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	Alies Muskin Career Development Leadership Program Anxiety & Depression Association of America	2018
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Ongoing Research Support ADEPT: Adaptive trial for the treatment of depression associated with concussion using repetitive transcranial magnetic stimulation protocols

Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs Award TP220072

2024 -

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: D. L. Brody

This study aims to compare different types of TMS that may alleviate depressive symptoms in US military service members with a history of concussion.

Charge-based brain modeling engine with boundary element fast multipole method

NIH/NIMH R01 MH130490

2023.07 - 2028.05

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: S. N. Makaroff

This project seeks to create a new brain modeling engine that employs boundary element and fast multipole methods to achieve superior spatial resolution and accuracy in electromagnetic modeling.

Novel electric-field modeling approach to quantify changes in resting state functional connectivity following theta burst stimulation

NIH/NIMH U01 MH130447

2022.09 - 2027.06

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: N. L. Balderston

This study aims to develop a model using whole-brain estimates of the TMS-induced electric field to predict changes in resting state functional connectivity following neuro-modulatory TMS, and validate this model in a large cohort of healthy volunteers receiving multiple doses of either intermittent or continuous theta burst stimulation.

Development of a novel, scalable, neurobiologically-guided transcranial magnetic stimulation protocol for the treatment of cannabis use disorder

Centre for Addiction and Mental Health, Toronto, ON, Canada

2023.02 -

Role: Consultant; PI: V. M. Tang

This proof-of-concept clinical trial will evaluate the feasibility and tolerability of a 4-week course of rTMS to the prefrontal cortex and insula as a treatment for cannabis use disorder.

Deciphering mechanisms of ECT outcomes and adverse effects (DECODE)

NIH/NIMH R01 MH128686/MH128690/MH128691/MH128692

2022.08 - 2027.05

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; mPIs: Sheline, Narr, Espinoza, McClintock, Abbott This multi-site prospective study aims to study the mechanism of ECT-induced anti-depressant benefits and cognitive adverse effects to determine optimal ECT dose.

ECT amplitude titration for improved clinical outcomes in late-life depression

NIH/NIMH R61/R33 MH125126

2021.02 - 2026.01

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator: PI: C. C. Abbott

This study uses titrated amplitude ECT, individualized based on seizure threshold, to improve clinical response while minimizing cognitive impairment in geriatric depression.

PENDING RESEARCH SUPPORT $Transdiagnostic\ trial\ to\ reduce\ default\ mode\ network\ connectivity\ in\ bipolar\ depression\ and\ major\ depressive\ disorder\ with\ accelerated\ iTBS$

NIH 2025

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: Y. I. Sheline

Electromagnetic brain stimulation modeling at the synaptic level

NIH R21

2025.02

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: S. N. Makaroff

Improving ECT clinical outcomes through seizure- and model-guided stimulation parameters NIH UG3/UH3 2024.10

Role: mPI; collaborating PIs: C. C. Abbott, A. Datta

Development of high-density theta burst TMS technology and initial testing in humans

NIH UG3/UH3 2024.09

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: H. Lu

Improving the optimization of TMS coil placement with precise calculation of electric fields and robust computation of personalized functional networks

NIH/NIMH R01 2024.10

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: Y. Fan

Targeting the causal depression network with electroconvulsive therapy

NIH/NIMH R33/R61 2024.02

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: M. Argyelan

Development of a next generation ECT system: PRecision Optimally Targeted ECT

NIH/NIMH UG3/UH3

2024.06

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; PI: C. C. Abbott

COMPLETED RESEARCH SUPPORT Neuromodulation of social cognitive circuitry in people with schizophrenia spectrum disorders NIH/NIMH R61/R33 MH120188 2020.05 – 2023.04

Role: Intramural NIH collaborator; mPIs: A. N. Voineskos, D. M. Blumberger

This study uses advanced brain imaging, and compare different brain stimulation techniques, to determine whether targeting the dorsomedial prefrontal cortex can engage social cognitive brain circuitry in people with schizophrenia spectrum disorders.

ECT pulse amplitude and medial temporal lobe engagement

NIH/NINDS U01 MH111826

2016.09 - 2020.07

Role: Co-I; PI: C. C. Abbott

This study explores the impact of targeted hippocampal engagement with varying levels of electroconvulsive therapy current amplitude in elderly patients with clinical, neuropsychological and neuroimaging assessments.

