**Eric Tu**

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**Education**

**York University 04/2021**

Master of Arts in Social and Personality Psychology

Supervisor: Dr. Amy Muise

**University of Toronto 04/2018**

Honours Bachelor of Science with Distinction, Psychology Specialist and Biology Major  
Honours Thesis: Attraction in Online Speed Dating: The Role of Physical Appearance

Supervisor: Dr. Dax Urbszat

**Awards**

* **Canada Graduate Scholarships – Master’s (CGS-M) ($17, 500) 09/2019***Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council*
* **SPSP Diversity Undergraduate Travel Award 10/2018**

**Research Experience**

**Research Assistant at the Health, Emotions, and Altruism Lab 01/2018 – 08/2019**

* University of Toronto, Department of Psychology, Dr. Jennifer Stellar
* Duties include working with undergraduate and graduate students to acquire stimuli for a new study, piloting various studies, running study sessions, and acting as a confederate for a study

**Research Assistant at the Self-Knowledge and Interpersonal Perception Lab 09/2017 – 04/2019**

* University of Toronto, Department of Psychology, Dr. Erika Carlson
* Duties include data collection and analysis, coding participant responses, running study sessions, recruiting participants on campus and developing surveys via Qualtrics

**Research Assistant at the Music and Cognition Lab 07/2018 – 01/2019**

* University of Toronto, Department of Psychology, Dr. Glenn Schellenberg
* Duties include performing through literature reviews, and critically analyzing articles to see if particular criteria are met

**Professional Experience**

**Lab Manager at the Relationships and Well-Being Lab 06/2018 – 08/2019**

* University of Toronto, Department of Psychology, Dr. Emily Impett
* Duties include data collection and analysis, compensating participants via Prolific, organizing and editing various lab documents, piloting new studies, and assisting graduate students with various research projects

**Volunteer Experience**

**Instructor/Tutor at the****Vietnamese Community Centre of Mississauga 07/2016 – 06/2018**

* Promoted a comfortable learning environment for students by developing individualistic lesson plans in Math and English throughout the curriculum. Encouraged student’s participation in discussions in order to enhance their knowledge of the material

**Notetaker at the AccessAbility Resource Centre 09/2015 – 04/2018**

* Condensed lecture content into thorough notes to ensure the material could be understood without attending the class

**Professional Memberships**

* **International Association for Relationship Research 05/2019 - present**
* **Society for Personality and Social Psychology 08/2018 - present**

**Relevant Coursework**

* Research Design and Analysis in Psychology I and II, Experimental Design and Theory, Interpersonal Relationships, Social Psychology of Emotion, Social Neuroscience, Abnormal Psychology: Adult Disorders, Health Psychology, The Science of Well-Being, Special topics in Abnormal Psychology, and Special Topics in Social Psychology

**Presentations**

* Tu, E., Raposo, S., Muise, A. (2019, February). Do charismatic people have more satisfying sexual and romantic relationships? Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, Louisiana.
* Tu, E., Carswell, K. L., Horne, R. M., Visserman, M. L., & Impett, E. A. (2019, May). With or without you: Exploring relational and personal self-expansion among romantic partners post-relocation. Poster presented at 49th Annual Ontario Psychology Undergraduate Thesis Conference, Waterloo, Ontario.
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**Relevant Skills**

* Microsoft Office, Qualtrics, R, SPSS