SAFIYYAH BACHAR

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EDUCATION

University of Turku, Finland 08/2019-07/2021

MS in Human Neuroscience

Thesis: Structural Abnormalities in Gambling Disorder Using Voxel-Based Morphometry

University of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA

BA in Psychology, Minor in Neuroscience

08/2013-05/2017

WORK EXPERIENCE

Stanford University (Neurology), Clinical Research Coordinator Associate, Palo Alto, CA

06/2023-Current

- Lead coordinator for multiple drug clinical trials related to Multiple Sclerosis/Neuroimmunology
- Primary contact with research participants, providers, sponsors and regulatory agencies
- Collect and manage: consent, patient data, study supplies and essential documents

Neuropace, Clinical Study Coordinator, Mountain View, CA

12/2022-06/2023

- Managed clinical trial documentation (Medidata eTMF) for four medical device studies to ensure audit and study monitoring readiness
- Provided clinical study support according to SOPs/GCP/FDA requirements

Stanford University (CIBSR), Clinical Research Coordinator Associate, Palo Alto, CA

08/2021-06/2023

- Collected neuroimaging data (fNIRS/MRI), administered neuropsychological assessments, and managed databases for multiple clinical group projects. Additionally supported with recruiting efforts and consent.
- Managed imaging lab by optimizing systems and operations to reduce equipment troubleshooting during data collection, improved equipment usage tracking and established systematic onboarding/training.

UCSF (brainLENS), Research Assistant, San Francisco, CA

03/2018-07/2019

- Ensured neuroimaging (MRI) appointments ran smoothly to minimize challenges from overlapping appointment times and young participant age range.
- Coordinated research volunteers and kept track of parent surveys and consent/safety forms.

OTHER

University of Turku, International Student Ambassador, Turku, Finland	11/2019-05/2020
Bosch, Administrative Intern, Sunnyvale, CA	07/2017-07/2018
SFMOMA, Human Resources Intern, San Francisco, CA	02/2017-04/2017
Danish Institute for Study Abroad (DIS), Student, Copenhagen, Denmark	08/2015-12/2015

SKILLS

- Research: Neuroimaging, Data Collection, Data Management, Recruitment, IRB, Academic Writing
- Certifications/Training:
 - o Human Subjects Research (CITI)
 - o HIPAA/Protecting Patient Privacy 2021 (HIPAA Training)
 - o Essentials of Clinical Research (Stanford)
- Languages: Spanish (Intermediate)
- Personal Qualities/Skills: Staying Organized, Effective Communicator, Time Management, Problem Solving
- Personal Interests: Hiking, Cooking, Traveling, Zillow window shopping

My first name is pronounced similarly to Sophia, but with a "Sa", like in the name "Sa" mantha.