Individualized low amplitude seizure therapy (iLAST)

Brain & Behavior Research Foundation Young Investigator Award 26161 2018.06 – 2020.06 Role: PI

This study aims to develop a novel form of seizure therapy for depression that avoids the neurocognitive side effects of electroconvulsive therapy by using computational modeling to direct multi-electrode configurations that provide targeted and individualized dosing.

Fast-Fail Trials: Mood and Anxiety Spectrum Disorders (FAST-MAS)

NIMH 271201200006I-3-27100003-1

2016.06 - 2017.12

Role: Data analyst; PI: A. D. Krystal

The goal of this project is to establish the kappa opiate receptor occupancy and mu opiate receptor effects after two weeks of daily dosing with the investigational agent LY2456302, which has been demonstrated to be a selective kappa opiate receptor antagonist.

Transcranial direct current stimulation as a treatment for acute fear

NIH/NIMH R21 MH106772

2015.04 - 2017.01

Role: Co-I; PI: A. D. Krystal

This study investigates the utility of transcranial direct current stimulation to engage a target neural circuit, which could serve as the basis for developing better therapies for those suffering from acute fear related difficulties.

Individualized optimally-targeted seizure therapy

NIH/NCATS KL2 TR001115

2014.07 - 2016.06

Role: PI; Training Grant PI: R. M. Califf

This award from the Duke Translational Medicine Institute prepares the fellow for a successful career as a multidisciplinary independent researcher. The goal of the project is to develop a novel individualized neurotargeted seizure therapy.

Safety and feasibility of low amplitude electroconvulsive therapy

Duke University School of Medicine, Pilot fund

2015.03 - 2016.06

Role: PI

This study evaluates whether neurocognitive side effects of electroconvulsive therapy can be improved by reducing the current pulse amplitude.

Prolonging Remission In Depressed Elderly (PRIDE)

NIH/NIMH U01 MH084241

2009.04 - 2016.03

Role: Data analyst; PI: S. H. Lisanby

This study evaluates the efficacy and neurocognitive effects of combined electroconvulsive and pharmacotherapy in prolonging remission in elderly patients with major depression.

Low field magnetic stimulation coil design

Tal Medical 2015.04 - 2016.06

Role: Co-I; PI: A. V. Peterchev

This project develops a novel coil system for low field magnetic stimulation.

 $Concurrent\ cognitive\ behavioral\ the rapy\ and\ transcranial\ magnetic\ stimulation\ in\ obsessive-compulsive\ disorder$

American Psychiatric Association Research Scholarship

2015.11 - 2016.06

Role: Acting PI; Grantee: Y. Hu

The purpose of this pilot study is to evaluate the feasibility of repetitive transcranial magnetic stimulation of the supplementary motor area concurrently with elements of exposure and response prevention in patients with obsessive-compulsive disorder.

Evoked potentials as markers of ketamine-induced cortical plasticity in patients with major depressive disorder

Janssen Research & Development, LLC

2014.01 - 2015.12

Role: Co-I; PI: A. D. Krystal

This open-label trial evaluates the utility of somatosensory, motor, and transcranial magnetic stimulation-based evoked potentials as markers of cortical plasticity in response to a single intravenous infusion of ketamine in patients with depression.

Translational research evaluating neurocognitive memory processes

NIH/NIMH K23 MH087739

2013.07 - 2014.06

Role: Postdoctoral fellow; PI: S. M. McClintock

This study informs the cognitive component processes underlying memory impairment after electroconvulsive therapy.

Magnetic seizure therapy for the treatment of depression

Stanley Medical Research Institute

2005.07 - 2011.07

Role: Postdoctoral fellow; PI: S. H. Lisanby

This two-center, randomized, double-blind controlled trial compares the antidepressant efficacy and side effects of magnetic seizure therapy and electroconvulsive therapy.

Rational dosing for electric and magnetic seizure therapy

NIH/NIMH R01 MH091083

2010.07 - 2015.12

Role: Graduate research assistant, contributed to grant writing; PI: S. H. Lisanby

This study aims to optimize stimulus parameters of electric and magnetic seizure therapy through computational modeling and preclinical studies of seizure induction.

