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## Employment

### Princeton University

Princeton, NJ, USA

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

Sep. 2016 - Present

- Department: Princeton Neuroscience Institute
- Advisor: Nathaniel Daw

## Education

### University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA, USA

PH.D. PSYCHOLOGY

2016

- Advisors: Dr. Danielle S Bassett, Dr. Geoffrey K Aguirre, Dr. Sharon L Thompson-Schill
- Funding: NIH; Benjamin Franklin Fellowship; Fundacao Estudar
- Thesis: *Visual adaptation as it varies across timescales, neural populations, and individuals*

### University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA, USA

M.A. STATISTICS

2016

- Advisor: Dr. Dylan S Small
- Funding: NIH; Benjamin Franklin Fellowship; Fundacao Estudar
- Thesis: *Nonparametric approaches for statistical inference in multislice network models*

### University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA, USA

M.A. PSYCHOLOGY

2011

- Advisors: Dr. Michael K Kahana, Dr. Geoffrey K Aguirre, Dr. Russell A Epstein
- Funding: NIH; Benjamin Franklin Fellowship; Fundacao Estudar

### Aeronautics Institute of Technology

Sao Jose dos Campos, SP, Brazil

B.A. ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING

2009

- Advisors: Dr. Takashi Yoneyama
- Funding: Brazilian Air Force

## Awards & Achievements

- 2014 **Best poster award**, Repetition Suppression Summer School
- 2011 **Scholarship**, The Brain Fund
- 2010 **Fellowship**, Fundacao Estudar
- 2010 **Fellowship**, Benjamin Franklin

Jena, Germany  
Sao Paulo, Brazil  
Brazil  
U.S.A.

## Additional training

### Marine Biological Laboratory

Woods Hole, MA, USA

METHODS IN COMPUTATIONAL NEUROSCIENCE

Summer 2016

### University of California, Santa Barbara

Santa Barbara, CA, USA

SUMMER INSTITUTE IN COGNITIVE NEUROSCIENCE

Summer 2015

### University of Jena

Jena, Germany

REPETITION SUPPRESSION SUMMER SCHOOL

Summer 2014

### University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia, PA, USA

COMPUTATIONAL NEUROSCIENCE SUMMER SCHOOL

Summer 2009

### Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Cambridge, MA, USA

VISITING STUDENT - BRAIN AND COGNITIVE SCIENCES

Fall 2009

## Peer-review contribution

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- Neuroimage
- PLoS Computational Biology
- Nature Scientific Reports
- Human Brain Mapping
- Biomedical Signal Processing Control

## Publications

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### PUBLISHED MANUSCRIPTS

- [1] Gu, Shi, Betzel, Richard F, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Cieslak, Matthew, Delio, Philip R, Grafton, Scott T, Pasqualetti, Fabio, and Bassett, Danielle S. Optimal trajectories of brain state transitions. *NeuroImage*, 2017.
- [2] Bassett, Danielle S and **Mattar, Marcelo G**. A network neuroscience of human learning: Potential to inform quantitative theories of brain and behavior. *Trends in Cognitive Sciences*, 2017.
- [3] **\*Mattar, Marcelo G**, \*Kahn, David A, Thompson-Schill, Sharon L, and Aguirre, Geoffrey K. Varying timescales of stimulus integration unite neural adaptation and prototype formation. *Current Biology*, 26(13):1669–1676, 2016.
- [4] **\*Mattar, Marcelo G**, \*Betzel, Richard F, and Bassett, Danielle S. The flexible brain. *Brain*, 139(8):2110–2112, 2016.
- [5] Kahn, Ari E, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Vettel, Jean M, Wymbs, Nicholas F, Grafton, Scott T, and Bassett, Danielle S. Structural pathways supporting swift acquisition of new visuomotor skills. *Cerebral cortex*, 2016.
- [6] Chai, Lucy R, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Blank, Idan Asher, Fedorenko, Evelina, and Bassett, Danielle S. Functional network dynamics of the language system. *Cerebral Cortex*, 2016.
- [7] \*Pegors, Teresa K, **\*Mattar, Marcelo G**, Bryan, Peter B, and Epstein, Russell A. Simultaneous perceptual and response biases on sequential face attractiveness judgments. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General*, 144(3):664–673, 2015.
- [8] **Mattar, Marcelo G**., Cole, Michael W., Thompson-Schill, Sharon L., and Bassett, Danielle S. A functional cartography of cognitive systems. *PLoS Comput Biol*, 11(12):e1004533, 12 2015.
- [9] Wyble, Brad, Potter, Mary C, and **Mattar, Marcelo G**. Rsvp in orbit: Identification of single and dual targets in motion. *Attention, Perception, & Psychophysics*, 74(3):553–562, 2012.
- [10] Aguirre, Geoffrey Karl, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, and Magis-Weinberg, Lucía. de bruijn cycles for neural decoding. *NeuroImage*, 56(3):1293–1300, 2011.

