Origins of Mind
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Centre for Social Learning and Cognitive Evolution

The Centre brings together a substantial group of scientists in the Schools of Biology and Psychology & Neuroscience at the University of St Andrews who share a distinctive set of common research interests. A core academic staff of 18 are currently joined by independent research fellows, fixed term lecturers, over 20 postdoctoral research staff and approximately 50 PhD students.

Research spans comparative, evolutionary and developmental studies of social learning, culture, communication and cognition. A

Research Facilities and Field Sites

Research is conducted at field sites around the world, including studies of dolphins around Australia, elephant studies across the world’s forests, field sites on New Guinea and chimpanzees and other primates in Uganda’s Bwindi Forest where Prof Cuthill is Scientific Director of the field site, with core funding from the Royal Zoological Society of Scotland.

The University’s 3.4ha Link to Human Evolution Research Centre is located in Edinburgh Zoo, holding a mixed species community of over 30 capybaras and capuchin monkeys, alongside the Belding’s Trail chimpanzee centre. Primate research is
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COGS 143GS  Animal Cognition
5 million years of hominid prehistory
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Primate Heritage
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Comparative Neuroanatomy
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Human Development
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Language and Symbolic Processes
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Primates & Cetaceans: Contrasts & Parallels

Compare . . . Brains
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Sensori-Motor Constraints
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Compare . . .

Performance in the Lab
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Behavior in the Wild
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Read and discuss implications of this research for the evolution of mind.
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