Field shaping and coil design for transcranial magnetic stimulation

NIH/NCRR TL1 RR024158

2008.07 - 2009.06

Role: PI; Training Grant PI: H. N. Ginsberg

This award from the Columbia University Irving Institute for Clinical and Translational Research supports clinical research training for predoctoral students in the basic sciences. The goal of the project is to develop novel coil design for transcranial magnetic stimulation.

Development of a novel TMS device with controllable pulse shape

NIH/NIBIB R21 EB006855

2007.08 - 2008.06

Role: Graduate research assistant; PI: A. V. Peterchev

This project develops an efficient transcranial magnetic stimulation device that produces nearly rectangular pulses with adjustable amplitude, width, and directionality.

 $Nonlinear\ analysis\ of\ heart\ rate\ variability$

NIH/NHLBI R01 HL079503

2005.11 - 2007.05

Role: Graduate research assistant; PI: C.-S. Poon

This project develops advanced nonlinear estimation and adaptive control algorithms for the modeling and analysis of the cardiovascular system.

Professional Presentations Summary



INVITED SEMINARS & WEBINARS

7 Grand rounds 43 Conference talks & workshops	
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IEEE Magnetics and EMBS Chapters Virginia Commonwealth University Mechanical & Nuclear Engineering Department Recent advances in transcranial magnetic stimulation: Devices, modeling, and appearance.	
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UCSF Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences Engineering precision in neuromodulation: Computational models to clinical appli	2025 ications
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University of Pittsburgh, Geriatric Psychiatry Neuroimaging Laboratory The full spectrum: Electromagnetic brain stimulation from minimal to maximal in	2024 ntensity
University of Texas Southwestern, Center for Depression Research and Clinical Care Advancements in computational neurostimulation for depression treatment optimand technology development	
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National Center of Neuromodulation for Rehabilitation, MUSC Model-driven design for brain stimulation therapies	2022
International Network of tES-fMRI Webinar Electric field modeling and optimization approaches for individualized targeting	2022
NIMH Intramural Research Program Investigators' Seminar Seizure therapies: The next generation	2022
Brown University/Butler Hospital, Department of Psychiatry & Human Behavior Computational model driven design for brain stimulation	2021
University of Pennsylvania, Center for Neuromodulation in Depression and Stress Electromagnetic brain stimulation from low to high intensity	2021
VA Boston Healthcare System, Boston University School of Medicine	2020

Harvard Medical School Neuropsychiatry Translational Research Fellowship Seminar

Precision neurostimulation: History, physics, computational modeling, as	nd engineering
Medical University of Vienna, Neuroimaging Lab Precision seizure therapy	2020
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Mount Sinai Icahn School of Medicine, Depression and Anxiety Center Rational design of individualized noninvasive brain stimulation	2019
NIMH Intramural Research Program Investigators' Seminar Computational neurostimulation: Engineering better brain stimulation the	2018 nerapies
JCLA Brain Mapping Center Computational neurostimulation: Engineering better brain stimulation the	2018 nerapies
JCLA Semel Institute for Neuroscience and Human Behavior Neuromodulation Division Modeling and design for magnetic stimulation	2018
USC Mark and Mary Stevens Neuroimaging and Informatics Institute Computational neurostimulation	2018
NIDA, Neuroimaging Research Branch Advances in transcranial magnetic stimulation technology	2016
Mayo Clinic College of Medicine, Department of Molecular Pharmacology Neurobiology of Alcoholism and Drug Addiction Lab Transcranial magnetic stimulation technology development	2016
Mayo Clinic College of Medicine, Department of Neurologic Surgery Neural Engineering Lab Optimizing transcranial magnetic stimulation	2016
NIMH, Experimental Therapeutics & Pathophysiology Branch Engineering better electromagnetic brain stimulation therapies	2016
Ouke University School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry & Behavior Chair's round: Fundamentals of transcranial electric and magnetic stime	
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Ouke University, Department of Biomedical Engineering Modeling and coil design considerations for transcranial magnetic stimul	2014 lation
Barrow Neurological Institute, Phoenix, AZ Innovating neurostimulation: From treatment optimization to next-gener	2025 ration technology
Advanced Research Institute Grand Rounds in Mental Health and Aging R Advancing neurostimulation treatment optimization and technology innov	
Westmead Hospital, Sydney, Australia Advances in neuromodulation: Electroconvulsive therapy	2020
Clinical TMS Society Transcranial magnetic stimulation: Physics, devices, and modeling	2018
University of New Mexico, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences Toward individualized electroconvulsive therapy for treatment of depression	
Central Regional Hospital, Butner, NC Individualized seizure therapy	2015

