

## OPSYRIS members newsletter for November



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Warm regards,

The OPSYRIS Committee: Stephanie Rossit, Fergus Gracey, Cat Ford, Tom Steverson & Andrea Kusec,

<https://opsyris.org/>

### 1. OPSYRIS 2024 Speakers

We are excited to announce that the keynote speaker for OPSYRIS 2024 will be Jon Evans, Professor of Clinical Neuropsychology (Mental Health & Wellbeing) at the University of Glasgow and President of the International Neuropsychological Society. We are also delighted to welcome Louise Clark to OPSYRIS 2024 as an invited speaker. Louise is a Consultant Occupational Therapist, Associate Director of SSNAP, RCOT Stroke Forum and Intercollegiate Stroke Working Party member.



Submit abstracts by 29th April using this link: <https://forms.gle/fKuiv6sYMN2dyRmm8...>

Please submit symposium, talk & poster proposals as well as travel and rising award nominations!

We hope to see you there!



Organisation for Psychological Research into Stroke

### Organisation for Psychological Research into Stroke Annual Conference 2024

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024  
University of Bournemouth, UK  
<http://opsyris.org>

Registration: Students £30, WFNR members £45, Non-members £60, Online only £25

Please submit your proposal for symposium, talks or posters by **Monday the 29<sup>th</sup> of April 2024** on this link: [Abstract Submission form](#)

Proposals for travel grant applications and rising star awards also accepted!

## 2. SHAPE THE FUTURE OF PSYCHOLOGICAL RESEARCH IN STROKE! – Could you become the new OPSYRIS committee?

Could you shape the future of psychological research in stroke?! Get in touch ( [s.rossit@uea.ac.uk](mailto:s.rossit@uea.ac.uk) [f.gracey@uea.ac.uk](mailto:f.gracey@uea.ac.uk) [catherine.ford@uea.ac.uk](mailto:catherine.ford@uea.ac.uk) ) if you and your colleagues are interested in becoming the next OPSYRIS committee from Autumn 2024 – Summer 2026! Benefits include getting to meet the wonderful OPSYRIS membership, free travel, and conference attendance, hearing the latest news in psychological research in stroke and more!

## 3. BNS Brief Open Research Survey <https://tinyurl.com/BNSBORS>

### Brief Open Research Survey

Please take <5 minutes to tell us about your experiences and opinions on Open Research

We want to know about the challenges and priorities for Neuropsychologists



Many thanks!  
The British Neuropsychological Society



<https://tinyurl.com/BNSBORS>

## 4. NIHR ARC North West Coast, University of Central Lancashire: PhD Studentship Opportunity – Closing 30.11.23

The NIHR ARC North West Coast, University of Central Lancashire are advertising a fully funded PhD Studentship, tenable for three-years full-time study including fees, stipend and research costs, hosted at the University of Central Lancashire and supported by the NIHR Applied Research Collaboration North West Coast. One studentship is available, with five potential topics to choose from. Please see the attachment, and links below for further information. **Apply online via the [online application system](#)** For more information, please contact [ARCnwc@UCLan.ac.uk](mailto:ARCnwc@UCLan.ac.uk) or the project supervisor details in the attached document.

NIHR Applied Research Collaboration North West Coast (ARC NWC), University of Central Lancashire  
[www.uclan.ac.uk](http://www.uclan.ac.uk) | [www.arc-nwc.nihr.ac.uk](http://www.arc-nwc.nihr.ac.uk) |



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## 5. OPSYRIS-OZ Live Online on 8th December

Please find attached the program for OPSYRIS-OZ 2023. The seminar is free, online and will take place on 8<sup>th</sup> December. Sessions commence: 7am Perth, 10am Sydney/Melbourne (AEDT), 9am Brisbane, 12pm New Zealand (NZT), 11pm 7 December United Kingdom

Registrations are open now [https://utsau.au1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_3lLhYLxOiF097M](https://utsau.au1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3lLhYLxOiF097M)

International registrations are welcome. The event will be live. Only the keynote presentations may be recorded.

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### Call for Abstracts

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A INTERDISCIPLINARY FORUM FOR ALL  
THINGS PSYCHOLOGICAL AND STROKE

ONLINE EVENT

**02.12.2022**

7AM -1PM AWST (PERTH) | 10AM- 4PM AEDT (MELBOURNE,  
SYDNEY) | 9AM -3PM AEST (BRISBANE)

## 6. European Life After Stroke Forum 2024: 11-12 March 2024, Dublin.

The 2024 European Life After Stroke, will be held in Dublin on 11-12 March in 2024. The ELASF brings together stroke survivors, allied health professionals, physicians, researchers and policy makers from across Europe to share and discuss research and best practice into life after stroke issues.

The website is live: [www.elasf.org](http://www.elasf.org); and [registrations](#) and [abstract submissions](#) are open.



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