DEPARTMENT NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Penny Pexman who was recently elected to the Governing Board of the Psychonomic Society!

UNDERGRADUATE CORNER

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Are you interested in gaining some volunteer experience working in a private psychology practice? We are looking for an undergraduate psychology student interested in doing six to eight hours of volunteer work per week for a 6 to 12-month commitment. We are a group of psychologists who specialize in personal and career counselling, as well as industrial/organizational psychology. Our firms are:

- Calgary Career Counselling (www.calgarycareercoaching.com)
- Synthesis Psychology (www.synthesispsychology.com)
- Leadership Success Group (www.leadershipsuccesgroup.com)

Our office is in the heart of trendy Kensington and we offer the opportunity to work with a great team of people as you assist with general office administration, assessments, editing, research and marketing for our firms. We are looking for a motivated, professional and detail-oriented student who has experience in an office environment. This could lead into a paid part-time position for the right candidate.

Interested? Please send your cover letter and resume by email to:
Maureen Stenning, Office Manager

ALBERTA CHILDREN’S PAIN RESEARCH LAB IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

We are looking for volunteer Research Assistants to help us with the novel research at the ABC Pain Research Lab (www.abcpainresearch.com) based in the dynamic clinical milieu of the Alberta Children’s Hospital. We are currently conducting two studies examining acute and chronic pain in pediatric populations. The Lab is led by Dr. Melanie Noel, the leading expert in the area of children's memories for pain.

This would be a great opportunity for anyone interested in clinical and health psychology. The position will include assistance with data collection and narrative transcription for 6 hours/week. The hours are flexible and can be completed at any point throughout the week. There will be opportunities for advancement and growth. To apply, please email your CV (including your current GPA) and a cover letter to Jaimie at jaimie.beveridge@ucalgary.ca

PARTICIPANTS NEEDED

Hello! I am a third year psychology student at the University of Calgary and I was recently granted a DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) RISE Research Fellowship. I have been working at the University of Koblenz-Landau, Germany all summer. We are currently recruiting participants for a short 10-minute online study on situations described in articles. We could really use YOUR
help to finish this project!

Study Title and Description: How would YOU react? Read short fictional articles about a situation. Then you are asked for your opinion to rate possible reactions to what was described in the article. This study will take you approximately 10 minutes. This study adheres to the ethical guidelines of the German Research Foundation.

Link to study: https://www.cognition.uni-landau.de/sosci/MT-KT-2017-08c/

RESEARCH NOTES AND ACTIVITIES

GRANTS AWARDED
Dimitropoulos, G., Madigan, S., Alaggia, R., An Inquiry into the perceived knowledge, confidence, and capacity of Northern Alberta providers to identify and respond to child sexual abuse imagery online. University Research Grants Committee ($15,000)

Pexman, P. M. & Curtin, S.: SSHRC Insight Development Grant “Investigating the Origins of Sound Symbolism in Infancy” ($74,904)


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