Judith Neve, MSc



Key skills

- Data visualisation and analysis
- Machine learning
- Problem solving

- Statistics and probability
- Statistical programming
- (Science) communication

Education

2021—2023 Methodology and Statistics for the Behavioural, Biomedical, and Social Sciences MSc,

Utrecht University, Utrecht, Netherlands

Running GPA: 8.44/10.

Applied Data Science track, covering exploratory analysis, data visualisation, supervised and unsupervised learning, regularisation, deep learning and natural language processing.

Thesis project: Evaluating tuning strategies for random forest hyperparameters with regards to prediction performance of clinical prediction models and computational time.

- GitHub repository.
- O Results visualisation (Shiny app).
- Managed deadlines and balanced the project with courses and other commitments throughout the year to successfully design and program a complex simulation study, analyse results, and publish the resulting report in a scientific journal.

2017—2021 **Psychology and Statistics Bsc (Hons)**, *University of Glasgow*, Glasgow, United Kingdom Obtained with Honours of the First Class (highest distinction).

Dissertation project: The evolution of data sharing practices in the psychological literature.

- Preprint (accepted for publication in Meta-Psychology).
- Open Science Framework project.
- O Collected original data and combined it with pre-existing data in a different format.
- $\, \odot \,$ Fit Generalised Additive Models to analyse the data.

Work experience

Nov.—Dec. Teaching Assistant, Department of Psychology, Utrecht University, Utrecht, Netherlands

2022 • Skills developed: Communication of statistical concepts, leadership, organisation, time management, and integrating feedback.

Nov.—Dec. \circ Delivered tutorials that emphasised the practical application of statistical methods and critical analysis of research articles.

- Proactively reviewed students' homework assignments before each session and tailored teaching materials to address identified knowledge gaps.
- O Was given very positive reviews by students.

May—Aug. **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Methodology and Statistics, Utrecht University, Utrecht, 2022 Netherlands

- O Skills developed: Communication of statistical concepts, teamwork, organisation, attention to detail.
- Created and updated online instructional materials for second-year psychology students, incorporating interactive learning tools to enhance student comprehension and retention.
- O Updated all analyses from SPSS to JASP, following a curriculum switch.

Oct. 2021— Research Assistant, Department of Methodology and Statistics, Utrecht University, Utrecht, Apr. 2022 Netherlands

- O Skills developed: R package building, attention to detail, teamwork, communication.
- O Spearheaded the comprehensive testing and troubleshooting of the R package CTmeta, ensuring optimal accuracy and efficiency for its users.
- O Demonstrated exceptional attention to detail in identifying and resolving errors in the code, resulting in a seamless and error-free user experience.
- Contributed to the accessibility and usability of the package by reviewing and revising its documentation, resulting in clearer and more concise instructions for users.

- Oct. 2021 **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Information and Computing Science, Utrecht University, Utrecht, Netherlands
 - Skills developed: Critical thinking.
 - O Leveraged statistical expertise to identify relevant documents for each of 150 statistical queries in an AI study, supporting research and development efforts.
- June—Dec. Research internship under the supervision of Dr. Zsolt Péter Szabó, At Work Kft., 2020 Budapest, Hungary
 - Skills developed: Communication of statistical results, psychometric test validation, exploratory data analysis.
 - Acquired expertise in factor analysis through leading exploratory and confirmatory factor analyses on the Hungarian translation of the Short Dark Triad questionnaire.
 - O Third author on the resulting publication, which validates the questionnaire for use.
- June—Aug. Voluntary research work under the supervision of Dr. Emily Nordmann, Department of 2019 Psychology, University of Glasgow, Glasgow, United Kingdom
 - **Skills developed**: Communication, critical thinking, text mining basics, exploratory data analyses, data cleaning.
 - Thoroughly cleaned a language use dataset prior to conducting exploratory analyses, requiring close attention to detail and critical thinking to ensure the quality and integrity of the dataset.
 - O Led exploratory analyses and conducted a literature search to contextualize the results.
 - O Resulting findings are used in Dr. Nordmann's annual presentation on the psychology of swearing.
- June 2018 **Field investigator**, *MC2*, Préval, France
 - O Skills developed: Communication, time management, attention to detail.
 - Occollected responses to a marketing questionnaire in a restaurant setting, effectively engaging with participants to gather high-quality data in a fast-paced environment.

