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## **EDUCATION**

Princeton Neuroscience Institute

Postdoctoral Researcher Princeton, NJ

2020-Current

St. Louis, MO

Advisor: Nathaniel D. Daw, Ph.D.

University of Pennsylvania 2013–2020

Ph.D. in Neuroscience Philadelphia, PA

Advisor: Danielle S. Bassett, Ph.D.

Washington University in St. Louis 2007–2011

B.S. in Computer Science & Chinese

Minor in Physics Graduated with Engineering Honors, Cum Laude

# RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Tel Aviv University 2012

Research Assistant Tel Aviv, Israel

Advisor: Matti Mintz, Ph.D.

Computational modeling of the cerebellar microcircuit for sequential learning

Tel Aviv University

Winter 2011

Research Assistant Tel Aviv, Israel

Advisor: Ehud Gazit, Ph.D.

Implemented and refined a protocol for self-assembling nanospheres

Technion University Summer 2010

Research Assistant Haifa, Israel

Advisor: Nahum Shimkin, Ph.D.

Implemented a machine learning based multilayer flight simulator framework

Washington University in St. Louis 2008–2009

Research Assistant St. Louis, MO

Advisor: William Smart, Ph.D.

Designed framework for BCI-based control of simulated robotic prostheses

# **PUBLICATIONS**

Marie-Constance Corsi, Mario Chavez, Denis Schwartz, Nathalie George, Laurent Hugueville, **Ari E. Kahn**, Sophie Dupont, Danielle S. Bassett, and Fabrizio De Vico Fallani (2020). "Functional Disconnection of Associative Cortical Areas Predicts Performance during BCI Training". In: *NeuroImage*, p. 116500.

Teresa M. Karrer, Jason Z. Kim, Jennifer Stiso, **Ari E. Kahn**, Fabio Pasqualetti, Ute Habel, and Danielle S. Bassett (2020). "A Practical Guide to Methodological Considerations in the Controllability of Structural Brain Networks". In: *Journal of Neural Engineering* 17.2, p. 026031.

- Christopher W. Lynn, **Ari E. Kahn**, Nathaniel Nyema, and Danielle S. Bassett (2020). "Abstract Representations of Events Arise from Mental Errors in Learning and Memory". In: *Nature Communications* 11.1 (1), p. 2313.
- Christopher W. Lynn, Lia Papadopoulos, **Ari E. Kahn**, and Danielle S. Bassett (2020). "Human Information Processing in Complex Networks". In: *Nature Physics*, pp. 1–9.
- Steven H. Tompson, **Ari E. Kahn**, Emily B. Falk, Jean M. Vettel, and Danielle S. Bassett (2020). "Functional Brain Network Architecture Supporting the Learning of Social Networks in Humans". In: *NeuroImage*, p. 116498.
- Richard F. Betzel, John D. Medaglia, **Ari E. Kahn**, Jonathan Soffer, Daniel R. Schonhaut, and Danielle S. Bassett (2019). "Structural, Geometric and Genetic Factors Predict Interregional Brain Connectivity Patterns Probed by Electrocorticography". In: *Nature Biomedical Engineering* 3.11, pp. 902–916.
- Elisabeth A. Karuza, **Ari E. Kahn**, and Danielle S. Bassett (2019). "Human Sensitivity to Community Structure Is Robust to Topological Variation". In: *Complexity* 2019, pp. 1–8.
- Ankit N. Khambhati, **Ari E. Kahn**, Julia Costantini, Youssef Ezzyat, Ethan A. Solomon, Robert E. Gross, Barbara C. Jobst, Sameer A. Sheth, Kareem A. Zaghloul, Gregory Worrell, Sarah Seger, Bradley C. Lega, Shennan Weiss, Michael R. Sperling, Richard Gorniak, Sandhitsu R. Das, Joel M. Stein, Daniel S. Rizzuto, Michael J. Kahana, Timothy H. Lucas, Kathryn A. Davis, Joseph I. Tracy, and Danielle S. Bassett (2019). "Functional Control of Electrophysiological Network Architecture Using Direct Neurostimulation in Humans". In: *Network Neuroscience*, pp. 1–30.
- Jennifer Stiso, Ankit N. Khambhati, Tommaso Menara, **Ari E. Kahn**, Joel M. Stein, Sandihitsu R. Das, Richard Gorniak, Joseph Tracy, Brian Litt, Kathryn A. Davis, Fabio Pasqualetti, Timothy H. Lucas, and Danielle S. Bassett (2019). "White Matter Network Architecture Guides Direct Electrical Stimulation through Optimal State Transitions". In: *Cell Reports* 28.10, 2554–2566.e7.
- Steven H. Tompson, Ari E. Kahn, Emily B. Falk, Jean M. Vettel, and Danielle S. Bassett (2019). "Individual Differences in Learning Social and Nonsocial Network Structures". In: *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, and Cognition* 45.2, pp. 253–271.
- **Ari E. Kahn**, Elisabeth A. Karuza, Jean M. Vettel, and Danielle S. Bassett (2018). "Network Constraints on Learnability of Probabilistic Motor Sequences". In: *Nature Human Behaviour* 2.12, pp. 936–947. arXiv: 1709.03000.
- Jason Z. Kim, Jonathan M. Soffer, **Ari E. Kahn**, Jean M. Vettel, Fabio Pasqualetti, and Danielle S. Bassett (2018). "Role of Graph Architecture in Controlling Dynamical Networks with Applications to Neural Systems". In: *Nature Physics* 14.1, pp. 91–98.
- Ann E. Sizemore, Chad Giusti, **Ari Kahn**, Jean M. Vettel, Richard F. Betzel, and Danielle S. Bassett (2018). "Cliques and Cavities in the Human Connectome". In: *Journal of Computational Neuroscience* 44.1, pp. 115–145.
- Graham L. Baum, Rastko Ciric, David R. Roalf, Richard F. Betzel, Tyler M. Moore, Russell T. Shinohara, **Ari E. Kahn**, Simon N. Vandekar, Petra E. Rupert, Megan Quarmley, Philip A. Cook, Mark A. Elliott, Kosha Ruparel, Raquel E. Gur, Ruben C. Gur, Danielle S. Bassett, and Theodore D. Satterthwaite (2017). "Modular Segregation of Structural Brain Networks Supports the Development of Executive Function in Youth". In: *Current Biology* 27.11, 1561–1572.e8. pmid: 28552358.
- **Ari E. Kahn**, Marcelo G. Mattar, Jean M. Vettel, Nicholas F. Wymbs, Scott T. Grafton, and Danielle S. Bassett (2017). "Structural Pathways Supporting Swift Acquisition of New Visuomotor Skills". In: *Cerebral Cortex* 27.1, pp. 173–184.

