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Education

Master of Arts- Psychology 12/2023
San Francisco State University
Social, Personality, and Affective Science
GPA 4.0

Master's Thesis

“Assessing Data Integrity and Trustworthiness from Amazon's Mechanical Turk in 2023: Response Patterns Indicate Poor Screening Procedures and Low-Quality Data.”
San Francisco State University. Committee: Dr. Charlotte Tate, Dr. Ezequiel Morsella

Bachelor of Arts- Psychology 5/2020
California State University, Channel Islands
GPA 4.0, *Summa Cum Laude*

Honors Associate of Arts- Psychology 5/2018
Honors Associate of Arts- Social Sciences
Moorpark College

Research Experience

Research Assistant, Dr. Zena R. Mello, SFSU 2022 - present
Time Lab

- Performed statistical analyses using Stata
- Developed manuscripts for publication
- Recruited and scheduled participants for lab studies
- Conducted scholarly research

Lab Manager, Dr. Charlotte Tate, SFSU 2021- 2023
Social Perception, Attitudes, Mental Simulation Lab

- Planned and coordinated lab events
- Interviewed and hired members for the lab
- Provided mentorship to new lab members
- Assisted lab director with meeting agendas

Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Charlotte Tate, SFSU 2021- 2023
Social Perception, Attitudes, Mental Simulation Lab

- Created and designed website for lab project
- Met weekly to discuss research project updates
- Assisted in survey design for lab studies
- Beta tested surveys and apps for research projects

Independent Research, Dr. Barbara Thayer, CSUCI 2019-2020
Physiological Correlates of Cognitive Processes Lab

- Developed a project examining the effects of physiological stress
- Collaborated in replicating the Harvard Implicit Association Test using SuperLab
- Recruited and Scheduled Participants through SONA systems
- Analyzed data using SPSS and Microsoft Excel
- Prepared abstract for the Western Psychological Association conference

Capstone Project, Dr. Christy Teranishi Martinez, CSUCI 2018- 2019
Psychological Research and Statistical Methods I & II

- Conducted literature reviews
- Developed and administered surveys
- Prepared poster for conference presentation
- Analyzed data using SPSS
- Composed APA research report

Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant, Dr. Charlotte Tate, SFSU 2022
Statistical Analysis of Psychological Research Using R

- Assisted in troubleshooting R error codes for students
- Assisted students with statistical analyses
- Held office hours for undergraduates
- Graded problem sets in RStudio

Relevant Coursework

Intermediate Psychological Statistics Using R, *SFSU* 2021
 Analysis of Variance and Experimental Design Using R, *SFSU* 2021
 Research Methods and Techniques, *SFSU* 2021
 Seminar in Survey Research Using R, *SFSU* 2022
 Applications of Multiple Regression to Psychological Research in R, *SFSU* 2022
 Statistical Analysis of Multivariate Data Using R, *SFSU* 2022

Conferences

Western Psychological Association Annual Convention (WPA) 2020
Poster Presentation. The Impact of Stress on Implicit Skin-tone Bias.

CSUCI Annual Student Research Conference 2019
Poster Presentation. The Effects of Sleep and Stress on Personal Relationships.

Honors and Awards

Recipient, County Schools Federal Credit Union Scholarship 9/2018
Awarded for Academic Excellence

Academic Memberships

Vice President, (Psi Chi) The International Honor Society in Psychology

9/2018- 5/2020

- Lead meetings with members of the organization
- Constructed and organized fundraisers to generate funds for the program
- Reinvested funds into beneficial programs for the community
- Hosted induction and commencement ceremonies

Technical Skills

Statistical Software

RStudio, Stata, SPSS, Jamovi

Others

Qualtrics, MTurk, Microsoft Office, Box, Wix Website Builder