## Supplementary materials

Table S1

Descriptive statistical characteristics of BFI and BSDS scores of the whole sample $(N=214)$ and by participant's gender and education level

|  | M (SD) | Mdn | Range | Skewness | Kurtosis | Difference test |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Big Five Inventory |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Openness to experience | 2.7 (0.64) | 2.70 | 1.1-3.8 | -0.30 | -0.56 |  |
| G: Women | 2.71 (0.65) | 2.70 | 1.1-3.8 | -0.45 | -0.41 |  |
| G: Men | 2.66 (0.62) | 2.65 | 1.5-3.8 | 0.05 | -0.81 |  |
| E: Secondary | 2.57 (0.61) | 2.60 | 1.2-3.8 | -0.05 | -0.51 | $U=4447, p=.011$, |
| E: Tertiary | 2.78 (0.64) | 2.80 | 1.1-3.8 | -0.52 | -0.35 | $r_{\text {rb }}=.20$ |
| Conscientiousness | 2.43 (0.67) | 2.44 | 0.7-4.0 | -0.27 | -0.17 |  |
| G: Women | 2.5 (0.65) | 2.56 | 0.8-3.9 | -0.39 | -0.09 | $t(212)=-2.04$, |
| G: Men | 2.3 (0.69) | 2.33 | 0.7-4.0 | -0.02 | -0.06 | $p=.043, d=-.30$ |
| E: Secondary | 2.43 (0.68) | 2.56 | 0.7-4.0 | -0.38 | 0.19 |  |
| E: Tertiary | 2.44 (0.66) | 2.44 | 0.9-3.9 | -0.19 | -0.43 |  |
| Extraversion | 2.12 (0.88) | 2.13 | 0.3-3.9 | -0.10 | -0.82 |  |
| G: Women | 2.13 (0.88) | 2.13 | 0.3-3.8 | -0.13 | -0.91 |  |
| G: Men | 2.1 (0.88) | 2.13 | 0.4-3.9 | -0.04 | -0.55 |  |
| E: Secondary | 2.16 (0.93) | 2.13 | 0.3-3.9 | -0.25 | -0.86 |  |
| E: Tertiary | 2.09 (0.84) | 2.13 | 0.4-3.8 | 0.02 | -0.75 |  |
| Agreeableness | 2.6 (0.61) | 2.67 | 0.7-4.0 | -0.51 | 0.05 |  |
| G: Women | 2.68 (0.59) | 2.78 | 1.0-3.8 | -0.75 | 0.35 | $U=3613, p<.001$, |
| G: Men | 2.42 (0.63) | 2.44 | 0.7-4.0 | -0.05 | 0.28 | $r_{\text {rb }}=.27$ |
| E: Secondary | 2.6 (0.65) | 2.67 | 0.7-4.0 | -0.47 | -0.02 |  |
| E: Tertiary | 2.6 (0.59) | 2.67 | 1.0-3.9 | -0.54 | 0.13 |  |
| Neuroticism | 1.76 (0.90) | 1.75 | 0.0-3.8 | 0.02 | -0.71 |  |
| G: Women | 1.86 (0.84) | 1.88 | 0.0-3.8 | 0.01 | -0.65 | $U=3988, p=.021$, |
| G: Men | 1.54 (0.98) | 1.69 | 0.0-3.8 | -0.23 | -0.80 | $r_{\mathrm{rb}}=.20$ |
| E: Secondary | 1.71 (0.92) | 1.80 | 0.0-3.8 | -0.03 | -0.80 |  |
| E: Tertiary | 1.79 (0.88) | 1.75 | 0.0-3.8 | 0.07 | -0.64 |  |
| BSDS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Romani | 5.31 (5.37) | 4.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.08 | 0.42 |  |
| G: Women | 5.31 (5.06) | 4.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.09 | 0.67 |  |
| G: Men | 5.32 (6.02) | 3.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.06 | 0.02 |  |
| E: Secondary | 6.02 (5.58) | 4.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.97 | 0.22 |  |
| E: Tertiary | 4.8 (5.18) | 3.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.18 | 0.65 |  |

