

# Learning how to do research

## 8 week FREE training course for people with a learning disability



### What will you learn on this course?

- What research is
- Why people do research
- How people do research
- How you can help with research

**You will get a chance to practice doing research.**  
For example:



- Doing interviews
- Making a questionnaire
- Work out what the answers mean



### Who is the course for?

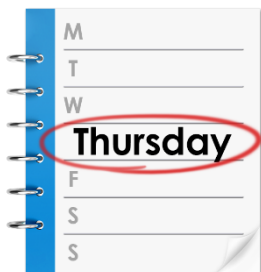
People with a learning disability.  
They should be interested in:

- finding out answers to questions
- what other people think and do

It is OK to bring a supporter with you.



**You get a certificate** when you finish the course.  
This could help you find a job as a researcher.



## When?

8 Thursday afternoons (1.30-4.30pm)



- Lesson 1: **11 April 2024**
- Lesson 2: **18 April 2024**
- Lesson 3: **25 April 2024**
- Lesson 4: **2 May 2024**
- Lesson 5: **23 May 2024**
- Lesson 6: **30 May 2024**
- Lesson 7: **6 June 2024**
- Lesson 8: **13 June 2024**

It is important that you come to **all** the lessons.



## Where?

Kingston University in Kingston  
(the address is at the end of this form)

## Who are the teachers?

We have lots of experience of doing research together with people with a learning disability.

- Dr **Andrea Bruun** will lead the lessons.
- Professor **Irene Tuffrey-Wijne** will make sure everything goes well.  
She will also teach on some afternoons.
- **Leon Jordan** and **Richard Keagan-Bull** are researchers with a learning disability.  
They will also help with the teaching.
- **Jo Giles** is a Research Assistant and Support Worker.  
She will be there and help us out too.

**We have 10 FREE places available.**



**Andrea**



**Irene**



**Leon**



**Richard**



**Jo**



## How do I apply?

The course leaders will decide who gets a place.

To help us decide:

- Tell us **why** you want to do the course.
- Tell us **how** you are going to get to Kingston University for the course.

You can do this in a letter, email, video, telephone, in person, or in whatever way you find easiest.

You can ask someone to help you.

Please apply **before 28 February 2024**.



## Would you like to know more?

We want to tell you more about the course.

Come and meet the team at our **Open Afternoon** at Kingston University.

It is on **Thursday 8 February 2024** from **1-4pm**.

You can ask us for a flyer with more information.

You can also get in touch and ask us questions!



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