Kelly Cotton

PhD Candidate, Cognitive Psychology

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Cognitive psychology researcher with expertise in memory across the life span and experience in research design, project management, and data analysis and visualization.

Relevant Experience

Graduate Research Assistant, *Memory and Attention Lab*   2018 - Present
Dept. of Psychology, College of Staten Island   Staten Island, NY

  -Managed several research projects from initial experimental design to final publication
  -Analyzed behavioral data using R and created data figures suitable for publication
  -Collaborated with researchers at other institutions to ensure successful and timely project completion

Community Science Fellow   2020 - Present
BioBus   New York, NY

  -Mentored high school interns on semester-long experimental and science communication projects

Data for Public Good Fellow, *GC Digital Initiatives*   2020
The Graduate Center, City University of New York   New York, Ny

  -Analyzed data related to student experience surveys
  -Collaboratively wrote a report including recommendations for an equitable university response to the COVID-19 pandemic based on student data

Head Research Assistant, *CREM Study*   2015 – 2019
Dept. of Neurology, Albert Einstein College of Medicine   Bronx, NY

  -Oversaw daily operations of a federally funded research study to investigate the efficacy of cognitive training on cognitive and motor outcomes in older adults
  -Managed and maintained study data

Skills

Programming: R, MATLAB/Octave, Python
Advanced Statistical Analysis: Hierarchical Linear Modeling, Structural Equation Modeling
Other: TobiiPro

Education

PhD, Psychology   Present
The Graduate Center, City University of New York

MA, Psychology   2020
The Graduate Center, City University of New York

BS, Brain and Cognitive Sciences   2015
BA, Linguistics   2015
University of Rochester