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Table S1 continued

|  | M (SD) | Mdn | Range | Skewness | Kurtosis | Difference test |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Vietnamese | 2.52 (3.25) | 2.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.98 | 5.60 |  |
| G: Women | 2.64 (3.41) | 2.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 2.11 | 6.29 |  |
| G: Men | 2.28 (2.86) | 1.00 | 0.0-11.0 | 1.39 | 1.33 |  |
| E: Secondary | 3.43 (3.94) | 2.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.71 | 3.95 | $U=4280, p=.003$, |
| E: Tertiary | 1.86 (2.44) | 1.00 | 0.0-11.0 | 1.59 | 2.26 | $r_{\text {rb }}=.23$ |
| Foreigners | 2.55 (3.24) | 1.00 | 0.0-18.0 | 1.57 | 2.58 |  |
| G: Women | 2.41 (2.99) | 1.00 | 0.0-13.0 | 1.3 | 0.79 |  |
| G: Men | 2.85 (3.73) | 1.00 | 0.0-18.0 | 1.78 | 3.66 |  |
| E: Secondary | 3.24 (3.61) | 2.00 | 0.0-18.0 | 1.38 | 2.25 | $U=4447, p=.009$, |
| E: Tertiary | 2.05 (2.85) | 1.00 | 0.0-13.0 | 1.67 | 2.29 | $r_{\text {rb }}=.20$ |
| Homeless people | 7.93 (4.91) | 8.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.45 | -0.23 |  |
| G: Women | 7.82 (4.79) | 7.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.53 | -0.06 |  |
| G: Men | 8.18 (5.18) | 8.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.30 | -0.45 |  |
| E: Secondary | 7.96 (5.24) | 8.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.61 | -0.15 |  |
| E: Tertiary | 7.91 (4.68) | 8.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.29 | -0.35 |  |
| Migrants | 6.78 (6.68) | 5.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.83 | -0.52 |  |
| G: Women | 7.08 (6.88) | 5.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.77 | -0.64 |  |
| G: Men | 6.13 (6.22) | 3.50 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.96 | -0.20 |  |
| E: Secondary | 8.03 (6.97) | 6.50 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.54 | -1.03 | $U=4524, p=.018$, |
| E: Tertiary | 5.87 (6.34) | 4.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.09 | 0.16 | $r_{\text {rb }}=.19$ |
| People with mental disorders | 4.86 (4.66) | 3.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.03 | 0.56 |  |
| G: Women | 4.49 (4.31) | 3.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 1.16 | 1.43 |  |
| G: Men | 5.63 (5.30) | 4.00 | 0.0-19.0 | 0.73 | -0.55 |  |
| E: Secondary | 5.64 (5.00) | 5.00 | 0.0-21.0 | 0.90 | 0.34 |  |
| E: Tertiary | 4.28 (4.34) | 3.00 | 0.0-18.0 | 1.10 | 0.67 |  |
| People with a physical disability | 1.72 (2.77) | 1.00 | 0.0-18.0 | 2.54 | 8.10 |  |
| G: Women | 1.51 (2.34) | 0.00 | 0.0-12.0 | 1.99 | 3.99 |  |
| G: Men | 2.16 (3.50) | 1.00 | 0.0-18.0 | 2.56 | 7.25 |  |
| E: Secondary | 2.29 (3.22) | 1.00 | 0.0-13.0 | 1.57 | 1.81 |  |
| E: Tertiary | 1.3 (2.31) | 0.00 | 0.0-18.0 | 4.03 | 23.30 |  |
| Overall score | 31.67 (24.92) | 24.00 | 0.0-116.0 | 0.90 | 0.32 |  |
| G: Women | 31.30 (23.80) | 24.50 | 0.0-116.0 | 0.75 | 0.04 |  |
| G: Men | 32.60 (27.20) | 23.00 | 0.0-108.0 | 1.10 | 0.60 |  |
| E: Secondary | 36.60 (27.10) | 32.00 | 0.0-116.0 | 0.75 | -0.02 | $t^{\text {sqrt }}(212)=2.42$, |
| E: Tertiary | 28.10 (22.60) | 22.50 | 0.0-107.0 | 0.94 | 0.46 | $p=.016, d=.34$ |

[^0]Table S2

Results of multiple linear regression analysis

|  | Model 1 |  |  |  | Model 2 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | B | $\beta$ | 95\% CI | $p$ | B | $\beta$ | 95\% CI | $p$ |
| BSDS overall score ${ }^{\text {sqrit }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.08, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.06 \\ F(3,210)=5.64, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.24, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.22, \\ F(6,207)=11.05, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| Age | 0.05 | . 22 | [0.09, 0.35] | . 001 | 0.05 | . 26 | [0.14, 0.38] | < . 001 |
| Gender ${ }^{\text {b }}$ | 0.13 | . 06 | [-0.23, 0.34] | . 702 | 0.49 | . 21 | [-0.06, 0.47] | . 127 |
| Education ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | -0.92 | -. 39 | [-0.65, -0.12] | . 005 | -0.80 | -. 34 | [-0.58, -0.09] | . 009 |
| BFI: Openness |  |  |  |  | -0.89 | -. 24 | [-0.37, -0.11] | < . 001 |
| BFI: Agreeableness |  |  |  |  | -1.20 | -. 31 | [-0.44, -0.18] | < . 001 |
| BFI: Extraversion |  |  |  |  | -0.02 | -. 01 | [-0.14, 0.12] | . 891 |
| Model comparison |  |  |  |  |  | (3, 207) | $=15.30, p<.00$ |  |

