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EDUCATION

PhD Johns Hopkins University June 2021
Cognitive Science
Advisors: Dr. Michael Bonner, Dr. Brenda Rapp, Dr. Soojin Park

MA Johns Hopkins University June 2018
Cognitive Science

BEng Tsinghua University July 2015
Aerospace Engineering and Engineering Mechanics

EXPERIENCE

Visiting Assistant Professor Sep 2022-Present
Cognitive Science Department at Johns Hopkins University

Postdoctoral Research Fellow Sep 2021-Aug 2022
Cognitive Science Department at Johns Hopkins University
Supervisors: Dr. Soojin Park, Dr. Michael McCloskey

Summer Research Intern July 2014-September 2014
Psychology Department at Rice University
Supervisors: Dr. Simon Fischer-Baum, Dr. Randi Martin

Summer Intern July 2012-September 2014
Hong Kong Civil Aviation Department

PUBLICATIONS

Li, S. P. D. & Bonner, M. (in review). Tuning in scene-preferring cortex for mid-level visual features gives rise to selectivity across multiple levels of stimulus complexity.

Li, S. P. D., Lu, Z., Shao, J., McCloskey, M & Park, S. (in prep). A scene with an invisible wall - the role of navigational experience in visual scene perception.

Li, S. P. D., Lu, Z., McCloskey, M & Park, S. (in prep). Distinct contributions of visual cues to navigability judgement of scenes in human brain and behaviour.

Li, S. P. D. & Bonner, M. (2020). Curvature as an Organizing Principle of Mid-level Visual Representation: A Semantic-preference Mapping Approach. Proceedings of NeurIPS workshop on Shared Visual Representation in Human & Machine Intelligence.

Li, S. P. D., Law, S. P., Lau, K. Y. D., & Rapp, B. (2020). Functional orthographic units in Chinese character reading: Are there abstract radical identities?. *Psychonomic Bulletin & Review*, 1-14.

Fischer-Baum, S., Bruggemann, D., Gallego, I. F., **Li, D. S.**, & Tamez, E. R. (2017). Decoding levels of representation in reading: A representational similarity approach. *Cortex*, 90, 88-102.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Vision Research Travel Award	2021
Technology Fellowship Grants, JHU	2018
Lee Shau-Keel Scholarships, Tsinghua University	2011-2015
Full Tuition and stipend awarded for undergraduate study in Tsinghua University	
Undergraduate Overseas Research Training Program	2014

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Interpretable Neural Network Models of Visual Cortex – A Scattering Transform Approach. **Li, D.S.P.**, Michael F. Bonner. Cognitive Computational Neuroscience, 2022

Interpretable Neural Network Models of the Visual Cortex: A Scattering Transform Approach. **Li, D. S. P.**, Michael Bonner. Vision Science Society, 2022

Deep neural network models of visual cortex reveal curvature and real-world size as organizing principles of mid-level representation. **Li, D. S. P.**, Michael Bonner. Vision Science Society, 2021

A scene with an invisible wall-the role of navigational experience in visual scene perception. Park, S., **Li, D. S. P.**, Shao, J., Lu, Z., McCloskey, M. Vision Science Society, 2020

Changes in functional connectivity between the left fusiform gyrus and the right hemisphere homologues of the orthographic processing network in acquired dysgraphia. **Li, D. S. P.**, Tao, Y., Rapp, B. Academy of Aphasia, Macau, 2019

A scene with an invisible wall-Does navigation experience influence scene perception? **Li, D. S. P.**, Lu, Z., Park, S., Vision Science Society, 2019

Neural substrate of visual navigation cue integration. **Li, D.S.** , Lu, Z., Park, S. Society for Neuroscience, San Diego, CA, 2018

Functional orthographic units in Chinese character reading: Are there abstract radical representations. **Li, D.S.** & Rapp, B. Psychonomic Society, Vancouver, DC, 2017

TEACHING

Instructor, Visual Cognition, JHU. Fall 2022

Instructor, Cognitive Neuroscience, JHU. Spring 2019

Teaching assistant, Cognitive Neuropsychology of Visual Perception, JHU. Spring 2021

Guest Lecture, Virtual Reality App Development, JHU. Intersession 2018

Teaching assistant, Probabilistic Model of the Visual Cortex, JHU. Fall 2017

Teaching assistant, Cognitive Neuroscience, JHU. Spring 2017, 2018, 2021

Teaching assistant, Cognition, JHU. Fall 2016

Teaching assistant, Introduction to Cognitive Neuropsychology, JHU. Fall 2015

SERVICE

Peer Review

Behavior Research Method

NeurIPS 2021 Workshop SVRHM

Cognitive Computational Neuroscience