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EDUCATION	<b>The University of Edinburgh</b> , Edinburgh, Scotland PhD candidate in Psychology  <b>Brandeis University</b> , Waltham, Massachusetts MS in Neuroscience, 2010  <b>Massachusetts Institute of Technology</b> , Cambridge, Massachusetts BS in Brain and Cognitive Sciences, 2008	
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	<b>The University of Edinburgh</b> , Edinburgh, Scotland Department of Psychology <i>PCD PhD Scholar</i> , supervised by Dr Alexander Weiss	<b>September 2013 - present</b>
	<b>Columbia University</b> , New York, NY Department of Psychology <i>Lab Manager</i> , with Prof Herbert S. Terrace	<b>June 2010 - June 2013</b>
	<b>The University of Cape Town</b> , Cape Town, South Africa Cognitive Ethology Research Group/Baboon Research Unit <i>Field Assistant</i> , with Dr Rahel Noser	<b>September 2009 - April 2010</b>
	<b>Brandeis University</b> , Waltham, MA Department of Neuroscience <i>Rotation Student</i>	<b>August 2008 - May 2009</b>
	<b>Massachusetts Institute of Technology</b> , Cambridge, MA Department of Brain and Cognitive Sciences <i>Research Assistant</i> , with Prof Earl Miller	<b>May 2006 - May 2008</b>
	<b>Willamette University</b> , Salem, OR Department of Chemistry <i>Research Assistant</i> , with Dr Jeff Willemsen	<b>May 2003 - August 2003</b>
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<b>The University of Edinburgh</b> , Edinburgh, Scotland <i>Tutor</i> , MSc Univariate and Multivariate Statistics	<b>September 2013 - May 2016</b>
	<i>Tutor</i> , Year 3 Critical Analysis	<b>September 2014 - May 2016</b>
	<i>Lab Tutor</i> , Year 1 Psychology	<b>February 2015 - April 2015</b>
	<i>Tutor</i> , Year 1 Psychology	<b>September 2013 - May 2014</b>

**Columbia University**, New York, NY

*Course Organizer*, Animal Cognition Seminar

**September 2010 - June 2013**

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology**, Cambridge, MA

*Teaching Assistant*, Animal Behavior

**September 2007 - January 2008**

#### OUTREACH

*Co-organizer*, Communication Roundtable      International Primatological Society, **August 2016**  
*Organizer*, Big Brother is Nudging You      Edinburgh International Science Festival, **April 2016**  
*Presenter*, Science Night at the Zoo      Edinburgh International Science Festival, **April 2016**  
*Organizer*, The Great Ape Debate      Edinburgh International Science Festival, **April 2015**  
*Demonstrator*, Museum Late      National Museum of Scotland, **February 2015**

#### POSITIONS HELD

*Tutor Representative*, Department of Psychology      **October 2015 - present**  
*Member*, Student Committee, American Society of Primatologists      **July 2015 - present**  
*Coordinator*, Individual Differences Journal Club      **September 2014 - present**

#### AWARDS

2015 - Great Britain Sasakawa Foundation, Research Training Travel Grant  
2014 - British Society for the Psychology of Individual Differences, Best Poster  
2008 - Sigma Xi  
2008 - Umaer Basha Undergraduate Research Opportunities Fund  
2007 - John Reed Undergraduate Research Opportunities Fund

#### PUBLICATIONS

Altschul, D.M., Morton, F.B. (2016). Guidelines for using extraction methods in data reduction analyses of social relationship structure in animals. *In revision*.

Wallace, E.K., Altschul, D.M., Pavonetti, S.P., Benti, B., Koerfer, K., Waller, B., Slocombe, K.S. (2016). Is music enriching for group-housed captive chimpanzees? *Submitted*.

Altschul, D.M., Jensen, G., Terrace, H. S. (2016). Perceptual category learning of photographic and painterly stimuli in rhesus macaques (*Macaca mulatta*) and humans. *Submitted*. (Preprint available at <https://peerj.com/preprints/967/> ).

Altschul, D.M., Jensen, G., Terrace, H. S. (2016). Concept learning of ecological and artificial stimuli in rhesus macaques. *Submitted*. (Preprint available at <https://peerj.com/manuscripts/4614/> ).

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Altschul, D.M., Terrace, H. S., Weiss, A. (2016). Serial cognition and personality in macaques. *Animal behavior and cognition*, 3(1), 46.

Weiss, A., Altschul, D. (2016). Methods and applications of animal personality research. In J. Call (Ed.), *Handbook of Comparative Psychology*. Washington DC: American Psychological Association.

Jensen, G., Altschul, D. (2015). Two perils of binary categorization: why the study of concepts can't afford true/false testing. *Frontiers in psychology*, 6.

Avdagic, E., Jensen, G., Altschul, D., Terrace, H. (2014). Rapid cognitive flexibility of rhesus

macaques performing psychophysical task-switching. *Animal Cognition*, 17 (3), 619-631.

Jensen, G., Altschul, D., Danly, E., Terrace, H.S. (2013). Rhesus macaques use a common representation space to solve distinct problems. *PLoS One*, 8 (7), e70285

Jensen, G., Altschul, D., Terrace, H. (2013). Monkeys would rather see and do: preference for agentic control in rhesus macaques. *Experimental Brain Research*, 229 (3), 429-442

#### PRESENTATIONS

Altschul, D.M. (2016). How to Lasso: Least absolute shrinkage and selection operator. Presenting at EdinbR, Edinburgh, UK.

Altschul, D.M., Jensen, G., Terrace, H. S. (2016). Concept learning of ecological and artificial visual stimuli in humans and captive rhesus macaques. Presented at International Primatological Society Meeting, Chicago, IL, USA.

Altschul, D. M., King, J. E., Inoue-Murayama, M., Ross, S. R., Weiss, A. (2016). Longevity and personality in captive chimpanzees (*Pan troglodytes*). Presented at Chimpanzee Symposium, Chicago, IL, USA. (Preprint available at <https://peerj.com/manuscripts/10810/> ).

Altschul, D.M., Sonnweber, R.S., Wallace, E.K., Weiss, A. (2016). Chimpanzee motivation, personality, and intellect: evidence from touchscreen tasks. Presented at the Scottish Primate Research Group Meeting, Brechin, UK.

Altschul, D.M., Weiss, A. (2015). Individual differences in chimpanzee (*Pan troglodytes*) personality, learning, and engagement in touch screen tasks. Presented at the American Society of Primatologists Meeting, Bend, OR, USA. In *American Journal of Primatology*, 77, 93. 111 River St, Hoboken, 07030-5774, NJ, USA: Wiley-Blackwell.

Altschul, D.M., Sinn, D., Weiss, A. (2015). A comparative outlook on chimpanzee metabolic health: a personality and biomarker study. Presented at the Scottish Primate Research Group Meeting, Brechin, UK.

Altschul, D.M., Sinn, D., Weiss, A. (2014). Personality and blood chemistry associations with cardiovascular health in chimpanzees (*Pan troglodytes*). Presented at the American Society of Primatologists Meeting, Decatur, GA, USA. In *American Journal of Primatology*, 76, 61. 111 River St, Hoboken, 07030-5774, NJ, USA: Wiley-Blackwell.

Altschul, D.M., Jensen, G., Terrace, H.S. (2014). Perceptual concept learning using ecological and artificial stimuli in monkeys. Presented at the European Conference on Behavioural Biology, Prague, Czech Republic.

Altschul, D.M., Jensen, G., Terrace, H.S. (2014). Perceptual concept learning using ecological and artificial stimuli in monkeys. Presented at the British Society for the Psychology of Individual Differences, London, UK.