Sarah A. Wu

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Education

Stanford University

2020 - Present

Ph.D. in Psychology

Advisor: Tobias Gerstenberg

Diverse Intelligences Summer Institute

2021

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

2016 - 2020

B.S. in Mathematics with Computer Science; Brain & Cognitive Sciences

Experience

Undergraduate Researcher

2019 - 2020

Computational Cognitive Science Group, Brain & Cognitive Sciences, MIT

- Bayesian theory-of-mind and multi-agent reinforcement learning for social cooperation

Undergraduate Researcher

2018

Izquierdo Lab, Psychology, UCLA

- Paradigms for computing uncertainty and volatility in probabilistic learning in rodents

Honors and Awards

2021
2020
2020
2020
2020
2019, 2020
2018
2017
2016

Publications

Sarah A. Wu and Tobias Gerstenberg (in prep). The role of counterfactual reasoning in responsibility judgments.

Rose E. Wang*, **Sarah A. Wu***, James A. Evans, Joshua B. Tenenbaum, David C. Parkes, and Max Kleiman-Weiner (2021). Too many cooks: Bayesian inference for coordinating multi-agent collaboration. In S. Muggleton and N. Charter (Ed.), *Human-like Machine Intelligence*. Oxford University Press.

Sarah A. Wu*, Rose E. Wang*, James A. Evans, Joshua B. Tenenbaum, David C. Parkes, and Max Kleiman-Weiner (2021). Too many cooks: Bayesian inference for coordinating multi-agent collaboration. *Topics in Cognitive Science*, 13(2). https://doi.org/10.1111/tops.12525.

Sarah A. Wu and Edward Gibson (2021). Word order predicts cross-linguistic differences in the production of redundant color and number modifiers. *Cognitive Science*, 45(1). https://doi.org/10.1111/cogs.12934.

Presentations

Sarah A. Wu and Tobias Gerstenberg. The role of counterfactual reasoning in responsibility judgments. Talk at the 47th Annual Meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology (SPP).

Sarah A. Wu and Tobias Gerstenberg. The role of counterfactual reasoning in responsibility judgments. Poster at the 43rd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society (CogSci).

Sarah A. Wu and Tobias Gerstenberg (in prep). The role of counterfactual reasoning in responsibility judgments.

Sarah A. Wu and Edward Gibson. Word order predicts cross-linguistic differences in the production of redundant color and number modifiers. Talk at the *26th Architectures and Mechanisms for Language Processing (AMLaP)*.

Sarah A. Wu*, Rose E. Wang*, James A. Evans, Joshua B. Tenenbaum, David C. Parkes, and Max Kleiman-Weiner. Too many cooks: Coordinating multi-agent collaboration through inverse planning. Talk at the 42nd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society (CogSci).

Sarah A. Wu, Ben Hayden, Alireza Soltani, and Alicia Izquierdo. Role of Anterior Cingulate Cortex in Evaluating Expected Uncertainty in Complex Learning Environments. Poster at the 2018 Amgen Scholars Symposium.

Invited Talks

Social and Cognitive Computational Neuroscience Lab, Boston University

2020

Teaching

Teaching Assistant

Stanford PSYCH 252 Statistical Methods for So	ocial & Behavioral Siences Winter 202
Stanford PSYCH 251 Experimental Methods	Fall 202
Stanford SYMSYS 1 Minds and Machines	Summer 202
MIT 6.046 Design and Analysis of Algorithms	Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 202
MIT 6.036 Introduction to Machine Learning	Fall 201
MIT 12.000 Solving Complex Problems (Terras	cope) Fall 201

Instructor, MIT Global Teaching Labs

2019

IIS Curie-Sraffa (STEM high school), Milan, Italy

Lab Assistant

MIT 6.042 Introduction to Discrete Mathematics

Spring 2018

Service and Activites

Director of Mentor Recruitment, Mentor

2020 - Present

Future Advancers of Science and Technology (https://fast.stanford.edu/)

Graduate Representative Committee

2020 - Present

Psychology, Stanford University

Design Staff/Editor

2018 - 2020

MIT Technique vol. 134, 135, 136

Executive Officer

2018 - 2020

MIT Brain & Cognitive Sciences Society