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EDUCATION

B.A. Psychology (Expected Spring 2016)

California State University, Dominguez Hills (CSUDH)
1000 E. Victoria Street, Carson, CA 90747

A.A. Psychology (Spring 2013)

Cerritos College
11110 Alondra Blvd. Norwalk, CA. 90650

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Experimental Psychology

Cognitive Psychology

- Media and Technology
- Memory and Perception
- Learning and Memory

HONORS

(Summer 2015 – Fall 2015) Student Research Fellowship

Supervisor: Cramer R. Cauthen, Ph. D.

Mentor: L. Mark Carrier, Ph. D.

- Paid research assistant position
- Received funds for academic conferences and laboratory supplies
- Attended workshops/seminars

AWARDS

(Spring 2015) 2nd Place Winner

- Behavior and Social Sciences V – 10th Annual Student Research Day at California State University, Dominguez Hills

CURRENT POSITION

(Summer 2014 – Present) Undergraduate Research Assistant

George Marsh Applied Cognition (GMAC) Laboratory
California State University, Dominguez Hills

Mentors: L. Mark Carrier, Ph.D., Larry Rosen, Ph.D., and Nancy Cheever, Ph. D.

- Attended weekly meetings.
- Used SPSS
- Held mock interviews with lab mates and mentors for feedback
- Involved with GRE preparation
- Held mock presentations with lab mates and mentors for feedback

(Summer 2014 – Present) Laboratory Technician

George Marsh Applied Cognition (GMAC) Laboratory
California State University, Dominguez Hills

Mentors: L. Mark Carrier, Ph.D., Larry Rosen, and Ph.D., Lim, A, MA.

- Paid research assistant position
- Attended weekly meetings.
- Attended training for fNIR device
- Recruited participants

(Summer 2014 – Present) Student Worker

Faculty Development Center
California State University, Dominguez Hills
Supervisor: Keisha Paxton, Ph. D.

- Making fliers for future events
- Using excel to add data from previous events.
- Make sign-in sheets for events
- Meet and greet new faculty
- Helped put events together

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Differences in Prefrontal Cortex Activation and Executive Functioning Between Low-Tech and High-Tech Users (Spring 2015 - Present)

L. Mark Carrier, Ph.D., Larry D. Rosen, Ph.D., Lim, A., Odudu, C., Miller, A., O'Brien, K., & Ceja, L.

- Attended project meetings
- Conducted literature review
- Recruited participants
- Transcribed data using SPSS
- Interpreted statistical data
- Collaborated in the creation of oral presentation
- Presented at 10th Annual Student Research Day in California State University, Dominguez Hills

Digital Metacognition: Assessing College Students' Mobile Phone Use (Fall 2014 - Present)

L. Mark Carrier, Ph.D., Larry D. Rosen, Ph.D., Lim, A., Ruiz, A., Ceja, L., & Jacob, J.

- Attended project meetings
- Conducted literature review
- Recruited participants
- Ran participants
- Collected data
- Transcribed data
- Ran and interpreted statistical data
- Collaborated in the creation of oral presentation
- Presented at 10th Annual Student Research Day in California State University, Dominguez Hills

PRESENTATIONS

Miller, A., O'Brien, K., & Ceja, L. (2015) *The Effects of Executive Function and Technology Use On Internet Addiction*. Oral Presentation at Western Psychological Association (WPA) Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada. May 2015.

(Mentors: Carrier, L. M., Rosen, D. L., Lim, A.)

Odudu, C., Miller, A., O'Brien, K., & Ceja, L. (2015) *Differences in Prefrontal Cortex Activation and Executive Functioning Between Low-Tech and High-Tech Users*. Oral Presentation at Student Research Day in California State University, Dominguez Hills. February 2015.

(Mentors: Carrier, L. M., Rosen, D. L., Lim, A.)

Ruiz, A., Rosen, L., Ceja, L., & Jacob, J. (2015) *Smart Use of Smart Phones? The Role of Metacognition on University Students' Text Messaging Behavior*. Oral Presentation at Student Research Day in California State University, Dominguez Hills. February 2015.

(Mentors: Carrier, L. M., Rosen, D. L., Lim, A.)

Ceja, L., Ceja, J., Romero, K., Uranda, D., Prado, J., & Saucedo, V. (2014) *Visual Distraction Affects Task Performance*. Poster Presentation at Cerritos College for Psychology Day. April 2014.

(Professor: Duff, K.)

TEACHING ASSISTANT EXPERIENCE

Spring 2015 Teaching Assistant

Critical Thinking and Problem Solving – PSY 110

CSUDH: Department of Psychology

Supervisor: Aimee Miller, M.A.

- Answered students' questions via email.

- Maintained, recorded, and organized class grades on excel

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

Spring, 2015 – Present

Western Psychological Association (WPA) Student Member

Fall 2014 – Present

American Psychological Association (APA) Undergraduate Student Affiliate

MEDIA COVERAGE

Browning, P. (February 18, 2015) California State University, Dominguez Hills (CSUDH) Front Page Campus Center “Student Research Day caps off decade of consistent growth, student achievement”

<http://www.csudhnews.com/2015/02/2015-student-research-day/>

ADDITIONAL SKILLS & TRAINING

Bilingual English and Spanish (speaking, writing, & reading)

Basic Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)

Lectured in a large class

Researcher

Researched articles for literature review

Basic SPSS

Scanned Surveys using Remark Optimal Mark Recognition

Strong Organizational Skills

Trained to use fNIR device

RELEVANT COURSE WORK

Cal State University, Dominguez Hills:

- Psy. 330	Intermediate Statistics	(Fall 2014)	
- Psy. 305	History Systems in Psychology	(Fall 2014)	
- Psy. 350	Child Psychology	(Fall 2014)	Elective
- Psy. 498	Directed Research	(Fall 2014)	Elective
- Psy. 351	Adolescent Psychology	(Spring 2015)	Elective
- Psy. 314	Behavior Modification	(Spring 2015)	Elective

- Psy. 498	Directed Research	(Spring 2015)	
	Elective		
- Psy. 331	Measurements	(Completed after Fall 2015)	
- Psy. 340	Social Psychology	(Completed after Fall 2015)	Elective
- Psy. 360	Abnormal Psychology	(Completed after Fall 2015)	Elective
- Psy. 490	Senior Seminar	(Completed after Fall 2015)	
- Psy. 494	Independent Study	(Completed after Fall 2015)	
- Psy. 415/416	Cognitive Pairs (Lab)	(Completed after Spring 2016)	
- Psy. 498	Directed Research	(Spring 2015)	Elective

Cerritos College:

-Psy. 101	Introduction to Psychology	(Spring 2012)
-Psy. 150	Personal Adjustments	(Spring 2012)
-Psy. 210	Elementary to Statistics	(Spring 2013)
-Psy. 103	Critical Thinking in Psychology	(Spring 2013)
-Psy. 220	Research Methods	(Fall 2013)
-Psy. 271	Abnormal Psychology	(Fall 2013)

REFERENCESL. Mark Carrier, Ph.D.

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