

# Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies

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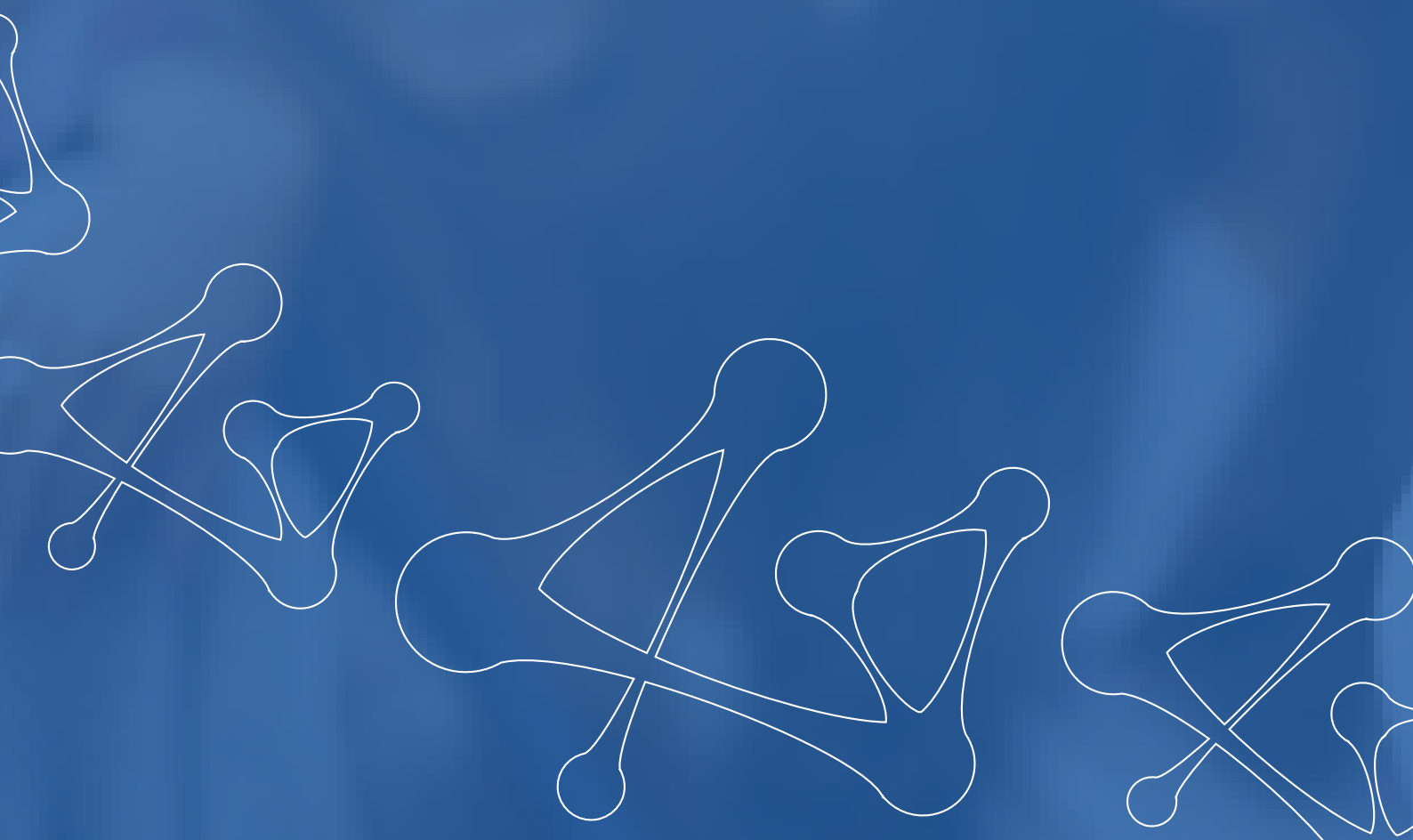


# Why choose ISN Psychology?

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ISN Psychology aims to investigate the basis of character and temperament through the study of psychology, epigenetics, biochemistry, neuroscience, and ecology and to apply these findings to improving the health of individuals and societies. Graduates will learn to apply psychology to address challenges of the 21st century.

