Curriculum Vitae Beth Clarke

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PROFILE

My initial interest in research was sparked upon interning in the Personality Processes Lab at the University of Melbourne. Through this internship, I discovered how much research excited me, which lead me to complete my honours year with Professor Simine Vazire in 2021. This year was challenging and pivotal in my experience as a young researcher which has further compounded my passion for research. As a current PhD student, I am actively seeking out new opportunities to learn and grow as a researcher, particularly in the fields of Metascience and Psychology.

EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy (Psychology)

2022 – 2024 The University of Melbourne

Supervisor: Prof. Simine Vazire

Bachelor of Arts Hons. (Specialisation: Psychology; Major: Philosophy)

2021 The University of Melbourne

Improving Your Statistical Inferences

2021 Eindhoven University of Technology, Coursera

Graduate course: Improving (Our) Science: Replication, Reporting and Openness (PHDBA 297T)

2021 UC Berkeley HAAS

University Extension Subject in Psychology (PSY10011 and PSY1022)

2017 Monash University

SCHOLARSHIPS AND ACADEMIC AWARDS

Research Training Program Scholarship (Fee offset and Stipend)

2022

Dean's Honours List for Academic Excellence in Bachelor of Arts

2020

Writing Competition Academic Piece Top 15, Melbourne Arts Student Society

2018

Kwong Lee Dow Young Scholar, The University of Melbourne

2018

DUX Year 12

2017

PUBLICATIONS

Chin, J., Cullen, H. J., & Clarke, B. (2022). The prejudices of expert evidence.

https://doi.org/10.31222/osf.io/nxcvy.

CONFERENCES

aimos 2021, Lightning Talk

"Analysing Published Limitations in Social and Personality Psychology"

The Association for Interdisciplinary Meta-Research and Open Science (AIMOS), Nov. 2021

Medicine, Dentistry and Health Science (MDHS) Honours Student Conference 2021, Poster

"Analysing Published Limitations in Social and Personality Psychology"

The University of Melbourne, Oct. 2021

WORK EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for the repliCATS Project, the University of Melbourne

March 2021 - October 2022

- A collaborative meta-research project where I assess social scientific research claims by critically reviewing papers and estimating their replicability.
- Assisted the repliCATS team in organising the final repliCATs workshop
- Assisted in organising the Association for Interdisciplinary Meta-Research and Open Science (AIMOS) conference.

Intern, Function of Emotions in Everyday Life (FEEL) Lab at the University of Melbourne

November 2021 - February 2022

 Collaborated on a project investigating the role of social interactions on emotions in the context of COVID-19 related lockdowns in Melbourne, Australia.

Research Assistant for Professor Simine Vazire, the University of Melbourne

December 2020 – February 2021

 Coded features of published journal articles for a project assessing the transparency and rigour of research practices in personality and social psychology.

Intern, Personality and Processes Lab at the University of Melbourne

July 2020 - January 2021

- Collaborated in coding data for two personality related projects.
- Attend regular lab meetings, which discuss the most up-to date topics in personality psychology.

Intern, Memory and Language Lab at the University of Melbourne

July 2020 - January 2021

- Coded word cues in a language acquisition project.
- Attended regular lab meetings which focused on the ongoing projects of the lab.

Admin Assistant, Prestige Pattern Paving

March 2020 - January 2021

• Filed and transcribed all business transactions onto an electronic spreadsheet.

Peer Assisted Learning Seminar Tutor, Melbourne University Psychological Association

September 2020 - November 2020

 Ran two lecture-style revision seminars covering a third-year undergraduate social & personality psychology subject.

Tutor at Lyndale Secondary College, Victorian Department of Education and Training

February 2018 - March 2020

- Prepared and aided in teaching English lessons for students in Years 7-12.
- Facilitated the Year 7 Homework Club weekly.

SKILLS

- Statistical Analysis Software: R (data visualisation, statistical data analysis, RMarkdown)
- Endnote (reference management software)
- Deep understanding of research methods and practices in psychological science
- Advanced critical analytical skills
- Written and oral communication