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Trained as neuropsychologist, I am currently a postdoc in Singapore researching aspects of reality bending (e.g., neuroscience of deception, perception of fake news, altered states of consciousness) and methodology (statistics and neurophysiology).

### **Current Position**

#### **Presidential Postdoctoral Fellow**

Singapore

CLINICAL BRAIN LAB, NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY (NTU)

2020 - Present

- The NTU Presidential Postdoc award funded two years of postdoc for my project about the neurocognitive and affective processes underlying the beliefs in fake vs. real material (e.g., fake news, fiction, etc.).
- Reference: Pr Annabel Chen

### Education

#### Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) - Psychology

France

Université de Paris 2014 - 18

• Thesis: Cognitive Neuropsychology of Implicit Emotion Regulation through Fictional Reappraisal (supervised by Pr Serge Nicolas & Pr Pascale

#### **Certified Psychotherapist - Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (CBT)**

France

FRENCH ASSOCIATION FOR COGNITIVE-BEHAVIOURAL THERAPY (AFTCC)

2014 - 17

· Thesis: Cognitive and Behavioural Therapy of two Patients: One suffering from Motivation Disorder associated with Dysthymia and the other from Social Anxiety (supervised by Sophie Kindynis)

#### Master of Science (MSc) - Neuropsychology and Cognitive Psychology

France

Université de Paris

- 2012 14 • Second year thesis: How the Study of Emotions in Schizophrenia enlight the Paradox of Fiction (supervised by Pr Pascale Piolino).
- First year thesis: The Cognitive Development of the Aesthetic Judgement in Children and Adults (supervised Pr Sandrine Rossi).

#### Bachelor of Arts (BA) - Psychology

France

Université de Paris 2009 - 12

## **Additional Training**

#### **TEACHING**

**CITI Certification** Online

COLLABORATIVE INSTITUTIONAL TRAINING INITIATIVE (ETHICS AND SCIENTIFIC INTEGRITY IN RESEARCH)

#### **Academic Teaching Certificate**

France

Université of Paris (40h training in pedagogy and innovative teaching)

2017

#### CLINICAL

**Certified Hypnotherapist** Singapore

NATIONAL GUILD OF HYPNOTISTS (100H - NOTE THAT ALTHOUGH TRAINED AND QUALIFIED, I DO NOT ENDORSE HYPNOSIS)

2019

#### Mindfulness based on Compassion and Insight (MBCI)

**France** 2016

INSTITUTE FOR PSYCHIATRY, SAINTE-ANNE HOSPITAL (16H MASTER CLASS)

France

Université de Paris (16H - Level 1)

2016

#### NEUROIMAGING

**First Aid Certificate** 

Structural, Functional and Radiological Neuroanatomy

NEUROCOURSES UK (32H)

**MRI Connectivity Analysis** Marseille, France

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF NUCLEAR SCIENCES & TECHNIQUES - INSTN (32H)

fMRI: Preprocessing and Analysis

SAINTE-ANNE HOSPITAL (32H) 2014 - 15

Signal Processing Theory and Application for EEG

Paris, France ÉCOLE SUPÉRIEURE DE PHYSIQUE ET DE CHIMIE INDUSTRIELLE - ESPCI (24H) 2014

STATISTICS AND PROGRAMMING

Creating Online Experiments in PsychoPy and Pavlovia Online

UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM (24H)

Scientific Programming with Python and Software Engineering Best Practices

TELECOM PARISTECH (16H) 2016

Nottingham, UK P4N: Python for Neuroscience (and Psychology)

University of Nottingham (24H)

**Machine Learning and Brain-to-Computer Interfaces** Paris, France

ÉCOLE SUPÉRIEURE DE PHYSIQUE ET DE CHIMIE INDUSTRIELLE - ESPCI (16H)

**MISCELLANEOUS** 

**History of Arts** Paris, France

ÉCOLE DU LOUVRE (74H) 2017-18

## Experience \_\_\_\_\_

#### RESEARCH

#### Clinical Brain Lab, Nanyang Technological University (NTU)

Singapore

Online

Paris, France

Paris, France

2014

2020

RESEARCH FELLOW 2019 - 20

• First postdoc position, working on a project funded by the ministry of defence about the neurocognitive correlates of deception. Responsible for studies design and completion, data analysis, publications and co-supervision of one PhD student, two research assistants and several graduate and undergraduate students (reference: Pr Annabel Chen).

#### Developmental Psychology Lab (LaPsyDé), Université de Paris

France

INTERNSHIP

2012

· Data collection for a study (Borst, 2016) on emotions and mental rotation (reference: Pr Grégoire Borst).

#### Memory & Cognition Lab (LMC), Université de Paris

France

INTERNSHIP

2011

• Experiment creation and data collection for a study on memory, salience and bizarreness effect (reference: Pr Serge Nicolas).

#### Skills

#### LANGUAGE

• French: Native • Polish: Native • English: Fluent

• Italian: B1 level (currently learning)

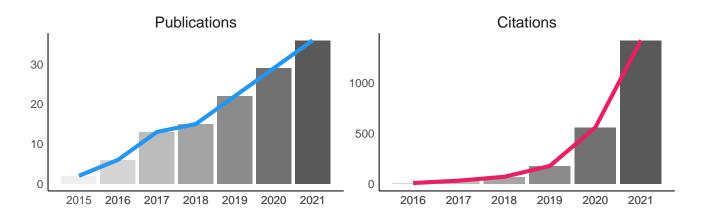
#### Research Track Record

#### **AWARDS**

**EDITORIAL RESPONSIBILITIES** 

SCIENTIFIC IMPACT

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## **Publications**\_

REALITY MANIPULATION