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Education

2010 Ph.D. Neuroscience, University of California, Berkeley

Advisor: Michael Silver, Thesis: "Neural mechanisms of perceptual learning"

2005 **M.A.** (Summa cum Laude) Cognitive Psychology, Hebrew University of Jerusalem Advisor: Merav Ahissar, Thesis: "Interactions of cognitive and auditory abilities in the blind"

2002 B.Sc. (Cum Laude) Biology and Psychology, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Work Experience

| 2021 - present | Research Associate Professor & Senior Data Science Fellow | |
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| | University of Washington Department of Psychology and eScience Institute | |
| 2020 - 2021 | Research Assistant Professor & Data Science Fellow | |
| | University of Washington Department of Psychology and eScience Institute | |
| 2015 - 2020 | Senior Data Scientist | |
| | University of Washington eScience Institute | |
| 2011 - 2015 | Postdoctoral Researcher | |
| | Stanford University | |
| 2010 - 2011 | Postdoctoral Researcher | |
| | University of California, Berkeley | |
| 2002 - 2003 | Research Student | |
| | Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin | |

Additional institutional affiliations

| 2024 - present | Affiliate faculty | |
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| | University of Washington Center Statistics and the Social Sciences | |
| 2021 - present | Co-Director | |
| | University of Washington Center for Human Neuroscience | |
| 2021 - present | Adjunct Associate Professor | |
| | Paul Allen School of Computer Science & Engineering | |
| 2018 - present | Affiliate faculty | |
| | University of Washington Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology | |
| 2016 - present | Affiliate faculty | |
| | University of Washington Computational Neuroscience Center | |
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Honors and awards

| 2024 | Organization for Human Brain Mapping Education in Neuroimaging Award (\$2,500). |
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| 2023 | McGill University Neuro / Irv and Helga Cooper Foundation Open Science Prize for inter- |
| | national projects, received as a member of the Brain Imaging Data Structure steering group |
| | (\$ 80,000 CAD). |
| 2022 - 2024 | Elected member of the Brain Imaging Data Structure (BIDS) steering group. |
| 2012 - 2015 | NIH Postdoctoral National Research Service Award. |
| 2009 - 2010 | NIH Predoctoral National Research Service Award. |
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Peer-reviewed journal publications

Google Scholar, total citations: 9,815, h-index: 46 * indicates equal contribution

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- 88. Schilling, K., Zhang, F., Tournier, J.-D., Vergani, F., Sotiropoulus, S. N., **Rokem, A.**, and O'Donnell, L. (2025). Atlas-based templates vs. subject-specific tractography: Resolving the debate. *Brain Structure and Function*
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Current funded research

All \$ amounts specified for total cost

As Principal Investigator

| 2017-2027 | NIH/National Institute for Mental Health, R25: Summer Institute in Neuroimaging and |
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| | Data Science, \$2,003,598 |
| 2025 | NSF NAIRR Pilot: A volumetric foundation model for brain imaging \$50,023 |

As co-PI or senior personnel

| 2018-2027 | NIH R01: Community-supported open-source software for computational neuroanatomy |
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| | (role: subcontract PI, PI: Eleftherios Garyfallidis), \$ 2,726,578 |
| 2021-2026 | NIH U19: Adult Changes in Thought (ACT) Research Program (role: Senior Personnel, |
| | PI: Eric Larson and Paul Crane), \$44,589,170 |
| 2019-2029 | NIH R01: Aging eyes and aging brains in studying Alzheimer's disease: modern ophthalmic |
| | data collection in the Adult Changes in Thought (ACT) study (role: Senior Personnel; PI: |
| | Cecilia Lee). \$24,930,816 |
| 2023-2028 | NIH R01: Myelin Content and Cognitive Trajectories in Young Adults Living with Virally |
| | Suppressed HIV (role: Senior Personnel, PI: Payal Patel), \$585,425 |

