

# LUKE STRICKLAND

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## ABOUT ME

I'm a scientist and computational modeller. In my current position at Curtin's Future of Work Institute, I develop biomathematical models of fatigue. I apply these models to predict human fatigue in the workplace, informing work design. In my previous work, I focused on developing computational models of cognition, in order to understand how people perform cognitively demanding, safety-critical workplace tasks.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

2020-PRESENT  
Curtin University  
**Post-doctoral Research Fellow**  
Developing Bayesian methods to evaluate and apply models of human fatigue. Predicting fatigue to inform rostering decisions.

2019  
University of Western Australia  
**Research Associate**  
Statistical modelling in R and Python. Writing scientific manuscripts. Supervising the research projects of PhD and honours students. Programming experiments.

2016 - 2018  
University of Tasmania  
**Post-doctoral Research Fellow**  
Coordinating a highly successful research program across three universities. Developing Bayesian methods to estimate the parameters of computational cognitive models and to evaluate the models. Programming experiments.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Advanced R, Python, Bash, SQL**  
*Programming*

**Unix, Git and GitHub, LaTeX**  
*Computing*

**Dynamic data visualisation and document creation**  
*Computing*

**Advanced statistical modelling**  
*Statistics*

**Developing and evaluating bespoke computational models**  
*Statistics*

## RESEARCH

- Twelve high-impact publications
- Eleven conference presentations and an invited keynote lecture
- Peer-reviewed R software

## EDUCATION

2012 – 2017 **Doctor of Philosophy**  
DEAN'S LIST  
Psychology  
*University of Western Australia*

2011 **Bachelor of Arts, Honours**  
FIRST CLASS  
Psychology  
*University of Western Australia*

2008 – 2010 **Bachelor of Arts, Major in Psychology**  
*University of Western Australia*

## AWARDS

2020-2023 **ARC Discovery Project**  
*University of Western Australia*

2020 **Curtinovation Finalist**  
*Curtin University*

2019 **Research Highlight**  
*Nature Human Behaviour*

2019 **Early Career Publication Impact Award**  
*University of Western Australia*

2016-2019 **Collaborative Research Project**  
*CSIRO, University of Tasmania, UniSA*

2018 **Invited Keynote Presentation**  
*Heidelberg University*

2017 **Honourable mention, Dean's list, PhD thesis**  
*University of Western Australia*

## REFERENCES

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## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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- Strickland, L.**, Heathcote, A., Remington, R.W., & Loft, S. (2017). Accumulating evidence about what prospective memory costs actually reveal. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory & Cognition*, 43, 1616-1629.
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- Heathcote, Lin, Y.-S., Reynolds, A., **Strickland, L.**, Gretton, M., & Matzke, D. (2019). Dynamic models of choice. *Behavior Research Methods*, 51, 961-985
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- Wilson, M. D., Boag, R. J., & **Strickland, L.** (2019). All models are wrong, some are useful, but are they reproducible? Commentary on Lee et al. (2019). *Computational Brain & Behavior*, 2, 239-240.
- Lin, Y.-S., & **Strickland, L.** (2019). Evidence accumulation models with R: A practical guide to hierarchical Bayesian methods. *The Quantitative Methods for Psychology*, 16, 133-153
- Strickland, L.**, Loft, S., & Heathcote, A. (2019). Evidence Accumulation Modeling of Event-Based Prospective Memory. In J. Rummel & M.A. McDaniel (Eds), *Current Issues in Memory: Prospective Memory* (pp. 78-94). London, United Kingdom: Taylor & Francis.