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Duke University School of Medicine, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Scient Toward next generation seizure therapy	ices 2015
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International Brain Stimulation Conference Multichannel Individualized Stimulation Therapy: A targeted approach to optimal Part of symposium: ECT reimagined: Precision, prediction, and personalized care Accepted for presentation, unable to attend due to government travel restrictions	2025 ize ECT
IEEE Brain Discovery & Neurotechnology Workshop, University of Illinois Chicago A model-driven approach to personalized neuromodulation treatment	o 2024
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Brain and Human Body Modeling Conference Effects of low intensity magnetic stimulation	2023
International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society Modeling of TMS and ECT in the treatment of depression Part of panel: Computational analysis of non-invasive neuromodulation constructs: Bre	
ADAA Anxiety and Depression Conference Modeling and dose optimization for TMS and ECT Part of panel: Parsing through syndromic heterogeneity in youths with mental illness neurocircuit mechanisms and develop novel treatments	2023 to identify
International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Modeling of TMS Part of workshop: MRI of neuromodulation: Target engagement, neural mechanism, & development	2022 biomarker
Bergen Workshop of the Global ECT–MRI Collaboration $ECT\ device\ development$	2022
Brain and Human Body Modeling Conference ECT, electric field, neuroplasticity, and clinical outcomes Part of panel: Modeling of transcranial electrical stimulation and deep brain stimulatio	2022 n
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Society of Biological Psychiatry Annual Meeting Depressive symptom dimensions in seizure therapy Part of panel: Dimensional approaches to device neuromodulation	2022
Global ECT–MRI Collaboration Young Researchers Collective ECT, electric field, neuroplasticity, and clinical outcomes	2022

Conference Talks & Workshops

	American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Annual Meeting Introduction to computational psychiatry Part of panel: Recent work with contemporary computational methods and artificial intellige advance the practice of child and adolescent psychiatry	2021 ence to
	European College of Neuropsychopharmacology Congress Precision neurostimulation: Electroconvulsive therapy Part of panel: Neurobiology of rapid mood changes	2021
	Society for Brain Mapping & Therapeutics Annual Congress Advances in electroconvulsive therapy for treatment of depression	2021
	International College of Neuropsychopharmacology Virtual World Congress Next generation seizure therapy and neuromodulation	2021
	European Conference of Brain Stimulation in Psychiatry Electric field modeling to inform ECT dosing and device development Part of panel: What can we learn from ECT: Insights from the GEMRIC consortium	2020
	University of Minnesota Non-Invasive Brain Stimulation Workshop Use of individual electric field models in clinical research □	2020
	NYC Neuromodulation Online Discussant, Noninvasive vagus nerve stimulation applied to stress management, opioid drawal, and neurocognitive disorders	2020 ! with-
	American Society of Clinical Psychopharmacology Annual Meeting Advancing seizure therapy: Rational design for precision outcomes Part of panel: New developments in neurostimulation Accepted for presentation, conference was canceled due to COVID-19	2020
	American College of Neuropsychopharmacology Annual Meeting Rational design of precision seizure therapy Part of panel: Precision neurostimulation for treatment of psychiatric disorders	2019
	International College of Neuropsychopharmacology Meeting Individualized seizure therapy: Reinventing ECT Part of workshop: Neurobiological and clinical characterization, and treatment developme treatment resistant depression	2019 ent for
	International Brain Stimulation Conference Individualized electroconvulsive therapy for treatment of depression Part of panel: Individualized brain stimulation: Addressing heterogeneity across modalities	2019
	Bergen Workshop of the Global ECT–MRI Collaboration Electric field modeling for electroconvulsive therapy	2018
,	Joint NYC Neuromodulation Conference & NANS Summer Series Optimizing high-density stimulation arrays for brain targeting	2018
	Neuropsychiatric Drug Development Summit Targeted intermittent device delivered interventions will ultimately prove superior to tenance treatment with drugs for brain disorders	2018 main-
	International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society Electric field induced by TMS: Applications in depression and anxiety Part of panel: Computational human models for brain stimulation	2018
	American Psychiatric Association Annual Conference Individualized neurotargeted seizure therapy: Reinventing ECT Part of Presidential Symposium: ECT in the era of new brain stimulation treatments	2018
	ADAA Anxiety and Depression Conference	2018
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to optimize treatment with antidepressant medications, ketamine, and ECT	
NIMH Non-Invasive Brain Stimulation Electric Field Modeling Workshop Use of individual electric field models in clinical research	2017
NYC Neuromodulation Conference Low field magnetic stimulation	2017
NIMH Workshop on Transcranial Electrical Stimulation: Mechanisms, Technology, an apeutic Applications $ \textit{Effect of anatomical variability on electric field characteristics of } tES $	nd Ther- 2016
International Society for ECT and Neurostimulation Annual Meeting Workshop: Spatial targeting with transcranial magnetic stimulation	2015
International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society TMS in the presence of deep brain stimulation implants: Induced electrode current ECT in the presence of deep brain stimulation implants: Electric field effects	2010 ts
Annual National Predoctoral Clinical Research Training Program Meeting Coil design for deep-brain transcranial magnetic stimulation	2009
TRANSFORM Research Day, Irving Institute for Clinical and Translational Research Electromagnetic field shaping and coil design for transcranial brain stimulation	eh 2009
International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society Coil design considerations for deep brain transcranial magnetic stimulation	2008
Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience Heart rate variability is more chaotic in REM than NREM sleep in children	2006
International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society Heart rate variability in pediatric obstructive sleep apnea	2006
National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke	2020 mer 2015 17, 2019
Research Mentor, University of Maryland, College Park Fischell Department of Bioengineering Capstone project: Detection of brain-to-brain synchrony for improved psychoth	18-2019 $nerapy$
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Recitation Instructor , Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health Department of Biostatistics	

