

APS Prize Winners for 2004

The following people were awarded the APS Prize for the student who gained first place at the end of an APS accredited program of four year's duration leading to a single qualification, or an APS accredited fourth year program in psychology comprising one year equivalent of study.

RECIPIENT	UNIVERSITY	THESIS TITLE
Kathryn Wilson	Australian Catholic University	Taffimai's first alphabet: young fluent pre-school readers and print decoding
Janet Bultitude	Australian National University	Putting attention on the line: investigating the activation-orientation hypothesis of pseudoneglect
Daniel Harrison	Bond University	An investigation into the relationships between Holland's theory of individual and environmental differences, job satisfaction and stress
John Maybanks	Central Queensland University	What factors predict long-term commitment to volunteerism in a community-based volunteer counseling organisation (Lifeline Australia)?
Judith Gullifer	Charles Sturt University	Subjective realities of older farmers lives: self-perceptions of ageing and work
David Garrett-Reed	Curtin University	Can cognitive-behaviour therapy reduce everyday risk-aversion in OCD?
Johann Ponnampalam	Deakin University	Responses to sexual and emotional infidelity: An evolutionary explanation
Kathleen Donoghue	Edith Cowan University	Measuring coping: examining the internal structure of the COPE
Matthew Palmer	Flinders University	The effects of divided attention on eyewitness identification decisions: evidence for a dual-process approach
Michelle Hanisch	Griffith University	Parents and partners: emotional autonomy and context specificity of voice and relationship quality
Charlene Caruana	James Cook University	The effects of context and word meaning frequency on reading semantically ambiguous garden path sentences
Ruth Chalwell	La Trobe University	Derogation, distancing and accommodation: terror management defenses against human creatureliness
Kate Manallaras	Macquarie University	The mediational role of estimates of the probability and cost of negative outcomes in social anxiety
Jake Anderson	Monash University	Direct internal jugular vein determination of brain derived neurotrophic factor (BDNF): an examination of the neurotrophic hypothesis of major depressive disorder (MDD)
Stuart Todd	Murdoch University	Age and anxiety: factors affecting same sex relationships satisfaction
Kelly Bryden	Queensland University of Technology	The development and psychometric investigation of the university student depression inventory
Peter Saunders	RMIT University	The psychology of blogging
Emily Melbourne	Southern Cross University	Physiological change induced through mode and tempo variations in classical music: A reaction time study

Tamara Wolan	Swinburne University of Technology	The effect methamphetamine has on affective processing and storage of trauma and non-trauma related information
Greta Bradman	University of Adelaide	The use of emotion discourse in televised interviews
Kelly Thomas	University of Ballarat	Adherence to physiotherapy treatment: perceived cure versus perceived control
Alison Neil	University of Canberra	Asian-born international students' psychological adjustment: the role of intercultural social interaction
Ian Gould	University of Melbourne	Attentional mechanism in visual signal detection: signal enhancement or uncertainty reduction
Karen Smith	University of New England	An examination of the effects of cannabinoid drugs on memory using the double Y-maze
Jee Hyun Kim	University of New South Wales	The role of GABAergic transmission in the phenomenon of infantile amnesia
Alison Beck	University of Newcastle	Impact of neonatal endotoxin exposure on nociception in the F344 rat: a developmental perspective
Rachel Elphinston	University of Queensland	The dark side of romantic relationships: the role of person and situational variables in the experience and expression of jealousy
Kamelia Todorov	University of South Australia	Considering stereotype threat theory in accounting for older adults' memory performance
Michele Chalmers	University of Southern Queensland	Experiential correlates of burnout in palliative carers
Linda Rosewell	University of Sydney	Testing a new question format: the influence of question format, question type and age on children's event recall
Jason Little	University of Tasmania	Speech versus non-speech as irrelevant sound: controlling acoustic variation
Shuhui (Jacey) See	University of Western Australia	The effects of the experimental manipulation of selective information processing bias on emotional vulnerability in a non-clinical population: a causal basis of association?
Alicia Visser	University of Western Sydney	The role of self-silencing in medically unexplained symptoms, symptom attribution, and illness behaviour for women
Leonie Miller	University of Wollongong	Semantic neighbourhood effects in serial recall
Jacqueline Evans-Barker & Emra Oguzkaya (shared)	Victoria University	Executive functioning in late adulthood: An investigation of the controlled animal fluency test (JEB) Executive functioning in children: The relationship between direct measures and parent ratings (EO)