BSDS - Romani

| $R^{2}=.03$, adj. $R^{2}=.02$, |  | $R^{2}=.18$, adj. $R^{2}=.16$, |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $F(3,210)=2.40, p=.069$ |  | $F(6,207)=7.74, p<.001$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0.07 | .14 | $[0.01,0.28]$ | .037 | 0.09 | .19 | $[0.06,0.48]$ | .004 |
| 0.30 | .06 | $[-0.24,0.35]$ | .709 | 1.12 | .21 | $[-0.07,0.48]$ | .136 |
| -1.43 | -.27 | $[-0.54,0.01]$ | .058 | -1.23 | -.23 | $[-0.49,0.03]$ | .084 |
|  |  |  |  | -1.67 | -.20 | $[-0.49,0.03]$ | .004 |
|  |  |  | -2.82 | -.32 | $[-0.45,-0.19]$ | $<.001$ |  |
|  |  |  | 0.04 | .01 | $[-0.13,0.14]$ | .932 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $F(3,207)=12.70, p<.001$ |  |  |

BSDS - Vietnamese

|  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.10, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.09 \\ F(3,210)=7.86, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.14, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.11, \\ F(6,207)=5.57, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Age | 0.06 | . 19 | [0.06, 0.32] | . 004 | 0.06 | . 21 | [0.08, 0.34] | . 001 |
| Gender ${ }^{\text {b }}$ | 0.70 | . 22 | $[-0.07,0.5]$ | . 132 | 0.93 | . 29 | [0.00, 0.57] | . 047 |
| Education ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | -1.79 | -. 55 | [-0.82, -0.29] | $<.001$ | -1.71 | -. 53 | [-0.79, -0.26] | <. 001 |
| BFI: Openness |  |  |  |  | -0.60 | -. 12 | [-0.26, 0.02] | . 093 |
| BFI: Agreeableness |  |  |  |  | -0.78 | -. 15 | [-0.28, -0.01] | . 031 |
| BFI: Extraversion |  |  |  |  | 0.01 | . 00 | [-0.13, 0.14] | . 959 |
| Model comparison |  |  |  |  | $F(3,20$ | $=3.05$ | $=.030$ |  |

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Table S2

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|  | Model 1 |  |  |  | Model 2 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | B | $\beta$ | 95\% CI | $p$ | B | $\beta$ | 95\% CI | $p$ |
| BSDS - Foreigners |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.07, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.06 \\ F(3,210)=5.13, p=.002 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.14, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.11, \\ F(6,207)=5.40, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| Age | 0.05 | . 18 | [0.05, 0.32] | . 007 | 0.06 | . 21 | [0.08, 0.34] | . 002 |
| Gender ${ }^{\text {b }}$ | -0.17 | -. 05 | [-0.34, 0.23] | . 710 | 0.15 | . 05 | [-0.24, 0.33] | . 742 |
| Education ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | -1.30 | -. 40 | [-0.67, -0.13] | . 004 | -1.26 | -. 39 | [-0.66, -0.12] | . 004 |
| BFI: Openness |  |  |  |  | -0.54 | -. 11 | [-0.24, 0.03] | . 131 |
| BFI: Agreeableness |  |  |  |  | -1.11 | -. 21 | [-0.34, -0.08] | . 002 |
| BFI: Extraversion |  |  |  |  | -0.17 | -. 05 | [ $-0.18,0.09$ ] | . 507 |
| Model comparison |  |  |  |  |  | $F(3,20$ | $=5.35, p=.001$ |  |
| BSDS - Homeless people |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.02, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.001, \\ F(3,210)=1.05, p=.373 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.18, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.15 \\ F(6,207)=7.48, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| Age | 0.05 | . 12 | [-0.02, 0.25] | . 091 | 0.07 | . 16 | [0.04, 0.28] | . 013 |
| Gender ${ }^{\text {b }}$ | -0.26 | -. 05 | $[-0.35,0.24]$ | . 724 | 0.54 | . 11 | [-0.17, 0.39] | . 431 |
| Education ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | -0.14 | -. 03 | [-0.31, 0.25] | . 842 | 0.05 | . 01 | [-0.25, 0.27] | . 938 |
| BFI: Openness |  |  |  |  | -1.56 | -. 20 | [-0.34, -0.07] | . 003 |
| BFI: Agreeableness |  |  |  |  | -2.75 | -. 34 | [-0.47, -0.21] | < . 001 |
| BFI: Extraversion |  |  |  |  | 0.11 | . 02 | [-0.11, 0.15] | . 765 |
| Model comparison |  |  |  |  | $F(3,207)=13.70, p<.001$ |  |  |  |
| BSDS - Migrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.10, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.08 \\ F(3,210)=7.44, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.21, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.18 \\ F(6,207)=8.96, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| Age | 0.15 | . 25 | [0.12, 0.38] | < . 001 | 0.17 | . 28 | [0.15, 0.41] | <. 001 |
| Gender ${ }^{\text {b }}$ | 1.57 | . 24 | [-0.05, 0.52] | . 099 | 2.32 | . 35 | [0.08, 0.62] | . 012 |
| Education ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | -2.72 | -. 41 | [-0.67, -0.14] | . 003 | -2.39 | -. 36 | [-0.61, -0.10] | . 006 |
| BFI: Openness |  |  |  |  | -2.24 | -. 21 | [-0.35, -0.08] | . 002 |
| BFI: Agreeableness |  |  |  |  | -2.48 | -. 23 | [-0.36, -0.10] | <. 001 |
| BFI: Extraversion |  |  |  |  | -0.15 | -. 02 | [-0.15, 0.11] | . 768 |
| Model comparison |  |  |  |  |  | $F(3,207)$ | = 9.58, p<.001 |  |

