

Faculty Members

The faculty members listed here have worked with undergraduate students in the past. Contact information for them and the complete list of faculty members are available at psychandneuro.duke.edu, “people” tab.



ALISON ADCOCK

Memory, motivation, neuroscience, dopamine.



JOHN BLACKSHEAR

Clinical psychology, trauma, PTSD, forensic psychology, learning differences.



STEVE ASHER

Peer relations, friendship, social competence, loneliness, social cognition.



MELANIE BONNER

Cognitive evaluation/intervention, pediatrics, chronic illness, quality of life.



GARY BENNETT

Obesity, digital health, mHealth, population health, intervention, dissemination.



ROBERTO CABEZA

Brain imaging and stimulation of memory in young and older adults.



ELIKA BERGELSON

Language acquisition, word learning, cognitive development.



AVSHALOM CASPI

Development, epidemiology, genetics, health inequalities, personality.



STACI BILBO

Neuroimmune interactions, environmental neurobiology, microglia biology.



TANYA CHARTRAND

Social cognition, consumer behavior, automaticity, mimicry.





SCOTT COMPTON

Anxiety disorders, CBT, children and adolescents, trichotillomania.



GRAINNE FITZSIMONS

Organizational behavior, social cognition, interpersonal relationships.



GERALDINE DAWSON

Autism, screening/treatment, EEG, digital biomarkers.



MICHAEL GAFFREY

Autism spectrum disorder, mood disorders, preventive intervention.



RUTH DAY

Cognitive science, medical cognition, cognition and law, memory for movement.



SARAH GAITHER

Biracial and social identities, interracial interactions, racial categorizations.



KENNETH DODGE

Development/prevention of aggressive/violent behaviors, connections to policy.



JENNIFER GROH

Perception, vision, hearing, neuroscience, space, brain stimulation.



TOBIAS EGNER

Cognitive control, predictive coding, neuroimaging, neurostimulation, attention.



BRIDGETTE HARD

Psychology of teaching and learning, educational interventions.



GAVAN FITZSIMONS

Consumer behavior and marketing.



RICK HOYLE

Self-regulation, personality, adolescent problem behavior, research methods.



SCOTT HUETTEL

Decision making, behavioral economics, social cognition, executive function, fMRI.



JENNA MCHENRY

Optogenetics, neural circuits, social behavior, steroids and sex differences.



AARON KAY

System justification, religious beliefs, political ideology, attitudes, motivation.



CHRISTINA MEADE

Drug addiction and HIV infection as they impact executive functions.



FRANCIS KEEFFE

Efficacy of cognitive-behavioral treatments for arthritis pain.



TERRIE MOFFITT

Aging, developmental longitudinal cohorts, neuropsychology.



TAMAR KUSHNIR

Children, social choices, moral development.



THOMAS NEWPHER

Synaptic plasticity, learning and memory, neuroscience education.



KEVIN LABAR

Emotion, memory, fear, associative learning, brain imaging, psychophysiology.



MINNA NG

Neuroscience.



ELIZABETH MARSH

Memory, learning, knowledge, metacognition, education.



TOBIAS OVERATH

Perception of sound (including speech & music) in the human brain.



EVE PUFFER

Global/child mental health, family therapy, community-based interventions.



JAMES SHAH

Motivation, goal pursuit, social cognition, self-regulation.



MARTHA PUTALLAZ

Children's social competency/ relationships, parent/peer influences.



MORIA SMOSKI

Mindfulness, emotion regulation/reward processes in psychopathology.



ZACH ROSENTHAL

Emotion regulation, DBT, misophonia, borderline personality disorder.



TIMOTHY STRAUMAN

Self-regulation, depression, translational research.



DAVID RUBIN

Autobiographical memory, PTSD, oral traditions, neural basis of memory.



MICHAEL TOMASELLO

Children, great apes, social cognition, communication, cooperation, social learning.



GREGORY SAMANEZ-LARKIN

Individual/age influence on decision making across the life span.



ROBERT J THOMPSON JR.

Biological and psychosocial influences in human development and learning.



PAUL SELI

Mind wandering, attention, multitasking, cognitive control, creativity.



ANGELA VIETH

Self-regulation, personality, depression.



MAKEBA WILBOURN

Development, gesture, early word learning, socio-cultural factors, cognition/ language.



HENRY YIN

Reward, action, goal learning, habit, basal ganglia, brain, motivation.



CHRISTINA WILLIAMS

Lifestyle factors (e.g., physical activity nutrition,) effect on neural plasticity.



NANCY ZUCKER

Pediatric, adolescent, and adult eating disorders, psychosomatic disorders.



MARTY WOLDORF

Attention, perception, cognitive control, EEG, ERP, fMRI, perceptual awareness.



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