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EDUCATION

- In Progress **Ph.D., Education, Emphasis in Quantitative Methods in the Social Sciences**
University of California, Santa Barbara
Awards: Doctoral Scholars Fellowship, Louis H. Towbes Fellowship
- 2020 **M.A., Linguistics**
California State University, Fullerton
Awards: Patricia Bruner Graduate Award for Excellence in Linguistics
- 2016 **B.A., Linguistics, High Honors**
University of California, Riverside
Awards: Chancellor's Research Fellowship, Academic Excellence Award, Dean's Academic Distinction Award

EXPERIENCE

- 2021-Present **Statistics Teaching Assistant**
UCSB Gevirtz Graduate School of Education
- Served as a Teaching Assistant for the following graduate-level courses: Introductory Statistics, Inferential Statistics, and Linear Models for Data Analysis
 - Designed labs and problem sets on topics including data wrangling, regression analysis, ANOVA, ANCOVA, and t-tests
 - Taught labs in R, both virtually and in-person
 - Help student troubleshoot any programming errors in office hours and on Slack
 - Grade students' homework assignments and exams that include both programming in R and statistical concepts
- 2020-Present **Linguistic Analyst and Program Task Designer**
UCSB Communities Based Literacies' Virtual Reality Project
- Conduct qualitative video data analysis on VR literacy instruction
 - Run exploratory sessions with participants who are struggling readers (8-13 years old)
 - Oversee undergraduate research assistants on the project
 - Collaborate with the development team on game design and instructional design
 - Coordinate with the Education Practicum course to train new undergraduate students as research assistants on the project
- 2019-2020 **Graduate Research Assistant**
California State University, Fullerton

- Served as a research assistant for a National Science Foundation-funded study on six endangered languages of Myanmar
- Transcribed texts in Lai and Lamtuk based on consultant recordings
- Glossed texts using the Leipzig Glossing Conventions

2018-2021 **Graduate Research and Writing Specialist**

Leadership Institute for Tomorrow

- Designed surveys for program participants using Qualtrics
- Analyzed quantitative data from surveys
- Put together data analysis reports for program investors
- Organized webinars on issues related to higher education for program participants
- Worked alongside a team in hosting a five-day conference for educational leaders from all around the country

2016-2018 **Clinical Assistant**

Robert L. Douglass Speech-Language Clinic

- Conducted speech therapy sessions with a supervisor for children with Autism Spectrum Disorder and stroke patients with Aphasia
- Planned activities to aid clients in their language use

2016 **Associate Editor-in-Chief**

UCR Undergraduate Research Journal

- Proofread journal submissions based on content and layout while following up on necessary edits
- Coordinated with the Faculty Advisory Board and Editorial Team to ensure that the review of submissions moves forward as scheduled
- Oversaw the selection of submissions and final draft

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Proficient: R, Python

Basic: SQL, Tableau, Excel

LANGUAGES

English (native), Persian (fluent)

PUBLICATIONS

Chun, D., **Karimi, H.**, & Sañosa, D. (Under Review). Traveling by Headset: Immersive VR for Language Learning. *Computer Assisted Language Instruction Consortium (CALICO) Journal*.

PRESENTATIONS

Karimi, H., Sañosa, D., Chun, D., Wang, R., Hernandez Rios, K., Tran, P., & Arya, D. J. (2022, June). Building a City in the Sky: Multimodal Engagement in VR. *CALICO Annual Conference 2022: Social Justice and Diversity in CALL*. Seattle, Washington.

Karimi, H., & Sañosa, D. (2021, November). A New Literary Device: Exploring Multimodal Literacies through VR Technology. *CALICO Immersive Realities SIG* (Virtual).

Chun, D., **Karimi, H.**, & Sañosa, D. (2021, June). Traveling by Headset: Immersive VR for Language Learning. *CALICO Annual Conference 2021: Global Realities* (Virtual). Texas State University: San Marcos, TX.

Van Bik, K., & **Karimi, H.** (2020, October). Computational Reconstruction of Proto-Central-Chin Tones. *53rd Meeting of the International Conference on Sino-Tibetan Languages and Linguistics* (Virtual). University of North Texas: Denton, TX.

Karimi, H. (2016, April). Linguistic Analysis of Gender-Inclusive Language in English. *UCR Undergraduate Research, Scholarship, & Creative Activity Symposium*. Riverside, CA.