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Research Interests	Decision-making, cognitive control, emotions, computational to everyday experiences, advanced statistical modelling, gaming and addiction	
Education	<b>University of British Columbia</b> , Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada PhD., Cognitive Science ( <i>Minor in Quantitative Methods</i> ), 2023 - 2027 M.A., Cognitive Science, 2021 - 2023 Advisor: Luke Clark  <b>University of Toronto</b> , Toronto, Ontario, Canada B.Sc. (Hons) in Psychology Advisor: Michael Inzlicht and Brett Ford	
Awards & Fellowships	<i>Canada Graduate Scholarship – Doctoral</i>	2023-2026
	Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council	
	<i>Canada Graduate Scholarship – Master’s</i>	2022
	Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council	
Journal Articles	<i>Graduate Entrance Scholarship</i>	2021
	The University of British Columbia	
	<i>University of Toronto Excellence Award</i>	2020
	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council	
Journal Articles	<b>Wu, R.</b> & Clark, L. (2024). Impulse and reason? Justifications in problem gambling. <i>Addictive Behaviors</i> , 157(108072).	
	<b>Wu, R.</b> , Abarbanel, B., & Clark, L. (in press). Watch and yearn? Effects of watching gambling livestreams on cravings. <i>Journal of Behavioral Addictions</i> . Pre-print: <a href="https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/nbqd9">https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/nbqd9</a>	
	Werner, K., <b>Wu, R.</b> , Gross, J. J., & Friese, M. (under review). When bigger is better: Size of strategy repertoire predicts goal attainment. Pre-print: <a href="https://psyarxiv.com/5uvxg/">https://psyarxiv.com/5uvxg/</a>	
	Hall, B. F., ... Werner, K. M., <b>Wu, R.</b> , Milyavskaya, M., ... Grahe, J. E. (2024). Registered replication report: A large multilab cross-cultural conceptual replication of Turri, Buckwalter, & Blouw (2015). <i>Advances in Methods and Practices in Psychological Science</i> , 2515-2459.	
	<b>Wu, R.</b> , Ferguson, A. M., & Inzlicht, M. (2023). Do humans prefer cognitive effort over doing nothing? <i>Journal of Experimental Psychology: General</i> , 152(4), 1069-1079.	

- Conference Presentations
- Werner, K. M., Ford, B. Q., Hofmann, W., Petrova, K., **Wu, R.**, Frieze, M., & Gross, J. J. (October 2023). Behaviour change in context: An affect science perspective to promote successful self-control. Talk given at *Emotions Conference at Tilburg University*, Tilburg, Netherlands.
- Fu, C. W. F., **Wu, R.**, Clark, L. (October 2023). Is watching gambling livestreams associated with intentions to gamble among non-gambling young adults? An application of Theory of Planned Behaviour. Poster presented at *RANGES Futures of Gambling Studies Conference*, Montreal, QC.
- Wu, R.**, Abarbanel B., Johnson, M. R., & Clark, L. (June 2023). How do gamblers react to gambling streams on Twitch? An “ironic” effect on cravings. Talk given at *Current Advances in Gambling Research Conference*, London, England.
- Wu, R.**, Abarbanel, B., Johnson, M. R., & Clark, L. (May 2023). Gambling streams on Twitch: Cravings, motivations, and problem gambling. Talk given at *International Conference on Gambling and Risk-Taking*, Las Vegas, USA.
- Wu, R.** & Clark, L. (March 2023). Watching gambling on streaming platforms. Talk given at *New Horizons in Responsible Gambling Conference*, Vancouver, Canada.
- Fu, C. W. F., **Wu, R.**, Clark, L. (March 2023). Passive to active? Examining the relationship between watching gambling streams and gambling intentions in non-gamblers. Poster presented at *Psychology Undergraduate Research Conference*, Vancouver, Canada.
- Wu, R.** & Clark, L. (Oct 2022). Impulse and reason: Permissive thoughts and gambling disorder. Poster presented at *Annual International Centre for Responsible Gambling Conference on Gambling and Addiction*, Las Vegas, USA.
- Avramidis, D., Abarbanel, B., Johnson, M. R., **Wu, R.**, Kathuria, A., & Clark, L. (March 2022). A content analysis of gambling live streams on Twitch. Poster presented at *New Horizons in Responsible Gambling Conference [virtual]*.
- Wu, R.**, Werner, K. M., Ford, B. Q. (May 2021). Benefits of having a well-equipped strategy toolbox during goal pursuit. Talk given at *Annual Convention of the Association for Psychological Science [virtual]*.
- Wu, R.**, Werner, K. M., & Ford, B. Q. (May 2021). A toolbox approach to healthier eating: Examining the relation between motivation, strategy repertoire, and eating behaviours. Poster presented at *Annual Meeting for the Society for the Science of Motivation [virtual]*.
- Wu, R.**, Werner, K. M., Ford, B. Q. (March 2021). The more the better? Examining the relation between strategy repertoire and goal attainment. Talk given at *Undergraduate Research Forum at University of Toronto [virtual]*.
- Wu, R.**, Werner, K. M., McMillan, G., & Milyavskaya, M. (February 2021). The relation between motivation and self-licensing during goal pursuit. Poster presented at *Motivation*

*Science Preconference at the Convention of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology [virtual].*

**Wu, R.**, Werner, K. M., & Ford, B. Q. (February 2021). The more the better? Examining the relation between strategy repertoire and goal attainment. Poster presented at *Convention of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology [virtual]*.

Media	Why do people find ‘bed rotting’ so hard? (June 2023) – Toronto Star New links between ‘loot boxes’ and gambling (March 2023) – Global News	
Honours	Clara Saad	2024
Advising	Claudia Fu	2022
Teaching	Analysis of Behavioral and Neuroscience Data	2025
Assistantships	Introduction to Biological & Cognitive Psychology	2024
	Gambling & Decision-Making	2023
	Health Psychology	2022
	Research Methods in Psychology	2021, 2024
Service	Teaching Assistant Mentor	2023-2024
	Diversity Program Mentor	2022-
	Colloquium Committee	2021-2022
	First-Year Learning Community Mentor	2020-2021
Basic Information	Citizenship: Canadian Language: English	