

# Tricia J. Ngoon

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EDUCATION	<b>Ph.D. in Cognitive Science</b> <b>University of California, San Diego</b> <i>Advisor: Dr. Scott Klemmer</i>	2015 –
	<b>M.S. in Cognitive Science</b> <b>University of California, San Diego</b> <i>Advisor: Dr. Scott Klemmer</i>	2015 – 2018
	<b>B.A. in Psychology with Honors</b> <b>University of California, Berkeley</b> <i>Honors Thesis Advisor: Dr. Art P. Shimamura</i>	2010 – 2013

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	<b>Creative Intelligence Lab Intern</b> <i>Adobe Research</i>	Summers 2019, 2020
	<b>Affiliated Ph.D Student Researcher</b> <i>Early Learning &amp; Cognition Lab at UC San Diego</i>	2017 –
	<b>Ph.D Student Researcher</b> <i>The Design Lab at UC San Diego</i>	2015 –
	<b>User Experience Research Intern</b> <i>NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory</i>	Summer 2016
	<b>Research Assistant</b> <i>Stanford Cognitive &amp; Systems Neuroscience Lab</i>	2013 – 2015
	<b>Undergraduate Research Assistant</b> <i>UC Berkeley Helen Wills Neuroscience Institute</i>	2012 – 2013
	<b>Undergraduate Research Assistant</b> <i>UC Berkeley Human Neuropsychology Lab</i>	2011 – 2013

PUBLICATIONS	<b>Conference &amp; Journal Papers</b>	
	<b>Tricia J. Ngoon</b> & Joy Kim. 2020. Keeping it Simple Sketches: Visual Abstraction Enables Collaborative Exploration & Revision. Under review.	
	C. Ailie Fraser, <b>Tricia J. Ngoon</b> , Mira Dontcheva, & Scott Klemmer. 2019. RePlay: Contextually Presenting Learning Videos across Software Applications. In <i>ACM Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI) Proceedings</i> . <b>Honorable Mention Award (Top 5%)</b> .	
	<b>Tricia J. Ngoon*</b> , C. Ailie Fraser*, Ariel Weingarten, Mira Dontcheva, & Scott Klemmer. 2018. Interactive Techniques for Improving Creative Feedback. In <i>ACM Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI) Proceedings</i> . <b>Honorable Mention Award (Top 5%)</b> . (* indicates equal contribution)	

- Christian Battista, Tanya M. Evans, **Tricia J. Ngoon**, Tianwen Chen, Lang Chen, John Kochalka, & Vinod Menon. 2018. Mechanisms of Interactive Specialization and Emergence of Functional Brain Circuits Supporting Cognitive Development in Children. *Nature Partner Journals Science of Learning*, 3(1).
- Tanya M. Evans, John Kochalka, **Tricia J. Ngoon**, Sarah Wu, Shaozheng Qin, Christian Battista, & Vinod Menon. 2015. Brain Structural Integrity and Intrinsic Functional Connectivity Forecasts 6-Year Longitudinal Growth in Children's Numerical Abilities. *Journal of Neuroscience*, 35(33). 11743-11750.

## Graduate Symposiums

- Tricia J. Ngoon**. 2019. Overcoming Satisficing: Scaffolds for Amplifying Creativity. Graduate Student Symposium abstract in *ACM Creativity & Cognition (C&C) Proceedings*.
- Tricia J. Ngoon**. 2019. Inventive Scaffolds Catalyze Creative Learning. Doctoral Consortium abstract in *ACM Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI) Proceedings*.

