BEHIND BEHAVIOUR

**SHAPING
A BETTER
WORLD
SINCE 1845**

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GROUP**

The School of Psychology at Queen's provides excellent training in Psychology and currently offers a variety of undergraduate, postgraduate taught and postgraduate research degrees.

In the 2021 National Student Survey we had an overall satisfaction of 81%. The most recent Research Excellence Framework (REF 2014) placed the School among the UK's top 20 Psychology, Psychiatry and Neuroscience departments in terms of both research intensity and research impact. Our impact reflects how the School's research is informing policy makers, developing industry partnerships and ultimately touching on the lives of thousands of individuals. We are at the forefront of ground-breaking research which you'll find embedded throughout our teaching.

As well as applying for direct entry students from HELP can apply for entry to year 2 of the psychology degree. This involves students undertaking their first year at HELP University and their second and third year at Queen's. Students will graduate with a Queen's University degree. Degree classification is based on the results from assessments taken whilst studying at Queen's only. **Successful completion of our undergraduate programme confers eligibility for the Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC) with the British Psychological Society (BPS).**

Modules

Year 2: You will take three compulsory modules covering topics such as cognitive psychology, developmental psychology, social psychology, individual differences, perception, psychobiology, research methods and statistics. You will be building a more detailed knowledge of the core domain of psychology whilst developing critical and analytical thinking skills. Our subject specialists use a mixture of theoretical and practical teaching methods to hone the skills required to be a successful graduate.

Year 3: You will be able to tailor your Psychology degree according to your own individual interests by choosing from a selection of modules designed to explore current developments across the domains of Psychology; all delivered by our cutting-edge researchers.

Modules on offer may include

- Forensic Psychology and Crime
- Depression and Anxiety
- Psychology of Gender
- Using Nudges to Change Behaviour
- Ageing: Mind, Brain and Behaviour
- Typical and Atypical Literacy Development

- Introduction to Political Psychology
- Introduction to Clinical Health Psychology
- Contemporary Issues in Mental Health and Addiction
- Introduction to Cultural Psychology
- Imagining, Thinking and Learning in Childhood
- International Collaboration: Psychology Towards Global Goals

In addition, you will complete your degree in Psychology by submitting a research project thesis at the end of Year 3. This independent research is completed under the supervision of our expert academic staff, who will be with you every step of the way on your transition to becoming a graduate Psychologist.

Special Features

Placements:

Employability is embedded into our programme, being commended by the BPS and employers. We offer assessed work placements in final year or a full year paid professional placement with one of our graduate employment partners.

Research Experience Scheme:

The Research Experience Scheme for Undergraduate Students (RESUS) provides an online framework within which psychology undergraduates can gain valuable experience working on research projects with members of staff in the School. This work might involve a range of activities including: designing stimuli, recruiting participants, running experiments, coding data. Students will gain a greater understanding of how research is performed, as well as developing key skills in the specific areas in which they work.

For further information on the programme please visit:
www.qub.ac.uk/courses/undergraduate/psychology-bsc-c800/

Scholarships (up to £5,500)

All international students beginning their first year of full-time undergraduate study in Queen's University Belfast in September 2022 who meet the conditions of their academic offer will receive an International Office Undergraduate Scholarship (£3000 for BSc Psychology degree). No application is necessary, terms and conditions apply.

Early Confirmation Award

A £1500 reduction is available to new international students beginning a full-time course in September 2022 who have both met the conditions of their offer and paid tuition fees in full by the stipulated deadline.

Special Partner Discount Arrangement

- QUB-HELP Partner Discount: £500 for the first year of study at Queen's

- Prestigious Partner Discount: £500 for the first year of study at Queen's

In recognition of the valued partnership between HELP University and QUB, HELP students will receive BOTH partner discounts with a total of £1,000 on their first year of study.

More information may be found at **www.qub.ac.uk/International/International-students/International-scholarships/international-scholarships/scholarships-for-south-east-asia/**

Entry Requirements

Pre-University – as required by HELP University.

