

# SAFIYYAH BACHAR

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## EDUCATION

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- 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 08/2013-05/2017  
BA in Psychology, Minor in Neuroscience

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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- Stanford University (CIBSR)**, *Clinical Research Coordinator Associate*, Palo Alto, CA 08/2021-Current
- Collect neuroimaging data (fNIRS/MRI), administer neuropsychological assessments, and manage databases for multiple clinical group projects. Additionally support with recruiting efforts and consent.
  - Manage imaging lab by optimizing systems and operations to reduce equipment troubleshooting during data collection, improve equipment usage tracking and establish 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.
- Bosch**, *Administrative Intern*, Sunnyvale, CA 07/2017-07/2018
- Provided administrative and purchasing support for three corporate tech-research teams. Duties included: purchasing/PO, communicating with vendors, expense reports for travels and organizing team meetings.
- USF Law School**, *Student Assistant*, San Francisco, CA 08/2013-05/2017
- Processed 95% of law school applications to mark for completeness by confirming applicants submitted all required documents and that the information matched the database (ACES2).

## OTHER

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- University of Turku**, *International Student Ambassador*, Turku, Finland 11/2019-05/2020
- 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

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- **Research:** REDCap, Qualtrics, FreeSurfer, SPM, SPSS, Matlab, Python, Bash, Neuroimaging, Data Management
- **Certifications/Training:**
  - Human Subjects Research (CITI)
  - HIPAA/Protecting Patient Privacy 2021 (HIPAA Training)
  - Essentials of Clinical Research (Stanford)
- **Languages:** Spanish (Intermediate)
- **Personal Qualities:** Organized, Independent, Conscientious
- **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.