# Chase Stokes

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Researching and studying the integration of visualizations and language. How does language in a visualization affect reader interpretation? How should we combine these two mediums of communication?

#### **EDUCATION**

PhD. in Information Science

2021 - present

University of California at Berkeley

Advisor: Marti Hearst, PhD.

B.A. in Psychology and Gender and Sexuality Studies

2021

Northwestern University, GPA 3.92 Advisor: Steven Franconeri, PhD.

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### **Graduate Student Researcher**

2021 – present

Hearst Lab, UC Berkeley

# **Undergraduate Research Assistant**

2018 - 2021

Visual Thinking Lab, Northwestern University

Data Collector Summer 2021

Couple and Family Development Lab, The Family Institute at Northwestern University

#### **Undergraduate Research Assistant**

2019 - 2021

Couple and Family Development Lab, The Family Institute at Northwestern University

## **Undergraduate Summer Intern**

Summer 2019

Couple and Family Development Lab, The Family Institute at Northwestern University

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- **Stokes, C.**, Setlur, V., Cogley, B., Satyanarayan, A., and Hearst, M.A. (2022). Striking a Balance: Reader Takeaways and Preferences when Integrating Text and Charts. *IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics*.
- Xiong, C., **Stokes, C.**, Kim, Y. S., & Franconeri, S. (2022). Seeing What You Believe or Believing What You See? Belief Biases Correlation Estimation. *IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics*.
- **Stokes, C.,** and Hearst, M.A. (2022). Why More Text is (Often) Better: Themes from Reader Preferences for Integration of Charts and Text, *NLVIZ Workshop*, *IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics*.

**Stokes, C.,** and Hearst, M.A. (2021). Give Text A Chance: Advocating for Equal Consideration for Language and Visualization, *NLVIZ Workshop, IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics*.

## POSTERS AND PRESENTATIONS

- **Stokes, C.,** Xiong, C., & Hearst, M.A. (2022, Nov). *Driving Reader Interpretations with Text Annotations in Data Visualizations*. Poster presented at Society for Judgement and Decision Making, San Diego, CA.
- Xiong, C., **Stokes**, C., Lovett, A., & Franconeri, S. (2021, May). *Visual Salience and Grouping Cues Guide Relation Perception in Visual Data Displays*. Poster presented at Virtual Vision Sciences Society.
- **Stokes, C.,** Xiong, C., & Franconeri, S. (2020, May). *Seeing What You Want: Prior Belief Biases Perception of Correlation in Scatterplots.* Poster presented at Virtual 32nd APS Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Callahan, C., **Stokes, C.,** & Lawrence, E. (2020, May). *Modifying the Relationship Quality Interview for Sexual and Gender Minority Couples.* Accepted Poster Presentation at the 8th Annual LGBTQ Research Symposium at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. (Conference Canceled)

#### FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS, AND HONORS

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Fellowships	
School of Information Fellowship for Doctoral Study	2021 - 2022
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Awards	2017 2021
National Merit Finalist	2017 - 2021
Honors	
	2021
Departmental Honors - Psychology	
Phi Beta Kappa	2021
Northwestern University Dean's List with Distinction	2017 - 2021
GRANTS	
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Northwestern Summer Undergraduate Research Grant (\$3,500)	Summer 2020
Visual Grouping Affords Different Comparison Patterns in Visualized Da	
Northwestern Academic Year Research Grant (\$1,000)	2020
Variations in Conclusions Afforded by Chart Type	
STUDENT LEADERSHIP ROLES	
NorCal Viz Group Organizer	2022 – present
Trainings Chair	2019 - 2020
Masculinity, Allyship, Reflection, and Solidarity (M.A.R.S.)	
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Participant Coordinator,	2019 - 2020
Pre-Orientation Program Coordinator	2018 - 2019
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Programming Committee	2018 - 2019
Rainbow Alliance	
STUDENT MEMBERSHIPS	
Association for Computing Machinery, Student Member	2021 – present
Psychonomic Society, Student Member	2021 – present
Cognitive Science Society, Student Member	2021 – present
Society for Judgment and Decision Making, Student Member	2021 – present
REVIEWS/ACADEMIC SERVICES	
Reviewer for ACM Computer-Human Interaction (CHI)	2022
Reviewer for IEEE VIS Short Papers	2022
Ad-hoc reviewer for Creativity & Cognition	2021
SERVICE AND OUTREACH	
PhD. Applicant Feedback Program	2022
Student Volunteer at IEEE VIS	2022
Washington University School of Medicine Mini-Medical School Panelist	2019, 2021
Alternative Student Breaks	2017 – 2019
College Mentors for Kids	2017 – 2019

REFERENCES PROVIDED UPON REQUEST