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Curriculum Vitae

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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. School of Psychology, University of Birmingham, UK, 2017  
M.A. Department of Psychology, Long Island University, C.W. Post, 2009  
B.A. Department of Psychology, State University of New York, Binghamton, 2006

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- July 2018 T32 Postdoctoral Research Fellowship in Schizophrenia and Psychotic Disorders,  
Department of Psychiatry, Columbia University

## PUBLICATIONS

### Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- Submitted **Ashinoff BK**, Mayhew S, and Mevorach C., The Same, but Different: Preserved Distractor Suppression in Old Age is Implemented through an Age-Specific Reactive Ventral Fronto-Parietal Network. For *Human Brain Mapping*
- 2019 **Ashinoff BK** and Abu-Akel A., Hyperfocus: The Forgotten Frontier of Attention. *Psychological Research*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00426-019-01245-8>
- 2019 **Ashinoff BK**, Tsal Y, and Mevorach C., Age Related Differences in the Attentional White Bear. *Psychonomic Bulletin and Review*. <https://doi.org/10.3758/s13423-019-01622-9>
- 2019 **Ashinoff BK**, Geng J, and Mevorach C., Delayed Reactive Distractor Suppression in Aging Populations. *Psychology and Aging*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/pag0000336>
- 2017 Roberts M, **Ashinoff BK**, Castellanos FX, and Carrasco M., When attention is intact in adults with ADHD. *Psychonomic Bulletin and Review*. <https://doi.org/10.3758/s13423-017-1407-4>
- 2014 **Ashinoff BK.**, The potential of video games as a pedagogical tool. *Frontiers in Psychology*. 5:1109. doi: 10.3389/fpsyg.2014.01109
- 2014 Bisoglio J, Michaels TI, Mervis JE and **Ashinoff BK.**, Cognitive enhancement through action video game training: great expectations require greater evidence. *Frontiers in Psychology*. 5:136. doi: 10.3389/fpsyg.2014.00136

- 2013 Moher J, **Ashinoff BK** and Egeth HE., Detection is unaffected by the deployment of focal attention. *Frontiers in Psychology*. 4:284. doi: 10.3389/fpsyg.2013.00284

### **In Preparation**

**Ashinoff BK**, Geng J, and Mevorach C., The Role of the Left TPJ during Reactive Saliency Suppression.

**Ashinoff BK**, Yeshurun Y, and Mevorach C., Assessing Proactive and Reactive Control in Aging with the New Ax-Global/Local Task.

Kaufman L and **Ashinoff BK.**, On the interaction of disparity and interposition.

### **FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS**

- 2016 Postgraduate Research Committee Travel Grant Award, University of Birmingham
- 2016 Grindley Grant for Conference Attendance, The Experimental Psychology Society
- 2015 - 2016 The Richard Fenwick Postgraduate Central University Scholarship, University of Birmingham
- 2015 School of Psychology Teaching Fellow, University of Birmingham
- 2013 - 2015 The Steven Kovacs Scholarship, Healthplex
- 2009 Masters Level Achievement Award, Long Island University, C.W. Post
- 2006 Distinguished Independent Research in Psychology, SUNY Binghamton

### **CONFERENCE ACTIVITY**

#### **Talks**

- June 2014 The Positive Effects of Video Games on Cognition, Education, and Social Behavior. e-Mind Conference; University of Birmingham, UK

#### **Posters**

- May 2018 Mevorach C, **Ashinoff BK**, Mayhew SD. Age-mediated parietal contribution to saliency suppression. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, St. Pete's Beach, FL.
- May 2017 Mevorach C, Spaniol M, Green R, **Ashinoff BK**, Fellow A, Parker N, and Abu-Akel A. Increased Preceuneus deactivation as a possible mechanism for enhanced preparatory suppression in people with high expression of autistic traits. Annual Meeting of the Vision Science Society, St. Pete's Beach, FL.
- May 2017 Roberts M, **Ashinoff BK**, Castellanos FX, and Carrasco M. Endogenous and Exogenous Covert Attention are Functionally Intact in Adults with ADHD. Annual Meeting of the Vision Science Society, St. Pete's Beach, FL.

- June 2016      **Ashinoff BK**, Mayhew S, and Mevorach C. The Role of the Left Intraparietal Sulcus in Age Related Impairments in Non-Spatial Saliency Suppression. Annual Meeting of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping, Geneva, CH.
- May 2016      **Ashinoff BK**, Geng J, Rahman F, Carruthers C, Maler D, and Mevorach C. The Contribution of the Left Posterior Parietal Cortex to Proactive and Reactive Cognitive Control. Annual Meeting of the Vision Science Society, St. Pete's Beach, FL.
- August 2015    **Ashinoff BK**, Roberts M, Castellanos FX, and Carrasco M. Exogenous Spatial Attention in Adults with ADHD is Intact. European Conference on Visual Perception, Liverpool, UK.
- November 2010    **Ashinoff BK**, Folk C, and Egeth H. Defining the Scope of Singleton Search. Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Boston, MA.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **University of Birmingham, Teaching Assistant**

- Research Methods A & B (Fall/Spring 2014)
- Introduction to Social Psychology (Fall 2014; Fall 2015)
- Visual Illusions (Fall 2013; Fall 2014; Fall 2015)
- Perception and Attention (Fall 2014; Fall 2015)
- Computer Use (Fall 2015)
- The Birmingham Project (Summer 2015)
- Brain Damage and Ageing in the Attentional System (Spring 2016)

### **New York University, Teaching Assistant**

- Research Methods and Experience (Spring 2013) – *Masters Level Course*

### **Johns Hopkins University, Teaching Assistant**

- Positive Psychology (Spring 2010; Fall 2010)
- Psychology in the Workplace (Spring 2011)

### **Long Island University, C.W. Post, Sole Instructor**

- Introduction to Statistics (Spring 2009)

### **Long Island University, C.W. Post, Teaching Assistant**

- Introduction to Psychology 2 (Fall 2008)
- Psychological Statistics (Spring 2008)

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

- 2012 – 2013    Research Assistant, Department of Psychology, New York University, New York, NY. Advisor: Marisa Carrasco

2009 – 2011 Research Assistant, Department of Psychological and Brain Science,  
Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD. Advisor: Howard Egeth

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

### **To Profession**

Outreach and Communications Committee Member, Columbia University Postdoc Society,  
Columbia University, 2019

Graduate Student Representative, School of Psychology's Staff/Student Liaison Committee,  
University of Birmingham, 2015-2016

Postgraduate Representative, College of Life and Environmental Science's Postgraduate  
Research Committee, University of Birmingham, 2015-2016

Doctoral Student Representative, Center for Learning and Academic Development Participant  
Liaison Group, University of Birmingham, 2014

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Game Designer/Content Developer, Monclarity, May 2012 – September 2013

Neuropsychology Intern, Private Practice, 2012

## **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

Associate Fellow of the Higher Education Academy, 2014 – Present

New York Academy of Sciences, 2019 - Present

Organization for Human Brain Mapping, 2016

Vision Sciences Society, 2010, 2016

Psi Chi, International Honor Society in Psychology, 2003 – Present

## **REFERENCES**

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