Elisabeth A. Karuza, **Ari E. Kahn**, Sharon L. Thompson-Schill, and Danielle S. Bassett (2017). "Process Reveals Structure: How a Network Is Traversed Mediates Expectations about Its Architecture". In: *Scientific Reports* 7.1, p. 12733.

Evelyn Tang, Chad Giusti, Graham L. Baum, Shi Gu, Eli Pollock, **Ari E. Kahn**, David R. Roalf, Tyler M. Moore, Kosha Ruparel, Ruben C. Gur, Raquel E. Gur, Theodore D. Satterthwaite, and Danielle S. Bassett (2017). "Developmental Increases in White Matter Network Controllability Support a Growing Diversity of Brain Dynamics". In: *Nature Communications* 8.1, p. 1252.

Shi Gu, Fabio Pasqualetti, Matthew Cieslak, Qawi K. Telesford, Alfred B. Yu, **Ari E. Kahn**, John D. Medaglia, Jean M. Vettel, Michael B. Miller, Scott T. Grafton, and Danielle S. Bassett (2015). "Controllability of Structural Brain Networks". In: *Nature Communications* 6, p. 8414.

## **TALKS**

Interdisciplinary Advances in Statistical Learning. June 27–29, 2019, San Sebastian, Spain.

CompleNet. March 4-8, 2018, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

SIAM Workshop on Network Science. July 12–13, 2018, Portland, Oregon, USA.

# **POSTERS**

Interdisciplinary Advances in Statistical Learning. June 27–29, 2019, San Sebastian, Spain.

Sackler Colloquium "Brain Produces Mind by Modeling". May 1-3, 2019, Irvine, California, USA.

MINS Symposium. April 3, 2019, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA.

Conference on Computataional Neuroscience. September 5–8, 2018, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA.

Psychonomics. November 17–20, 2016, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

Society for Neuroscience. November 12–16, 2016, San Deigo, California, USA.

Society for Neuroscience. October 13–17, 2012, New Orleans, Louisiana, USA.

#### AWARDS

Sackler Colloquium "Brain Produces Mind by Modeling" Travel Award Spring 2019

SIAM Student Travel Award Spring 2018

Jameson-Hurvich Travel Award Fall 2016

# TEACHING AND MENTORING

## Teaching Assistant

Introduction to Brain and Behavior

Spring 2016

Led weekly undergraduate recitation section and wrote testing material

## Undergraduate Mentoring

Nathaniel Nyema

Summer 2018 - Current

Mentoring on behavioral experiments and data analysis

## **OUTREACH**

# **Upward Bound**

Summer Neuroscience Elective	
Head Coordinator	2016 – 2018
Instructor	2014 – 2015
Penn Neuroscience Public Lecture Series Committee Member	2014-2017
Neuroscience Elementary School Outreach Program	

2013 – 2017

# PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Society for Neuroscience

SIAM

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# **SKILLS**

Programming Python, R, Matlab, JavaScript, C, C++, LaTeX Image Processing FSL, ANTs, FreeSurfer, DSI Studio, Nipype