## Extended Abstracts

- Tricia J. Ngoon**, Caren Walker, & Scott Klemmer. 2019. The Dark Side of Satisficing: Setting the Temperature of Creative Thinking. In *ACM Creativity & Cognition (C&C) Proceedings*.
- Samuel Lau, **Tricia J. Ngoon**, Vineet Pandey, & Scott Klemmer. 2019. Experiment Reconstruction Reduces Fixation on Surface Details of Explanations. In *ACM Creativity & Cognition (C&C) Proceedings*.
- Michael Arbib, **Tricia J. Ngoon**, & Eric Janes. 2018. From Neural Space to Physical Space: Giving a "Brain" to a Building. Poster at *Academy of Neuroscience for Architecture (ANFA)* conference.
- C. Ailie Fraser, **Tricia J. Ngoon**, Ariel Weingarten, Mira Dontcheva, & Scott Klemmer. 2017. CritiqueKit: A Mixed-Initiative, Real-Time Interface for Improving Feedback. In *ACM User Interface Software & Technology (UIST) Companion*.
- Tricia J. Ngoon**, Alexander Gamero-Garrido, & Scott Klemmer. 2016. Supporting Peer Instruction through Evidence-Based Design of Online Instructional Templates. In *ACM Learning at Scale (L@S) Proceedings*.
- Tricia J. Ngoon**, Rachel Chen, Amit Deutsch, & Sean Lip. 2016. Oppia: A Community of Peer Learners to Make Conversational Learning Experiences. In *ACM Computer-Supported Cooperative Work & Social Computing (CSCW) Companion*.

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## HONORS & AWARDS

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| Selected for Rising Stars in EECS Workshop                                  | 2019 |
| Honorable Mention Paper Award, ACM Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI) | 2019 |

Honorable Mention Paper Award, ACM Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI)	2018
Honorable Mention, National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship	2015 – 2016
UC San Diego Competitive Edge Graduate Fellowship	2015
UC Berkeley Regents' & Chancellor's Research Fellowship	2013
UC Berkeley Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship	2012
UC Berkeley Regents' & Chancellor's Scholarship	2010 – 2013

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**UC San Diego – Instructor of Record**  
 DSGN 90: Web Programming Design Seminar

**UC San Diego – Teaching Assistant**  
 DSGN 1: Design of Everyday Things  
 COGS 17: Neurobiology of Cognition  
 COGS 120/CSE 170: Interaction Design  
 COGS 122: Interaction Design Startup Studio  
 COGS 123: Social Computing

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## INVITED TALKS

Berkeley Institute of Design Seminar. Berkeley, CA.	Sept 2019
Stanford HCI Seminar. Palo Alto, CA.	Aug 2019
Cognition at the Shore Speaker Series. San Diego, CA.	Mar 2019
Guest lecture for Neurobiology of Cognition. San Diego, CA.	July 2017
NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory Internship talk. La Canada Flintridge, CA.	Sept 2016
UC Berkeley Summer Undergraduate Research Fellows Conference. Berkeley, CA.	Aug 2012

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## SERVICE & LEADERSHIP

<b>Leadership</b>	
<b>Head Teaching Assistant</b> <i>UC San Diego Cognitive Science Department</i>	2019 – 2020
<b>Student Volunteer Co-Chair</b> <i>ACM Creativity &amp; Cognition (C&amp;C)</i>	2019
<b>Graduate Social Events Coordinator</b> <i>UC San Diego Cognitive Science Department</i>	2017 – 2019
<b>Event Coordinator</b> <i>UC San Diego Graduate Women in Computing</i>	2017 – 2018
<b>Graduate Student Representative</b> <i>UC San Diego Cognitive Science Department</i>	2016 – 2017
<b>External Vice-President</b> <i>UC Berkeley Regents' &amp; Chancellor's Scholars Association</i>	2012 – 2013

<b>Performance Coordinator</b>	<b>2011 – 2013</b>
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<b>Faculty Committee Co-Chair</b>	<b>2011 – 2012</b>
<i>UC Berkeley Regents' &amp; Chancellor's Scholars Association</i>	
<b>Reviewer</b>	
<i>Cognitive Science Society Conference</i>	<b>2019</b>
<i>ACM Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI)</i>	<b>2017 – 2020</b>
<b>Mentorship</b>	
<i>Vivian Leung, Undergraduate Research Assistant</i>	<b>2019</b>
<i>Zhaoyi Huang, Undergraduate Research Assistant</i>	<b>2019</b>
<i>Christyn Jackson, Undergraduate Research Assistant</i>	<b>2019</b>
<i>Michelle Lee, Research Assistant</i>	<b>2018 – 2019</b>
<i>Nicolas La Polla, Undergraduate Research Assistant</i>	<b>2018 – 2019</b>
<i>Jasper Travers, Undergraduate Research Assistant</i>	<b>2017</b>

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