TEACHING & MENTORING APPOINTMENTS

Fall 2009

Biostatistics (graduate level)

Teaching Assistant, MIT

Concourse Program

Multivariable Calculus

Differential Equations

Fall 2003 – 2006 Spring 2004 – 2007

MENTORING SUMMARY



FACULTY ADVISORY

- D. C. Farrar, M.D., Ph.D., University of New Mexico School of Medicine 2025 Project: "CEASE-LD: Cortical Excitability, Adequacy of Seizures, and Efficacy in Late-life Depression with ECT"
- S. K. Conroy, M.D., Ph.D., Indiana University School of Medicine 2024 Project: "Targeting the medial prefrontal cortex with theta burst stimulation to reduce negative self-referential processing in major depression"
- S. M. Hare, Ph.D., University of Maryland School of Medicine NIH/NIMH K01 MH133116

2024 - 2029

Project: "Cognitive and neural correlates of TMS motor intracortical inhibition in schizophrenia"

S. H. Siddiqi, M.D., Brigham & Women's Hospital NIH/NIMH K23 MH121657

2020 - 2025

- Project: "Personalized circuit-based neuromdulation targets for depression"
- Sklerman Prize for Exceptional Clinical Research, Brain & Behavior Research Foundation, 2022.
- N. L. Balderston, Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine
 NIH/NIMH K01 MH121777
 Project: "Examining the mechanisms of anxiety regulation using a novel, sham-controlled, fMRI-guided rTMS protocol and a translational laboratory model of anxiety"
- Sklerman Prize for Exceptional Clinical Research, Brain & Behavior Research Foundation, 2021.

RESEARCH FELLOWS & POSTDOCS

S. Dey, Ph.D., NIMH Visiting Postdoctoral Fellow

2024 -

M. Dannhauer, Ph.D., NIMH Research Fellow

Career progression: Assistant Professor, Computer Science, East Carolina University

SPONSORED THESES

- G. Asturias, Psychology & Neuroscience, Duke University 2015–2017 Undergraduate honors thesis: "Effect of repetitive transcranial magnetic stimulation on the structural and functional connectome in patients with major depressive disorder." Available: DukeSpace, HDL: 10161/14299
- Graduated with Distinction Career progression: Medical student, Stanford University School of Medicine

THESIS EXAMINATION COMMITTEES

- S. J. Bolland, Biomedical Engineering, University of Western Australia 2025 Ph.D. dissertation: "A comparative study of transcranial magnetic stimulation induced electrical field distributions in neural tissue: A translational pipeline for finite element method analysis using MRI modalities." Sponsor: J. Rodger.
- D. Tang, Electrical & Computer Engineering, Worcester Polytechnic Institute
 M.S. thesis: "Computational and experimental approaches to brain stimulation: TMS simulation, coil measurement, and neural structure analysis." Sponsor: S. N. Makaroff.
- W. A. Wartman, Electrical & Computer Engineering, Worcester Polytechnic Institute 2024

