

# Hodavia Kaseya

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## EDUCATION

### Master of Science in Experimental Psychology

Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, KY

Received: December 2024

Thesis: *How Do Anxiety, Stress, Impulsiveness, and Sleep Quality Affect Memory?*

Relevant Coursework: Cog/Affect Bases of Behavior, Biological Bases of Behavior, Stats & Research Design I & II, Advanced Developmental PSY, Social Psy & Cultural Diversity

### Bachelor of Science in Psychology

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## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### Graduate Research Assistant

Psychophysiology Lab, Eastern Kentucky University | Aug. 2022 – Dec. 2024

- Conducted EEG-based studies on cognitive processing and memory encoding.
- Investigated the impact of stress, sleep, anxiety, and impulsiveness on memory.
- Managed data collection, statistical analysis, and research presentations.
- Collaborated with faculty to design and execute studies focused on memory and cognitive functioning.

### Undergraduate Research Assistant

Psychophysiology Lab, Eastern Kentucky University | Aug. 2020 – May 2022

- Assisted in cognitive research studies examining memory and emotion.
  - Administered surveys and behavioral assessments to participants.
  - Helped facilitate with data collection for *At Face Value: EEG as a Means of Studying the Same Race Bias and Factors that Affect the Same Race Bias*.
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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Online Facilitator (Part-Time Faculty - Psychology)

Psychology Department, Eastern Kentucky University | Oct. 2023 – Present

- Facilitate online psychology coursework and assisted students with academic inquiries.
- Give feedback on assignments and guided students in research-based learning.
- Promote engagement through virtual discussions and collaborative learning activities.

### **Teaching Assistant – PSY 311: Physiological Psychology**

Psychology Department, Eastern Kentucky University | Aug. 2022 – Dec. 2023

- Assisted Dr. Adam Lawson in grading, creating assignments, and developing quizzes.
- Guided students in sheep brain dissections, helping them understand neuroanatomy.
- Provided support to students in understanding physiological psychology concepts.

### **Graduate Assistant**

Psychology Department, Eastern Kentucky University – Richmond, KY | Aug. 2022 – Dec. 2023

- Gathered, reviewed, and summarized literature from PsycINFO database.
- Completed administrative and research duties as requested by faculty.
- Assisted faculty members with data collection for academic publications.

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## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- **"Everyday Life Factors that Affect Recall Memory"** – Kentucky Psychological Association (KPA), March 2023
- **"How Does Anxiety, Stress, and Sleep Affect Memory?"** – Southeastern Psychological Association (SEPA), April 2023
- **"Exploring the Role of Dm ERP Effect: Memory Encoding Amidst Stress, Sleep Disturbances, Anxiety, and Impulsiveness"** – Southeastern Psychological Association (SEPA), March 2024

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## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

### **Technical Tools:**

- MATLAB, EEGLAB, AcqKnowledge, Excel, Qualtrics

### **Languages:**

- Fluent in Lingala and English

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## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- Psi Chi Honor Society (2021 – Present)