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EDUCATION

- 2016
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2014

● **M.A., Psychology**
Rutgers University 📍 Camden, NJ

 - Thesis: *Accuracy of Gender and Ethnic Labels and Personality Perception As Moderated by Prejudice*
 - Advisor: Wayne Chan
- 2014
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2010

● **B.A., Psychology, Sociology (minor Childhood Studies/Women & Gender Studies)**
Rutgers University 📍 Camden, NJ

 - Minors: *Childhood Studies / Women's and Gender Studies*
 - Summa Cum Laude (GPA: 3.965)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Current
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September
2021

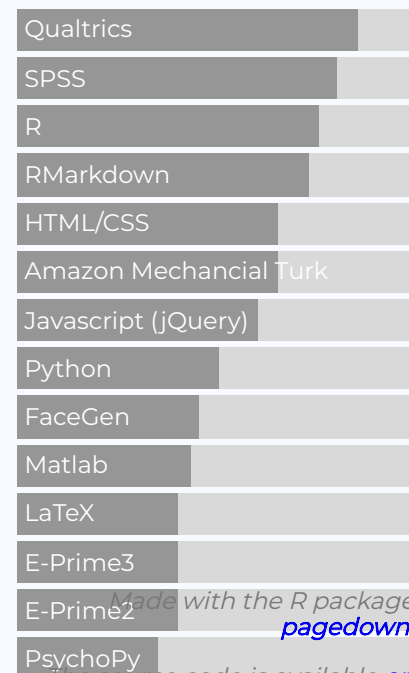
● **Research Technician Associate**
BioSocial Methods Collaborative
📍 Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan

 - Using behavioral coding, psychophysiological, and traditional behavioral methods online and in a homelike setting, conducting research that bridges biology and behavior tackling varied interdisciplinary topics.
 - Assisted in hosting annual research training workshops for early career researchers and graduate students in public health and related fields
 - Worked on several projects exploring (among other things):
 - how environmental context can impact perceptions and preferences of scents;
 - how different framings and can influence individuals' appraisal of situations and influence capacity/cognitive reserves;
 - how co-parents undergo behavioral and physiological synchrony in a mildly stressful situation with a young child

CONTACT

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TECHNICAL AND RESEARCH SKILLS



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The source code is available on
github.com/blabbree/CV.

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June
2020
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January
2017

• Full-time Research Assistant & Lab Manager

(PI: Alexander Todorov)

📍 Princeton University

- Using psychophysical, neuroimaging, and general experimental methods in the lab and online, investigating how people evaluate their environments and how these evaluations shape perceptions, decisions, and interactions.
- Worked on several projects exploring (among other things):
 - how the distribution of facial features in an environment may bias people's evaluations of others;
 - how people integrate physical appearance and individualizing information in their impressions of others;
 - how people are able to associate affective information with faces and its limitations;
 - how people's mental images of a prototypical group member differ depending upon the label used to describe said group (e.g., labeling immigrants as "illegal" vs. "legal");
 - data-driven models of social perception, and the relative contributions of consensus and consistency in decision making.

September
2016
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September
2014

• Graduate Student Researcher

(PI: Wayne Chan)

📍 Rutgers University, Camden

- Studied the effect of observer personality in person perception and bias using survey-based methods.
- Worked on projects exploring:
 - how people use stereotypes to judge strangers' personality from minimal external information;
 - how personality predicts the degree people ascribe humanity to the elderly and people with mental illnesses;

May
2014
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January
2014

• Volunteer Undergraduate Research Assistant

(PI: Wayne Chan)

📍 Rutgers University, Camden

- Studied the effect of observer personality in person perception and bias using survey-based methods.
- Worked on project exploring:
 - how prejudice towards various across various age groups and how it may influence attraction;

May
2013
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January
2012

• Volunteer Undergraduate Research Assistant

(PI: Christopher Nave)

📍 Rutgers University, Camden

- Using behavioral coding using the Riverside Behavioral Q-set, studied the impact and stability of personality over the lifespan and its impact on behaviors.
- Worked on projects exploring:
 - how childhood personality impacts health behaviors and cognition several decades later;
 - how gay and lesbian couples provide social support and regulate their partners' health behaviors;



TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Current
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2021



Online Adjunct Instructor

Instructor for Social Research and Statistics (SOC-400-O500)
📍 Grand Canyon University

- Serving as an instructor for 8-week online section of required research methods course, adhering to departmental standards and requirements, moderating discussion question, providing supplemental materials, and resources, grading assignments, and managing classroom.

2020
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2017



Tutor

Independent Contractor 📍 Self

- Tutored both traditional college students and adult learners in statistics, psychology, neuroscience, and general SPSS use, utilizing both in-person and online settings.

