# EVAN ORTICIO

#### Education

## University of California, Berkeley

2020 - 2025 (expected)

PhD, Developmental Psychology

Advisor: Celeste Kidd

### Swarthmore College

2016 - 2020 GPA: 3.98

BA, Psychology and Linguistics, with High Honors

# Publications and Refereed Conference Proceedings

Orticio, E., Meyer, M., & Kidd, C. (2023). Children flexibly adapt their evidentiary standards to their informational environment. In *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.

**Orticio, E.**, Martí, L., & Kidd, C. (2022). Social prevalence is rationally integrated in belief updating. In *Open Mind*.

Orticio, E., Martí, L., & Kidd, C. (2021). Beliefs are most swayed by social prevalence under uncertainty. In *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.

**Orticio, E.** & Christie, S. (2020). Object bias disrupts rule-based generalization in adults across domains. In *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.

#### **Manuscripts**

Orticio, E., Martí, L., Bi, B., O'Shaughnessy, D., & Kidd, C. (in revision). Judgements of political statements are influenced by speaker identity.

Orticio, E. & Kidd, C. (in prep). Familial bias in COVID risk perception.

**Orticio, E.** & Grodner, D. (in prep). Top-down and bottom-up influences on speaker-specific adaptation: A mouse-tracking study.

Kumar, S., **Orticio**, **E.**, & Christie, S. (in prep). Imitating groups for cultural learning: Preschoolers prefer to learn from homogeneous social groups.

#### Conference Presentations

Orticio, E., Meyer, M., & Kidd, C. (2023). Children increase their evidentiary standards in more unreliable informational environments. *Talk presented at Budapest CEU Conference on Cognitive Development*. Co-organizer of preconference workshop.

# Grants and Funding

2022	Berkeley Center for New Media Faculty Seed Grant — PI: Celeste Kidd (\$1950)
2020	Lockwood Memorial Fellowship (\$7500)
2019	Harvard Lab for Developmental Studies Summer Fellowship (\$2000)
2019	Lenfest Student Fellowship (\$3000)
2018	Swarthmore College Summer Research Fellowship (\$3000)

# Teaching

# University of California, Berkeley

Spring 2023 PSYCH 147: Methods in Cognitive Development

Guest Lecturer, Are children skeptical?

Spring 2022 PSYCH 147: Methods in Cognitive Development

Graduate Student Instructor, 3 sections. Student rating 6.67/7.

# Swarthmore College

Fall 2019 PSYC 025: Research Design and Analysis Spring 2017 CPSC 021: Introduction to Computer Science

# Honors and Awards

2023	Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, UC Berkeley
2020	Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society, Swarthmore College
2016	Class of 1964 Scholarship, Swarthmore College
2015	National Merit Scholar