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EDUCATION University of Chicago 2015 - present

PhD, Department of Psychology Integrative Neuroscience Division

University of Chicago 2017

MA, Division of Social Sciences Cognitive neuroscience concentration

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign (UIUC) 2015

BS, Department of Psychology, highest distinction BS, Department of Spanish, high distinction

RESEARCH PhD candidate, University of Chicago 2015 - present

POSITIONS Department of Psychology, Institute for Mind & Biology

Advisors: Edward K Vogel, Edward Awh

Research assistant and honors thesis researcher, UIUC 2012 - 2015

Department of Psychology Advisor: Daniel J Simons

Honors thesis researcher, UIUC 2013 - 2015

Department of Spanish Advisor: Eduardo Ledesma

PUBLICATIONS

Hakim N, Feldmann-Wüstefeld T, Awh E & Vogel EK (in prep) Dissecting how interruption impacts neural signatures of working memory

Hakim N, deBettencourt MT, Awh E, Vogel EK (submitted) Attention fluctuations impact ongoing maintenance of information in working memory

Hakim N, Awh E, Vogel EK (submitted) Manifold working memory. In Working memory: a multicomponent model (Eds. Robert Logie, Nelson Cowan, and Valerie Camos) *Oxford University Press*

Hakim N, Feldmann-Wüstefeld F, Awh E, Vogel EK (2019) Perturbing neural representations of working memory with task-irrelevant interruption. *Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience*

Hakim N, Adam KCS, Gunseli E, Awh E, Vogel EK (2019) Dissecting the neural focus of attention reveals distinct processes for spatial attention and object-based storage in visual working memory. *Psychological Science*

Hakim N, Vogel EK (2018) Phase-coded memories in mind. PLOS Biology

Hakim N, Simons DJ, Zhao H, & Wan X (2017) Do easterners and westerners differ in visual cognition? A preregistered examination of three visual cognition tasks. *Social Psychological and Personality Science*

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CONFERENCE TALKS

Hakim N, Feldmann-Wüstefeld T, Awh E, Vogel EK (2019) The influence of task-relevant vs. task-irrelevant interruption on dissociable sub-component processes of the focus of attention. Vision Sciences Society, St. Pete Beach, FL

Awh E, **Hakim N**, Adam KCS, Vogel EK (2018) Dissecting the neural focus of attention reveals distinct processes for spatial attention and object-based storage in visual working memory. Psychonomic Society, New Orleans, LA

Hakim N, Feldmann-Wüstefeld T, Awh E, Vogel EK (2017) Distinct attention and working memory mechanisms protect internal representations from interruption. Object Perception, Attention, and Memory, Vancouver, Canada

CONFERENCE POSTERS

Hakim N, Awh E, Vogel EK (2020) Neural dynamics of interrupting sustained spatial attention. Vision Sciences Society, St. Pete Beach, FL

Hakim N*, deBettencourt M*, Awh E, Vogel EK, Warnke PC (2020) Examining sustained attention with subcortical recordings. Single Units and Human iEEG Meeting, Birmingham, England

Hakim N, Feldmann-Wüstefeld T, Chai L, Awh E, Vogel EK (2019) Distractor suppression in visual working memory. Psychonomic Society, Montreal, Canada

Hakim N, Feldmann-Wüstefeld T, Awh E, Vogel EK (2019) Neural dynamics of interrupting active working memory. Society for Neuroscience, Chicago, IL

Chai L, **Hakim N**, Feldmann-Wüstefeld T, Awh E, Vogel EK (2019) Distractor suppression in visual working memory. Society for Neuroscience, Chicago IL

Hakim N, Awh E, Vogel EK (2019) EEG-based decoding of attended location: a comparison of convolutional neural networks, forward encoding models, and logistic regression. The Algonauts Project, Boston, MA

Hakim N, Feldmann-Wüstefeld T, Awh E, Vogel EK (2018) Object representations persist when spatial attention is diverted. Psychonomic Society, New Orleans, LA

Hakim N, Feldmann-Wüstefeld, T, Awh E, Vogel EK (2018) Distinct attention and working memory mechanisms protect internal representations from interruption. Vision Sciences Society, St. Pete Beach, FL

Hakim N, Vogel EK (2017) Graded loss of information from working memory after long retention intervals. Psychonomic Society, Vancouver, Canada

Hakim N, Adam KCS, Awh E, Vogel EK (2017) Sustained spatial attention is not sufficient to elicit the contralateral delay activity. Vision Sciences Society, St. Pete Beach, FL

Hakim N, Vogel EK (2016) Moving the limits of performance in a visual working memory task. Psychonomic Society, Boston, MA

Hakim N, Simons D, Zhao H, Wang X (2015) Cultural differences in visual cognition. Object Perception, Attention, and Memory, Chicago, IL

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INVITED TALKS	University of California, San Francisco, February 2020	
	National Institutes of Health, Bethesda MD, January 2020	
TEACHING	Mind I-III, Teaching intern, University of Chicago Discussion section leader for undergraduate seminar on mental processes, biological mechanisms, & social context	Fall 2017, Winter 2018, Spring 2018
	Research Methods, Teaching assistant, University of Chicago Discussion section leader and guest lecturer for undergraduate course on statistics	Spring 2017
	Fundamentals of Psychology , Teaching assistant, University of Chicago Discussion section leader and guest lecturer for introductory undergraduate course	Winter 2017
HONORS AND AWARDS	Fellow, Summer Institute for Cognitive Neuroscience, Santa Barbara, CA	2019
	Participant , Deep learning analysis workshop, The National Center for Brain Mapping, Woods Hole, MA	2019
	Fellow, Institute for Mind and Biology, University of Chicago	2015 - present
	Best Poster , Object Perception Attention and Memory (OPAM) Conference, Chicago, IL	2015
	Magna Cum Laude, UIUC	2015
	Charles Eriksen Award , Visual Cognition Human Performance Psychology Division, UIUC	2015
	Joseph S. Flores Award, Department of Spanish, UIUC	2015
	James Spoor Award, Department of Psychology, UIUC	2015
	James Scholar, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, UIUC	2011 - 2015
	Dean's List, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, UIUC	2011 - 2015
REVIEWING	Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences Attention, Perception, & Psychophysics Consciousness & Cognition Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience Journal of Cognitive Psychology	
DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE	Committee Member , Institute for Mind and Biology, University of Chicago	2017 - present

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	President , Academic and Career Development Committee, Psychology Graduate Student Organization, University of Chicago	2015 - 2019
TECHNICAL SKILLS	Matlab, Python, R, SPSS, EEGLAB, Eyelink, Psychtoolbox, Freesurfer, Pytorch Native speaker of English, fluent in Spanish, basic German and Catalan	
PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS	Psychonomic Society Society for Neuroscience Vision Sciences Society	2015 - present 2015 - present 2016 - present

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