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Education

Ph.D. in Psychology	Harvard University	2019
A.M. in Psychology	Harvard University	2016
A.B. in Economics, Certificate in Neuroscience	Princeton University	2009

Academic Positions

Lecturer (Assistant Professor) in Psychology	Royal Holloway, University of London	2019-*present*

Honors and Awards

Dissertation Completion Fund, Harvard University	2018
Robach Fund Research Grant, Harvard University	2018
Graduate Student Travel Award, Society for Personality and Social Psychology	2018
Norman H. Anderson Fund Research Grant, Harvard University	2016
Honorable Mention, National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program	2015
Elsie Hopestill Stimson Research Grant, Harvard University	2015
Class of 1955 Thesis Research Grant, Princeton University	2008

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Lau, T., Gershman, S. J., & Cikara, M. (2020). Social Structure Learning in Anterior Insula. *eLife, 9*, e53162.

Lau, T., Pouncy, H. T., Gershman, S. J., & Cikara, M. (2018). Discovering Social Groups via Latent Structure Learning. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General, 147*(12), 1881-1891.

Lau, T. & Cikara, M. (2017). fMRI Repetition Suppression During Generalized Social Categorization. *Scientific Reports, 7*, 4262.

Cikara, M., Van Bavel, J. J., Ingbretsen, Z. A., & Lau, T. (2017). Decoding "us" and "them": Neural representations of generalized group concepts. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General, 146*(5), 621-631.

Lau, T., Morewedge, C. K., & Cikara, M. (2016). Overcorrection for Social Categorization Information Moderates Impact Bias in Affective Forecasting. *Psychological Science, 27*(10), 1340-1351.

van den Bos, W., Li, J., Lau, T., Maskin, E., Cohen, J. D., Montague, P. R. & McClure, S. M. (2008). The Value of Victory: Social origins of the winner's curse in common value auctions. *Judgment and Decision Making, 3*(7), 483-492.

Conference-Related Activities

Chaired Conference Symposia

Association for Psychological Science, Washington, D.C. (May 2019)
Psychological Foundations of Social Group Categorization (with Mina Cikara)

Association for Psychological Science, Boston, MA (May 2017)
Psychological Foundations of Group Polarization (with Mina Cikara)

Conference Presentations

Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA (February 2020)
Discovering Social Groups via Latent Structure Learning

Association for Psychological Science, Washington, D.C. (May 2019)
Discovering Social Groups via Latent Structure Learning

Society for Judgment and Decision Making, Vancouver, Canada (November 2017)
Discovering Social Groups via Latent Structure Learning

Association for Psychological Science, Boston, MA (May 2017)
Overcorrection for Social Categorization Information Moderates Impact Bias in Affective Forecasting

Society for Affective Science, Boston, MA (April 2017)
Overcorrection for Social Categorization Information Moderates Impact Bias in Affective Forecasting

Preconference on Debiasing Decision Makers, SJDM, Boston, MA (November 2016)
Overcorrection for Social Categorization Information Moderates Impact Bias in Affective Forecasting

Society for Neuroeconomics, Berlin, Germany (August 2016)
Overcorrection for Social Categorization Information Moderates Impact Bias in Affective Forecasting

Select Poster Presentations

Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Portland, OR (February 2019)
fMRI Repetition Suppression During Generalized Social Categorization

Social and Affective Neuroscience Society, Brooklyn, NY (May 2018)
Discovering Social Groups via Latent Structure Learning

Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Atlanta, GA (March 2018)
Discovering Social Groups via Latent Structure Learning

Society for Neuroeconomics, Toronto, Canada (October 2017)
Discovering Social Groups via Latent Structure Learning

Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, TX (January 2017)
Overcorrection for Social Categorization Information Moderates Impact Bias in Affective Forecasting

Society for Judgment and Decision Making, Boston, MA (November 2016)
Overcorrection for Social Categorization Information Moderates Impact Bias in Affective Forecasting

Social and Affective Neuroscience Society, New York, NY (April 2016)
An fMRI Adaptation Investigation of Generalized Social Categorization

Other Presentations

Invited Talks

Affective Brain Lab, UCL	October 2019
Working Group in Political Psychology and Behavior, Harvard University	April 2019
Cognition, Brain, and Behavior Brownbag, Harvard University	March 2019
Social Psychology Brownbag, Harvard University	February 2019
Morality Lab, Boston College	July 2018
Social Cognitive Science Lab, University of Toronto	June 2018
Social and Affective Neuroscience Lab, Brown University	October 2017
Working Group in Political Psychology and Behavior, Harvard University	October 2016
Workshop on Confirmation Bias and Political Polarization, Cambridge, MA	June 2016

Public Outreach

Taste of Science, Boston, MA	April 2018

Other Research Experience

Neuroscience of Cognitive Control Laboratory, Princeton University	2006–2008
PI: Jonathan D. Cohen	

Teaching

Post-Graduate

Advanced and Applied Research Techniques	Fall 2019
Intergroup and Interpersonal Processes	Fall 2019

Undergraduate

Psychological Science (with Jason P. Mitchell)	Spring 2018
Psychological Science (with Daniel T. Gilbert)	Fall 2017
Abnormal Psychology (with Diego A. Pizzagalli)	Spring 2017
Psychological Science (with Daniel T. Gilbert)	Fall 2016

Service and Activities

Ad-hoc reviewing

Journal of Neuroscience, Psychology, and Economics, PLOS One, Royal Society Open Science, Social Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience

Industry Experience

Wellington Management Company, Hong Kong	2011–2013
The Wall Street Journal, Hong Kong	2009–2010