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READING LIST

Course Title: Understanding Emotions
Location: Ewert House, Oxford
Term Dates: 29 Sep 2025 to 01 Dec 2025
Tutor: Graham Wilson

The reading list below was supplied by the course tutor.

If you have enrolled on a course starting in the autumn, you can become a borrowing member of the Rewley House library from 1st September. If you are enrolled on a course starting in other terms, you can become a borrowing member once the previous term has ended. For example, students starting in January can join the Library in early December and those starting in April can join in early March.

If you are planning to purchase any books, please keep in mind that courses with insufficient students enrolled will be cancelled. The Department accepts no responsibility for books bought in anticipation of a course running.

Preparatory Reading List

The items on this list are to give you some background to the materials and ideas that we will be covering on the course.

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The Open University	<i>Emotion: An introductory picture (2016 - accessible by Kindle and direct)</i>
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Course Reading List

The items on this list are to support your learning while you are taking the course.

Author	Title
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Corrigan, J. (Ed.)	<i>The Oxford handbook of religion and emotion (Oxford University Press (2008))</i>
Darwin, C	<i>The Expression of the Emotions in Man and Animals (P. Ekman & P. Prodger, Eds.; 3rd ed. HarperCollins (1999))</i>
Ekman, P.	<i>Darwin and Facial Expression: A Century of Research in Review (Academic Press. 1973)</i>

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- Gruber, J. (Ed.). *The Oxford Handbook of Positive Emotion and Psychopathology* (Oxford University Press. 2019)
- Gruber, J., Tobias, M. R., Flux, M. C., & Gilbert, K. E. *An Introduction to Positive Emotion and Psychopathology. (In J. Gruber (Ed.), The Oxford Handbook of Positive Emotion and Psychopathology (pp. xiv–9). Oxford University Press. <https://doi.org/10.1093/oxfordhb/9780190653200.013.1>)*
- Sander, D., & Scherer, K. R. (Eds.). *The Oxford companion to emotion and the affective sciences* (Oxford University Press. (2009))
- Verhaeghen, P., & Hertzog, C. K. (Eds.). *The Oxford Handbook of Emotion, Social Cognition, and Problem Solving in Adulthood* (Oxford University Press. (2014))
- Wilson, Graham *Understanding Emotions* (Amazon - pb 9798339980537)