Year 2 – Each student accepted onto Queen's BSc Psychology programme must have passed all Stage 1 modules and have obtained at least 3.0 CGPA in Stage 1 Bachelor of Psychology at HELP University.

Each student accepted onto QUEEN'S BSc Psychology programme must have achieved an IELTS score of 6.5 or above, with a minimum of 5.5 in all four elements of the test (or equivalent as defined by QUEEN'S), taken within the last two (2) years.

How to Apply

Most students make their applications through UCAS (Universities and Colleges Admissions Service) for full-time undergraduate degree programmes at Queen's.

Please note that the UCAS code name for Queen's is QBELF and the number is Q75.

The Direct Entry Application form is to be used by international applicants who wish to apply directly, and only, to Queen's.

Download the application form at:
www.qub.ac.uk/International/International-students/Applying/

Accommodation for International Students

International students are prioritized for a place in University accommodation for at least their first year at Queen's. All accommodation is self-catered, with en-suite options and internet and wifi access included in the accommodation fee. It is also conveniently located within easy walking distance of the University. More information may be found at **www.qub.ac.uk/accommodation**

Further Information

Visit **www.qub.ac.uk/schools/psy/** or Email **psychology@qub.ac.uk**

Local contact in Malaysia

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10 REASONS TO CHOOSE QUEEN'S

**RUSSELL
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Queen's is a member of the Russell Group of the UK's 24 leading research-intensive universities

THE WORLD
UNIVERSITY
RANKINGS
TOP 200 2021

Ranked in the top 250 in the World

(Times HE World University Rankings 2022)



Queen's was founded by Royal Charter in 1845, being the 9th oldest university in the UK

(Complete University Guide 2022)



Queen's is ranked in the Top 10 most beautiful universities in the UK

(QS World University Rankings 2021)



Queen's University has been placed joint 8th in the UK for research intensity

(REF 2014/ Times Higher Education)



Belfast has the lowest student rent in the UK

(NatWest Student Living Index 2020)



Belfast is in the safest region in the UK

(British Crime Surveys, 2019/20)



Queen's offers lower tuition fees than many other similarly well-regarded UK universities

(Natwest Student Living Index 2017)



Each year, the University announces over £1.5m worth of scholarships for talented, fee-paying International students



9th in the UK for university facilities

(Times Higher Education Student Experience Survey 2018)

"I am a final year student in the School of Psychology at QUB. I was worried that transferring after my first year from HELP University would be difficult. Although it was a challenge, I was pleasantly surprised by the level of support I have received from the School and Faculty. I have jumped on so many opportunities that were made available to me. I have conducted a placement in a primary school which was an amazing experience getting to apply the knowledge I had learnt in a practical setting.

There are also many research positions that are made available to students. I got the chance to present my 2nd-year project at an international conference, and I was part of a research project with a team of over 100 people from 65 countries on 'temporal discounting' that is being published. I also contribute to a research study on vengeance-seeking with one of the professors within the School. These opportunities have really pushed the boundaries of what I thought I could accomplish."

Arjoon Arunasalam

Malaysia

BSc Psychology 2020-2022



ABOUT BELFAST & NORTHERN IRELAND

Belfast is friendly, compact, safe, easy to get around and is the safest region in the UK. Queen's beautiful main campus is in leafy south Belfast, close to the river and parks and just a 15-minute walk to the vibrant city centre.

www.qub.ac.uk/about/Living-in-Northern-Ireland/Life-in-Belfast/



BELFAST VOTED
NUMBER 1 REGION
IN THE WORLD TO VISIT IN 2018
(Lonely Planet, 2017)



GAME OF THRONES
FILM LOCATION AND
ACTIVITY TOURS



BELFAST HAS THE
**LOWEST COST OF
LIVING IN THE UK**

(Mercer Cost of Living City Ranking 2021)



