

Appointments

2019-	Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, Macquarie University
2017-2019	Reader, School of Psychology, Bangor University
2013-2017	Senior Lecturer, School of Psychology, Bangor University
2012-2013	Lecturer, School of Psychology, Bangor University
2011-2012	Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Department of Psychology, Université catholique de Louvain, Belgium
2007-2011	Postdoctoral Research Fellow, School of Psychology, University of Nottingham

Education

2008	PhD Cognitive Neuroscience and Sport Psychology, University of Birmingham, UK
2004	BSc Sport and Exercise Sciences, University of Birmingham, UK

Research Funding

2018 – 2022	ESRC Competitive Award for a 1+3 PhD Studentship <i>The neuroaesthetics of implied motion perception in visual art</i> PI: Ramsey // Value: £80,000
2018 – 2023	ESRC Competitive Award for a +3 PhD Studentship <i>Understanding cognitive mechanisms of loneliness in traumatic brain injury</i> PI: Ramsey // Value: £60,000
2016 – 2020	ESRC Competitive Award for a 1+3 PhD Studentship <i>Learning to be social: Development of an imitation intervention to enhance social cognition in typical and atypical groups</i> PI: Ramsey // Value: £80,000
2013 – 2016	Ministry of Defence National PhD Call <i>Who Learns, Wins: Predicting Success and Stimulating Learning via Observation</i> Co-PIs: Ramsey and Cross // Value: £124,416
2013 – 2016	ESRC Future Research Leader Award <i>When bodies and traits collide: Investigating a “who” system for social cognition</i> PI: Ramsey // Value: £215,000
2011 – 2014	Wellcome Trust Large Arts Grant <i>Everything Flows: The art of getting in the zone</i> , Co-I: Ramsey // Value: £154,161
2011 – 2012	Wellcome Trust Small Arts Grant <i>In the zone</i> , Co-I: Ramsey // Value: £27,445

Publications in peer-reviewed Journals

48 peer-reviewed publications; please see my Google Scholar page and laboratory website for more details. A selection of recent publications is listed below:

- **Ramsey, R.** & Ward, R. (2020). Putting the non-social into social neuroscience: A role for domain-general priority maps during social interactions. *Perspectives on Psychological Science*.
- Binney J. R., & **Ramsey, R.** (2020). Social Semantics: The role of conceptual knowledge and cognitive control in a neurobiological model of the social brain. *Neuroscience and Biobehavioural Reviews*.
- Apšvalka, D, Cross, E. S., & **Ramsey, R.** (2019). Fluid intelligence and working memory support dissociable aspects of learning by physical but not observational practice. *Cognition*, 190, 170-183.
- Apšvalka, D, Cross, E. S., & **Ramsey, R.** (2018). Observing action sequences elicits sequence-specific neural representations in frontoparietal brain regions. *Journal of Neuroscience*, 38(47), 10114-10128.
- **Ramsey, R.** (2018). Neural integration in body perception. *Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience*, 30(10), 1442-1451.

- **Ramsey, R.** (2018). What are reaction time indices of automatic imitation measuring? *Consciousness & Cognition*, 65, 240-254.
- Darda, K. M., Butler, E. E., & **Ramsey, R.** (2018). Functional Specificity and Sex Differences in the Neural Circuits Supporting the Inhibition of Automatic Imitation. *Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience*, 30, 914-933.
- Butler, E. E., Saville, C. W. N., Ward, R., & **Ramsey, R.** (2017). Physical attraction to reliable, low variability nervous systems: Reaction time variability predicts attractiveness. *Cognition*, 158, 81-89.
- Greven, I. M., Downing, P. E. & **Ramsey, R.** (2016). Linking person perception and person knowledge in the human brain. *Social Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience*, 11, 641-651.
- **Ramsey, R.**, Hansen, P. C, Apperly., I. A., & Samson, D. (2013). Seeing it my way or your way: Frontoparietal brain areas sustain viewpoint-independent perspective selection processes. *Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience*, 25(5), 670-684.

Selected Honours & Awards

- 2018 Invited to join PLoS One as an academic editor.
- 2014 Awarded the Postgraduate Certificate in Higher Education (PGCertHE).
- 2013 Elected onto the "50 under 30" network, which is part of the National Centre for Universities and Business. The program aims to bring together nominated individuals from both business and universities identified as future leaders.
- 2013 Elected as Bangor's representative to the British Neuroscience Association.
- 2012 Elected to the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) peer-review college.
- 2010 Experimental Psychology Society Study Visit Scheme: Research visit to Radboud University Nijmegen (Nijmegen, the Netherlands - £1200). European Science Foundation: Short Term Scientific Mission to work at the Max Planck Institute for Human Cognitive and Brain Sciences (Leipzig, Germany - €1200).
- 2009 European Science Foundation: Travel scholarship to attend the Cargese III Summer School, Corsica, France (€1,000)
- 2007 Experimental Psychology Society Grindley Grant for conference travel (£500).
- 2006 *Universitas 21* PhD Travel Scholarship supporting functional magnetic resonance imaging (fMRI) research at the University of British Columbia, Canada (£1500).
- 2006 - 2010 Travel grants from *Brain* (£400 – 2006, £500 – 2008, £800 - 2010)

Student supervision

PhD Student Supervision

- Ionela Bara (2018-2022). Neuroaesthetics of motion perception in visual art.
- Chris Byrne (2018 -2023). Loneliness and traumatic brain injury.
- Andrew Wildman (2017-2020). Social priming and body perception.
- Rachel Newey (2016-2020). Social perception in typical and atypical groups.
- Kohinoor Darda (2016 -2019). *Currently a postdoc at Glasgow University, UK*
- Dace Apšvalka (2013 – 2017). *Currently a postdoc at Cambridge University, UK*
- Inez Greven (2013-2016). *Moved to a postdoc at Ghent University, Belgium*
- Emily Butler (2012-2015). *Moved to a postdoc at the Nuffield Hospital at Oxford University, UK*

Invited talks and symposia

Over the last five years, I have been invited to give talks in Europe and across the rest of the world in departmental colloquia and as part of conference contributions. A selection of recent talks include:

- 2019 School of Psychology, Gent University, Western Sydney University.
- 2018 School of Psychology, University of Glasgow; School of Psychology, University of Nottingham.
- 2017 Keynote speaker at 1st Bologna Workshop on Social, Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience, University of Bologna, Italy; Department of Psychology, Brunel University, London, UK
- 2015 Department of Cognitive Science, Central European University, Budapest
- 2014 School of Psychology, University of York, School of Psychology; University of Otago, New Zealand; INSEAD Business School, Paris; Social Cognition meeting, University of Surrey
- 2013 School of Psychology, Ghent University; INSEAD Business School, Paris