	Ph.D. dissertation: "Adaptive mesh refinement for quasistatic electromagne of brain stimulation and recording methods." Sponsor: S. N. Makaroff.	tic modeling
	D. Q. Troung, Biomedical Engineering, CUNY City College Ph.D. dissertation: "Translational modeling of non-invasive electrical stimulasor: M. Bikson. Available: CUNY Academic Works, URL: https://academicwocc_etds_theses/774	-
GRADUATE	E. Bharti, Ph.D. cand., NIH–Cambridge Scholars Program	2024 -
STUDENTS	M. Kshirsagar, M.S., Biomedical Engineering, Duke University Career progression: Consultant, Deloitte Consulting	2012
POSTBACS	 P. L. Robins, B.A., NIMH Intramural Research Training Award (IRTA) Fellow Trainee Travel Award, NIMH Intramural Research Program, 2023. First Place in Student Competition, Brain & Human Body Modeling Conference, 2 Career progression: TMS administrator, Columbia Associates 	2021 – 2024 022.
	M. R. Hynd, B.S., NIMH IRTA Fellow Career progression: Ph.D. student, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	2020 - 2022
	S. Awasthi, B.S., NIMH IRTA Fellow Career progression: Medical student, Stanford University School of Medicine	2018 - 2020
	M. M. Noh, S.B., NIMH IRTA Fellow Career progression: Medical student, University of Cincinnati College of Medicine	2018 - 2019
	J. Thomas, M.S., NIMH IRTA Fellow Career progression: Program officer, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering,	2017 – 2019 & Medicine
	 M. Velez Afanador, B.S., NIMH IRTA Fellow Outstanding Poster Award, NIH Postbac Poster Day, 2018. Career progression: Medical student, Howard University College of Medicine 	2016 - 2019
Undergrads	D. T. Weaver, Biology, Duke University Career progression: M.D./Ph.D. student, Case Western Reserve University	2016
	 E. F. Salgado, Psychology & Neuroscience, Duke University Graduated with Distinction Career progression: Ph.D. student, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianap 	2016 oolis
	Z. Feng, Biomedical Engineering and Biology, Duke University Career progression: Medical student, University of Colorado School of Medicine	2015 - 2016
	M. L. Glidewell, Biomedical Engineering, Duke University Career progression: Senior strategy consultant, IBM	2015 - 2016
	W. Lim, Biomedical Engineering, Duke University Career progression: Medical student, Texas A&M College of Medicine	2015 - 2016
	F. M. Mercer, Gender, Sexuality and Feminist Studies, Duke University Career progression: Analyst, Morgan Stanley	2015 - 2016
	 E. Shinder, Biology, Duke University Graduated with Distinction Career progression: Medical student, Stony Brook School of Medicine 	2015 - 2016
	 E. P. Vienneau, Biomedical Engineering, Duke University Howard G. Clark Award for Excellence in Research Career progression: Ph.D. student, Vanderbilt University 	2015 - 2016
	S. H. Lee, Biomedical Engineering, Duke University Career progression: Manager, Strategy & Operations, Tempus Labs	2015
	R. Shah, Psychology & Neuroscience, Duke University	2015

