

Research Assistant I (Ref: 2500123)
Department of Psychology

Project Title: A novel conditioning approach to counter loneliness in adults

[Appointment Period: 6 months]

The appointee will work on projects related to loneliness, socio-affective processing and brain health. He/she will support the research team in planning and conducting the project activities. The appointee will conduct literature review and prepare assessment materials. He/she will help with the collection of behavioural and neuroimaging data (e.g., MRI), data entry, data management and data analysis. The appointee will also assist in manuscript writing and any other duties as assigned. He/she may have to travel to other institutions.

Applicants should have a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology, Cognitive neuroscience, or a related discipline. They should have a good command of written and spoken English and Chinese (including Cantonese); basic knowledge in using statistical software such as SPSS and R; be self-motivated, responsible, and able to work independently and as a team. Experience with programming (e.g., E-Prime, MATLAB) and/or cognitive neuroscience methods (e.g., MRI, EEG, tDCS, TMS) will be an asset.

For further enquiries about the post, please contact Dr Nichol Wong at nmlwong@eduhk.hk.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. Fringe benefits include leave and outpatient medical benefits.

The University only accepts and considers applications submitted online for this post. Applicants should complete the [online application form](#) and upload a full CV. **Review of applications will start from 17 February 2025, and will continue until the post is filled.** Applications which are incomplete or without the required documents may not be considered. Personal data provided by applicants will be used for recruitment and other employment-related purposes. For details of the Personal Information Collection Statement, please refer to <http://www.eduhk.hk/jobsopp/index.php?glang=en>.

All applications will be treated in strict confidence. Only those who are shortlisted will be contacted. The University reserves the right not to fill the position(s) advertised. Since the incumbent's work would involve contacts with persons aged under 18 and/or mentally incapacitated persons, prospective employee(s) will be required to undergo Sexual Conviction Record Check operated by the Hong Kong Police Force.

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