



University of BRISTOL

A masters level research program (an MRes in Vision Science) is available at the University of Bristol, U.K.

The course is based in the Department of Experimental Psychology but will take an interdisciplinary approach, with significant contribution from the Departments of Biological Sciences, Computer Science and Electronic and Electrical Engineering. These departments form the core of the interdisciplinary Bristol Vision Institute (<http://www.bristol.ac.uk/vision-institute/>), along with many others within the University of Bristol, plus the Bristol Royal Infirmary Eye Hospital, the Intelligent Autonomous Systems Laboratory at the University of the West of England, and Hewlett-Packard's Bristol-based research labs.

The MRes will run for 12 months from October 2008, and includes a range of units providing both a theoretical understanding and practical experience of vision research. Students will spend 2/3 of their time carrying out two research projects, each of which may be undertaken in any of the four core departments listed above. The course offers the opportunity to gain an insight into contemporary vision research from a number of viewpoints, and is an ideal preparation for a PhD.

Four studentships, covering fees and maintenance, are available for EU applicants.

Applicants should have a good first degree in a relevant discipline (e.g. biology, computer science, engineering, optometry, psychology).

For further details (e.g. detailed course content, a list of potential research project supervisors), please consult the course website:

<http://psychology.psy.bris.ac.uk/pgrad/Vision.htm>

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The closing date for applications is 31st July 2008.