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#### **EDUCATION & TRAINING**

| University of Toronto, Toronto, ON, CA<br>Ph.D. Psychology, Advisor: Keisuke Fukuda   | 2020 – Present |
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| University of Toronto, Toronto, ON, CA<br>M.A. Psychology, Advisor: Keisuke Fukuda  | 2019 – 2020    |
| University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN, USA<br>Lab Manager, Advisor: Nathan S. Rose   | 2017 – 2019    |
| University of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA, USA<br>B.A. Psychology ( <i>summa cum laude</i> ), Thesis Advisor: Benjamin J. Levy | 2013 – 2016    |

#### **HONORS & FUNDING AWARDED**

#### **Fellowships & Grants**

| Ontario Graduate Scholarship, University of Toronto, \$15,000/year, 1-year tenure                | 2023—2024   |
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| Graduate Legacy Fellowship <sup>1</sup> , Florida State University, \$10,000/year, 5-year tenure | 2019 – 2024 |
| University Scholarship, University of San Francisco, \$29,000/year, 4-year tenure                | 2013 – 2016 |

### Awards & Recognitions

| Early Career Scientist Travel Grant, National Eye Institute, \$550, One-Time                         | 2022 |
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| Professional Development Award, Object Perception, Attention, and Memory Conference, \$200, One-Time | 2021 |
| Undergraduate Research Grant, Psi Chi Honor Society in Psychology, \$550, One-time                   | 2015 |

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Refereed Contributions**

- Hames, J. L., Rose, N. S., Villano, M., Lam, J. C., Saito, J. M., & Cougle, J. R. (submitted). Testing the efficacy of virtual reality exposure versus in vivo exposure for fear of heights: A randomized non-inferiority trial. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*.
- Zhao, C., Kim, J., Tang, T. H., **Saito, J. M.**, & Fukuda, K. (in review). Deep neural network decodes aspects of stimulus-intrinsic memorability inaccessible to humans. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General*.
- Rose, N. S. & Saito, J.M. (in review). Naturalistic assessments in virtual reality and in real life help resolve the age-prospective memory paradox. *Aging, Neuropsychology, & Cognition*.
- **Saito, J. M.**, Bae, G.-Y., & Fukuda, K. (2023). Judgments during perceptual comparisons predict distinct forms of memory updating. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General*. Advance online publication. https://doi.org/10.1037/xge0001469
- **Saito, J. M.**, Duncan, K., & Fukuda, K. (2023). Comparing visual memories to similar visual inputs risks lasting memory distortion. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General*. Advance online publication. https://doi.org/10.1037/xge0001400

<sup>\*</sup> Denotes undergraduate trainee under my supervision

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Declined, accepted admission to University of Toronto

- Saito, J. M., Kolisnyk, M., & Fukuda, K. (2022). Judgments of learning reveal conscious access to stimulus memorability. *Psychonomic Bulletin & Review, 30*, 317-330. https://doi.org/10.3758/s13423-022-02166-1
- **Saito, J. M.**, Kolisnyk, M.\*, & Fukuda, K. (2022). Perceptual comparisons modulate memory biases induced by new visual inputs. *Psychonomic Bulletin & Review*, *30*, 291-302. https://doi.org/10.3758/s13423-022-02133-w
- Fukuda, K., Tozios, C. J. I., & **Saito**, **J. M.** (2022). Limited access to an unlimited store: Mechanistic constraints and limitations in the voluntary control of visual long-term memory. In T. F. Brady & W. A. Bainbridge (Eds.), *Visual Memory*. Abingdon, England: Routledge.
- Fukuda, K., Pereira, A. E., **Saito, J. M.**, Tang, T. Y., Tsubomi, H., & Bae, G.-Y. (2022). Working memory content is distorted by its use in perceptual comparisons. *Psychological Science*, *33*(5), 816-829. https://doi.org/10.1177%2F09567976211055375

### **Forthcoming Contributions**

- Zhao, C., Kim, J., Tang, T. H., **Saito, J. M.**, & Fukuda, K. (2023, February 18). Deep neural network decodes aspects of stimulus-intrinsic memorability inaccessible to humans. *PsyArXiv*. https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/urz5s
- Rose, N. S. & **Saito**, **J. M.** (2023, February 7). Naturalistic assessments in virtual reality and in real life help resolve the age-prospective memory paradox. *PsyArXiv*. https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/ud3ea

#### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

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#### **Oral Presentations**

- **Saito, J. M.** & Fukuda, K. (2023, November). *Predictable Learning Demands Enable Down-regulation of Visual Long-Term Encoding.* Talk presented at the Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, San Francisco, CA.
- Saito, J. M., Printzlau, F., Yeo, Y., & Fukuda, K. (2022, November). Attentional Prioritization in Working Memory Changes Interactions with Task-Relevant Perception. Talk presented at the Object Perception, Attention, & Memory (OPAM) Conference, Boston, MA.
- Saito, J. M., Kolisnyk, M., & Fukuda, K. (2022, July). *Judgments of Learning Reveal Conscious Access to Stimulus Memorability*. Talk presented at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Society for Brain, Behavior, and Cognitive Science (CSBBCS), Halifax, NS.
- **Saito, J. M.**, Printzlau, F., Yeo, Y., & Fukuda, K. (2022, June). *Attentional Prioritization in Working Memory Changes Interactions with Task-Relevant Perception*. Talk presented at the Annual Working Memory Symposium (WMS).
- Saito, J. M., Kolisnyk, M., & Fukuda, K. (2022, May). Subjective Judgments of Learning Reveal Conscious Access to Stimulus Memorability. Talk presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), St. Petersburg, FL.
- Saito, J. M., Kolisnyk, M.\*, Bae, G. Y., & Fukuda, K. (2021, June). *Judgments During Perceptual Comparisons Predict Distinct Forms of Memory Updating*. Talk presented at the Annual Working Memory Symposium (WMS).
- Saito, J. M., Kolisnyk, M.\*, & Fukuda, K. (2020, November). *Task Demands Modulate Memory Biases Induced by Overlapping Perceptual Input*. Talk presented at the Object Perception, Attention, & Memory (OPAM) Conference, Austin, TX.

#### **Poster Presentations**

- Saito, J. M. & Fukuda, K. (2023, May). Predictable learning demands enable direct down-regulation of visual long-term memory encoding. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), St. Petersburg, FL.
- Saito, J. M., Printzlau, F., Yeo, Y., & Fukuda, K. (2022, November). Attentional Prioritization in Working Memory Changes Interactions with Task-Relevant Perception. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Boston, MA.

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- Saito, J. M., Bae, G. Y., & Fukuda, K. (2021, November). *Judgments During Perceptual Comparisons Predict Distinct Forms of Memory Updating*. Poster presented at the Object Perception, Attention, & Memory (OPAM) Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- Saito, J. M., Kolisnyk, M.\*, & Fukuda, K. (2021, May). Explicit Perceptual Comparisons Modulate Memory Biases Induced by Overlapping Visual Input. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), St. Petersburg, FL.
- Teoh, Y. J.\*, Khan, S.\*, Yeo, Y.\*, **Saito, J. M.**, & Fukuda, K. (2021, May). *Comparisons with Similar Faces Induce Lasting Distortions in Face Memories*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), St. Petersburg, FL.
- Babiy, Z.\*, Yeo, Y.\*, **Saito, J. M.**, & Fukuda, K. (2021, May). *Perceptual Comparisons Induce Varying Forms of Memory Updating*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), St. Petersburg, FL.
- Saito, J. M., & Fukuda, K. (2020, May). Visual memories can recover from recognition-induced memory biases. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), St. Pete Beach, FL.
- Fukuda, K., Pereira, A., **Saito, J. M.**, & Tsubomi, H. (2020, May). *Recognition-induced memory bias (RIMB) in visual working memory*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), St. Petersburg, FL.
- **Saito, J. M.**, & Fukuda, K. (2020, February). *Visual memories can recover from recognition-induced memory biases*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Lake Ontario Visionary Establishment (LOVE), Niagara Falls, ON.
- Saito, J. M., Lam, J., Rose, N. S., Villano, M., Cougle, J., Hames, J. L., (2019, March). *The Efficacy of Single-Session Exposure Therapy Using Virtual Reality*. Poster presented at Notre Dame Advanced Diagnostics & Therapeutics External Review Session, Notre Dame, IN.
- Saito, J. M., Rose, N. S. (2018, May). Validation of Virtual Reality for Measuring Prospective Memory in Young and Older Adults. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting for the Association of Psychological Science (APS), San Francisco, CA.
- Saito, J. M., Beloff, M.\*, Haile, L.\*, Levy, B. J. (2017, April). The effects of attentional filtering on associative long-term memory formation across the lifespan. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Psychological Association (WPA), Sacramento, CA.
- Uchigakiuchi, T., **Saito, J. M.**, Biba, T., Chi, A., Soriano Smith, R., & Levy, B. J. (2017, April). *The reliability of retrieval-induced forgetting revisited*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Psychological Association (WPA), Sacramento, CA.

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

| Course Instructor, University of Toronto   |                       |
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| PSY100 Introduction to Psychology Tutorial | 2020 – Present        |
| PSY372 Human Memory                        | 2022, 2024            |
| Teaching Assistant, University of Toronto  |                       |
| PSY385 Human Factors                       | 2023 – Present        |
| PSY480 Special Topics in Perception        | 2023 – Present        |
| PSY372 Human Memory                        | 2019 – Present        |
| PSY270 Cognition                           | <b>2019 – Present</b> |
| PSY100 Introduction to Psychology          | 2019 – 2020           |

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### **REVIEWING**

Journal of Experimental Psychology: General

Journal of Vision

Attention, Perception, & Psychophysics

Memory & Cognition

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# PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Canadian Association for Girls in Science, Volunteer, Mississauga, ON Ebbinghaus Empire Invited Speaker Series, Organizer, University of Toronto

2023 - Present 2021 - 2022

# **SKILLS**

Programming & Data Analysis: MATLAB, Python, Inquisit, JASP, R

Statistics: General linear model, mixture modeling, simulation

**Methods:** Psychophysics, electroencephalography **Miscellaneous:** Keynote, Excel, Dropbox, Qualtrics