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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Psychology** **Sep 2022 – In Progress**
University of Denver (DU), Denver, CO
 ◦ Concentration: Affective, Social, & Cognitive (ASC) Psychology
 ◦ Specialization: Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience (DCN)
 ◦ Advisors: Peter Sokol-Hessner, Ph.D. & Kimberly Chiew, Ph.D.
- B.A. Psychology with Departmental Honors (Magna Cum Laude)** **Jun 2020**
California State University, San Bernardino (CSUSB), San Bernardino, CA
 ◦ Mentor: Hideya Koshino, Ph.D.
- A.A. Social and Behavioral Science | Fine and Applied Arts (Great Distinction)** **Jun 2018**
Riverside City College (RCC), Riverside, CA

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- STEM Mentor (Summer Research Program, RCC)** **Jun – Jul 2023**
 ◦ PI: Marc Wolpoff, Ph.D.
- Graduate Research Assistant (Sokol-Hessner Lab, DU)** **Sep 2022 – Present**
 ◦ PI: Peter Sokol-Hessner, Ph.D.
- Graduate Research Assistant (Motivation, Affect, & Cognition Lab, DU)** **Sep 2022 – Present**
 ◦ PI: Kimberly Chiew, Ph.D.
- Research Assistant (Center for Decision Research, Chicago Booth)** **Oct 2021 – Jul 2022**
 ◦ PI: Various Chicago Booth Faculty
- STEM Mentor (STEM en familia, RCC)** **Jun 2021, Jun 2022**
 ◦ PI: Marc Wolpoff, Ph.D.
- Research Assistant (STEM en familia, RCC)** **Jun – Jul 2020**
 ◦ PI: Marc Wolpoff, Ph.D.
- Honors Student Researcher (Learning Research Institute, CSUSB)** **Sep 2019 – Jun 2020**
 ◦ PI: Hideya Koshino, Ph.D.
- Research Assistant (Learning Research Institute, CSUSB)** **May 2019 – Jul 2022**
 ◦ PI: Hideya Koshino & Robert Ricco
- Student Researcher (Research Methods in Psychology, RCC)** **Aug – Dec 2017**
 ◦ PI: Marc Wolpoff, Ph.D.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Graduate Teaching Assistant (DU)**
- Research Methods **Apr – Jun 2024**
 - Social Psychology **Jan – Mar 2024**
 - Introduction to Statistics **Apr – Jun 2023**

PUBLICATIONS

- Ricco, R., **Monteza, J.V.**, Bonsel, J., Perez, A., De Leon, R., Koshino, H. (under review). Analytical thinkers adopt a skeptical stance toward invited inferences in conditional reasoning. *Thinking & Reasoning*.
- Ricco, R. B., Koshino, H., Bonsel, J., **Monteza, J.V.**, & Ware, S. (2023). Implicit and explicit processing on base rate neglect problems. *Quarterly Journal of Experimental Psychology*, 76(12), 2665-2679.
- Ricco, R. B., Koshino, H., Sierra, A. N., Bonsel, J., **Monteza, J. V.**, & Owens, D. (2020). Individual differences in analytical thinking and complexity of inference in conditional reasoning. *Thinking & Reasoning*, 27(3), 319-349.