ISN Psychology allows you to learn and explore in an environment that is all about intellectual curiosity and freedom of expression. You will study in a tertiary college that specialises in psychology, where no other faculties compete for funds and resources.



## DETAILS

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**If you have completed a bachelor's degree in another discipline but wish to learn more about human behaviour or make a career change into psychology, ISN Psychology's Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies is the right choice for you.**

The Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies is an APAC approved two-year program that bridges 4 years of Psychology study. It consists of eight core undergraduate units in year one and six core fourth year units in year two. This unique two year offering is ideal for those considering fast tracking a career path transition into psychology.

Students graduating with a Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies would be eligible to apply for our Master of Psychology (Clinical) or other postgraduate psychology offerings.

The Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies is an AQF level 8 qualification and is offered at ISN Psychology's Ivanhoe campus in Melbourne, Victoria. Online and blended components allow flexibility of delivery options.

## **An understanding of Human Nature like never before.**

Students will explore areas of psychology such as personality, perception, cognition, learning, motivation, abnormal psychology, and developmental psychology. Students will gain knowledge about human behaviour and how this can be applied to various industries and everyday life. ISN Psychology provides a comprehensive understanding of Human Nature like never before.

## Entry Requirements

To apply for a position in the Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies, prospective students must demonstrate that they:

- Meet criteria as a domestic student, and
- Completed a bachelor's degree or higher in a discipline other than psychology, and
- Overseas qualifications are translated into English and deemed equivalent to Australian qualifications by the Australian Education International – National Office of Overseas Skills Recognition (AEI-NOOSR).

## Course Structure

The Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies consists of two years full-time, or the part-time equivalent study. The course structure is based on four full-time semesters (each of 12 weeks' duration).

## Course Sequence

The first year of the Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies, consists of eight core units.

### YEAR 1

#### Semester 1

<b>ISNG101</b>	Introduction to Psychology 1	12.5 credit points
<b>ISNG102</b>	Introduction to Psychology 2	12.5 credit points
<b>ISNG113</b>	Psychological Statistics	12.5 credit points
<b>ISNG114</b>	Foundations of Neuroscience	12.5 credit points

#### Semester 2

<b>ISNG201</b>	Psychology Research Methods	12.5 credit points
<b>ISNG202</b>	Abnormal Psychology	12.5 credit points
<b>ISNG203</b>	Learning and Motivation	12.5 credit points
<b>ISNG303</b>	Basics of Psychological Assessment	12.5 credit points



The Second year of the Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies consists of six core units of which two will focus on the completion of a major research project/thesis.

The unit structure is provided below:

