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Educational History

University of Oregon	Ph.D.	1994	Psychology (cognitive)
Dissertation: Neural systems of visual target detection: Human event-related potential studies. (Advisors: Tucker, DM, Posner, MI)			
University of Oregon	MS	1991	Psychology
University of Oregon	BA	1989	Psychology (magna cum laude)

Professional Positions

8/10 - present	Associate Professor of Psychology University of South Florida, Department of Psychology
9/12 – 8/13	Visiting Professor University of Arizona, Department of Psychology
8/06- 7/10	Assistant Professor of Psychology University of South Florida, Department of Psychology
7/98-6/06	Assistant Professor of Psychology Rice University, Department of Psychology
7/97-6/98	Instructor of Psychology Harvard Medical School, Department of Psychiatry
9/96-6/97	Clinical Fellow in Psychology Harvard Medical School, Department of Psychiatry

9/94-8/96 Clinical Research Training Fellow
Harvard Medical School, Department of Psychiatry

9/94 – 6/98 Research Associate

NIH RO1 DA14073: ERP studies of neural systems of salience evaluation; 6/01-11/05;
(Potts: PI)

NARSAD Young Investigators Award: The Visual N2b Deficit in Schizophrenia as an
Index of Disruption in Communication Between Posterior Systems of Stimulus
Representation and Frontal Systems of Attention; \$59,816 (Potts, PI)

NSF: Web-based multimedia textbook in the behavioral neurosciences. (D. Lane, PI;
Potts: co-investigator)

Livingston Award, Harvard Medical School: An ERP Study of Spatial and Object
selection in Schizophrenia; \$10,000 (Potts, PI)

NIH RO1

Learning & Memory
Neuropsychologia
Neuroreport
Neuroscience Letters
Perceptual & Motor Skills
Personality and Individual Differences
Psychophysiology
Schizophrenia Bulletin
Social, Affective, and Cognitive Neuroscience

Educational Activities

Courses Taught

Abnormal Behavior (undergrad)
Biopsychology/Physiological Psychology/ Brain Mechanisms of Behavior
(undergrad & grad)
Learning and Memory (undergrad & grad)
Perception (undergrad & grad)
The Nature of Emotion Seminar (undergrad & graduate)
Methods in Cognitive Neuroscience (graduate)
Topics in Neuroscience Seminar (graduate)

Research Supervision

William Watson: USF Psychology Honors, “Personality and Brain Activity in Social Poker Players” (medical student, New York Medical College, Valhalla NY)

Neha Pandit: USF Psychology Honors, “Cue Reactivity in Smokers: An ERP Study”

Melissa Silva: USF Honors “Impulsivity and Error Monitoring” (currently medical student, University of South Florida)

Michelle Rogers: USF Psychology Honors, “Impulsivity and the Reward System: Negative and Positive Urgency are Associated with Neural Reward Sensitivity” (The George Washington University, Candidate, Master of Public Health in Health Promotion)

Andrew Vieira: USF Honors, “Neural Response to Aversive and Appetitive Stimuli in Anxiety and Depression” (starting Vanderbilt School of Medicine, Fall 2020)

Steven Ford: “Independent Effects of Reward on Attention” (In psychology graduate school at UCF)

Kallen Hager: “

Deyar Asmaro (Simon Fraser University, Clinical Psychology, Outside Member)

John Correa (USF, Clinical Psychology)

Sara 'Leilani' Kellogg (USF, Cognitive Neural Social Psychology)

Andrea Ranieri (USF, Cognitive Neural Social Psychology)

Ke Tong (USF, Cognitive Neural Social Psychology)

Ben Luongo (Interdisciplinary Global Studies; defense external chair)

Isabel Taake (Psychology, Simon Fraser University, external member)

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NIH conflict-of-interest review panel (ZRG1 RPHB-A 02 M: Risk Prevention and Health Behavior)

NIH special emphasis panel (ZDA1 SXC-E 03: Behavioral Pharmacology and Genetics: Translating and Targeting Individual Differences)

NIH special emphasis panel (ZDA1 KXH-C 07): Brain Imaging of

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