Dr Charles Ludowici

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Research Interests: Vision, psychophysics, cognitive science, use-inspired basic research, attention, crowding, behaviour, eyetracking

Research Tools: Eyelink, R, Python, Matlab, Mixture Modelling

Research Experience

Feb 2020 - Ongoing Postdoctoral Scholar, The School of Optometry, The University of California, Berkeley

Psychophysical research into visual function (peripheral vision, hyperacuity, crowding, macular degeneration) and fixational eye movements using traditional psychophysical methods in addition to a tracking scanning laser ophthalmoscope. http://selab.berkeley.edu/

Feb 2019 - June 2019 Visiting PhD student, The Visual Attention Lab, Harvard University

Eyetracking analysis and explerimental design for research related to medical image perception and prevalence effects on visual categorisation.

Tools: Matlab, R, Eyelink

2016 - 2017 Research Assistant, Prof. Alex Holcombe, The University of Sydney

Experimental design and statistical analysis of experiments investigating the temporal properties of vision and the visual system's ability to process multiple stimuli simultaneously.

Tools: R, Python, Matlab, Eyelink.

2014 - 2016 Research Assistant, Dr Micah Goldwater, The University of Sydney

Experimental design and statistical analysis of research investigating higher-order cognitive functioning and psychological development.

Tools: R, Qualtrics

Education

2016 - 2020: PhD (Science, Psychology), The University of Sydney

Temporal Selection in Dynamic Displays: Sensory Information Persists Despite Masking

Supervision: Prof. Alex O. Holcombe

2011-2015: Bachelor of Arts (Psychology Honours, First Class), The University of Sydney

Scaffolding Individual Differences in Category Learning

Supervision: Dr Micah Goldwater

Scholarships and Funding

2017 - 2019: Commonwealth Research Training Program

2017: Attention Allocation and Binding Supplementary Scholarship

2017: Postgraduate Research Support Scheme

Teaching

2016 - 2018 Tutor, The School of Psychology, The University of Sydney

Statistics and Research Methods for Psych (PSYC2012), Cognitive and Social Psychology (PSYC2013) and Analytical Thinking (ATHK1001).

2016 - 2016 Tutor and Lecturer, School of Health Sciences, The University of Sydney

Quantitative Research Methods in Health (HSBH3018)

Publications

Ludowici, C,. Holcombe, A. O., (In press) The Dynamics of Buffered and Triggered Selection from RSVP Streams. Journal of Experimental Psychology: Human Perception and Performance

Goldwater, M. B., Gershman, S. J., Moul, C., Ludowici, C., Burton, A., Killer, B., Kuhnert, R.-L., & Ridgway, K. (2020). Children's understanding of habitual behaviour. *Developmental Science*, 23(5), e12951. https://doi.org/10.1111/desc.12951

Conference Presentations

Ludowici, C., Holcombe, A. (2019) *Selection from concurrent RSVP streams: attention shift or buffer read-out?* Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, St. Pete Beach

Holcombe, A., Ludowici, C., Haroz, S. (2019) *Is there a reproducibility crisis around here? Maybe not, but we still need to change.* Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, St. Pete Beach

Ludowici, C., Holcombe, A. (2017) Was That a Shift of Attention or Binding in a Buffer? Talk presented at the 58th Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Vancouver

Ludowici, C., Holcombe, A. (2017) System Factorial Technology's Power is Greater for Capacity Than Architecture When Recovering the Processing Qualities of Models That Simulate Lexical Processing Data. Poster presented at the 58th Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Vancouver

Ludowici, C., Holcombe, A. (2017) *Not a shift of attention: Buffering and binding of visual stimuli.* Poster presented at the 40th European Conference on Visual Perception, Berlin

Holcombe, A., Ludowici, C. (2017) When do cues work by summoning attention to a target and when do they work by binding to it? Talk presented at the 44th Experimental Psychology Conference, Shoal Bay

Ludowici, C., Holcombe, A., Donkin, C. (2017) Can SFT identify a model's processing characteristics when faced with reaction time variability? Talk presented at the 44th Experimental Psychology Conference, Shoal Bay

Goldwater, M., Kurtz, K., Loewenstein, J., Ludowici, C., (2014) Abstracting a Schema From Comparing and Retrieving a Series of Cases. Poster presented at the 55th Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Long Beach, California

Invited Talks

Reproducible Manuscripts with R and R Markdown, Workshop, Macquarie University, Sydney

References

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