PRESENTATIONS

- Sosa, B., De Leon, R., Perez, A.R., **Monteza, J.V.R.**, Bonsel, J., Koshino, H., & Ricco, R. (2024, April). *Autistic Traits are Linked to More Logical Responding on Conditional Reasoning Tasks*. Poster presented at the 2024 Western Psychological Association Conference, San Francisco, CA.
- Monteza, J.V.R.**, Rini, A., Brooks, H.R., Sokol-Hessner, P., & Chiew, K. S. (2024, April). *Temporal Dynamics of Effort in Easy and Difficult Risky Decision-making*. Talk given at the Affective, Social, & Cognitive Psychology Brown Bag, Denver, CO.
- Sokol-Hessner, P., **Monteza, J.V.R.**, Rini, A., Chiew, K.S. (2024, March). *Trying to make a choice: Individual differences in the experience of effort during risky monetary decision-making*. Talk given at the Society for Affective Science Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- Ricco, R., De Leon, R., Perez, A.R., **Monteza, J.V.R.**, Bonsel-Riley, J., Koshino, H. (2023, November). *Analytical thinking, counterexample generation, and the adoption of a skeptical stance in evaluating conditional arguments*. Poster presented at the 64th Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, San Francisco, CA.
- Monteza, J.V.R.**, Rini, A.H., Brooks, H.R., Sokol-Hessner, P., & Chiew, K. (2023, June). *The Role of Cognitive Capacity in Easy and Difficult Choices in Risky Monetary Decision-Making*. Talk given at the Affective, Social, & Cognitive Psychology Brown Bag, Denver, CO.
- Wolpoff, M., **Monteza, J.V.**, Larson, R. (2023, April). *Impact of COVID-19 pandemic on relations between personality traits and life satisfaction, happiness, and gratitude*. Poster presented at the 2023 Western Psychological Association Conference, Riverside, CA.
- Perez, A., **Monteza, J.V.**, Bonsel, J., De Leon, R., Anaya, A., Lopez, M., Koshino, H., & Ricco, R. (2023, April). *Association between autistic-like traits and an analytical orientation in conditional reasoning*. Poster presented at the 2023 Western Psychological Association Conference, Riverside, CA.
- Monteza, J.V.R.**, Bonsel, J., Perez, A.R., De Leon, R., Koshino, H., & Ricco, R. (2022, November). *Analytical thinking and the generation of disablers and alternative antecedents in conditional reasoning*. Poster presented at the 63rd Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Boston, MA.
- Monteza, J.V.**, Bonsel, J., Perez, A.R., De Leon, R., Koshino, H., & Ricco, R. (2022, April). *Analytical thinking and the generation of antecedents and disablers in conditional*

reasoning. Poster presented at the 2022 Western Psychological Association Conference, Portland, OR

Monteza, J.V., Ricco, R., Bonsel, J., & Koshino, H. (2021, November). *The effects of inference complexity and instructional set on conditional reasoning*. Talk given at the Center for Decision Research, Research Assistant Presentations, Virtual.

Ricco, R., **Monteza, J.V.**, Bonsel, J., & Koshino, H. (2021, November). *The effects of inference complexity and instructional set on conditional reasoning*. Poster presented at the 62nd Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Virtual.

Bonsel, J., Ware, S., **Monteza, J.V.**, Koshino, H., & Ricco, R. (2021, April). *Complexity of inference in conditional reasoning*. Poster presented at the 2021 Western Psychological Association Conference, Virtual.

Ricco, R., Bonsel, J., **Monteza, J.V.**, Owens, D., Sierra, A. N., & Koshino, H. (2020, November). *Analytical thinking and complexity of inference in conditional reasoning*. Poster presented at the 61st Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Virtual.

Bonsel, J., **Monteza, J.V.**, Owens, D., Ricco, R., & Koshino, H. (2020, October). *Dual processes in conditional reasoning*. Poster presented at the Western Psychological Association 100th Anniversary Convention, Virtual.

Monteza, J.V., & Koshino, H. (2020, May). *The Effects of trait-anxiety, working memory capacity, and mood on visual short-term memory*. Poster presented at the CSUSB 9th Annual “Meeting of the Minds” Student Research Symposium, Virtual.

Monteza, J.V. (2017, December). *Effects of visual aid on task completion*. Poster presented at the RCC Research Methods in Psychology Poster Presentations, Riverside, CA.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

International Association for Metacognition (IAM)	Oct 2021 - Present
Academy of Neuroscience for Architecture (ANFA)	Aug 2021 - 2022
Cognitive Science Society (CSS)	Feb 2021 – 2022
Australian Music and Psychology Society (AMPS)	Jan 2021 – Present
Western Psychological Association (WPA)	Oct 2020 – 2023
Phi Kappa Phi	May 2020 – Apr 2021
Psi Chi	May 2019 – Present

HONORS & AWARDS

DU

Scientific Research Network on Decision Neuroscience & Aging (SRNDNA)	
o 2024 SRNDNA Computational Modeling Workshop – Travel Award	Apr 2024
o 2024 SRNDNA Computational Modeling Workshop – Applicant (1 of 24)	Apr 2024
National Science Foundation (NSF)	
o Graduate Research Student Fellowship (GRFP) – Honorable Mention	Apr 2024

