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Education

University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Amherst, MA

PhD, Cognitive Psychology

2019-2020

University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Amherst, MA

MS, Cognitive Psychology

2015-2019

Reed College

Portland, OR

BA, BIOLOGY

2010-2014

Publications

Cowell, R. A., Barense, M. D., & Sadil, P. (2019). A Roadmap for Understanding Memory: Decomposing Cognitive Processes into Operations and Representations. *eNeuro*, 6(4). https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/b7e8k

Sadil, P., Cowell, R. A., & Huber, D. E. (2019). A hierarchical Bayesian state trace analysis for assessing monotonicity while factoring out subject, item, and trial level dependencies. *Journal of Mathematical Psychology; IF: 2.176*, 90, 118–131. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jmp.2019.01.003

Sadil, P., Potter, K. W., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2019). Connecting the dots without top-down knowledge: Evidence for rapidly-learned low-level associations that are independent of object identity. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General; IF: 4.107, 148*(6), 1058–1070. https://doi.org/10.17605/osf.io/bqp32

Ross, D. A., Sadil, P., Wilson, M. D., & Cowell, R. A. (2017). Hippocampal Engagement during Recall Depends on Memory Content. *Cerebral Cortex; IF: 6.308, 28*(8), 2685–2698. https://doi.org/10.1093/cercor/bhx147

Sadil, P., & Cowell, R. A. (2017). A Computational Model of Perceptual and Mnemonic Deficits in Medial Temporal Lobe Amnesia. *Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience; IF: 3.468*, 29(6), 1075–1088. https://doi.org/10.1162/jocn_a 01106

Sadil, P., & Cowell, R. A. (2016). A Computational Model of Perceptual Deficits in Medial Temporal Lobe Amnesia. *Proceedings of the 38th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society*.

Grants and Awards

Keith Rayner Memorial Graduate Student Research Award

University of Massachusetts,

Amherst

\$1,500.00

2018

Center for Research on Families Travel Grant

University of Massachusetts,

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Amherst 2018

• Presented research at the 14th annual Context and Episodic Memory Symposium.

Edna M. Dahlquist Scholarship

University of Massachusetts,

Amherst

\$2,000.00

2016

Biology Undergraduate Research Proposal

Reed College

\$1,500.00

2014

Performed electrophysiology work to characterize serotonin's role in generating rhythmic, vocal behavior in South African claw-toed frog.

2013

• Set up immunohistochemistry protocols such as tract tracing and Golgi Staining.

Presentations

Sadil, P., Cowell, R. A., & Huber, D. E. (2020). The serial dependence effect is both attraction to the previous response and repulsion from the previous stimulus. Poster presented at the 61^{st} annual Psychonomics Society Meeting. Virtual.

Sadil, P., Cowell, R. A., & Huber, D. E. (2019). A hierarchical bayesian state trace analysis for assessing monotonicity factoring out subject, item, and trial level dependencies. Poster presented at the 52nd Annual Meeting of the Society for Mathematical Psychology Montreal, Quebec. CA.

Sadil, P., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2018). A hierarchical bayesian model for inferring neural subpopulation tuning functions from fMRI. Poster presented at the 1^s Annual UMass Interdisciplinary Neurosciences Conference. Amherst, MA.

Sadil, P., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2018). *A hierarchical bayesian model for inferring neural tuning functions from voxel tuning functions*. Talk given at the annual *Visual Science Society Meeting*. St. Pete Beach, Florida.

Sadil, P., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2018). Episodic-like retrieval mechanisms for non-episodic memories: Visual recollection in the absence of identification. Talk given at the 14^{th} annual Context and Episodic Memory Symposium. Philadelphia, PA.

Sadil, P., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2017). A novel method for fMRI analysis: Inferring neural mechanisms from voxel tuning. Poster presented at the 1^{st} annual Conference on Cognitive Computational Neuroscience. New York, NY.

Sadil, P., Potter, K., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2017). A continuous flash suppression study of implicit visual recollection. Talk given at the 13^{th} annual Context and Episodic Memory Symposium. Philadelphia, PA.

Sadil, P., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2016). Computational model of perceptual deficits in medial temporal lobe amnesia. Poster presented at the 12^{th} annual Context and Episodic Memory Symposium. Philadelphia, PA.

Sadil, P., Potter, K., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2016). A continuous flash suppression study of implicit visual recollection. Poster presented at the 57^{th} annual Psychonomics Society Meeting. Boston, MA.

Sadil, P., Huber, D. E., & Cowell, R. A. (2015). Visual recollection. Poster presented at the 11^{th} annual Context and Episodic Memory Symposium. Philadelphia, PA.

Peer Review

AD HOC BOOK REVIEW

Springer

AD HOC REVIEW FOR JOURNALS

Journal of Mathematical Psychology

Workshops Attended

2018 New England Statistics Symposium – Introduction to Bayesian Inference with Stan

University of Massachusetts, Amherst University of Michigan

2016 NIH funded training course in fMRI