### SUBMITTED MANUSCRIPTS

- [1] Reddy, Pranav G, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Murphy, Andrew C, Wymbs, Nicholas F, Grafton, Scott T, Satterthwaite, Theodore D, and Bassett, Danielle S. Brain state flexibility accompanies motor-skill acquisition. *arXiv preprint arXiv:1701.07646*, 2017.
- [2] Khambhati, Ankit N, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, and Bassett, Danielle S. Beyond modularity: Fine-scale mechanisms and rules for brain network reconfiguration. *bioRxiv*, page 097691, 2017.
- [3] **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Thompson-Schill, Sharon L, and Bassett, Danielle S. The network architecture of value learning. *arXiv preprint arXiv:1607.04169*, 2016.
- [4] **Mattar, Marcelo**, Wymbs, Nicholas F, Bock, Andrew S, Aguirre, Geoffrey K, Grafton, Scott T, and Bassett, Danielle S. Predicting future learning from baseline network architecture. *bioRxiv*, page 056861, 2016.
- [5] Bock, Andrew S, Benson, Noah C, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, and Aguirre, Geoffrey K. Identification of retinotopic organization in striate and extrastriate cortex using inter-areal functional correlations. Submitted, 2016.
- [6] Ashourvan, Arian, Gu, Shi, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Vettel, Jean M, and Bassett, Danielle S. The energy landscape underpinning module dynamics in the human brain connectome. *arXiv preprint arXiv:1609.01015*, 2016.

### IN PREPARATION

- [1] **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Stocker, Alan A, Carter, Marie, Thompson-Schill, Sharon L, and Aguirre, Geoffrey K. Individual differences in representation precision predict adaptation bias.
- [2] **\*Mattar, Marcelo G**, \*Olkkonen, Maria E, Aguirre, Geoffrey K, and Epstein, Russell A. Adaptation decorrelates object representations: Evidence from multivoxel pattern analysis.
- [3] **Mattar, Marcelo G** and Daw, Nathaniel D. A rational model of hippocampal experience replay.
- [4] Baker, David, Gu, Shi, Khambha, Ankit, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Muldoon, Sarah Feldt, Telesford, Qawi, Yang, Muzhi, and Bassett, Danielle S. The network community architecture toolbox (ncat).

## BOOK CHAPTERS

- [1] **Mattar, Marcelo G** and Bassett, Danielle S. Brain network architecture: Implications for human learning. 2016.
- [2] Yaden, David B, Anderson, Derek E, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, and Newberg, Andrew B. Psychoactive substances & psychoactive stimulation: Conceptual and ethical considerations. In Ellens, J H and Roberts, T J, Editors, *A Psychedelic Policy Quagmire: Health, Law, Freedom, and Society*. Praeger, 2014.

## Conferences

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### CONFERENCE ABSTRACTS

- [1] Bock, Andrew S, Benson, Noah C, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, and K, Aguirre Geoffrey. Template fitting to automatically derive v1-v3 retinotopy from inter-areal functional correlations, 2016. Poster presented at the Vision Sciences Society (VSS), May 14-19, 2016, St Petersburg, FL, USA.
- [2] Olkkonen, Maria, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Aguirre, Geoffrey, and Epstein, Russell. Adaptation sharpens object representations: Evidence from shape discrimination thresholds., 2015.
- [3] **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Wymbs, Nicholas F, Bock, Andrew S, K, Aguirre Geoffrey, Grafton, Scott T, and Bassett, Danielle S. Predicting future learning from baseline network architecture, 2015. Poster presented at Society for Neuroscience (SfN), Oct 17-21, 2015, Chicago, IL, USA.
- [4] **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Olkkonen, Maria, Aguirre, Geoffrey, and Epstein, Russell. Adaptation decorrelates object representations: Evidence from multivoxel pattern analysis., 2015.
- [5] Chai, Lucy R, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Blank, Idan A, Fedorenko, Evelina, and Bassett, Danielle S. Functional network dynamics of the language system. Poster presented at Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting (BMES), Oct 7-10, 2015, Tampa, FL, USA, 2015.
- [6] Chai, Lucy R, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Blank, Idan A, Fedorenko, Evelina, and Bassett, Danielle S. Functional network dynamics of the language system. Poster presented at Society for Neuroscience (SfN), Oct 17-21, 2015, Chicago, IL, USA, 2015.
- [7] Aguirre, Geoffrey, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Carter, Marie, and Thompson-Schill, Sharon. Individual differences in representation precision predict adaptation bias., 2015.
- [8] Pegors, Teresa, Bryan, Peter, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, and Epstein, Russell. Decoupling perceptual and response biases in a sequential face judgment task. *Journal of Vision*, 14(10):1257–1257, 2014.
- [9] **\*Mattar, Marcelo G**, \*Kahn, David A, and Aguirre, Geoffrey K. A single mechanism of temporal integration unites neural adaptation and norm-based coding. *Journal of Vision*, 14(10):120–120, 2014.
- [10] **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Cole, Michael W, Thompson-Schill, Sharon L, and Bassett, Danielle S. A functional cartography of cognitive systems, 2014. Poster presented at Society for Neuroscience (SfN), Nov 15-19, 2014, Washington, DC, USA.
- [11] Baker, David, Gu, Shi, Khambha, Ankit, **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Muldoon, Sarah Feldt, Telesford, Qawi, Yang, Muzhi, and Bassett, Danielle S. The network community architecture toolbox (ncat), 2014. Poster presented at Society for Neuroscience (SfN), Nov 15-19, 2014, Washington, DC, USA.
- [12] **Mattar, Marcelo G**, Magis-Weinberg, Lucía, and Aguirre, Geoffrey K. De bruijn cycles for neural decoding. *Journal of Vision*, 11(11):848–848, 2011.

## Invited talks

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2017 International Convention of Psychological Science

Vienna, Austria