



#### **[Emotion and consciousness: Damasio's hypothesis \(http://philosophybirmingham.blogspot.co.uk/2014/08/emotion-and-consciousness.html\)](http://philosophybirmingham.blogspot.co.uk/2014/08/emotion-and-consciousness.html)**

PhD student Isaura Peddis writes about her research provisionally entitled 'The Importance of Empathy'.

16/08/2014



#### **[Philosophy of psychiatry at Philosophy@Birmingham \(/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/psychiatry-blogging.aspx\)](/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/psychiatry-blogging.aspx)**

Sullivan-Bissett, Allen and Miyazono blog about their research on delusions and anxiety.

13/08/2014



#### **[The University of Birmingham celebrates its best ever performance in the National Student Survey \(/news/latest/2014/08/12-aug-nss.aspx\)](/news/latest/2014/08/12-aug-nss.aspx)**

The National Student Survey (NSS) has awarded the University of Birmingham an overall satisfaction mark of 89%, up from 88% for the past two years and a rise of five places among Russell Group institutions.

12/08/2014



#### **[Philosophy advance reading list \(/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/advance-reading.aspx\)](/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/advance-reading.aspx)**

Suggested summer reading for students starting in September 2014.

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#### **[PG student presentation \(/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/magdalena-presentation.aspx\)](/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/magdalena-presentation.aspx)**

Magdalena Antrobus to present at the World Association of Social Psychiatry Congress.

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#### **[New book: This Is Ethics: An Introduction \(/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/suikkanen-book.aspx\)](/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/suikkanen-book.aspx)**

Dr Jussi Suikkanen's new textbook entitled This Is Ethics: An Introduction is now out on Wiley-Blackwell.

11/08/2014



#### **[Procreation and the welfare of the future child \(http://philosophybirmingham.blogspot.co.uk/2014/06/procreation-and-welfare-of-future-child.html\)](http://philosophybirmingham.blogspot.co.uk/2014/06/procreation-and-welfare-of-future-child.html)**

MA Health and Happiness student John J. Parry wonders whether existence constitutes a harm.

02/07/2014



#### **[Research poster conference 2014 \(/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/poster.aspx\)](/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/poster.aspx)**

PhD student Rachel Gunn wins the best poster design award at the University's Research Poster Conference 2014.

12/06/2014



#### **[Philosophy continues to climb the league table \(/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/guardian-table.aspx\)](/schools/ptr/departments/philosophy/news/2014/guardian-table.aspx)**

The Department of Philosophy is up four places in the new Guardian league table.

12/06/2014



#### **[Professor Heather Widdows at the Hay Festival \(/research/activity/gloablethics/news/2014/heather-hay-festival.aspx\)](/research/activity/gloablethics/news/2014/heather-hay-festival.aspx)**

Professor Widdows' talk from the Hay Festival 2014 is now available to download.

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The Department and staff also have a number of regularly updated twitter feeds:

- [School of Philosophy, Theology & Religion \(https://mobile.twitter.com/PTRBirmingham?p=s\)](https://mobile.twitter.com/PTRBirmingham?p=s)
- [Ethics at Birmingham \(https://twitter.com/bhamethics\)](https://twitter.com/bhamethics)
- [Project PERFECT \(https://twitter.com/EpistInnocence\)](https://twitter.com/EpistInnocence)
- [BeautyDemands \(https://twitter.com/BeautyDemands\)](https://twitter.com/BeautyDemands)
- [Professor Heather Widdows \(https://twitter.com/ProfWiddows\)](https://twitter.com/ProfWiddows)
- [Professor Lisa Bortolotti \(https://mobile.twitter.com/lisabortolotti?p=s\)](https://mobile.twitter.com/lisabortolotti?p=s)
- [Dr Scott Wisor \(https://twitter.com/scottwisor\)](https://twitter.com/scottwisor)

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