



UK Attachment Network Bristol March 2025 Meeting

Venue: Staff Common Room, School of Psychological Science, University of Bristol, Level 2, 12A Priory Road, Bristol BS8 1TU

Date: Thursday 27th March, 2025

10.00 - 10.55: Arrival and grab coffees in Social Sciences cafe (see map on page 3)

10.55- 11 Common Room; Welcome and introduction – Angela Rowe, University of Bristol

Research talks (15 minutes with 5 minutes for questions)

11.00 -11.20 *Attachment, health behaviour, and sleep*, **Jolana Samii**, University of Bristol

11.20 -11.40 *Taking a “Person-Centred” Approach in the Bedroom: Constellations of Sexual Functioning, and their Association with Typologies of Sexual, Relationship, and Psychological Wellbeing*, **Chloe Tasker**, University of Essex

11.40 -12.00 *Effects of Daily Episodic Simulation on Expectation for Partner Responsiveness and Attachment Security*, **Xiancai Cao**, University of Bristol

12.00 – 12.20 *Exploring social sharing of bivalent emotions in daily life: Why and what happens afterwards?* **Gloria Wai Shan Ma**, University of Surrey

12.20 -12.40 *Do Gratitude and Indebtedness Predict Prosociality in Romantic Relationships?* **Mariko Visserman**, University of Sussex

12.25 - 14.00: Lunch at the staff canteen for delegates/UKAN Executive member's lunch

14.00- 16.00 – Discussion groups

1. Ethics vs open science practices in relationship research
2. Health and attachment processes in adults
3. Partnerships between relationships scientists and practitioners and intervention developers – how do we create them?
4. New directions for research on couples' processes

Research Talks (15 minutes with 5 minutes for questions)

16.00 – 16.20 *Socio-Cultural Perspectives on Sacrifice Dynamics in Romantic Relationships*, **Xinyi Yang**, University of Sussex

16.20 – 16.40 *Navigating Social Media Across Cultures: The Role of Self-Disclosure and Self-Presentation*, **Carmen Surariu**, University of Southampton

16.40 – 17.00 *Cognitive Dimensions of Mating*, **Jénnyfer Freitas**, University of Bath

17.00 – 17.10 *UKAN 17 Years Old*, **Kathy Carnelley**, University of Southampton

17.10 – 19.00: DRINKS in Clifton

19.00 – DINNER at Pizza on the Park (<https://pizzaonthepark.com/>)