## YEAR 2

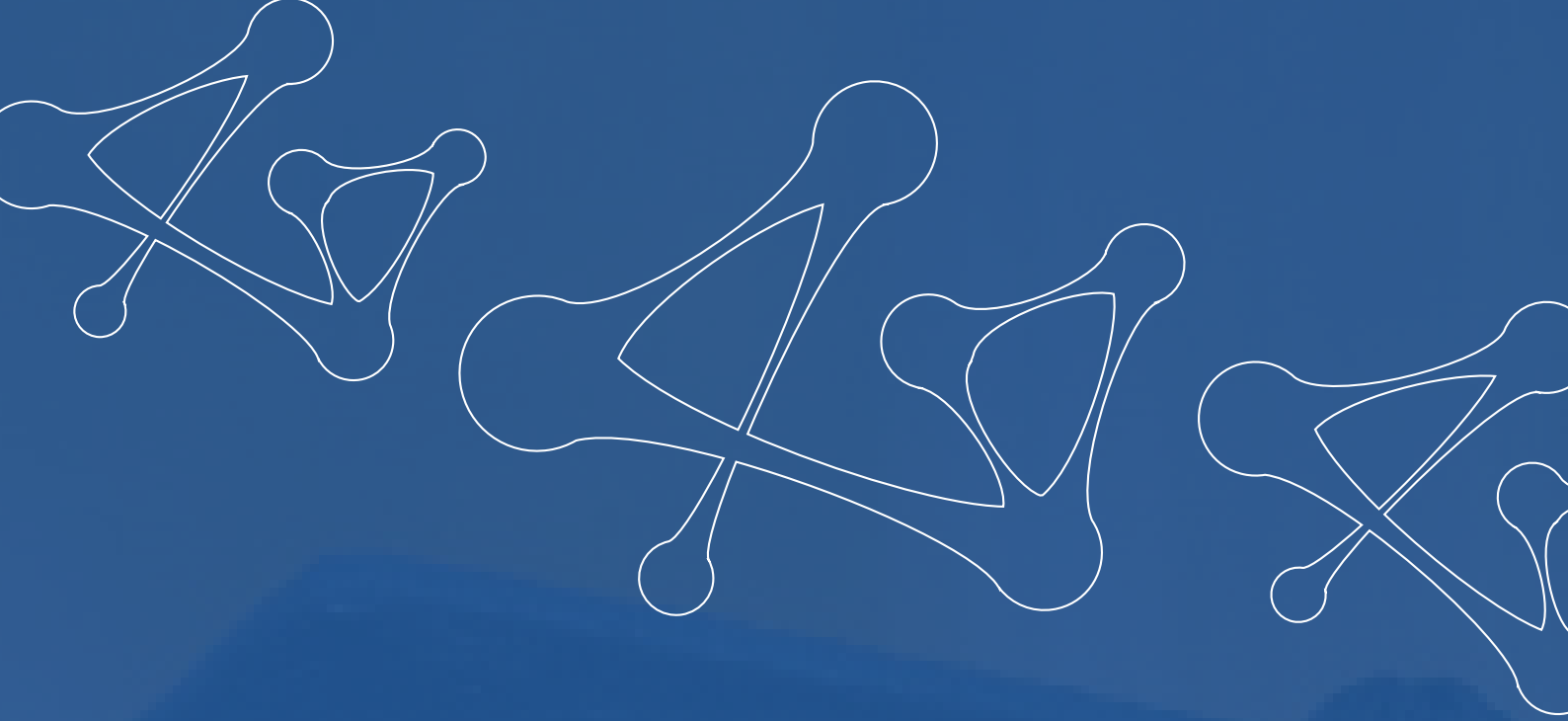
### Semester 1

<b>ISN401</b>	Life Span Development and Psychopathology*	12.5 credit points
<b>ISN402</b>	Psychological Assessment	12.5 credit points
<b>ISN403</b>	Research Methods	12.5 credit points
<b>ISN404</b>	Research Thesis 1	12.5 credit points

### Semester 2

<b>ISN411</b>	Contemporary Professional Psychology	12.5 credit points
<b>ISN412</b>	Research Thesis 2	37.5 credit points

\*Students enrolled in the mid-year intake will complete ISN411 Contemporary Professional Psychology in their Semester 1 and ISN401 Lifespan Development and Psychopathology in their Semester 2.



## **Tuition Fees**

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ISN Psychology is now a FEE HELP approved provider. Tuition fees are payable upfront or through FEE HELP for eligible students.

For more information about tuition fees please visit our website, [isn.edu.au](http://isn.edu.au) or contact us (03) 9008 1600.

## Below are the fees for 2023:

### YEAR 1

Unit Code	Unit of Study Name	Credit Points	Tuition Fees
ISNG101	Introduction to Psychology 1	12.5	\$2,452.75
ISNG102	Introduction to Psychology 2	12.5	\$2,452.75
ISNG113	Psychological Statistics	12.5	\$2,452.75
ISNG114	Foundations of Neuroscience	12.5	\$2,452.75
ISNG201	Psychology Research Methods	12.5	\$2,452.75
ISNG202	Abnormal Psychology	12.5	\$2,452.75
ISNG203	Learning and Motivation	12.5	\$2,452.75
ISNG303	Basics of Psychological Assessment	12.5	\$2,452.75
Total cost (100 credit points)			\$19,622

### YEAR 2

Unit Code	Unit of Study Name	Credit Points	Tuition Fees
ISN401	Life Span Development and Psychopathology	12.5	\$3,358
ISN402	Psychological Assessment	12.5	\$3,358
ISN403	Research Methods	12.5	\$3,358
ISN404	Research Thesis 1	12.5	\$3,358
ISN411	Contemporary Professional Psychology	12.5	\$3,358
ISN412	Research Thesis 2	37.5	\$10,074
Total cost (100 credit points)			\$26,864
<b>Total Course Cost</b>			<b>\$46,486</b>

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