

University of Ulster

By virtue of the power vested in it by the Charter and Statutes and by the authority of the Senate, the University has this day conferred the

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

on

RODRIGO VIANNA DE ALMEIDA

in the field of

Psychology, Psychiatry and Neuroscience

In Witness Whereof the Council has authorised the Common Seal of the University to be impressed on this document Y.Barlidones

Professor Paul Bartholomew, Vice-Chancellor AND DEPT.

16 April 2025



Ulster University Cromore Road Coleraine County Londonderry BT52 1SA Northern Ireland

15 January 2025

To Whom it May Concern

Mr Rodrigo De Almeida ID: B00849862

This is to confirm that the above-named has been awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) subject to the approval of the University's Senate.

Their research title is "Facial Expression as a Source of Explicit and Implicit Symbolic Fear and Avoidance Behaviours as Moderated by Rumination."

Their viva voce board of examiners was;

Chairperson: Dr Orla McBride (Ulster University)

Internal Examiner: Dr Stephen Gallagher (Ulster University) External Examiner: Dr Ian Stewart (University of Galway)

Should you have any queries on this matter please contact me on 028 701 23470 or Doctoral College Manager, Sarah Stewart on 028 701 24603.

With kind regards,

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