

## People

### Staff

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#### **[Dr Jackie Blissett \(/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=5520\)](/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=5520)**

Reader in Childhood Eating Behaviour

Jackie is an applied developmental psychologist whose specific interest is in parenting and childhood eating behaviour and obesity.



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#### **[Dr Suzanne Higgs \(/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=10174\)](/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=10174)**

Reader in the Psychobiology of Appetite

 (</university/colleges/les/research-gallery/suzanne-higgs.aspx>) I am a research psychologist interested in the study of motivated behaviours like eating and drug taking.



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#### **[Dr Ruth Howard \(/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=10175\)](/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=10175)**

Senior Academic Tutor, ClinPsyD course

I am a Senior Academic Tutor and Admissions Tutor for the ClinPsyD Programme. I supervise research within the area of health psychology, focusing mainly on coeliac disease, cancer and end of life care. I organise the ClinPsyD health psychology teaching module and support the organisation of the MRes Clinical programme.



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#### **[Dr Michael Larkin \(/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=8825\)](/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=8825)**

Senior Research Tutor for Clinical Psychology  
Senior Lecturer in Psychology  
Course Director MRes Clinical Psychology

My main roles involve teaching, supporting and supervising research on the clinical psychology doctorate, and organising the MRes Clinical Psychology course. I also supervise PhD students using qualitative research methods to explore experiences of psychological distress, recovery, relatedness and caring. My research interests are in these same areas.

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#### **[Dr Gary Urquhart Law \(/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=10572\)](/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=10572)**

Senior Academic Tutor  
Lecturer in Clinical Psychology & Child Clinical Psychologist

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#### **[Dr Theresa Powell \(/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=8864\)](/schools/psychology/people/profile.aspx?ReferenceId=8864)**

Programme Director, Doctorate in Clinical Psychology



### Postgraduate research students

Antonio Laguna-Camacho