Community engagement

- 2020—2021 **Vice President Treasurer**, Glasgow University LGBTQ+ Society
 - O Skills developed: Leadership, teamwork, teambuilding, communication, organisation.
 - Oversaw the society's financial management, identifying and correcting inconsistencies in previous reports and ensuring accurate record-keeping.
 - O Collaborated with the President and Vice President Secretary to effectively manage an 18-person committee and ensure the smooth operation of one of the largest student societies in Scotland.
 - Coordinated efforts to maintain regular society events and activities during the COVID-19 pandemic, positioning the society as one of the few on campus to continue providing meaningful engagement and community support for students.
- 2019—2020 International Officer, Glasgow University LGBTQ+ Society
 - O Skills developed: Teamwork, communication, organisation.
 - Worked collaboratively with the society committee to ensure the smooth running of the society.
 - Organised and moderated a range of events aimed at LGBTQ+ students.
 - Acted as a key point of contact between international students and the society committee, providing support and guidance as needed.
 - O Led regular coffee meetups to provide a relaxed and welcoming environment for international students to socialize and connect with one another.

Prizes and awards

- 2021 **Distinguished first class Honours**, *University of Glasgow*, United Kingdom Among the 25% highest performing first class honours students in Psychology.
- 2021 **Research Methods prize**, *University of Glasgow*, United Kingdom Best final year project in research methods.
- 2020 **SAS prize with high distinction**, *University of Glasgow*, United Kingdom Best final year project on Bsc Psychology and Statistics.
- 2020 **Merit list Psychology level 3**, *University of Glasgow*, United Kingdom Figuring on the list of psychology students obtaining an A grade in academic year 2019/2020.
- 2018 **Merit list Psychology level 1**, *University of Glasgow*, United Kingdom Figuring on the list of psychology students obtaining an A grade in academic year 2017/2018.

IT skills

R, proficient

Experience: 6 years.

- O Familiar with base R and tidyverse.
- O Data wrangling, visualization, and analysis.
- Writing functions.
- Data simulation.
- O Reproducible reports in R Markdown.

Mplus, intermediate

Experience: 3 months.

- Data analysis.
- Fitting various structural equation models.
- Interpretation of output.

Python, intermediate

Experience: 1 year.

- Data analysis.
- Manipulation of variables and dictionaries.
- Writing functions.

JASP, SPSS, intermediate

Experience: 6 months.

Fitting models

Languages

English, C2

French, C2

Hungarian, C1

Publications

Neve, J., & Rousselet, G. (2021). The Evolution of Data Sharing Practices in the Psychological Literature. Meta-Psychology (undergoing copyediting). https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/3xdja

Szabó, Z. P., Czibor, A., Neve, J., Restás, P., Hadarics, M., Szijjártó, L., Simon, E., Marót, J. L., Kun, Á., & Bereczkei, T. (2021). Development of the hungarian version of the short dark triad questionnaire (SD3-HU): Psychometric properties and validity. <u>Current Psychology</u>. https://doi.org/10.1007/s12144-021-02470-4

LaTeX, proficient

Experience: 3 years.

- Creation of documents.
- Beamer.
- Personalisation of templates.

GitHub, intermediate

Experience: 2 years.

- Collaboration on projects using forks or the same repository.
- Version control.
- O GitHub pages.

Cluster computing, basic

Experience: 3 months.

- Running large batches of R scripts in parallel.
- Collecting resulting data for further, smaller-scale analyses.