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The Department has a strong tradition of collaborative research across traditional boundaries within Psychology and beyond. Our researchers are currently involved in three ESRC Research Centres (Corpus Approaches to Social Sciences - CASS; Centre for Research and Evidence on Security Threats - CREST; International Centre for Language and Communicative Development - LuCiD). We would be interested in candidates whose research and teaching connects them with these or other areas of excellence within the University such as the Centre for Ageing Research, the Institute of Data Science, the Institute of Social Futures, and/or the forthcoming Health Innovation Campus (for details see <http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/research/multidisciplinary-research/>).

Lancaster University is among the top 10 universities in the UK and the top one percent of universities in the world. The Department of Psychology at Lancaster has a core complement of over 40 members of academic staff and a thriving community of post-doctoral researchers and PhD students. In the latest Research Excellence Framework (REF2014), Psychology at Lancaster University was in the top 20 Psychology Departments in the UK for world leading (4\*) research publications. The strength of the Department's research is mirrored by the quality of its undergraduate program (recently ranked a top-10 UK course by The Telegraph) and by its postgraduate provision, which includes ESRC recognised PhD and Masters programmes within the largest Doctoral Training Centre in the UK.

All applicants should have a track record of research and teaching excellence demonstrated by publications, research grant acquisition, socio-economic impact, and teaching experience, commensurate with stage of career.

Informal enquiries are welcome and should be addressed to Prof. Kate Cain (email: [k.cain@lancaster.ac.uk](mailto:k.cain@lancaster.ac.uk) Tel: 01524 593990).

Further information about the Department is available at: <http://www.psych.lancs.ac.uk>  
Applications should be accompanied by a cover letter, a full CV, and a brief outline (no more than 2 sides of A4) of the research you would undertake should you be appointed.

The Department of Psychology provides a work environment that strongly supports the individual needs of each employee, promoting a healthy work-life balance. We hold the Athena SWAN Bronze award recognising our commitment to the representation of and support for women in the academic workplace. We are committed to family-friendly and flexible working policies on an individual basis. We particularly welcome applications from people in all diversity groups. Appointments will always be made on merit.