

Development, Experience and Neurocognition Lab

Volunteer Research Assistant Application

Climb into the D.E.N. and join the pack! Please send your completed application to Dr. Ece Demir-Lira (ece-demirlira@uiowa.edu) along with a copy of your resume and an unofficial transcript.

Name:

Email:

Current class standing (e.g., freshman):

Major(s):

Minor(s):

Cumulative GPA:

Please provide short answers (1-4 sentences) to the questions below.

Work Experience

1. What previous research experience have you had, and how have you learned from this? This could include stimulus development, experimental design, standardized testing, experimental data collection, data management and/or summarization.
2. Do you have experience working with children and families? If so, please describe the age of the children you have worked with, and in what capacity.
3. Please describe any data analysis, programming or image processing experience you have.
4. Are you involved with any clubs or organization (such as volunteer work, sports, or student groups)? Do you have any relevant work experience? If so, please describe your responsibilities/participation in these activities.

Interests

1. What specific research interests you in the Developmental, Experience and Neurocognition Lab (please see demir-lira.lab.uiowa.edu), and why are you motivated to join the lab?
2. How is your previous course work relevant to research in the lab? This could include classes in the areas of neuroscience, cognition, language, learning and development, among others.
3. What are your goals after graduation?

Work Ethic

1. What do you think you can contribute to our research team?
2. What is the most challenging experience you've had in a work/school setting?

Availability

1. When would you like to start and how long of a research experience are you looking for?
2. What is your general availability to come to the lab? Are you able to work some evenings or weekends?

Thank you for your interest in the D.E.N.!