



PSYCHOLOGY & EDUCATIONAL SCIENCES

Research facts & figures

The faculty of psychology and educational sciences consists of two departments covering a wide range of research topics

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The faculty's research portfolio takes a diverse and interdisciplinary approach to critical social issues, mental health, education, and ageing, with collaborations across psychology, sociology, and healthcare. Key areas are quality of life for older adults, advancing mental health care through innovative interventions, and promoting educational innovation and inclusivity. Social participation and justice, especially for marginalised groups are central themes. Emphasising cultural sensitivity and contextual understanding ensure the research is applicable globally and reflects dedication to tackling pressing societal challenges, with a clear focus on enhancing well-being, promoting inclusion, and driving innovation in education and mental health care.

- 120 academic & scientific staff
- 80 PhD students
- 11 research groups

Research groups:

- Belgian Ageing Studies (BAS)
- Brain, Body and Cognition (BBCO): <https://bbco.paddlecms.net/home-brain-body-and-cognition>
- Brussels University Consultation Centre (BRUCC)
- Brussels Research Centre for Innovation in Learning and Diversity (BILD)
- EU-China Higher Education Research Centre (ECHE)
- Localities, Ontologies, Commons, Integrated (LOCI)
- Participation and Learning in Detention (PALD)
- Personality and Psychopathology (PEPS)
- Society and Ageing Research Lab (SARLAB)
- Work & Organisational Psychology (WOPs)
- Centre for Research in Youth care and Support (CRYS)

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