

Amanda Delgado

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- Fall 2020 to Present University of Delaware, DE
PhD in Education | Specialization: Learning Sciences
Advisor: Roberta Golinkoff
- Fall 2015 to Fall 2018 Florida International University, FL
Bachelor of Arts | Honors College | Magna Cum Laude
Double Major: Psychology and Interdisciplinary Studies
Honor's Thesis: *Individual Differences in Adults' Intersensory Processing Predict Performance on Standardized Cognitive Tests*

AWARDS & HONORS

- Spring 2020 **University Graduate Scholars Award, University of Delaware**
Spring 2020 **McKnight Doctoral Fellowship Program Awardee**
Fall 2018 **Phi Beta Kappa, Florida International University**
Summer 2018 **International Congress of Infant Studies (ICIS) Travel Award**
Fall 2015 to Fall 2018 **Florida Medallion Scholarship**
Fall 2015 to Fall 2018 **FIU Gold and Blue Achievement Award**
Fall 2015 to Fall 2018 **Dean's List (every semester)**

PROFESSIONAL & RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Dec. 2018 to Aug. 2020 **Post-Baccalaureate Research Assistant | Infant Development Lab**
Florida International University | Miami, FL
Primary Investigator: Dr. Lorraine E. Bahrck
- Conduct data collection
 - Complete data management and preliminary data analysis tasks for several of the lab's NIH funded studies on multisensory development
 - Oversee training of undergraduate research assistants
 - Create and edit protocols
 - Administer and score standardized assessments
 - Oversee scheduling, training, data collections, and data management for the lab's study on adult intersensory perception
 - Collaborate with community organizations to recruit participants
 - Create and organize surveys and data on an online platform designed for questionnaire construction
- May 2018 to Dec. 2018 **Research Assistant | Linguistics, English Department**
Florida International University | Miami, FL
Primary Investigator: Dr. Mehmet Yavas
- Translated study material from English to Spanish
 - Created study material in Spanish
 - Performed data management tasks

- Measured Spanish phonemes using a speech analysis computer program
- Prepared and edited study presentations

May 2017 to July 2017

May 2018 to July 2018

Research Assistant/Counselor | Brave Bunch Summer Treatment Program

Florida International University | Miami, FL

Director: Dr. Jami Furr

- Worked one-on-one with children with Selective Mutism in a mock classroom setting under supervision of trained clinicians
- Learned and practiced treatment skills used to encourage spontaneous speech
- Aided clinicians with conducting baseline observation tasks

March 2017 to April 2017

Advanced Placement (AP) Psychology Afterschool Tutor

Miami Lakes Educational Center | Miami Lakes, FL

Instructor: Mrs. Erica DeSimone

- Conducted review sessions for the AP Psychology exam
- Created study materials, including PowerPoint presentations and practice questions, on sensation and perception, motivation and emotion, testing and intelligence, and personality

May 2016 to Dec. 2018

Undergraduate Research Assistant | Infant Development Lab

Florida International University | Miami, FL

Primary Investigator: Dr. Lorraine E. Bahrack

- Assisted in the recruitment of participants for research investigating perceptual, cognitive, and social development of infants and young children
- Assisted in the data collection and data management of the lab's NIH funded longitudinal study on multisensory development
- Oversaw scheduling, training, data collections, and data management for the lab's study on adult intersensory perception
- Completed honors thesis on individual differences in adults' intersensory processing as a predictor of performance on standardized cognitive tests

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Contino, K., Edgar, E. V., Testa, K., **Delgado, A.**, Todd, J. T., Bahrack, L. E. (2019, October). Intersensory Processing Skills at 12 Months Predicts Vocabulary Growth in Word Production Between 18 and 24 Months. Poster presented at *International Society for Developmental Psychobiology*, Chicago, IL.

Edgar, E. V., **Delgado, A.**, Testa, K., Contino, K., Todd, J. T., Bahrack, L. E. (2019, October). The Relation Between Intersensory Processing & Diversity of Child Word Production is Moderated by Socioeconomic Status. Poster presented at *International Society for Developmental Psychobiology*, Chicago, IL.

Delgado, A., Todd, J. T., Eccles, A., Bahrack, L. E. (2018, March). Individual differences in adults' intersensory processing predict performance on standardized cognitive tests. Poster presented at the *Conference for Undergraduate Research at Florida International University*, Miami, FL.

Eccles, A., **Delgado, A.**, Todd, J. T., Bahrack, L. E. (2018, March). Stability in intersensory processing speed and accuracy: Evidence for test-retest reliability. Poster presented at the *Conference for Undergraduate Research at Florida International University*, Miami, FL.

SKILLS & CERTIFICATIONS

Bilingual in English and Spanish

Mastery level Child-Directed Interaction (CDI) and Verbal-Directed Interaction (VDI) skills

Experience with data entry and data management of large datasets through Excel and SPSS

Experience eye tracking using Tobii X120

Administration and scoring of the Wechsler Preschool & Primary Scale of Intelligence (WPPSI-IV)

Administration and scoring of the Expressive Vocabulary Test (EVT 2nd Ed)

Administration and scoring of the Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test (PPVT 4th Ed)

Administration and scoring of the Test of Preschool Early Literacy (TOPEL)

Administration and scoring of the Test of Early Mathematical Ability (TEMA)

Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI): Social/Behavioral Human Subjects Research Course

AFFILIATIONS

June 2020 to Present

International Congress of Infant Studies (ICIS)

February 2019 to Present

Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD), Latino Caucus

October 2018 to Present

Association for Psychological Science (APS)

February 2017 to Present

American Psychological Association (APA) Student Affiliate