

# **The History of Educational Psychology at UCL**



1968 The Summerfield Report (Psychologists in the Education Services) published.

1975 Rod Maliphant appointed Senior Lecturer in Child Development and Director, MSc (Educational Psychology) Professional Training Course. Tony Cline appointed as fieldwork tutor, seconded by the Inner London Education Authority (ILEA).

1986 Rod Maliphant retires and Tony Cline and Stuart Miller appointed as Co-Directors of the MSc (Tony Cline - professional lead; Stuart Millar - academic lead).

1994 Tony Cline resigned to become head of the newly established Psychology Department at the University of Luton and Stuart Miller resigned to take up a head of department post at London Guildhall University.

1994 Norah Frederickson becomes MSc programme director, later Director of the Educational Psychology Group, UCL.

1999 Doctorate in Educational Psychology (DEdPsy) established, a four-year part time continuing professional development programme for qualified educational psychologists accepts its first cohort. Sean Cameron appointed programme director.

2004 Tony Cline re-joined the Educational Psychology Group as Co-Director of the DEdPsy with Sean Cameron.

2006 Initial EP training changes to a three-year doctoral programme, and at UCL, the Doctorate in Educational and Child Psychology (DECPsy) was set up and led by Norah Frederickson and Sandra Dunsmuir as Co-Directors.

2012 Sean Cameron retires and Susan Birch joins Tony Cline as DEdPsy Co-Director.

2014 UCL and the Institute of Education merge and the latter is renamed as UCL Institute of Education. Both retain their initial EP training programmes (based in UCL Division of Psychology and Language Sciences and the UCL Institute of Education).

2015 Norah Frederickson retires and Sandra Dunsmuir is appointed Director of the Educational Psychology Group.

2016 Phil Stringer replaces Tony Cline as Co-Director of the DEdPsy with Susan Birch.