Completed funded research

As Principal Investigator

| 2023-2024 | NSF Workshop: Towards an Open Source Model for Data and Metadata Standards (role: |
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| 2021-2024 | PI) \$ 99,953 NIH R01 NIPreps: integrating neuroimaging preprocessing workflows across modalities, populations, and species (role: multi-PI) \$1,630,690 |
| 2019-2024 | NIH BRAIN Initiative RF1: A data science toolbox for analysis of Human Connectome Project diffusion MRI (role: PI), \$707,444. |
| 2021-2022 | UW Azure Cloud Computing Credits (role: PI), \$43,000 |
| 2021 | Google Cloud Research Credits (role: PI), \$5,000 |
| 2021 | Amazon Web Services Cloud Computing Credits (role: PI), \$5,000 |
| 2020 | Google Cloud Research Credits (role: PI), \$5,000 |
| 2021 | UW Azure Cloud Computing Credits (role: PI), \$20,000 |
| 2020 | Google Cloud Research Credits (role: PI), \$5,000 |
| 2019 | Google TensorFlow Research Cloud credits (role: PI), 100 TPU hours |
| 2017 | XSEDE: Educational allocation for a one-day course in neuroscience and data science (role: PI), 10,000 core hours. |
| 2016 | Amazon Web Services cloud computing credits for research (role: PI), \$30,000. |
| 2012-2015 | NIH/National Eye Institute, National Research Service Award (F32): The Anatomical Basis |
| | of Texture Perception in Central and Peripheral Visual Field (role: PI), \$155,346. |
| 2009-2010 | NIH/National Institute for Aging, National Research Service Award (F31): Neural Mechanisms of Perceptual Learning (role: PI), \$22,253. |

As co-PI or senior personnel

| 2022-2024 | Chan Zuckerberg Initiative Essential Open Source Software: Diffusion Imaging in Python (role: co-Investigator; PI: Serge Koudoro), \$165,407 |
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| 2021-2024 | NIH R01 A community-driven development of the brain imaging data standard (BIDS) to describe macroscopic brain connections (role: Senior Personnel; PI: Franco Pestilli) \$352,342. |
| 2019-2023 | NSF BDHUBS: Collaborative Proposal: West: Accelerating the Big Data Innovation Ecosystem (role: Senior Personnel, PI: Ed Lazowska), \$201,822. |
| 019-2023 | NSF HDR: I-DIRSE-FW: Accelerating the Engineering Design and Manufacturing Life-Cycle with Data Science (role: co-PI; PI: Magda Balazinska), \$2,320,979. |
| 2017-2023 | The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation: Advance Data Analytic Support for Strategic PNW Partners by eScience Institute (role: co-PI, PI: Bill Howe), \$754,601. |
| 2021-2022 | NSF AccelNet Exchange Grant through the International Network for Biologically-Inspired Computing \$10,000. |
| 2018-2022 | NIH BRAIN Initiative U19: Computational and Circuit Mechanisms Underlying Rapid Learning. (role: Data Science Core Senior Personnel, PI: Beth Buffalo), \$14,439,172. |
| 2018 - 2021 | NSF TRIPODS + X EDU: Foundational training in neuroscience and geoscience via hack weeks (role: co-PI, PI: Maryam Fazel), \$ 185,058. |
| 2017-2020 | NSF SI2-SSE: An ecosystem of reusable image analytics pipelines (role: co-PI, PI: Andy Connoly), \$500,000. |
| 2017-2018 | The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation: The King County Analytics Project (role: co-PI, PI: Bryna Hazelton), \$320,000. |
| 2017-2018 | NSF ACI SI2-S2I2: Conceptualization: Conceptualizing a US Research Software Sustainability Institute (URSSI) (role: senior Personnel, PI: Daniel Katz), \$ 499,999. |
| 2015-2018 | NSF BDHUBS: A Big Data Innovation Hub for the Western United States (role: co-PI, PI: Ed Lazowska), \$201,822. |
| 2015-2016 | The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation: Increasing Data-Driven Decision Making through Data Modeling Techniques and Best Practices (role: co-PI, PI: Bryna Hazelton), \$140,995. |

Submitted proposals under consideration

As Principal Investigator

| 2026-2030 | NIH R01: Small brains and Big Data: Modeling early-life white matter development from |
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| | large-scale human MRI measurements \$3,082,023. |
| 2025 - 2029 | NIH R01: A computational approach to map visual cortex organization in the human brain |
| | (role: multi-PI, with Noah Benson and Jonathan Winawer), \$ 3,101,909. |

As Co-PI or senior personnel

| 2025 - 2027 | NSF Safe-OSE: USEP-XOSE Enhanced Security and Privacy in Xarray and related Open- |
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| | source Ecosystems (role: co-PI, PI: Vani Mandava), \$ 1,500,000. |
| 2026 - 2031 | NIH U19: Adult Changes in Thought (ACT) Research Program (role: Senior Personnel, |
| | PI: Eric Larson and Paul Crane), \$ 23,352,014. |
| 2025 - 2030 | NIH R01: Reproducible imaging-based brain growth charts for psychiatry (role: Senior |
| | Personnel, PI: Ted Satterthwaite), \$3,865,923. |

