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Education Princeton University

September 2018 - Present

PhD in Psychology, certificate in Statistics and Machine Learning

Advisors: Thomas L. Griffiths and Jonathan D. Cohen

University of Toronto

August 2017

Honours Bachelor of Science with High Distinction

Majors in Economics and Statistics, minor in Mathematics

Fellowships & awards

National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate Fellowship

Summer School on the Cognitive Foundations of Economic Behavior

Summer Institute on Bounded Rationality

Centennial Fellowship in the Natural Sciences

Milan Surducki Memorial Scholarship

September 2014

September 2014

Journal papers

Krafft, P., Thompson, W., **Hardy, M.**, & Griffiths T.L. (2021). Overcoming individual limitations through distributed computation: Rational information accumulation in multi-generational populations. Submitted for review.

Talks & posters

Hardy, M., Thompson, W., Krafft, P. & Griffiths T.L. (2020). Population-level amplification of perceptual bias. Talk presented at the 42nd Annual Conference of the Cognitive Science Society, virtual.

Hardy, M., Thompson, W., Krafft, P. & Griffiths T.L. (2020). Population-level amplification of perceptual bias. Poster presented at the 6th International Conference on Computational Social Science, virtual.

Callaway, F., **Hardy**, M. & Griffiths T.L. (2020). Optimal nudging. Poster presented at the 42nd Annual Conference of the Cognitive Science Society, virtual.

Hardy, M., Thompson, W., Krafft, P. & Griffiths T.L. (2019). Population-level amplification and suppression of individual biases. Talk presented at the 1st Symposium on Biases in Human Computation and Crowdsourcing, Sheffield, UK.

Hardy, M., Callaway, F. & Griffiths T.L. (2019). Optimal nudging. Poster presented at the Multi-disciplinary Conference on Reinforcement Learning and Decision Making, Montreal, Canada.

Hardy, M. & Griffiths T.L. (2019). Demonstrating the importance of prior knowledge in risky choice. Poster presented at the 41st Annual Conference of the Cognitive Science Society, Montreal, Canada.

Papers in prep

Hardy, M., Thompson, W., Krafft, P. & Griffiths T.L. Mitigating social amplification of perceptual bias.

Callaway, F., **Hardy**, M. & Griffiths T.L. Leveraging resource-rational modeling to extend behavioral nudges.

Hardy, M. & Griffiths T.L. Investigating the role of prior knowledge in risky choice and bandit problems.

Teaching PSY 251 - Quantitative Methods

Spring 2020 & 2021

Assistant Instructor Princeton University

Relevant experience

Data Science Intern Via Transportation June - August 2018

Research Assistant

August - December 2017

University of Toronto, Department of Psychology

Professor Susanne Ferber

Research Assistant May - September 2015 & 2016

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Department of Economics

Professors Jerry Hausman and Whitney Newey

Skills Programming: Python, R, Stan, Javascript, HTML, CSS, Julia, MATLAB, SQL

Software & tools: LATEX, Git, Bash, Stata, Excel

Spoken languages: English, Slovenian