NORTHERN IRELAND IS THE
**HAPPIEST PLACE TO LIVE
IN THE UK**

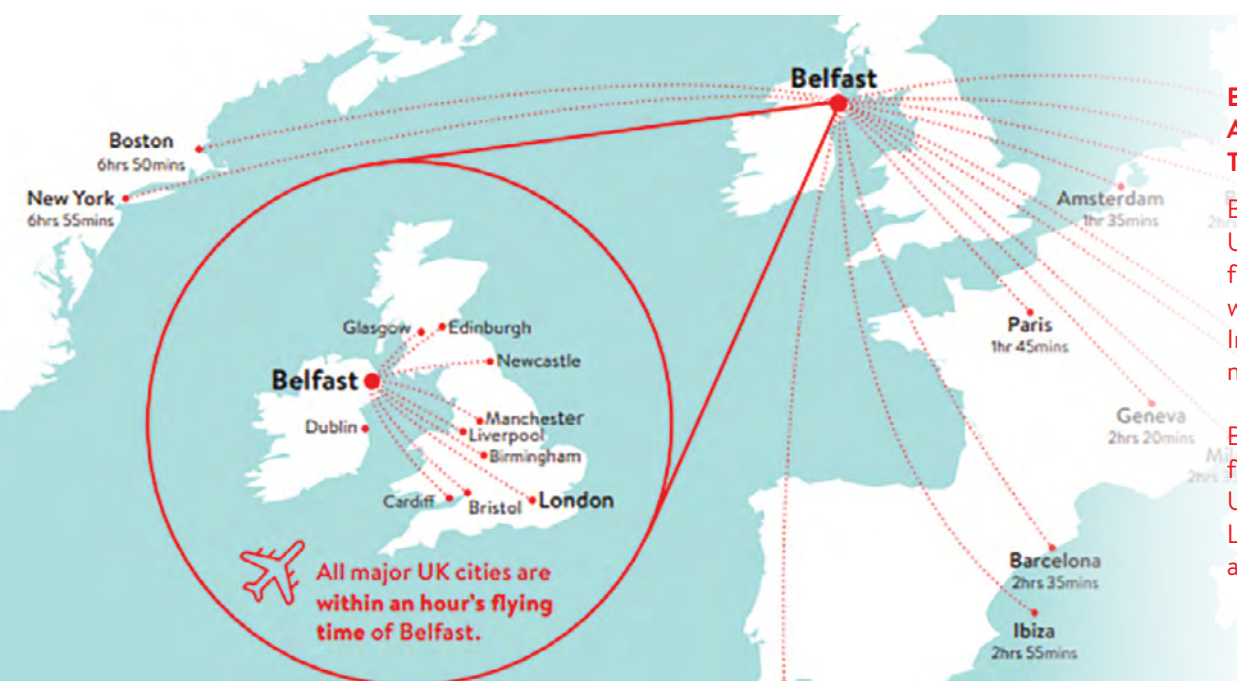
(Lloyds Bank Happiness Index, 2020)



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Queen's University Belfast was founded by Royal Charter in 1845, the 9th oldest university in the UK. A world-leading university with over 175-year history, it has a unique past and a vibrant academic environment. As a centre of excellence, Queen's has been awarded the Queen's Anniversary Prize seven times, one of the highest honours awarded to higher and further education institutions in the UK. Queen's is also a proud member of the Russell Group and one of the leading universities in the UK providing world-class education underpinned by world-class research.

The University has invested over £350 million in campus facilities over the past 5 years, so you'll be studying in some of the best university facilities in the UK. The University also has a vibrant Malaysian society and has over 190 clubs and societies for you to join, so you'll have no problem settling in. We look forward to welcoming you to Queen's...



EXPLORE FURTHER A STEPPING STONE TO EUROPE

Belfast is the perfect UK study destination for students who want to easily explore Ireland, the UK and mainland Europe.

Belfast is a short flight from all other major UK cities, including London, Edinburgh and Manchester.