Open-source software contributions

As major contributor

| 2009 - | Nitime: Time-series analysis for neuroscience data | https://nitime.org/ |
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| 2011 - | DIPY: Diffusion Imaging in Python | https://dipy.org/ |
| 2015 - | pyAFQ: Automated Fiber Quantification in Python | https://tratcometry.org/pyAFQ/ |
| 2016 - | Pulse2percept: Models for Sight Restoration | https://pulse2percept. |
| | | readthedocs.io/en/stable/ |
| 2016 - | Confidence intervals for scikit-learn forest algorithms | http://contrib.scikit-learn.org/ |
| | | forest-confidence-interval/ |
| 2017 - | AFQ-Browser: Web-based tractometry visualization | https://tractometry.org/ |
| | | AFQ-Browser |
| 2017 - | Cloudknot: a Pythonic interface to AWS Batch Services | https://nrdg.github.io/cloudknot |
| 2021 - | AFQ-Insight: Machine learning for tractometry | https://tractometry.org/ |
| | | AFQ-Insight |
| 2024 - | Tractable: Statistical analysis for tractometry | https://tractometry.org/tractable |

As minor contributor

Minor contributions across many open source software libraries in the Python scientific eco system, including *Matplotlib*, *Scikit Learn*, *Scikit Image*, *Jupyter* and *IPython*, as well as many neuroscience-specific software libraries, including *Nibabel*, *Nipype*, *Nipy*, *Vistasoft* and *Popeye*.

Invited talks (last five years)

| 6/2025 | Centre for Addiction and Mental Health, Toronto, Canada |
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| 5/2025 | Seattle Visualization Day, University of Washington (Keynote) |
| 11/2024 | NIH Generalist Repository Ecosystem Initiative Council of Councils Working Group |
| 7/2024 | National Institute for Physiological Sciences, Okazaki, Japan |
| 7/2024 | Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea |
| 6/2024 | Department of Psychology, University of Marburg, Germany |
| 11/2023 | Tanenbaum Open Science Institute Leaders Council. McGill University, Canada |
| 11/2023 | Quantitative Life Sciences and Medicine seminar series. McGill University, Canada |
| 4/2023 | Academic Data Science Alliance. "Careers in neuroscience and data science" panel. |
| 11/2022 | Society for Neuroscience Professional Development Workshop: "Brain Data Science: A |
| | World of New Neuroscience Career Opportunities". |
| 7/2022 | Pacific Northwest National Lab MARS Seminar (online). |
| 8/2021 | Research Running on Cloud Compute & Emerging Technologies (RRoCCET) 2021 (online). |
| 6/2021 | Oregon State University (Corvalis) and Nanyang Technical University (Singapore) CN Yang |
| | Scholars program (online) |
| 10/2020 | Open Data Science Conference West, San Francisco, CA (and online). |
| 9/2020 | Amazon Web Services Education: Research Seminar Series (online) |

Selected Conference presentation (last five years)

1. GPU-accelerated Diffusion MRI Tractography in DIPY. John Kruper, Mauro Bisson, Josh Romero, Massimiliano Fatica, and **Ariel Rokem**. International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine 2025

