


DANIEL ROELFS

Biomedical researcher in Computational Psychiatry at the Norwegian Centre for Mental Disorders Research (NORMENT) with a focus on neuroimaging and genetics




WORK EXPERIENCE


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2019

- **Doctoral Research Fellow**
Multimodal Imaging group at NORMENT  University of Oslo
 - PhD position on neuroimaging and genetics
 - Running a study from conception through writing the final manuscript
 - Writing scripts and pipelines in R, Python, and MATLAB


2019
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2018

- **Research Assistant**
EEG Group at NORMENT  University of Oslo
 - Managing EEG data, data preprocessing and analysis, training new EEG testers, performing EEG experiments
 - Maintaining and adapting preprocessing pipelines for EEG data


2019
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2018

- **Research Assistant**
Department of Medical Physics  Rikshospitalet, OUS
 - Data collection, management, and processing in an MRI study on sleep deprivation
 - Preprocessing and analyzing the imaging data and preparing datasets for collaborators
 - Processing and analyzing of data from the video camera


2018
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2017

- **Erasmus Traineeship**
EEG Group at NORMENT  University of Oslo
 - Planning and running EEG experiments on participants
 - Processing and analyzing EEG data using MATLAB

2016
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2015

- **Research Intern**
Brain Institute  University Medical Centre Utrecht, NL
 - Identifying risk factors associated with poor prognosis in children with CD or ODD






2015
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2014

- **Undergraduate Research Intern**
Emergis, Institute for Psychiatric and Mental Health Care  Goes, NL
 - Identifying risk factors associated with physical restraint in acute psychiatric care

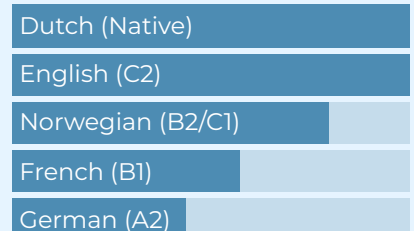
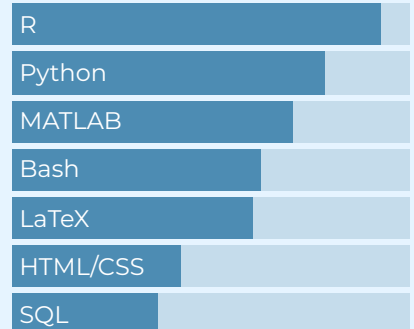



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SKILLS & LANGUAGES



- 2014 • **Undergraduate Research Intern**
Erasmus Cancer Institute Rotterdam  Rotterdam, NL
- Status research into comorbidities associated with different cancer therapies



EDUCATION

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2019 • **PhD, Doctoral Education**
University of Oslo  Oslo, NO
- Doctoral education at the Institute of Clinical Medicine at the University of Oslo
 - Courses relevant to neurobiology, advanced statistics, and other academic and non-academic skills
- 2018
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2016 • **MSc, Biomedicine**
Lund University  Lund, SE
- Master's program in Biomedicine at the Faculty of Medicine
 - Focus on molecular biology and neuroscience
- 2015
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2012 • **BSc, Pre-medical track**
University College Roosevelt, Utrecht University  Middelburg, NL
- Major in the pre-medical science track, minor in philosophy
 - Liberal Arts & Science program
 - Honors College
- 2014 • **Epidemiology (summer course)**
University College Roosevelt, Utrecht University  Middelburg, NL
- Summer course in theory and methods behind epidemiology
- 2013 • **French Language & Literature (summer course)**
Université de Paris I: Panthéon-Sorbonne  Paris, FR
- Summer course in French language and literature



CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

- 2016 • **Assistant nurse/phlebotomist**
Gelre Hospital Apeldoorn  Apeldoorn, NL

The PhD program at the University of Oslo has a distinct research component and educational component. Both need to be fulfilled to qualify for the PhD defense.



AWARDS

- 2021 • **ECIP Oral Finalist**
World Congress of Psychiatry Genetics
 - Awarded to promising oral presentations from early-career researchers
- 2019 • **International Training Grant**
Norwegian Research School in Neuroscience
 - Grant awarded to scientists to receive training abroad that'll benefit their research in Norway
- 2019 • **Sparbanken Skåne Master Prize**
Sparbanksstiftelsen Färs & Frosta, Lund University
 - Awarded to the best master theses in the field of neuroscience



COMMISSIONS

- 2021
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2020 • **Committee Member**
NORMENT Early Career Researchers Meeting
 - Organising the conference for early-career researchers at NORMENT
 - Feedback with NORMENT leadership, the venue, and participants
- 2021
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2019 • **Committee Member**
Norwegian Research School in Neuroscience
 - Organization of the national conference for neuroscience PhD candidates
- 2015
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2014 • **General Board Member (Fundraising portfolio)**
The Netherlands Red Cross Student Desk Zeeland
 - Coordination with regional and national Red Cross offices
 - Organization of first aid stations at local festivals and events



PORTFOLIO

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2019 • **Personal website/blog**
danielroelfs.com
 - Includes tutorials on statistics ([link](#), [link](#)) and data visualization ([link](#), [link](#))
 - Tutorials contain code written in R and Python, website is generated using Hugo and Rmarkdown hosted through GitHub and Netlify

I only listed instances where I was invited for a position on a committee or an organization

I occasionally write blogposts that serve as tutorials or showcases for how I solve certain data science problems

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2019

● Talks & Presentations

danielroelfs.github.io/slides

- Webpage where I collect all slides and files for talks, workshops, and presentations I've given since the start of my PhD
- Among others slides for a number of conference presentations ([link](#), [link](#)) and talk on the importance of design in science ([link](#), [link](#))

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2020

● Bilkollektivet Trip Cost Calculator

danielroelfs.shinyapps.io/bilkollektivet

- Interactive web app to quickly calculate and compare the cost of a trip with car-sharing service Bilkollektivet

2020

● Virtual Open Science Escape Room

norment.github.io/ecrm20_escaperoom

- Developed for scientists to learn about open science in a social setting

2019

● Introduction To Basic Statistics in R

For internal purposes

- Gentle introduction to performing statistical analysis and plotting in R
- Intended for NORMENT employees and other medical researchers

2019

● {normentR} R package

github.com/norment/normentR

- R package for internal use at NORMENT
- Contains function to simulate data for debugging and testing analysis and data visualization pipelines



SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

2022

● Genetic overlap between multivariate measures of human functional brain connectivity and psychiatric disorders

medRxiv

- First author
- Co-authored with a.o. Oleksandr Frei, Dennis van der Meer, Ole Andreassen, Lars Westlye, and supervised by Tobias Kaufmann

2021

● The genetic architecture of human cortical folding

Science Advances

- Co-author, first author is Dennis van der Meer

Full list of articles on which I am a (co-)author is available on my [ORCID](#) or [Google Scholar](#) profile

2021

● **Phenotypically independent profiles relevant to mental health are genetically correlated**

Translational Psychiatry

- First author
- Co-authored with Dag Alnæs, Oleksandr Frei, Dennis van der Meer, Olav Smeland, Ole Andreassen, Lars Westlye, and supervised by Tobias Kaufmann