

# Person Perception



# ARC Center of Excellence in the Study of Cognition and its Disorders Person Perception Program, University of Western Australia

#### The Research:

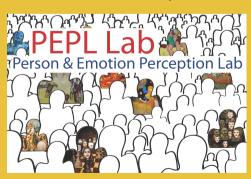
- We aim to understand the mechanisms (perceptual, cognitive, neural and evolutionary) of person perception and how they relate to other cognitive abilities and social functioning.
- A major focus is on how person perception skills emerge during typical development and in children with the neuro-developmental disorders of autism and developmental prosopagnosia.
- Our long-term goal is to develop interventions to enhance person perception, and ultimately, social functioning and quality of life in individuals with person perception difficulties.

## **International Scholarship Applications:**

• Open 1 November 2012 and close 31 January 2013.

### **Contact:**

A/Prof. Romina Palermo
e: Romina.Palermo@uwa.edu.au
Person & Emotion Perception Lab



Prof. Gill Rhodes

e: <u>Gillian.Rhodes@uwa.edu.au</u> the facelab