- Advanced diffusion modeling classifies FLAIR white matter hyperintensity types in an aging cohort. Kelly Chang, Luke Burke, Nina LaPiana, Bradley Howlett, David Hunt, Margaret Dezelar, Jalal B. Andre, James Ralston, Ariel Rokem *, Christine Mac Donald*. Organization for Human Brain Mapping, 2024. (* indicates equal contribution). KC was awarded an OHBM merit award for this abstract.
- 3. Early life adversity and white matter development. Adam Richie-Halford, Ethan Roy, John Kruper, Jason Yeatman, **Ariel Rokem**. Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience, 2022.
- 4. Deep learning for analysis of diffusion-MRI based white matter tractometry. Joanna Qiao, Jason Yeatman, **Ariel Rokem**, Adam Richie-Halford (2022). Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience, 2022.
- 5. Francois Rheault, Valérie Hayot-Sasson, Robert E. Smith, Christopher Rorden, Jacques-Donald Tournier, Eleftherios Garyfallidis, Fang-Cheng Yeh, Christopher J. Markiewicz, Matthew Brett, Ben Jeurissen, Paul A. Taylor, D. Baran Aydogan, Derek A. Pisner, Serge Koudoro, Soichi Hayashi, Daniel Haehn, Steve Pieper, Daniel Bullock, Emanuele Olivetti, Jean-Christophe Houde, Marc-Alexandre Côté, Flavio Dell'Acqua, Alexander Leemans, Maxime Descoteaux, Bennett Landman, Franco Pestilli, and Ariel Rokem (2002). TRX: A community-oriented tractography file format. Annual Meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping, 2022.
- Adam Richie-Halford, Matthew Cieslak, Azeez Adebimpe, Sydney Covitz, McKenzie Paige Hagen, John Kruper, Mengjia Lyu, Oscar Miranda-Dominguez, Audrey Houghton, Damien Fair, Jason D. Yeatman, Theodore D. Satterthwaite, Ariel Rokem. (2022) NIRV: The NeuroImaging Report Viewer. Annual Meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping, 2022.
- 7. Mareike Grotheer, David Bloom, John Kruper, Manjari Narayan, Adam Richie-Halford, Vicente A. Aguilera González, Jason D. Yeatman, Kalanit Grill-Spector, and Ariel Rokem (2022) Spatiotemporal differences in development of preterm infants white matter bundles are explained by faster in utero compared to ex utero myelination. Annual Meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping, 2022.
- 8. Manjari Narayan, Noah Simon, Adam Richie-Halford, Jason Yeatman, **Ariel Rokem** (2021). Non-parametric causal analysis of brain and cognition, applied to developmental neuroimaging. Annual Meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping 2021.
- 9. John Kruper, Jason D. Yeatman, Adam Richie-Halford, David Bloom, Mareike Grotheer, Sendy Caffarra, Gregory Kiar, Iliana I. Karipidis, Ethan Roy, **Ariel Rokem** (2021). Evaluating the reliability of diffusion-MRI based tractometry. Annual Meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping 2021.
- 10. Adam Richie-Halford, Matthew Cieslak, Alexandre R. Franco, Valerie J. Sydnor, Jason Yeatman, Lei Ai, Michael Milham, Theodore D. Satterthwaite, Ariel Rokem (2021). A preprocessed open diffusion derivatives dataset from the Healthy Brain Network. Annual Meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping 2021. Received Merit Abstract Award.
- 11. Mauro Bisson, Josh Romero, Thorsten Kurth, Massimiliano Fatica, Pablo F. Damasceno, Xihe Xie, Adam Richie-Halford, Serge Koudoro, Eleftherios Garyfallidis, **Ariel Rokem** (2021). GPU-accelerated diffusion MRI tractography in DIPY. International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine 2021
- 12. Rafael Neto Henriques, Marta Correia, Maurizio Marrale, Elizabeth Huber, John Kruper, Serge Koudoro, Jason Yeatman, Eleftherios Garyfallidis, **Ariel Rokem** (2021). Diffusional Kurtosis Imaging

- in the Diffusion Imaging in Python Project. Inernational Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine 2021
- A. Richie-Halford, J. Yeatman, N. Simon, and A. Rokem (2021). Multidimensional analysis and detection of informative features in diffusion MRI measurements of human white matter. Inernational Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine 2021. Received the Magna Cum Laude award based on reviewer scores.
- 14. A. Keshavan, J. Yeatman, **A. Rokem** (2019). Swipes for science: An open-source gamified citizen science framework for scalable data annotation. Organization for Human Brain Mapping, 2019.
- 15. A. Richie-Halford J. Yeatman, **A. Rokem**, A. Keshavan (2019). DMRIprep: a Robust, Scalable Preprocessing Pipeline for diffusion MRI. Organization for Human Brain Mapping 2019.
- 16. S. Xiao, Y. Wu, A. Y. Lee, **A. Rokem** (2019). MRI2MRI: deep learning neural networks infer brain diffusion properties from T1-weighted MRI. Organization for Human Brain Mapping 2019.
- 17. A. Richie-Halford, Jason Yeatman, Noah Simon, and **A. Rokem** (2018, 2019). Multidimensional analysis and detection of informative features in diffusion MRI measurements of human white matter. Society for Neuroscience, 2018. Organization for Human Brain Mapping 2019.

