Cooper J. Sharp

WORK EXPERIENCE

Temple University Neuroeconomics Lab

Mar. 2023 - Present

Research Associate

Philadelphia, PA

- Manage, organize, and analyze incoming functional magnetic resonance imaging (fMRI) data.
- Create and troubleshoot analyses and automation scripts in Python, Bash, MATLAB, and SQL.
- Maintain and oversee confidential HIPAA-compliant database consisting of 1,000+ research participants.
- Present data related to research projects and administrative procedures to collaborators and lab members.
- Communicate with the Institutional Review Board to ensure research compliance.
- Execute open-source coding practices as applied to data science and reproducibility.
- Oversee lab financial records, expense reporting, employee reimbursement, and manage supply inventory.
- Create documentation and manuals for lab procedures, script uses, administrative duties.
- Delegate tasks to teams of PhD. candidates and undergraduate students via Slack and Asana.

Levi Strauss & Co. Sep. 2020 – Jan. 2022

Supervisor

Washington, PA

- Tracked store metrics and key performance indicators to adjust to consumer behaviors.
- Monitored inventory and managed replenishment practices.
- Responsible for cash handling and deposits on a nightly basis.
- Aided in the opening of a mainline storefront in the Pittsburgh area.

EDUCATION

Temple University Aug. 2020 – Jun. 2023

B.S., Neuroscience (Behavior, Systems, and Plasticity)

Philadelphia, PA

- Neuroscience Honor Society -- Treasurer
- Creative Arts, Research, and Scholarship (CARAS) Grant Recipient
- Liberal Arts Undergraduate Research Award (LAURA) Scholar
- Diamond Peer Teacher for Fundamentals of Neuroscience
- GPA: 3.65

CERTIFICATIONS AND SKILLS

- Certifications: Visualizing Data with Python (IBM) and Analyzing Data with Python (IBM)
- **Skills:** Python, R, SQL, MATLAB, Bash, GitHub, Excel, PowerPoint, Word, Linux, Project Management, Customer and Client Relations, Documentation and Training

RESEARCH CONTRIBUTIONS

- Tropea T, **Sharp C**, Dennison J, Mennis J, Smith DV (December 2023). Understanding Age-Related differences between Socioeconomic Deprivation, Income Inequality, Social Support and Financial/Health and Safety Risk-Taking Behaviors. Accepted for presentation at the American Psychology-Law Society Conference.
- Dachs A, **Sharp C**, Yanilmaz E, Wyngaarden J, Zaff O, Tropea T, Sazhin D, Ludwig R, Giovannetti T, Fareri D, Smith DV (November 2023). Examining Age-Related Differences in Neural Responses to Trust. Presented at Society for Neuroscience.
- Sharp C, Wyngaarden J, Dennison J, Sazhin D, Zaff O, Olson I, Fareri D, Jarcho J, Smith DV (May 2023). Task-Dependent Functional Connectivity with the Cerebellum: Confounded by Nyquist Ghosting? Presented at Organization for Human Brain Mapping.