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Table S2

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| Model 1 |  |  |  | Model 2 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| B | $\beta$ | 95\% CI | $p$ | B | $\beta$ | 95\% CI | $p$ |

BSDS - People with mental disorders

|  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.09, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.07, \\ F(3,210)=6.50, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} R^{2}=.17, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.15, \\ F(6,207)=7.13, p<.001 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Age | 0.10 | . 24 | [0.11, 0.37] | < 001 | 0.11 | . 27 | [0.14, 0.4] | <. 001 |
| Gender ${ }^{\text {b }}$ | -0.77 | -. 17 | [-0.45, 0.12] | . 251 | -0.21 | -. 05 | [-0.32, 0.23] | . 746 |
| Education ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | -1.51 | -. 32 | [-0.59, -0.06] | . 018 | -1.51 | -. 32 | [-0.58, -0.06] | . 016 |
| BFI: Openness |  |  |  |  | -0.61 | -. 08 | [-0.22, 0.05] | . 225 |
| BFI: Agreeableness |  |  |  |  | -1.90 | -. 25 | [-0.38, -0.12] | < . 001 |
| BFI: Extraversion |  |  |  |  | -0.38 | -. 07 | [-0.21, 0.06] | . 295 |
| Model comparison |  |  |  |  |  | (3, 207 | $=7.20, p<.00$ |  |

BSDS - People with a physical disability

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\begin{gathered}
R^{2}=.05, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.03, \\
F(3,210)=3.29, p=.022
\end{gathered}
$$

$$
R^{2}=0.1, \text { adj. } R^{2}=.07,
$$

$$
F(6,207)=3.74, p=.001
$$

Age 0.02 . $08 \quad[-0.06,0.21] \quad .263 \quad 0.02 \quad .10 \quad[-0.04,0.23] \quad .157$

Gender $^{\text {b }} \quad-0.49-.18 \quad[-0.47,0.11] \quad .228$-0.27 $-.10 \quad[-0.39,0.19] \quad .507$
Education ${ }^{\mathrm{a}} \quad-0.98$-. $35 \quad[-0.63,-0.08] \quad .012$-0.92 $-.33 \quad[-0.60,-0.06] \quad .017$
BFI: Openness
BFI: Agreeableness
BFI: Extraversion
$-0.52 \quad-.12 \quad[-0.26,-0.02] \quad .097$
$-0.72-.16 \quad[-0.30,-0.03] \quad .023$
$-0.17 \quad-.05 \quad[-0.19,0.09] \quad .454$
Model comparison
$F(3,207)=4.06, p=.008$
Note. $N=214$. In Model 1, we entered the control demographic characteristics, i.e., age, gender, and education level to predict social distance scores. In Model 2, we also entered personality traits, i.e., openness to experience, agreeableness, and extraversion, as predictors. BSDS - Bogardus Scale of Social Distance; sqrt - square root transformation applied; BFI - Big Five Inventory. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Education level: tertiary - secondary; bgender: women - men.


[^0]:    Note. G - gender; E - education level; BSDS - Bogardus Scale of Social Distance; $U$ - Mann-Whitney U test; $r_{\text {rb }}$ - rank biserial correlation; $t$ - Student's $t$-test; $d$ - Cohen's $d$; sqrt - square root transformation applied.