Teaching

Classes

As principal instructor

Spring 2024 Informatics for Psychology, Graduate Seminar, UW Department of Psychology. Website: https://uw-psych.github.io/2024-psych532.

As guest instructor

| 5/2021 | Image Analysis for Data Scientists, UW Department of Chemical Engineering (Instructor: |
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| | Chad Curtis) |
| 2017 - 2018 | Data Science and Society, UW Department of Sociology (Instructor: Afra Mashhadi) |
| 4/2014 | MA capstone class, Department of Statistics, University of California, Berkeley (Instructor: |
| | Victoria Stodden). |
| 10/2013 | MRI methods, Department of Psychology, Stanford University (Instructor: Brian Wandell). |

Software and Data Carpentry

| 2015 - 2020 | University of Washington eScience Institute: led instruction of 20 workshops, >1,000 par- |
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| | ticipants from >30 UW departments. |
| 2015 - 2020 | University of Washington eScience Institute: led 3 Carpentries instructor training workshops. |
| | Trained >40 Carpentries instructors. |
| 2018 - 2021 | Annual Instructor Training, The West Big Data Innovation Hub. Seattle, WA. Trained |
| | more than >50 Carpentries Instructors. |

Other workshops

| 2021 – 2024 | Co-organizer (with Catherine Lebel, François Rheault): "Tractometry: peering into the white matter", educational course at the annual meeting of the Organization for Human |
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| | Brain Mapping |
| 2023 – | Faculty: African Brain Data Science Academy https://africanbraindatanetwork. |
| | com/abds-academy/. |
| 2019 – 2022 | Organizer and lead instructor: Workshop on data science training and collaboration in |
| | Hispanic-Serving Institutions (West Big Data Hub and HSI STEM Hub. |
| 2019 & 2020 | Co-organizer (with Andrew Doyle): "Deep Learning in Human Brain Mapping", educational course at the annual meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping |

Mentorship

Postdocs

| 2023 – 2022 – 2023 | Kelly Chang Woon Ju Park (as secondary mentor on K99, with Ione Fine as primary), Currently Assistant Professor at Georgia Tech. |
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| 2020 - 2022 | Adam Richie-Halford. Currently Research and Development Scientist at Stanford. |
| 2020 – 2021 | Manjari Narayan (co-mentored with Jason Yeatman). Currently Machine Learning Scientist at Dyno Therapeutics. |
| 2016 – 2019 | Michael Beyeler (co-mentored with Ione Fine). Currently Associate Professor at the University of California, Santa-Barbara. |
| 2017 – 2018 | Anisha Keshavan (co-mentored with Jason Yeatman). Currently Senior Data Scientist at Stratagen Bio. |
| 2016 – 2017 | Dongfang Zhao (co-mentored with Magda Balazinska). Currently Assistant Professor at the University of Washington. |

PhD students

| 2025 - | Samantha Eaton |
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| 2025 - | John Romero |
| 2022 – | John Kruper (NSF Graduate Research Fellowship recipient) |
| 2021 – | McKenzie Hagen (DOE Computational Science Graduate Fellowship recipient) |

PhD committee membership

At the UW

| 2025 - | Mahnoor Hyat, UW Department of Psychology |
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| 2025 - | Onyx Scheuer, UW Department of Psychology |
| 2021 - 2023 | Shervin Sahba, UW Physics |
| 2022 | Kelly Chang, UW Department of Psychology |
| 2019 - 2020 | Parmita Mehta, UW Computer Science and Engineering |
| 2017 - 2023 | Ezgi Yücel, UW Department of Psychology |
| 2017 - 2020 | Chad Curtis, UW Department of Chemical Engineering |
| 2017 | Kivan Polimis, UW Department of Sociology |

At other institutions

| 2023 | Melaniè Garcia, Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland |
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| 2024 - 2025 | Audrey Luo, University of Pennsylvania |
| 2024 - | Stephanie Zika, University of Marburg, Germany |
| 2025 - | Howard Chiu, Stanford University |

Post-baccalaureate students

| 2022 - 2024 | Teresa Gomez (NIH research fellowship) |
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| 2020 - 2022 | John Kruper (UW Institute of Neuroengineering post-baccalaureate fellowship recipient). |
| 2020 - 2021 | David Bloom |

Google Summer of Code Open Source Software Interns

| Summer 2016 | Shahnawaz Ahmed (DIPY) |
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| Summer 2015 | Rafael Neto-Henriques (DIPY) |