CSUSB

Services to Students with Disabilities (SSD) Certificate of Appreciation	Feb 2020
CSUSB HACU Annual Conference Award	Jul 2019
Dorothy Inghram Textbook Scholarship	May 2019

Student Assistance in Learning (SAIL) Certificate of Excellence	May 2019
Yotie Drinkz Chalkboard Art Winner	Apr 2019
Presidential Letter	Spr 2019; Fal 2019
SAIL Honor Roll	Fal 2018, 2019; Win 2019, 2020; Spr 2019, 2020
Dean's Letter	Fal 2018, 2019; Win 2019, Spr 2019
Dean's List	Fal 2018, 2019; Win 2019; Spr 2019, 2020
RCC	
Student Honors Art Exhibition	May 2017, 2018
Dean's Honor List	Spr 2016, 2017, 2018; Fal 2016, 2017

EXTRACURRICULAR & VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCES

DU, Denver, Colorado	
Diversity, Inclusion, & Civic Engagement (DICE)	
o Member	Sep 2022 – Present
embRACE	
o Member	Sep 2022 – Present
CSUSB, San Bernardino, California	
The Coyote Network	
o Alumni Mentor	Jan 2021 - Present
Orientation and First Year Experience (OFYE)	
o Member, Chancellor's Grant Reapplication Meeting	Mar 2020
o Guest Speaker, First-Generation Student Welcome Reception	Oct 2019
Psychology Honors Program	
o Member, Social Committee	Sep 2019 – Jun 2020
SSD	
o Note Taker, Advanced Seminar: Social Psychology	Sep – Dec 2019
Educational Talent Search (ETS) TRIO Program	
o Keynote Speaker, Senior Recognition Ceremony	<i>*Cancelled due to COVID-19*</i>
o Volunteer, Puente Student Leadership Conference	<i>*Cancelled due to winds/fires*</i>
o Volunteer, Fall Kick-Off	Sep 2019
o Volunteer, Senior Recognition Ceremony	May 2019
Office of Student Research (OSR)	
o Usher & Clean Up, Keynote Speaker Event	May 2019
o Room Coordinator, 8 th Annual "Meeting of the Minds" Student Research Symposium	May 2019
o Set Up Crew, Faculty Research and Creative Activities Recognition	May 2019
Psychology Club	
o Tabler, Jane Elliot: Race and Racism	Apr 2019
o Member	Apr 2019 – Jun 2020
Women's Resource Center (WRC)	
o Stagehand & Usher, Vagina Monologues Play	Mar 2019
SAIL TRIO Program	

- o Assistant, Half-time Kickoff **Cancelled due to COVID-19**
 - o Peer Mentor **Sep 2019 – Mar 2020**
 - o Facilitator, Spring Workshop **Cancelled due to COVID-19**
 - o Assistant, Winter Group Advising Session **Feb 2020**
 - o Tabler, Coyote Advising One Stop **Oct 2019**
 - o First-Gen Peer Mentor Panelist, New Student Orientation **Sep 2019**
 - o Facilitator, Interactive Writing Workshops **Jun – Jul 2019**
 - o First Generation Group
 - o Coordinator **Sep – Dec 2019**
 - o Member **Jan 2019 – Jun 2020**
 - o Volunteer, Coyote Cares Day **Apr 2019**
 - o Facilitator, Myers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI) Workshop **Feb 2019**
 - o MBTI Guest Speaker, Half-time Kickoff **Feb 2019**
 - o Ambassador **Oct 2018 – Jun 2019**
 - o Tabler, Coyote Advising One Stop **May 2019**
 - o Student Panelist, Upward Bound Math and Science Program **Feb 2019**
- University of California, Riverside (UCR), Riverside, California**
 California Agriculture and Food Enterprise (CAFÉ)
- o Illustrator, International Organization of Citrus Virologists (IOCV) XXI and International Research Conference on Huanglongbing (IRHLB) VI Joint Conference **Mar 2019**
 - o Illustrator, Wedges Against Global Hunger in 2050 Conference **Jan 2019**
- RCC, Riverside, California**
 Research Methods in Psychology
- o Guest Speaker **Jun 2020**
- STEM en familia
- o Student Panelist, STEM Panel Workshop **Mar 2019**
 - o Guest Speaker, STEM en familia Dinner **Jan 2019**
- Intramural Speech Competition
- o Participant **Nov 2017**