	Career progression: Medical student, Yale School of Medicine	
	 J. R. Lilien, Electrical & Computer Engineering, Duke University Walter J. Seeley Scholastic Award Career progression: Machine learning engineer, Amazon 	2014 – 2016
Interns	W. H. Lohr, Ph.D. cand., Biomedical Engineering, Virginia Commonwealth Univ	versity 2025
	M. Dib, Biomedical Engineering, University of Maryland, College Park Supervised as a summer intern at the NIH, provided ongoing mentorship duri terms, including advising Capstone design project Career progression: Medical student, Weill Cornell Medicine	2018 – 2019 ng academic
	E. Chung, Psychology, University of Maryland, College Park	2017
	A. L. Halberstadt, Biology and Psychology, Carnegie Mellon University Career progression: Ph.D. student, Penn State University	ummer 2017
	C. M. Prevost, Biomedical Engineering, Clemson University S Career progression: Medical student, University South Carolina School of Medicine	ummer 2015 Greenville
	J. V. McCall, Biomedical Engineering, North Carolina State University Career progression: Ph.D. student, North Carolina State University	ummer 2013
Professional Societies	IEEE, Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society Senior Member (2023–), Member (2013–2023), Student Member (2004–2013	2004 –
MEMBERSHIP	American College of Neuropsychopharmacology, Associate Member	2023 -
	Biomedical Engineering Society, Member	2021 -
	American Society of Clinical Psychopharmacology, Member	2019 -
	Past memberships: Anxiety and Depression Association of America, Member International Society for CNS Clinical Trials and Methodology, Member Organization for Human Brain Mapping, Member Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics, Student Member Society for Neuroscience, Student Member American Physical Society, Student Member	$2017 - 2018 \\ 2017 - 2019 \\ 2014 - 2019 \\ 2008 - 2012 \\ 2005 - 2012 \\ 2004 - 2009$
Professional Service &	Advisory Board, Center for Multiscale Bioelectromagnetic Studies of the Brain Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering, Worcester Polytechnic In	2025 – stitute
Advisory Roles	Board Member, The Global ECT–MRI Research Collaboration (GEMRIC)	2025 -
TODES	Mid-Career Award Subcommittee, Biomedical Engineering Society	2025 –
	Chapter Development Report Reviewers, Biomedical Engineering Society	2025
	Early Career Committee, American Society of Clinical Psychopharmacology	2023 - 2027
	Technology Committee, American Society of Clinical Psychopharmacology	2023 -
	Technology Task Force, American Society of Clinical Psychopharmacology	2020 - 2023
Institutional	Reviewer, NIH Intramural AIDS Research Fellowships	2025
SERVICE	Judge, NIH Fellows Award for Research Excellence Competition	2025
	Educational Counselor, MIT	2022-2025
	NIH Research Workforce Diversity and Equity Outreach Special Interest Group	2023 - 2025

	Judge, NIMH Training Day Three-Minute Talks competition	2022
	Judge/Lead Judge, NIH Postbac Poster Day	2017 - 2025
	NIH Noninvasive Brain Stimulation Special Interest Group	2017 - 2025
GRANT	Reviewer, NIH BluePrint MedTech Program	2021 -
REVIEW	Reviewer, NIH Center for Scientific Review Biophysics of Neural Systems Study Section	2021.10
	Reviewer, Duke Institute for Brain Sciences, Research Incubator Awards	2018, 2021
Editorial	Editorial Board Member, Brain Stimulation	2025 -
Roles	Deputy Editor, Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation	2024 -
	Associate Editor, Frontiers in Psychiatry Sections: Neurostimulation, Neuroimaging	2022 -
	Co-Editor on Research Topic: How Does Brain Stimulation Work? Neurov Putative Mechanisms of Action \square	ersion and Other 2024
	Review Editor, Frontiers in Psychology Sections: Addictive Behaviors, Consciousness Research	2022 -
	Review Editor, Frontiers in Psychiatry Sections: Neurostimulation, Neuroimaging	2016 - 2022
	Guest Associate Editor, Frontiers in Pharmacology: Neuropharmacology Co-Editor on Research Topic: Neurobiology of Rapid Mood Changes \square	2020
	Guest Editor, Physics in Medicine and Biology Special Issue: Electromagnetic Modeling for Brain Stimulation	2024
	Al hoc journal reviewer AIP Advances American Journal of Psychiatry Asian Journal of Psychiatry Australasian Physical and Engineering Sciences in Medicine Biological Psychiatry BioMedical Engineering OnLine BMJ Mental Health Brain Research Bulletin Brain Sciences Brain Stimulation Cerebral Cortex Chaos, Solitons & Fractals Clinical EEG and Neuroscience Clinical Neurophysiology CNS Spectrums Computer Methods and Programs in Biomedicine Computer Methods in Biomechanics and Biomedical Engineering Cortex European Psychiatry Frontiers in Cell and Developmental Biology Frontiers in Medicine: Intensive Care Medicine and Anesthesiology Frontiers in Neurology: Applied Neuroimaging Frontiers in Neuroscience: Brain Imaging Methods IEEE Access	2010 –

