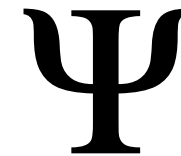


Research Participation Log 2018/2019



Level 5 Research
Design and Analysis
(M5X00913)

Study One Study Code:

Study Code:

1) Was the BPS Code of Human Research Ethics followed? (E.g. was informed consent gained? Were you aware of your right to withdraw? Was confidentiality upheld?)

Yes ☒

No ☐

If not, which guidelines were not followed?

Describe how the ethical guidelines were followed?

The ethical guidelines were followed as I was given a detailed description of what I'd have to do exactly before the study began and was asked if I was still comfortable to take part in it or not. I was given the option to back out at any given point of the study had I felt uncomfortable even if I had said no to participation the researcher said that I would not have gotten penalised for it so there was no pressure from their part I was put at ease before the study began. As well as this I was reassured that I would remain anonymous and that the data I provided would not be used against me and that it would remain confidential. After I agreed I was given a consent form to sign and date. Following the study I was asked how for feedback and I was debriefed.

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How were you fully debriefed after completing the study? Were you provided with details of the researcher (e.g. email address) and given the opportunity to discuss with them after completion?

After the study was complete a debrief form was shown on the screen explaining the purpose of the study and also contact details of the researchers involved were given.

Are there any areas of improvement for this research study? (think about the materials used in the study and how the researcher carried out the study)

didn't feel that there was anything wrong in the study. Other than that it was quite a sensitive topic so maybe people may have been reluctant to take part in it.

Name (PRINT): _____

Sign: _____

Date: _____

Briefly describe/outline the study you participated in (What were you asked to do? Did you understand the purpose before/during the study?)

This study was conducted in the biometrics lab and it consisted of three parts which involved me having to view a selection of everyday objects, then complete a change detection task. Following that I had to complete a series of anagrams, and then complete an object recognition task. The study was fairly easy straightforward and easy to comprehend as the researcher had explained everything clearly very well before beginning. Firstly I was shown 40 everyday objects on the computer screen, each object was displayed individually for three seconds before the next one was presented. After all 40 objects had been shown, I had to complete a series of change detection tasks where six objects will be presented on the screen at a time that will disappear then reappear on the computer screen. Once the set reappears I had to identify which of the six objects had changed. Once I completed this task I was asked to complete an anagram task for five minutes. Lastly, I had to complete a series of object recognition tasks, where I was presented with six objects together and the aim of the task was to decide which object was presented during the first part of the study.

Briefly describe your experience of taking part in this research study (positive aspects/issues that may have impacted your participation)

_ This study was quite interesting as it tested your long term memory. It was

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Are there any areas of improvement for this research study?
(think about the materials used in the study and how the researcher carried out the study)

There wasn't anything I found wrong with the study it was carried out very well, although if I had to criticise something it'd just be to make the objects appear slightly bigger on the screen but maybe it was shown in the size it was to make the changes in the objects seem less subtle which is the smart way to do it as a main aspect of the study was to test your long term memory.

[illegible]

Briefly describe/outline the study you participated in (What were you asked to do? Did you understand the purpose before/during the study?)

This was an online study which involved answering a questionnaire which examined attitudes towards teenage pregnancy. It required to make judgments regarding responsibility for teenage pregnancy and attitudes towards contraception and abortion.

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Briefly describe your experience of taking part in an online research study and how this experience differed from a lab based study (positive aspects/issues that may have impacted your participation)

Nothing particularly to point out other than the consent and ems description was clear and concise, there were no confusions and I understood the aums well. It was convenient to take part in the study as it was online and it could be done at our convenience in our own time.

Online Study Study Code:

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Yes ☒ No ☐

If not, which guidelines were not followed?

Describe how the ethical guidelines were followed?

Before beginning the online study a brief description was given of the study describing what it was about and then a consent form was shown where consent was obtained. It was clearly stated that information would remain confidential. _____

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Study Two

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Yes ☒

No ☐

If not, which guidelines were not followed?

Describe how the ethical guidelines were followed?

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Are there any areas of improvement for this research study? (think about the materials used in the study and how the researcher carried out the study)

This study was conducted well I could not pick out any flaws in it as it was fairly simple and straightforward.

Name (PRINT):

Briefly describe/outline the study you participated in (What were you asked to do? Did you understand the purpose before/during the study?)

This study was conducted in the biometrics lab and I involved me having to watch a short video of a bank robbery taking place. Once the video finished I had to write down a description of the person committing the robbery on a piece of paper. Following this I was required to complete a crossword puzzle for five minutes. Then I was shown two different line-ups with eight faces and I was required to say whether the suspect was in the line up or not and if so which one I thought the suspect was.

Briefly describe your experience of taking part in this research study (positive aspects/issues that may have impacted your participation)

This was an exciting task to take part in as you wanted your answer to be correct. I remember finishing the study and eagerly waiting to ask the researcher whether my answer was right or not. It was also very fascinating to compare with other students who took part in the study as to who they thought was the robber and their reasons for it.

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I felt that the crossword was challenging to do as the answers were hard to obtain for me so maybe personally I think just change the crossword that was used other than that it was a well carried out study.

Briefly describe/outline the study you participated in (What were you asked to do? Did you understand the purpose before/during the study?)

This study was conducted in the psychometrics lab it involved me having to complete the attitudes towards prisoners scale and read crime scenarios to decide whether the criminal should be punished or rehabilitated. I had to complete a 36 item attitude towards prisoners scale, and then read 20 different scenarios describing various crimes ranging in severity. My task was to decide for each of the crime scenarios whether the criminal involved should be punished or rehabilitated.

Briefly describe your experience of taking part in this research study (positive aspects/issues that may have impacted your participation)

There was nothing particular to say about this study I felt. The ethical guidelines were followed and the researcher had allowed me to ask any questions and I didn't feel deceived which made e feel comfortable. It was also an interesting study to take part in.

Study Four Study Code:

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No ☐

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Are there any areas of improvement for this research study? (think about the materials used in the study and how the researcher carried out the study)

After I had done the computerised task the data did not get recorded properly so I had to start all over and do it again so I think before beginning the task the researcher should have made sure that everything was going to run smoothly. Also a huge disadvantage that I felt doing the study was that I don't have much knowledge about attitudes towards Muslims in the UK as I'm not a UK citizen and I have not previously lived in the UK so some questions in the questionnaire were hard to answer as I did not know exactly what I was answering.

Briefly describe/outline the study you participated in (What were you asked to do? Did you understand the purpose before/during the study?)

This study was conducted in an implicit cognition lab. I was first asked to complete a computerised word-picture association task and then complete two paper-based questionnaires which related to symbolic prejudice and religion. In the computerised task I was shown pleasant and unpleasant words and white people and Muslim people and I had to press the corresponding keys for what was shown on the screen.

Briefly describe your experience of taking part in this research study (positive aspects/issues that may have impacted your participation)

The researcher was very professional so I did not feel deceived during the study this was important for this study as it was a sensitive subject.

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