**UQ Winter Research Project Description**

Please use this template to create a description of each research project, eligibility requirements and expected deliverables. Project details can then be uploaded to each faculty, school, institute, and centre webpage prior to the launch of the program.

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| **Project title:** | **Gaming addiction and Gaming disorder – Insight from the International Gaming Study 2024** |
| **Hours of engagement & delivery mode** | For the Winter program, students will be engaged **for 4 weeks only**.  36hrs per week from 30 June to 25 July 2025.  On-site preferrable for the first week. Hybrid arrangement can be made |
| **Description:** | Gaming disorder is a new mental health disorder under the international Classification of Disease Version 11. While most people who play digital games do not experience any problem, a substantial proportion develop addiction, which has caused severe negative impacts on their daily lives. This project will use data from our latest International Gaming Study 2024, a collaboration with researchers in Australia, the Netherland, Indonesia and China, to understand the negative impact of gaming disorder, and also to develop a screening tool to differentiate normal gaming and gaming addiction.  Throughout the project, the student will get experience in research and advanced data analysis skill, and this project will be suitable for students who are keen to pursue a postgraduate degree (e.g., PhD) in this area. |
| **Expected learning outcomes and deliverables:** | The student will be exposed to various research experience, from literature research, data management, data analysis to report writing. |
| **Suitable for:** | This project will be suitable for students who have background in psychology or public health, and are keen to pursue a research career. Student will have the opportunity to contribute to an international research project. |
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