IEEE Antennas and Propagation Magazine IEEE Journal of Electromagnetics, RF, and Microwaves in Medicine and Biology IEEE Transactions on Biomedical Engineering IEEE Transactions on Neural Systems & Rehabilitation Engineering IEEE Transactions on Magnetics Imaging Neuroscience Journal of ECT Journal of Neural Engineering Journal of Neuroscience Methods Journal of Psychiatric Research JoVEMedical & Biological Engineering & Computing Medical Hypotheses Nature Mental Health NeuroImage; NeuroImage Clinical Neuromodulation: Technology at the Neural Interface Neuroscience Letters PLOS ONE Scientific Reports Translational Psychiatry 2008 -Reviewer, conference proceedings and abstracts International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society IEEE/EMBS International Conference on Neural Engineering IEEE/EMBS International Conference on Biomedical and Health Informatics Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting Brain and Human Body Modeling Conference 2023 Organizing committee, and judge in student competition Chair of panel: New modeling methods: Spinal cord stimulation and novel stimulation Chair of panel: Development and assessment of modeling methods American Society of Clinical Psychopharmacology Annual Meeting 2023 Program review subcommittee 2023 International Brain Stimulation Conference Chair of symposium: Insights and challenges in preclinical models of TMS: Multimodal investigations across animal species Chair of symposium: Advanced computational modeling and optimization methods for noninvasive brain stimulation 2022 International Congress of Clinical Neurophysiology Chair of panel: Towards optimized TMS targeting approaches 2022 Brain and Human Body Modeling Conference Organizing committee Chair of panel: Modeling of transcranial electrical stimulation and deep brain stimulation American Society of Clinical Psychopharmacology Annual Meeting 2019 Chair of panel: Treatment-resistant mood disorders across the lifespan: Novel therapeutics International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society 2018 Chair of panel: Computational human models for brain stimulation NYC Neuromodulation Conference 2018 Director of preconference workshop: Computational modeling in neuromodulation: Tools

Conference

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COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT,	Producer, <i>Psychopharm Today</i> podcast <a> Hosted by the American Society of Clinical Psychopharmacology	2024 -
OUTREACH, & SCIENCE ADVOCACY	ASCP Early Career Workshop Presentation: Engaging presentation strategies for any audience	2021
	Mental Health Association of Maryland Presentation: Fundamentals of transcranial brain stimulation	2020
	Jewish Social Service Agency Presentation: Basics of brain stimulation devices: What are they and how	2020 w do they work
	Exhibitor, USA Science & Engineering Festival ☑ Event was canceled due to COVID-19	2020
	University of Pennsylvania, Wharton Undergraduate Health Care Club Presentation: Research in mental health treatment	2019
	Judge, MIT Hacking Medicine: DC Grand Hack	2019
	NIH High School Scientific Training and Enrichment Program Presentation: Bioelectricity and brain stimulation	2019
	NIH Take Your Child to Work Day Presentation: How to fool your brain	2019
	UCLA, CruX Neurotech Organization Presentation: Neuromodulation in psychiatry	2019
	University of Pennsylvania, Wharton Undergraduate Health Care Club Presentation: Technology and the future of mental health treatment	2018
	Innovation Leader, Psychiatry Innovation Lab, American Psychiatric Associ	iation 2016
	Duke Translational Medicine Institute, Undergraduate Research Society Presentation: Engineering meets psychiatry	2016
	Duke Psychiatry, Mood Disorders Support and Education Group Presentation: Brain stimulation treatments for severe mood disorders Presentation: New frontiers in treatments for mood disorders	2016 2015
Professional	Mid-Level Leadership Program, NIH	2023
DEVELOPMENT & CONTINUING	Diversity and Inclusion Certificate Program, NIH	2021-2022
EDUCATION	Non-invasive Transcranial Brain Stimulation Course, Danish Research Cen Resonance, Copenhagen University Hospital Hvidovre	tre for Magnetic 2019
	AFNI+SUMA Training Workshop, NIH	2018
	Health Disparities Research Curriculum, Duke Translational Medicine Institu	tute 2015 – 2016
	Tackling the Challenges of Big Data, MIT Professional Education Program	2015
	Clinical Research Training Program, Duke University	2014-2015
	Transcranial magnetic stimulation administration certified, Columbia Universical Center/New York State Psychiatric Institute	rsity Irving Med- 2009
	Basic Life Support, American Heart Association Re	ecertified 2023.07

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