# LAUREN OEY

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#### **EDUCATION**

**University of Rochester** 

Rochester, NY

(1) **B.S.** in **Brain and Cognitive Sciences** (intended honors in research) Anticipated May 2018

(2) **B.A.** in **Linguistics** 

(3) **B.A.** in **Statistics** 

(4) Minor in Computer Science

**Cumulative GPA:** 3.85, Dean's List (every eligible semester)

Major GPAs: Brain & Cognitive Sciences 3.90, Linguistics 4.00, Statistics 3.86

**Mountain Lakes High School** 

Mountain Lakes, NJ

June 2014

High School Diploma with Honors

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

**Learning Concepts with Discrete and Continuous Features** 

Rochester, NY

Independent Research Project, Undergraduate Honors Thesis

September 2017-Present

September 2016-Present

Principal Investigator: Steven T. Piantadosi Graduate Student Mentor: Francis Mollica

**Accent-Independent Adaptation to Foreign Accented Speech** 

Rochester, NY

Independent Research Project

Principal Investigator: T. Florian Jaeger

Post-Doctorate Mentor: Xin Xie

**Human Language Processing Lab** 

Rochester, NY

March 2015-Present

Undergraduate Research Assistant

Principal Investigator: T. Florian Jaeger

Graduate Student Mentors: Linda Liu, Zachary Burchill

Stanford University CSLI Summer Internship Program

Stanford, CA

Summer Research Intern

June 2017-August 2017

Principal Investigator: Noah D. Goodman Graduate Student Mentor: M. H. Tessler

Rochester Baby Lab, SEEDLingS Project

Rochester, NY

Undergraduate Research Assistant

May 2016-July 2016

Principal Investigator: Elika Bergelson

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Lee, C., Oey, L., Simon, E., Xie, X., & Jaeger, T. F. (submitted). Limits in cross-talker generalization of adaptation to foreign-accented speech.

**Oey, L.**, Xie, X., Lee, C., Simon, E., & Jaeger, T. F. (in prep). Ceiling effects within transcription tasks? The effect of parameter models on statistical power.

### POSTERS & PRESENTATIONS

- Schulman, A., Tessler, M. H., **Oey, L.**, & Goodman, N. D. (2017). Dyadic games: An approach to learning from language. Poster to be presented at the conclusion of the Stanford University 2017 Symbolic Systems Program (SSP) Summer Internship Program, Stanford, CA.
- **Oey, L.**, Lee, C., Simon, E., Xie, X., & Jaeger, T. F. (2017). Talker generalization of accent adaptation: Questioning its robustness. Poster presented at the 23rd Annual Architectures and Mechanisms of Language Processing (AMLaP) Conference, Lancaster, UK.
- Lee, C., **Oey, L**., Simon, E., Xie, X., & Jaeger, T. F. (2017). An investigation into audio perception studies on Amazon Mechanical Turk. Poster presented at the 23rd Annual Architectures and Mechanisms of Language Processing (AMLaP) Conference, Lancaster, UK.
- Oey, L., Schulman, A., Tessler, M. H., & Goodman, N. D. (2017). Communicating Generalizations in Web-Based Dyadic Games. Talk presented at the conclusion of the 4th Annual Center for the Study of Language and Information (CSLI) Summer Internship Program, Stanford, CA.
- Lee, C., Oey, L., Simon, E., Xie, X., & Jaeger, T. F. (2017). How we comprehend foreign-accented speech: Learning to generalize across talkers. Poster presented at the University of Rochester 2017 Undergraduate Research Exposition, Rochester, NY.
- Oey, L., Lee, C., Simon, E., Xie, X., & Jaeger, T. F. (2017). Generalized adaptation to novel foreign accents. Poster accepted at the 31st Annual National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR), Memphis, TN.

### WORKSHOPS

# **Summer Workshop in Cognitive and Brain Sciences** *Workshop Participant, University of Delaware*

Newark, DE June 2017

# **TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

## **University of Rochester, Department of Linguistics**

Rochester, NY Fall 2017

Peer Leader: Introduction to Language Sound Systems Instructor: Joyce McDonough, Peter Guekguezian

### **University of Rochester, Department of Computer Science**

Rochester, NY

Lab Teaching Assistant: Data Structures and Algorithms

Spring 2017

Instructor: Thaddeus Pawlicki

**University of Rochester, Department of Statistics** Rochester, NY Teaching Assistant: Elements of Probability and Mathematical Statistics Fall 2017 Instructor: Maria McDermott Teaching Assistant: Applied Statistics for the Biological and Physical Sciences I Fall 2016 Instructor: Nicholas Zaino Teaching Assistant: Applied Statistics for the Biological and Physical Sciences I *Spring* 2016 Instructor: Maria McDermott **HONORS & AWARDS Conference Travel Funding Award (x2)** Office of Undergraduate Research, University of Rochester April, September 2017 Meliora Alumni Scholarship Office of Alumni Relations, University of Rochester August 2014-Present National AP Scholar Award The College Board July 2014 Anthony Davidowski Math Award Mountain Lakes High School June 2014 Sarah Browning Award for Creative Writing Mountain Lakes Women's Club June 2014 **National Merit Commended Scholar** National Merit Scholarship Corporation September 2013 LEADERSHIP & COMMUNITY ACTIVITES October 2017 **UR Brain Awareness Fundraiser,** *Volunteer* October 2017 Linguistics Undergraduate Council Research Panel, Panelist **Kindlings Reading Group,** Co-Founder/Organizer September 2017-Present **BCS & Neuroscience Undergraduate Council,** BCS Mentor September 2017-Present Academic & Student Services Fair, BCS Student Representative *April* 2017 Club Softball, Women's Rugby, Pride Network, Business Manager January 2015-Present HIGHLIGHTED COURSEWORK Data Mining, CSC/DSC 240 *Spring 2018* **Intermediate Statistical & Computational Methods,** CSC/DSC 265 *Spring 2018* 

*Spring 2018* 

**Introduction to Pragmatics,** LIN 266

Computer Models of Human Perception & Cognition, BCS/CSC 229	Fall 2017
Computing, Introduction to Statistical Software, STT 477 (Graduate Level)	Fall 2017
Advanced Undergraduate Research in Cognitive Science, BCS 207	Spring 2017
Data Science for Linguistics, LIN/CSC 250	Spring 2017
Artificial Intelligence, CSC 242/BCS 232	Spring 2017
Language Development, BCS 258/LIN 208	Spring 2017
Introduction to Linear Models, STT 226W	Spring 2017
Applied Statistics II, STT 216	Spring 2016
Introduction to Mathematical Statistics, STT/MTH 203	Spring 2016
Language & Psycholinguistics, BCS 152/LIN 217	Fall 2015

# **SKILLS**

Programming Languages: Java, R, Python, JavaScript, C, MATLAB, Racket, Processing

Software: Git, Praat, Audacity, GIMP, Inkscape, CLAN, Datavyu, SAS, JMP

Other: EyeLink, Markdown, HTML, CSS, LaTeX, Unix Shell, Mechanical Turk, psiTurk

Languages: English (native), Mandarin, Spanish, some Esperanto