Research interns and undergraduate students

| 2024 - | Sam Chou (CSE undergraduate student) |
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| 2023 - | Asa Gilmore (Biology undergraduate student) |
| 2023 | Qiqi Liang (Biology undergraduate student), Isaac Crane (Highschool student intern) |
| 2022 | Joanna Qiao (Psychology independent study) |
| 2021 | Leqi Teng (Psychology Honors Student), Cecilia Barnes (HCDE independent study) |

Additional mentorship

| 2022 | Academic Data Science Alliance individual mentorship: Emily Grabowski |
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| 2023 – | African Brain Data Science Network mentorship: Fidelis Bayor (Ghana), Ibeachu Chi- |
| | nagorom (Nigeria), Safiya Hanwa (Nigeria), Anita Eshun (Ghana) |

Public Outreach

2023 – Lectures about early life brain development to small groups of parents through the Program for Early Parent Support (PEPS) Seattle

Service

At the University of Washington

| 2020 - | Department of Psychology, Graduate Training Committee |
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| 2020 – | Department of Psychology, Graduate Admissions Committee |
| 2020 – | Department of Psychology, Data Science Liaison |
| 2022 – | Department of Psychology, Data-intensive Research Committee |
| 2022 – | Department of Psychology, Mentor, Faculty Mentoring Program |
| 2025 - | Faculty Council on University Libraries, member |
| 2024 - | Research Royalty Fund reviewer |
| 2024 – | Mentor, Biological Mechanisms of Healthy Aging Training Program T32 program |
| 2023 – | Mary Gates Fellowship reviewer |
| 2023 – | Mentor, Training in theoretical and computational approaches to neural circuits of cognition |
| | T32 program |
| 2023 | Chair, organizing committee for the eScience 15-year anniversary symposium |
| 2016 – | Course Director, Summer Institute in Neuroimaging and Data Science (https:// |
| | neurohackademy.org) |
| 2015 - 2024 | University of Washington eScience Institute Data Science for Social Good fellowship pro- |
| | gram admissions committee |
| 2015 - 2024 | University of Washington eScience Institute Data Science incubator review committee |
| 2024 – | University of Washington eScience Institute AI and Data Science accelerator review com- |
| | mittee |

At national and international organizations

| 2025 | Member, JupyterCon 2025 Program Committee |
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| 2024 - | Member, Aperture Neuro Oversight Committee (Organization for Human Brain Mapping) |
| 2024 - | Member, Scientific Committee, International Society for Tractography |
| 2021 – | Member, Advisory Committee for USC-based Reproducible Rehabilitation (ReproRehab) research education program https://www.reprorehab.usc.edu/ |
| 2022 - 2024 | Member, Brain Imaging Data Structure (BIDS) steering group |
| 2020 – 2024 | Chair, International Neuroinformatics Coordinating Facility Training and Education Committee |
| 2021 | Chair, "Data Science and Neuroinformatics" symposium at the International Neuroinformatics Coordination Facility Assembly |
| 2016 – 2022 | Software Carpentry Instructor Trainer: training and certifying instructors for Software Carpentry |
| 2018 - 2022 | Member, Organization for Human Brain Mapping Education Committee |
| 2020 – 2022 | Deputy Chair, International Neuroinformatics Coordinating Facility Training and Education Committee |
| 2017 – 2024 | Member of the International Neuroinformatics Coordinating Facility Training and Education Committee |
| 2016 - 2019 | Co-PI of the Western Big Data Innovation Hub |

Editorial board member, Scientific Data (2021 -), Journal of Open Source Software (2016 - 2022);

Reviewer for Annals of Applied Statistics, PLoS One, Human Brain Mapping, Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience, Frontiers in Human Neuroscience, Frontiers in Abnormal Psychology, Journal of Open Research Software, Neuroimage, Journal of Vision, F1000 Research, Journal of Neuroimaging, Current Opinion in Neuroscience, Psychophysiology, Scientific Data, Proceedings of the National Academy of Science, USA,

Neuroinformatics, PLoS Computational Biology, eLife, IOVS, Nature Communications, Biological Psychiatry, Imaging Neuroscience, Ophthalmology Science, Aperture Neuro. Program committee member for Pattern Recognition in Neuroimaging (2015, 2016), Scientific Computing in Python (2016, 2017).

Grant reviewer for NIH, NSF, Academic Data Science Alliance, Chan Zuckerberg Initiative, U.S.-Israel Binational Science Foundation (BSF).