Spring
2015



Teaching Assistant

Camden Department of Psychology 📍 Rutgers University, Camden

- Course: *Statistics for Social Sciences* (50:830:250) (Instructor: *Wayne Chan*)
- Prepared and gave weekly class lectures, created and graded weekly homework assignments and exams, and met with students for additional course assistance in small groups as well as open sessions.

Spring
2015
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Fall 2014



Faculty Assistant

Camden Department of Psychology 📍 Rutgers University, Camden

- Courses: *Social Psychology* (50:830:335) (Instructor: *Wayne Chan*) & *Psychology of Prejudice* (50:830:461) (Instructor: *Wayne Chan*)
- Moderated online discussion forums and graded students' weekly reaction blog assignments.



SELECTED MANUSCRIPTS, PUBLICATIONS, AND POSTERS



MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW OR REVISION

Submitted



Data-driven models of face-based trustworthiness judgments unconfounded by attractiveness

- Authored with DongWon Oh, Nicole Wedel, and Alexander Todorov
- <https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/p8mcg>

Under
Revisions



Insta-learn: Face stereotypes emerge and persist through insufficient statistical learning.

- Authored with Xuechunzi Bai, Stefan Uddenberg, and Alexander Todorov.
- <https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/te3s4>



PUBLISHED PUBLICATIONS

- 2020 ● **Learning the affective value of people: More than affect-based mechanisms**
Acta Psychologica
- Authored with Chiara Ferrari, DongWon Oh, and Alexander Todorov.
 - <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.actpsy.2020.103011>










POSTERS

- 2016 ● **Who humanizes others?: The role of openness in humanization of people with mental illness and the elderly**
Poster presented at the *Society for Personality & Social Psychology* Annual Convention in San Diego, CA
- Authored with Matthew Hackman, Andres G. Martinez, and Wayne Chan
 - <http://dx.doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.27689.03687>
- 2015 ● **Accuracy of gender, not ethnic, labels bias observer judgments of personality**
Poster presented at the *Association of Psychological Science* Annual Meeting in New York City, NY
- Authored with Wayne Chan
 - <http://dx.doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.18461.56807>



HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2014 ● **Dean's First Year Award Scholarship**  Rutgers University–Camden
- 2014 ● **The Lionel Cuffie Award for LGBTQ advocacy**  Rutgers University–Camden
- 2014 ● **George Masterton Award in Sociology**  Rutgers University–Camden
- 2014 ● **Rory “Cal” Maradonna Award,**  Rutgers University–Camden
- 2014
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2010 ● **Member of Honors College, Class of 2014**  Rutgers University–Camden
- 2014
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2010 ● **James Dickson Carr Scholarship**  Rutgers University–Camden
- 2013 ● **Inducted Member of the Athenaeum Honors Society**  Rutgers University–Camden

2012

- **Inducted Member of Psi Chi, The International Honor Society in Psychology**

📍 Rutgers University–Camden



MEMBERSHIPS

- **Professional Organizations**

American Psychological Association

Association for Psychological Science

Society for Personality & Social Psychology

Society for Affective Science

International Social Cognition Network

Eastern Psychological Association

Society for Psychophysiological Research

Society for the Improvement of Psychological Science



SERVICES

2016

- **Campus Appeals Committee member**

📍 Rutgers University–Camden

2016

- **Graduate Student Health Psychology Faculty Search Committee Member**

📍 Rutgers University–Camden

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2015

2016

- **Graduate Student Advisory Council**

📍 Rutgers University–Camden

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2015

2014

- **Scholastic Standing Committee Student Member**

📍 Rutgers University–Camden

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2013

2014;

2016

- **(ASPSSC) Student Research Awards Reviewer**

📍 Association for Psychological Science Student Caucus

REFERENCES

● **Alexander Todorov**

Professor of Behavioral Science and Rosett Faculty Fellow

📍 Booth School of Business, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL 60637

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Dr. Todorov was the principal investigator of the lab worked I worked in from 2017-2020, but has since moved to the University of Chicago from Princeton University

● **Wayne Chan**

Research Scientist III

📍 Covered California, California Department of Health Care Services, Sacramento, CA 95815

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Dr. Chan was my master's thesis advisor and principal investigator of previous lab that volunteered in.

● **Stefan Uddenberg**

Principal Researcher

📍 Booth School of Business, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL 60637

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323-207-0314

Dr. Uddenberg was the postdoctoral fellow from the lab worked in from 2017-2020, but has moved to the University of Chicago from Princeton University.

● **Alicia G. Carmichael**

Research Process Director

📍 BioSocial Methods Collaborative, Research Center for Group Dynamics, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104

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Ms. Carmichael is the Research Process Director of the BioSocial Methods Collaborative at the Institute for Social Research at the University of Michigan. She oversaw the day-to-day research activities of the lab and was my direct supervisor